

Environment Policy



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At Heathcoat Fabrics Limited (HFL) we proactively work to integrate environmental considerations into the procurement, development, manufacture and finishing of our woven and knitted fabrics. HFL understands that everyone has a responsibility to the environment that is instrumental to the sustainable future of our business.

We are committed to:

- Developing business objectives and targets to achieve continual improvement in environmental performance and preventing pollution.
- Carefully managing key aspects such as energy, water, waste, biodiversity and raw material use, and considering these when making major investment decisions.
- Suitably resourcing all current and future activities, products and services to ensure they are carried out with regard to the environment.
- Providing environmental awareness training and education for our employees alongside engaging proactively with stakeholders including regulators, trade bodies, and the community to implement and evaluate solutions to the complex environmental challenges we are facing.
- Monitoring and reviewing our progress and performance through risk assessments, audits, board meetings and ongoing management review.
- Complying with applicable legislation and other requirements to which we subscribe and, where practicable, seeking to achieve a level of environmental performance and best practice over and above the legislative requirements.

The Environment Policy, its associated documents and procedures are issued under the authority of the Managing Director and implementation is mandatory on all persons having an impact on the environmental performance of HFL.

Key objectives for 2025-2027

- Substantially increase water use efficiency in process and cooling • applications.
- Develop a roadmap for understanding our Scope 3 CO₂ emissions from • our wider supply chain.
- **Quantify the environmental impact of a range of Synchrotec fabrics** using life-cycle analysis.

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