

Sustainability at JÄGER

Our Vision:

We see sustainability as both a social obligation and a business opportunity. Saving energy and resources and reducing pollution are important to us. As a family business, we are socially committed rather nationally European and monitor our supply chain for compliance with labor laws, protection of the environment and anti-corruption.

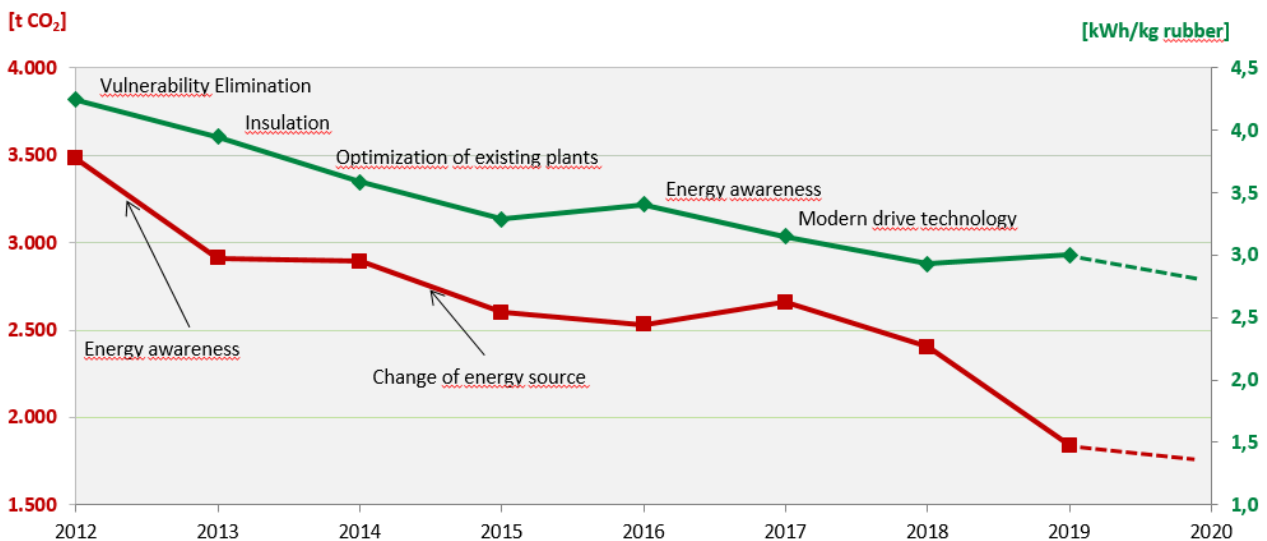
For us, the challenge lies in optimizing the "magic triangle":

- Procurement: economic, ecological, social
- Product development: intellectual, methodical
- Production processes: resource-efficient



The first steps have been taken. Back in 2011, we decided to introduce an energy management system in accordance with ISO 50001. This is because the production of rubber and plastics is fundamentally energy-intensive. From the very beginning, the energy awareness of our employees was the key to success.

Resource-efficient production processes



On this basis, for example, we have been able to almost halve CO₂ emissions in our oldest production plant in Hanover within 7 years since 2012 and reduce specific energy consumption by 40%. A systematic analysis of energy consumers, modern drive and control technology, mold insulation and thermal insulation, lighting refurbishment, and inclusion of the entire supply chain, among other things, have led to these significant energy and CO₂ savings.

This is because our product and process engineers consider their products from the outset in terms of sustainability, especially with regard to durability, use of raw materials and necessary process energy.

Cold runner technology and heat-insulated molds in rubber production, hot runner technology in plastics processing, short vulcanization times due to highly reactive rubber compounds significantly reduce material and energy consumption and lead to considerable material and cost savings. This gives us a competitive edge that will enable us to continue manufacturing high-quality products in Germany at low cost in the future. We regularly re-evaluate our products in order to continuously achieve a reduction in costs, material, CO₂ and energy consumption.

Short and transparent supply chains

In addition to cost and resource efficiency, we believe that respectful and tolerant interaction at eye level, respect for universal human rights and high occupational safety standards are prerequisites for any business relationship.

Our supply partners complement our in-house production in a spirit of partnership. They have complementary production facilities, process exotic materials, have special dexterity that we in the Jäger Group deliberately do not have ourselves.

For our customers this has the advantage that Jäger can offer not only rubber and plastic products. Through complementary and substitutive sources of supply, we offer a wide range of materials and processes and guarantee supply security even in crisis situations.

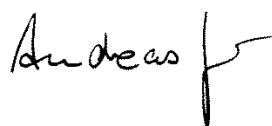
This is because our supply partners Jäger Gummi and Kunststoff are at home in Germany and Europe (80% in D, 96% in EU). Thus, we and our customers can personally convince themselves of the compliance with the CSR guidelines on site at any time.

Lowest possible CO₂ footprint as a development goal

On request, we will show the carbon footprint for our products based on the corresponding raw material and process data. In this way, we support our customers in their CSR goals and offer them the opportunity to achieve the ecological targets for their products and save CO₂ emissions before they occur.

Our team of experts is ready to work with you to leverage further savings potential.

Yours

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads 'Andreas Jäger'.

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