

Pfleiderer once again awarded EcoVadis Platinum for world-class sustainability

Neumarkt, 24 April 2026 – The Pfleiderer Group has reaffirmed its leading position in sustainability with another Platinum medal in the EcoVadis rating. In the annual review by EcoVadis, the wood-based materials manufacturer once again received the Platinum award and thus remains among the absolute world-class performers of all companies assessed.

EcoVadis Platinum rating confirms Pfleiderer among the top one percent worldwide

EcoVadis, one of the world's largest providers of ESG assessments, evaluates companies across environment, labour and human rights, ethics and sustainable procurement, awarding medals annually.

Pfleiderer's consistent implementation of its ESG strategy continues to deliver measurable results, with a score of 87 out of 100 points. This places the company once again among the top 1 percent of all 150,000 companies assessed worldwide. Strong performance in environmental protection and labour and human rights was a key driver of the result, alongside further improvements in ethics and sustainable procurement. Pfleiderer is currently the only EcoVadis Platinum-rated company among wood-based panel manufacturers, setting the benchmark for sustainability performance in the sector.

"Maintaining a Platinum rating in the EcoVadis assessment is not a given – the standards rise every year, and the bar of evidence is higher than ever," said Dr. Hicham Abel, CEO of the Pfleiderer Group.

"Achieving this again confirms that sustainability at Pfleiderer is not a slogan, but the result of consistent execution across the business. Being ranked among the top one percent worldwide demonstrates that our ESG strategy delivers measurable results, even in a challenging economic environment."

"The EcoVadis assessment has evolved into a rigorous review of governance, data quality and implementation," said Dr. Stefanie Eichiner, Head of Sustainability at the Pfleiderer Group. "Retaining

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Platinum confirms that Pfleiderer's sustainability performance is systematically embedded and externally verifiable. At the same time, each assessment highlights where we need to continue strengthening our processes."

For Pfleiderer, the result underlines the company's long-standing commitment to responsible sourcing, circular material use, climate protection and transparent governance across its operations.

Further information is available at <https://www.pfleiderer.com/dach-de/nachhaltigkeit> and <http://www.ecovadis.de>

About Pfleiderer

Pfleiderer is a leading manufacturer of high-quality wood-based materials, laminates and resin-based adhesives. The Engineered Wood Products division produces high-quality wood-based and laminated materials used in the rapidly growing market for high-end kitchens and furniture, as well as in structural timber construction in Western Europe. Furthermore, through its Silekol division, Pfleiderer is a leading manufacturer of speciality and industrial resins. These are used in Pfleiderer's own products, but are also utilised by customers in the panel production, packaging, construction and building materials industries. Pfleiderer, headquartered in Neumarkt in der Oberpfalz, employs around 1,900 people, primarily at five sites in Germany and one for adhesive systems in Poland. For over 130 years, sustainable working practices at Pfleiderer have been closely linked to the renewable material wood. The company places particular emphasis on sustainable sourcing and production, the reduction of carbon emissions and the protection of the environment.

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