

Environmental Policies & Principles

AB InBev's purpose is to Dream Big to Create a Future with More Cheers. In support of this objective, we strive for shared prosperity for our company, communities and nature. We work vigorously to achieve a high standard of environmental performance throughout our organization and set clear, measurable goals guided by the following principles and standards:

Climate change and zero emissions

- Actively work to reduce energy use and Scope 1, 2 and 3 emissions within our operations and across our value chain;
- Aim to maximize renewable electricity use within our operations and promote its adoption throughout our value chain;
- Pursue science-based emissions targets and our ambition to achieve Net Zero across our value chain by 2040.





Water stewardship

- Promote sustainable watersheds wherever we operate or source from;
- Pursue leading global benchmarks for water use efficiency within our operations with stronger ambitions in high-risk locations;
- Seek measurable improvement in water availability and quality in all high-risk watersheds where we operate;
- Provide thought leadership on water stewardship through partnerships and participation in industry associations.



Eliminate waste and maximize co-products

- Work to eliminate onsite waste generation through reducing resource use, recycling and reusing material where possible;
- Aim to show leadership on utilizing brewery co-products as feedstock for value activities and products;
- Work toward becoming a zero waste company.





Circular packaging

- Aim to meet evolving consumer needs, while striving to reduce the overall volume of packaging materials;
- Operate substantial returnable packaging systems to promote circular packaging and to reduce material use and waste;
- Promote recycling at local levels and increase recycled content in our packaging.



Sustainable agriculture

- Promote sustainable agriculture in our direct sourcing programs;
- Work to build farm level resilience through better crop management, improved varieties and risk mitigation tools to help agricultural operations be part of the solution to reducing emissions, protecting watersheds and improving biodiversity;
- Aim for measurable positive impact for direct farmers with skills, connectivity and financial empowerment.





Legal compliance

- Take steps to ensure compliance with all applicable environmental laws and regulations, company standards, and other requirements across our operations;
- In areas where only limited environmental regulations are in place or where conflicts exist between our principles and local laws and regulations, seek to apply the more stringent standards, while continuing to respect the laws and regulations of the relevant jurisdiction.



These principles and standards guiding our operations are reflected in our Voyager Process Optimization tool (our frontline management system) and cascaded to all operations. Our progress and governance of the management of these principles and standards are included in our annual reporting.

To a Future With More Cheers