

## Our environmental policy

The environmental policy is the guideline for FRÄNKISCHE Industrial Pipes including all its subsidiaries and the supporting corporate shared services of FRÄNKISCHE Rohrwerke Gebr. Kirchner GmbH & Co. KG.

**Besides the aim of customer satisfaction, optimum quality and protection of employees against work accidents, we consider environmental protection as one of our main tasks.**

- FRÄNKISCHE Industrial Pipes is a developer, manufacturer and marketer of customer-specific and standardized products and systems for cable protection and fluid transfer with globally distributed sites close to our customers.
- We consider the continuous improvement of our processes and procedures, which is ensured by means of regular determination of environmental objectives, their review and implementation through environmental programmes, as our permanent task and obligation.
- Our efforts have always served the purpose of complying with the environmentally relevant regulations as well as the requirements from approvals and customer demands.
- Environmental impacts are reduced by economical resource usage as well as low-emission and low-waste manufacturing engineering, and monitored by means of periodic reviews and measurements.
- We take preventive action to minimise environmentally harmful emissions, such as noise, residues, sewage and waste by means of suitable technical and organisational action.
- Communication with our customers, suppliers, authorities and employees for the purpose of continuous improvement of our environmental performance is our constant aim.
- Training and motivating our employees with regard to constant improvement of our processes and procedures have a fundamental significance for our company.
- Our environmental objectives and the programmes formulated to this end are embedded in corrective and preventive actions as well as in our internal audit procedures to guarantee the application, suitability and efficiency of our environmental management system and to ensure our compliance with environmentally relevant regulations.
- We provide all resources required to achieve our environmental objectives and to implement our environmental policy.

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