



# W. Gröning GmbH & Co. KG

Experts in polyethylene films  
and packaging solutions

Barrier Solutions for Paper Sacks:  
Sustainable | functional | impactful

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# 152 YEARS PROGRESS BY INNOVATION

Founder Wilhelm Gröning

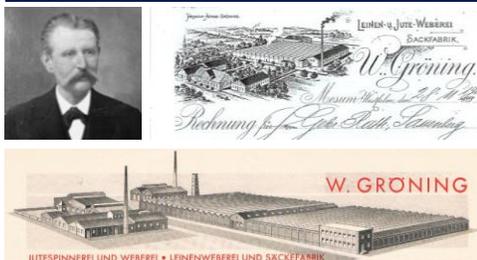
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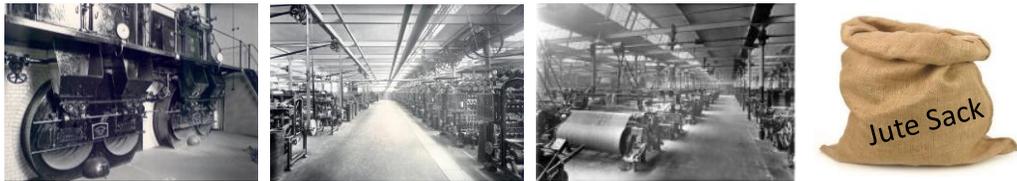


Start of polyethylene film production, printing, converting and recycling



Jute weaving and spinning

Shift from jute to fibre glass production



150 years  
CHANGE THROUGH SUCCESS

GRÖNING  
LAB

GRÖNING  
ACADEMY

FLOW  
PACK BASIC  
VENTING  
GREENLINE

# EXPERTS IN POLYETHYLENE FILMS AND PACKAGING SOLUTIONS



**Broad range of materials: LDPE, HDPE, MDPE, PP, PA, EVOH → up to 10 colours**

# OUR MARKETS



Papersack



Peat, Soil, Fertilizer



Wood and Pellets



Food



Building



Textile



Pet Food



G-FlowPack



G-FilmGreen



# LET'S MAKE AN IMPACT TOGETHER

## D4R



### OUR SUSTAINABILITY GOALS

- Push circularity
- Save resources
- Reduce emissions
- Support customers



# TAILORED PRODUCTS

## CUSTOMER REQUIREMENTS

-  Sealability
-  Durability
-  Optics
-  Performance
-  Sustainability
-  Processability

## PROTECTION AGAINST EXTERNAL INFLUENCES

-  UV
-  Water & Humidity
-  Weather
-  Air Oxygen



# PRODUCTION RANGE

- **HD-PE FILMS**

- 6 $\mu$  - 100 $\mu$  and 150mm - 1450mm

- **HD-PE TUBES**

- 18 $\mu$  - 120 $\mu$  and 350mm - 1300mm

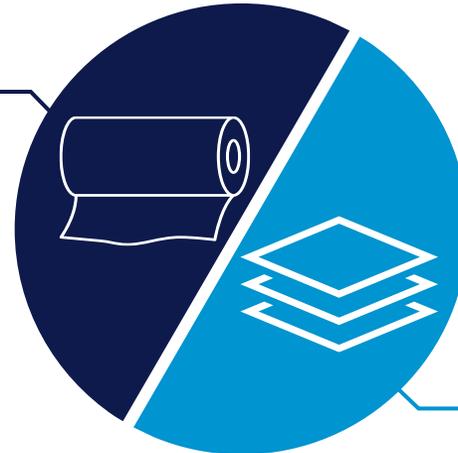
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- **LD-PE FILMS**

- 28 $\mu$  - 280 $\mu$  and 150mm - 2500mm

- **LD-PE TUBES**

- 30 $\mu$  - 200 $\mu$  and 120mm - 2500mm



- **COEX FILMS**

- 28 $\mu$  - 200 $\mu$  and 150mm - 1450mm

- **COEX TUBES**

- 50 $\mu$  - 200 $\mu$  and 370mm - 1450mm

- **BARRIERE FILMS**

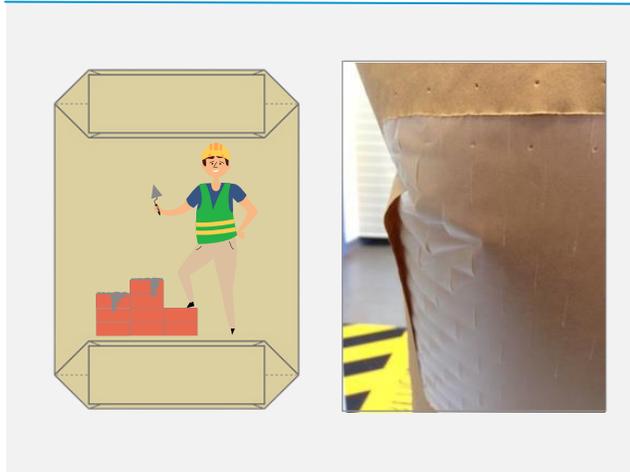
- 50 $\mu$  - 200 $\mu$  and 150mm - 1050mm

- **BARRIERE TUBES**

- 50 $\mu$  - 200 $\mu$  and 450mm - 800mm

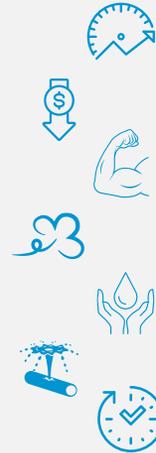
# PE-HD (HIGH DENSITY) FOR VALVE SACKS

## HDPE Inliner for Valve Sacks



## Requirements of the paper sack

- High speed filling
- Low packing cost
- Strength
- Dust-free
- Moisture protection
- Low damage rates
- Extend shelf life



## Benefits HDPE free film

- Various slits and perforations options
- Proofed for efficient production
- HDPE flat film 6 – 100 µm
- HDPE prevent moisture ingress
- Better product protection
- Longer storage time
- Better product appearance
- HDPE is recyclable



## Segment

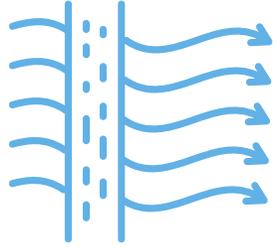
- Building Material
- Cement
- Mineral Products
- Chemicals
- Others

## Requirements of the film

- Web Tension
- Tolerances (e.g. width)
- mechanical properties
  - (tear strength, elongation, etc.)
- Deaeration
- Corona treatment
- Barrier



# PE-HD (HIGH DENSITY) PERFORATION AND SLIT SOLUTIONS

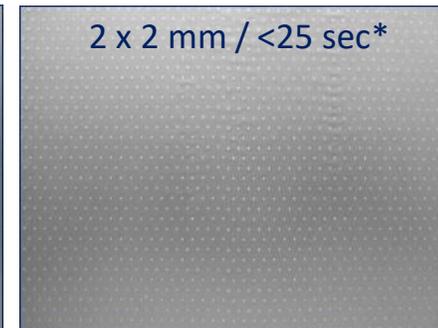
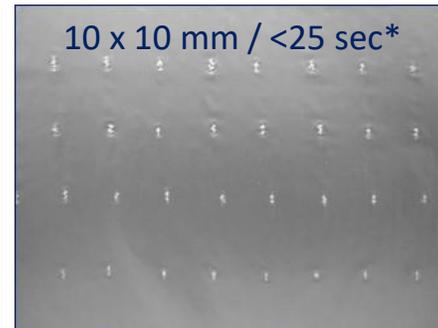


\*The air permeability test measures the venting performance in seconds of a perforated film.

## High



## Medium



## Low



AIR PERMEABILITY

# SAVE RESOURCES & REDUCE COSTS



## Benefits

- Save resources
- Reduce Thickness
- Same reel diameter
- More running meters
- Less job changes
- Reduce sack costs
- Reduce transport costs
- Optimise warehousing
- Enhanced productivity

# PE-LD (LOW DENSITY) COEX QUALITIES UP TO 7 LAYER

## TUBE FILM for Open Mouth Sacks



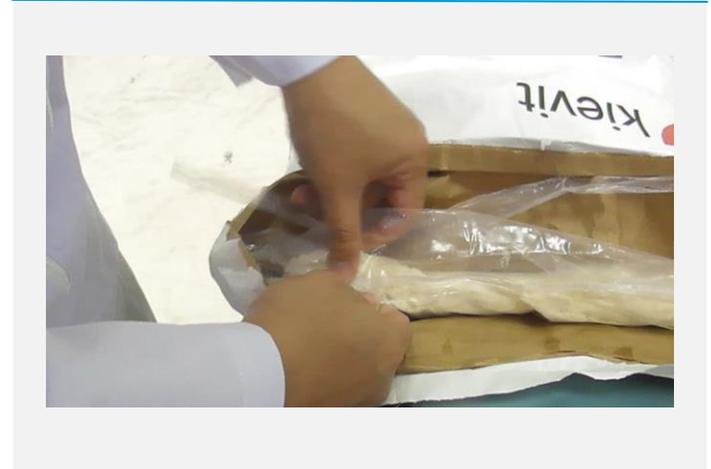
## Segment

- Dairy Industry
- Milk Powder
- Animal Food
- Other Food

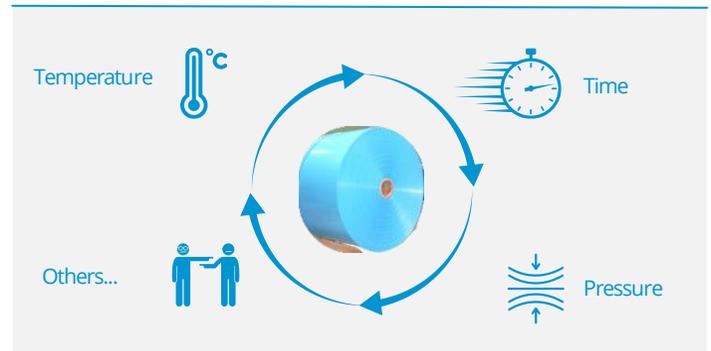
## Required Film Properties

- Strength
- High Hot-Tack & Reliable Seal-Strength
- High barrier (oxygen / aroma / WVTR)
- Storage life (shelf life)
- Strippable Sacks
- Cope to extreme atmosphere and temperature variations (especially on oversea container)
- PE Liner must be strong enough to be used as a 25 kg sack on its own, outside of the paper sack
- PE Film must be suitable for running on a W&H Rotaliner or PE insert unit

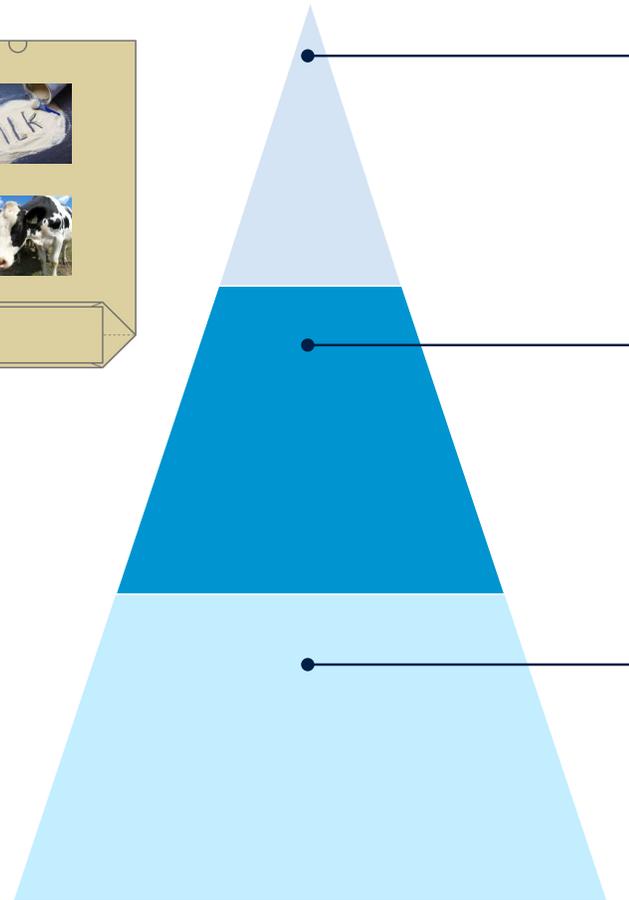
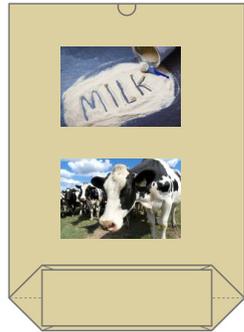
## Good Shape / Top Seal



## Sealing circle of success



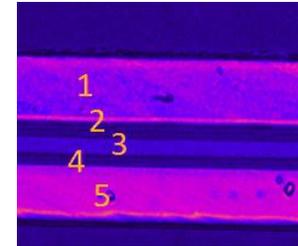
# ASSORTMENT PE-LD (LOW DENSITY) AND COEX QUALITIES



## SPECIALITY

### COEX 5-7 Layer

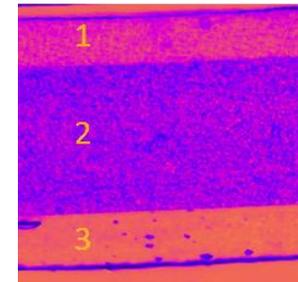
- International Trade
- Special Milk Powder Blends
- Gas Barrier



## PREMIUM

### COEX 3Layer

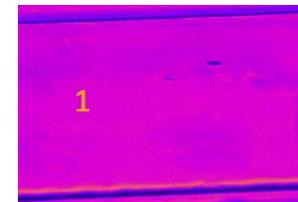
- International Trade
- Long life Poly Liner



## STANDARD

### MONO

- Simple domestic trade
- International trade



## Combine different properties in one film !

- hygienic and food safe production environment
- high product protection very good Barrier properties  
(oxygen and aroma)
- ideal machine runability
- high tensile strength
- very high shock resistance
- Optimum closure (very good sealability)
- very good glueability
- TRACEBILITY – one unique code



**OUR GRÖNING-LAB | OUR SERVICE**



**THE LABORATORY | TESTING & ANALYSIS | OUR PHILOSOPHY**

# GRÖNING-LAB



PRACTICE ORIENTED .....



MECHANICAL .....



OPTICAL .....



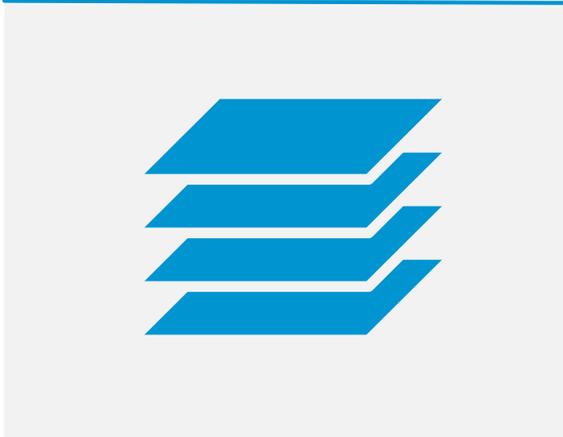
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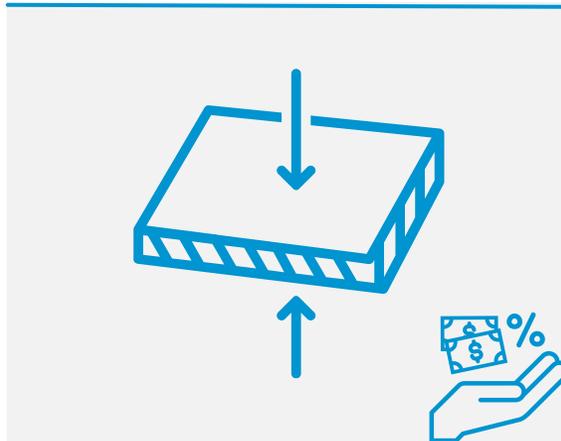
# PE-FILM INNOVATION

## AVOID, REDUCE, RECYCABILITY

### High functional Barrier



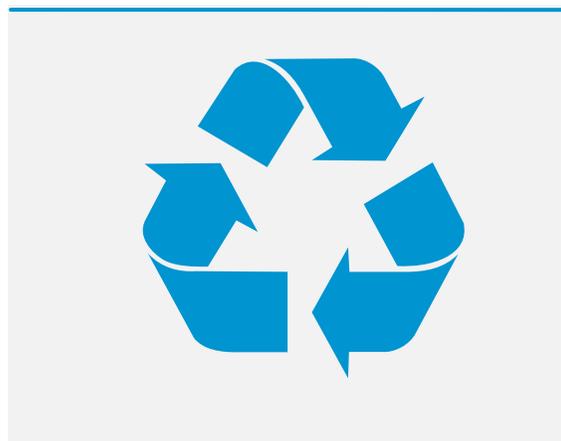
### Thickness Reduction



### Renewable Raw Materials

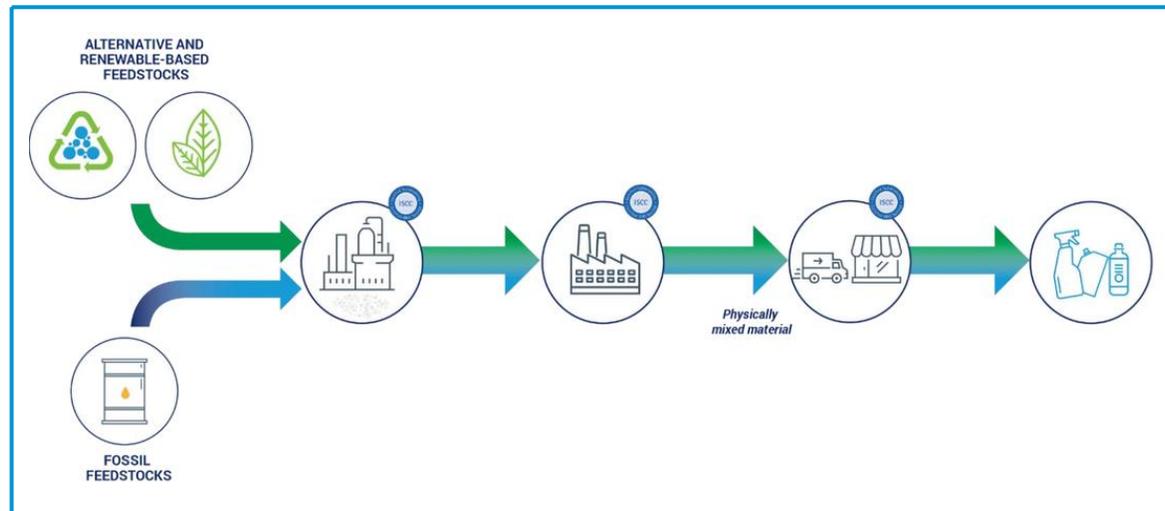


### Recyclate



# ISCC Certification system

**I**nternational  
**S**ustainability &  
**C**arbon  
**C**ertification



## Eco-friendly solutions for food packaging films

- Ensures sustainable practices in food packaging films
- Validates responsible sourcing and low-carbon production
- Sustainable Materials: Recycled, bio-based feedstock options
- Environmental Responsibility: Reduced footprint
- Social Compliance: Adherence to standards
- Full Transparency: Demonstrates commitment
- Competitive Edge: Recognized eco-label
- ISCC assures eco-friendly food packaging films
- Aligns with market preferences

## OUR SUSTAINABILITY GOALS

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Let's make an impact together



## Speciality: G-FilmBlue



[www.blauer-engel.de/uz30a](http://www.blauer-engel.de/uz30a)

- Folie zu mindestens 80 % Recycling-Kunststoff
- Begrenzung von Schadstoffen

# RECYCLATES PIR & PCR FROM MECHANICAL RECYCLING

## CONVENTIONAL RECYCLING PROCESS



### COLLECTING

- Used materials such as films and plastic waste
- Materials are collected from various sources e.g. like households, industrial and recycling centers.

### SORTING CLEANING

- Manual or automated sorting techniques to separate different types of plastics.
- Ensuring a consistent feedstock for the recycling process.
- If necessary undergo cleaning to remove contaminants like dirt, labels, and residual contents.

### SHREDDING

- The preprocessed materials are further shredded into smaller pieces making it easier to handle and process.

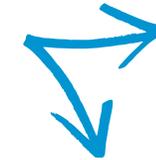
### EXTRUSION

- The shredded plastic pieces are melted using heat and pressure in an extruder.



### RECYCLATE

- This molten plastic is then forced through a die to create uniform pellets or granules.
- These pellets serve as the recycled raw material that can be used for manufacturing various plastic products.



**PIR - Post Industrial Recycling**  
Recycling of **waste materials** from manufacturing processes.

**PCR - Post Consumer Recycling (PCR)**  
Recycling of **used products** and materials from **consumers**.



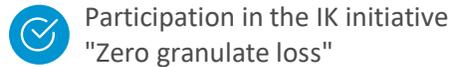
# OUR VISION 2040

2010

## ALREADY MADE!



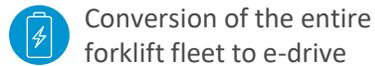
Energy management according to ISO 50.001



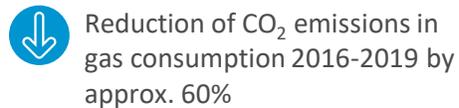
Participation in the IK initiative "Zero granulate loss"



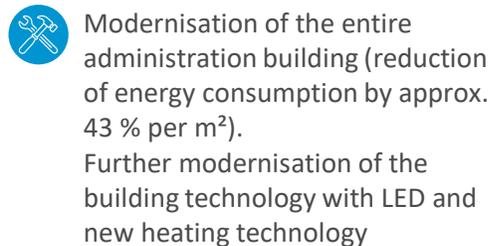
Teil der globalen Initiative  
Operation Clean Sweep



Conversion of the entire forklift fleet to e-drive



Reduction of CO<sub>2</sub> emissions in gas consumption 2016-2019 by approx. 60%

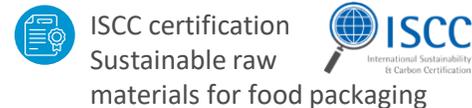


Modernisation of the entire administration building (reduction of energy consumption by approx. 43 % per m<sup>2</sup>).  
Further modernisation of the building technology with LED and new heating technology

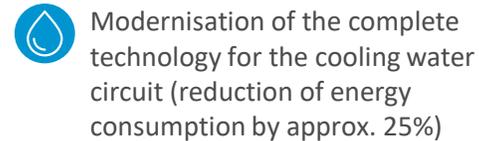
## CURRENTLY SUCCESSFUL!



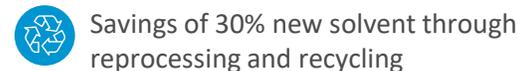
Blue Angel certification



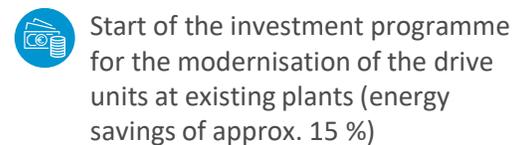
ISCC certification Sustainable raw materials for food packaging



Modernisation of the complete technology for the cooling water circuit (reduction of energy consumption by approx. 25%)



Savings of 30% new solvent through reprocessing and recycling

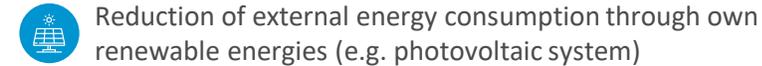


Start of the investment programme for the modernisation of the drive units at existing plants (energy savings of approx. 15 %)

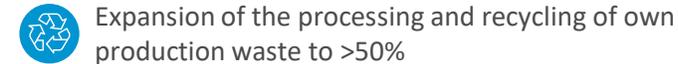
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## DEVELOP SOLUTIONS

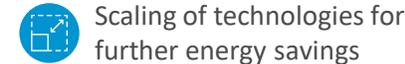
### PRODUCTION



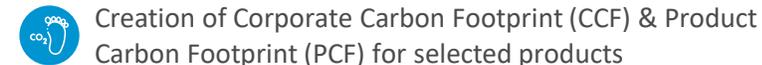
Reduction of external energy consumption through own renewable energies (e.g. photovoltaic system)



Expansion of the processing and recycling of own production waste to >50%



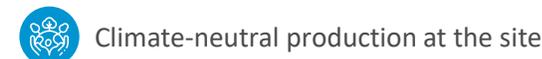
Scaling of technologies for further energy savings



Creation of Corporate Carbon Footprint (CCF) & Product Carbon Footprint (PCF) for selected products

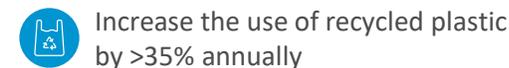


Increase the use of green electricity



Climate-neutral production at the site

### MATERIALS



Increase the use of recycled plastic by >35% annually

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## GOAL

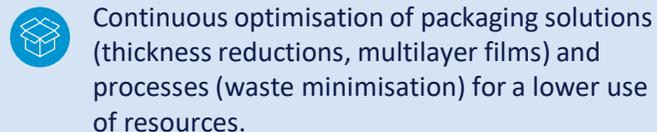


Compensation of technically unavoidable CO<sub>2</sub> emissions

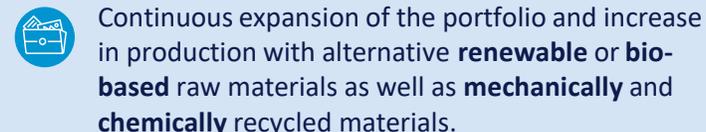


100% climate neutral production and products

## CURRENT PROGRESS TROUGH



Continuous optimisation of packaging solutions (thickness reductions, multilayer films) and processes (waste minimisation) for a lower use of resources.



Continuous expansion of the portfolio and increase in production with alternative **renewable** or **bio-based** raw materials as well as **mechanically** and **chemically** recycled materials.



# OUR PLANT



# THANK YOU FOR YOUR ATTENTION!

