



ELOTEX Sustainability Statement

We care about tomorrow

ELOTEX AG is one of the world's top producers of building material additives used in everyday construction activities. As an industry leader, we are committed to achieve economic growth in a safe, secure and environmentally responsible manner. ELOTEX is now part of the AkzoNobel Group and has embraced all targets of AkzoNobel in terms of sustainable development and adherence to the Dow Jones Sustainability Index guidelines.

In our production processes we are committed to a year-on-year reduction of industrial wastes, energy use and water consumption as well as to the continuous reduction of carbon emissions.

We are genuinely committed to evaluating all business processes, transportation of goods and travelling of our employees, aiming to reduce our carbon footprint in line with the AkzoNobel Group.

We are committed to meeting our obligations under the REACH Regulation and are taking the necessary measures to continue our commercial interests in the European Union (EU) as appropriate.

We are currently engaged in conducting a systematic eco-efficiency analysis of our product portfolio to assess our ecological impact on the environment.



Our products portfolio is aimed at directly improving the durability of building materials by increasing the water repellence, the corrosion protection, the crack resistance, the efflorescence resistance, the adhesion/cohesion and the freeze-thaw stability of modern drymix mortars. It is also aimed at directly improving the efficiency of building materials, e.g. thin bed instead of thick bed mortars

In addition to these efforts, we are committing resources from our R&D and Marketing teams to evaluate and develop more sustainable building additives and solutions based on natural, renewable raw materials. We seek to improve the eco footprint of drymix mortars and to provide innovative eco-solutions to our customers.

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We are as committed to our communities as we are to our customers, shareholders and employees. So far, in the last two years, over 64 volunteers worldwide have sponsored and worked on over 12 social projects – from bringing color to the lives of young children to providing a chemical safety education to future generations. Sustainability is an ever evolving process. We would like to hear from you.

If you have any questions on our long-term approach toward sustainable development, please contact our Sustainability Coordinator,

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