

Our Environmental Policy



Building on our sustainability strategy, we commit ourselves to the principles defined within the framework of our environmental management system.

UNIQA Transition Plan.

Within our sphere of influence, we pursue the climate target pathway of the Paris Agreement and commit to achieving net zero emissions* in Austria in both our insurance business and operational activities by 2040.

Shared Responsibility.

Environmental protection is an integral part of our corporate culture. Through the active involvement of our employees, the environmental management system is brought to life. They act as ambassadors and thus encourage their peers and wider environment to engage in sustainable behaviour.

Sustainability in Operations.

Energy demand plays a central role in the operation of our sales locations. By expanding renewable energy systems, gradually replacing gas powered heating systems, and implementing targeted energy efficiency measures, we reduce our use of fossil energy. In addition, we are advancing the electrification of our car fleet, optimising waste management, promoting reuse and recycling, and increasing resource efficiency across our entire value chain.

Sustainability in Our Core Business.

As a member of the Green Finance Alliance, we commit to continuously reducing the greenhouse gas emissions associated with our investment and underwriting portfolios. Through the ongoing development of products and services with sustainability components, as well as phase out plans for fossil energy sources, we consistently drive decarbonisation in underwriting and investments.

Legal Compliance.

Legal certainty is a key pillar of our environmental management system. We therefore commit to the continuous assessment and compliance with all relevant environmental legislation and binding obligations.

Continuous Improvement.

We identify and assess our environmental aspects as well as the associated opportunities and risks. On this basis, we define objectives and measures to increase energy efficiency, reduce environmental impacts, and continuously improve our environmental performance.

Transparency.

The achievement of our environmental objectives is continuously reviewed through internal and external audits. We ensure transparency regarding our environmental objectives, measures and progress by regularly publishing our Environmental Statement.



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*Net zero refers to the substantial reduction of emissions (Scopes 1–3) and the neutralisation of unavoidable residual emissions in accordance with the climate targets of the Paris Agreement.