

Policy on pollution



Corbion

At Corbion, we exist to champion preservation in all its forms, preserving food and food production, health, and our planet. Our aim is not to maintain the status quo, but rather to find new and better ways of operating in a changing environment – to empower one another, and the world, to do more with less.

This policy details our approach for preventing pollution, and responding to pollution incidents throughout our supply chain and our operations. Our goal is to identify, and minimize potential environmental impacts by limiting pollutants emissions to levels that are safe for biodiversity and local communities. Even though, based on our impact, risk and opportunities assessment pollution has not been identified as material topic for Corbion, we are committed to achieving a zero incident culture and to continuously improve our environmental performance.

Prevention of pollution

We are committed to preventing pollution in our operations by implementing good practices and management systems for pollution control. This includes identifying and assessing relevant pollutants, ensuring that our operations comply with the (local) regulations or standards for emissions of pollutants to air, water and soil.

We require all our raw materials suppliers to adhere to our Supplier Code, which includes our expectations regarding minimization of emissions to air, water and soil as well as handling, movement, storage and use of chemicals.

Our biochemicals provide safer alternatives to hazardous chemicals, and we actively promote them as substitutes across various markets. Corbion produces chemicals with a low hazard profile and does not produce chemical in the EU REACH Authorization List, the REACH Candidate List, or the SIN List, and we are committed to keeping it that way. While some hazardous substances are currently used in our production process, we strive to phase them out. This aligns with our commitment to safety, regulatory compliance, and minimizing risks to workers, consumers, and the environment.

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Incident management

Our approach includes:

► Incident prevention

Implementing measures to minimize the likelihood of pollution incidents, including regular risk assessments, equipment's maintenance, and employee training.

► Incident response

In the event of a pollution incident in our operations, we are committed to responding quickly and effectively to minimize environmental and local community damage. We achieve it by developing and maintaining an incident response plan that ensures quick and effective action in the case of an emergency, including containment, reporting, and remediation.

Transparency

Ensuring transparency in our pollution performance through consistent measurement and monitoring.

Governance

Corbion's Sustainability Steering Committee, comprising the COO and CTO, is responsible for all matters related to Sustainability, including this Pollution policy. This committee approves targets and policies and is responsible for their implementation. Progress is monitored regularly.

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