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# PRINCIPLES

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## **Environmental protection – focusing on forward-looking system solutions**

In the spirit of sustainability, REHAU is addressing conservation of increasingly scarce raw materials and development of innovative energy efficient systems. We develop and manufacture system solutions that are ecologically and economically practical for our customers, and act responsibly with regard to people and nature.

We strive to have an energy efficient line of products and produce them in a way that meets our energy conservation objectives. We share the environmental aspects of our products with our customers.

We take environmental impacts of any kind very seriously and stringently monitored them at all our locations around the world. We assess environmental impact during the planning phase of new activities, products and procedures, and take comprehensive measures to deal with accidental emissions. We comply with all legal requirements.

Every single employee has essential environmental responsibilities. We provide training and communicate our priorities to ensure they are prepared to assume them. REHAU cooperates openly and actively with all stakeholders, authorities, relevant organisations and other interested parties. By maintaining direct communication and remaining open with them, we build a trusting relationship.

We also prefer suppliers that act in an environmentally sustainable manner. We utilize a sustainability agreement for suppliers to ensure that they have implemented resource-saving programs.