



Environmental Policy

Philips Lighting

The Philips Lighting Environmental Policy is a core policy for our company. It is a living document and reviewed and updated as needed to meet the needs of our stakeholders and reflect our strategy and external developments.

Philips Lighting is committed to protect the environment. We focus on prevention and minimizing the impact of our operations and business on the environment. We are committed to continuously exploring solutions in both our operations and our business to further decrease this impact, in a technical and economic feasible manner.

The environmental performance of our operations focusses on preventing pollution, reducing emissions to air and water; minimizing the use of energy and water; and reducing waste.

The environmental performance of our products is evaluated over their total life cycle. In our product development, we focus on reducing energy consumption, resource efficiency and reducing or eliminating hazardous substances. Further, we are driving in the transition from a linear to circular business model. We aim to use natural resources more effectively, extend the lifetime of our products and systems, drive collection and recycling efforts and improve the use of recycled materials, in an attempt to close the materials loop.

We work with our supply chain on environmental responsibility and continuously drive compliance and improvement through audits and training in risk countries. Our programs in the supply chain additionally focus on substance management, conflict minerals and support enabling to also reduce our suppliers' carbon footprint.

Philips Lighting has an environmental management system according to international standards. Audits resulting in a systematic and documented verification process ensure compliance and continuous improvement.

Philips Lighting measures and verifies by a third party its environmental performance and publishes results annually. We publish validated and lawful environmental achievements and product claims and communicate our environmental policy to employees and other stakeholders.

Philips Lighting is committed to complying with all applicable laws and regulations, will promote international harmonization of applicable laws and regulations, and is prepared to enter into voluntary agreements.

As an environmentally responsible company, we also expect our business partners to uphold a similar standard.

