

Environmental and climate policy statement

As a global business, Krones has committed itself to climate and environmental protection as part of its 2030 sustainability targets. As the market leader in the beverage filling and packing industry, Krones continually works on the optimization of its own products and processes. The continual improvement also includes the protection of the environment, the efficient use of energy and resources and the observance of recognised standards and legal regulations. The aim is to design both our own products and their production processes, and to procure materials and services as environmentally and climate friendly as possible.

With targets, measures and processes in the field of ecological sustainability, Krones recognises its responsibility to protect the environment and the earth's climate. Therefore, we have defined environmental standards to be followed throughout the entire group. They serve as an internal set of rules and are based on the Krones Code of Conduct as the central policy document in the Krones Group. The aim is to guarantee the implementation of the standards in everyday production processes and projects to ensure environmentally friendly production in all locations and all subsidiaries, and to contribute to a continual improvement in environmental protection.

As a guideline for the sustainable protection of the environment, the standards follow these internationally recognised agreements:

- the Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs) of the United Nations (UN)
- the principles of the United Nations Global Compact
- the OECD Guidelines for Multinational Enterprises (Organisation for Economic Co-operation and Development)

The Krones Code of Conduct, the Krones Sustainability Goals 2030 and the annual Non-financial Report function as further Group-wide documents on environmental goals and standards.

