

Press release

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WACKER achieves Gold in EcoVadis sustainability rating

- WACKER ranks among the top 5 percent of all companies evaluated
- Scorecard result increased to an overall 79 out of 100
- Rating offers customers standardized proof of sustainability

Munich – WACKER has again been awarded the 2025 Gold Medal by EcoVadis, an external rating agency. This medal honors sustainable action and responsible corporate management. This puts WACKER in the top 5 percent of all companies (more than 1,000) rated by EcoVadis. WACKER improved its overall score from 77 points in 2024 to 79 this year. The decisive factors here were higher scores due to more comprehensive reporting and the implementation of measures that mainly focused on Scope 3 emissions and ethics. “The result confirms our initiatives in many key areas. It provides our customers with invaluable proof,” says Peter Gigler, head of WACKER’s ESG department.

The EcoVadis score (ranging from 0 to 100) reflects the quality of a company’s sustainability management system at the time of the assessment. Its methodology is based on international sustainability standards, such as the Global Reporting Initiative, the United Nations Global Compact and the ISO 26000 standard. A scorecard is used to evaluate sustainability performance on the basis of 21 indicators and the four subject areas of environment, labor & human rights, ethics, and sustainable procurement.

WACKER shares the EcoVadis questionnaire with its customers, offering them standardized and recognized proof of its own sustainability measures. WACKER has set ambitious sustainability goals for itself. By 2030, the company’s absolute greenhouse gas emissions are to be 50 percent lower (compared to 2020). Currently, 30 percent of absolute greenhouse gas emissions have already been

reduced (as of 2024). By 2045, WACKER hopes to achieve net zero, which means it would no longer emit any net CO₂ whatsoever.



WACKER has again been awarded the 2025 Gold Medal by EcoVadis, an external rating agency. (Picture: WACKER)

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The company in brief

WACKER is a global company with state-of-the-art specialty chemical products found in countless everyday items, with applications ranging from tile adhesives to computer chips. The company has a global network of 27 production sites, 21 technical competence centers and 46 sales offices. With around 16,600 employees, WACKER generated annual sales of around €5.7 billion in fiscal 2024.

WACKER operates through four business divisions. The Silicones and Polymers chemical divisions supply products (silicones, polymeric binders) for the automotive, construction, chemical, consumer goods and medical technology industries. Biosolutions, the life sciences division, specializes in bioengineered products such as biopharmaceuticals and food additives. Polysilicon produces hyperpure polysilicon for the semiconductor and photovoltaic industries.

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