



abacogroup.com

ABACO S.p.A. con socio unico

Sede legale: Piazza Vilfredo Pareto, 9 - 46100 Mantova

Sede secondaria: Via Magenta, 5 - 00185 Roma

C.F./PIVA 01588630200 REA MN168716 Cap.Soc. € 120.000 i.v.

Tel. +39 0376 222181 abaco.mantova@pec.it info@abacogroup.eu

Climate Change Impact Policy

Purpose ABACO SPA is committed to mitigating the impacts of climate change and promoting sustainability within our operations and supply chain.

This policy outlines our strategy to integrate environmental considerations into all aspects of our business, from product development to corporate operations. The risks associated with these activities and the impact on the business context are reported within our Quality Management system in the Risk and Context analysis.

1. CARBON EMISSIONS REDUCTION

- Objective: To reduce our carbon footprint across all operations including energy use, travel, and product lifecycle.
- Energy Efficiency: Implement energy-saving measures in all facilities, including the use of renewable energy sources and energy-efficient IT equipment.
- Travel Reduction: Promote virtual meetings and remote work to minimize travel-related emissions.
- Product Lifecycle Management: Ensure that all products are designed with a focus on reducing carbon emissions throughout their lifecycle, including through the use of recycled materials and efficient manufacturing processes.

2. RESOURCE EFFICIENCY AND WASTE REDUCTION

- Objective: To minimize resource consumption and waste production.
- Material Use: Optimize the use of raw materials in products and packaging, prioritizing sustainable and recyclable materials.
- Waste Management: Implement a comprehensive waste management strategy, including recycling and reuse initiatives to minimize waste sent to landfills.
- Supply Chain Engagement: Collaborate with suppliers to ensure sustainable practices and reduce the environmental impact of supply chain activities.

3. TRANSPARENCY AND ACCOUNTABILITY

- Objective: To maintain transparency in our sustainability practices and hold ourselves accountable for our environmental impact.
- Reporting: Regularly publish detailed reports on our environmental performance, including carbon emissions, energy use, and waste management metrics.
- Stakeholder Engagement: Engage with stakeholders, including customers, employees, and suppliers, to promote sustainability initiatives and gather feedback for continuous improvement.



ABACO S.p.A. con socio unico
Sede legale: Piazza Vilfredo Pareto, 9 - 46100 Mantova
Sede secondaria: Via Magenta, 5 - 00185 Roma
C.F./PIVA 01588630200 REA MN168716 Cap.Soc. € 120.000 i.v.
Tel. +39 0376 222181 abaco.mantova@pec.it info@abacogroup.eu

abacogroup.com

- Governance: Establish clear governance structures and accountability mechanisms to ensure the effective implementation and monitoring of this policy.

4. CLIMATE ADAPTATION AND RESILIENCE

- Objective: To build resilience against the impacts of climate change.
- Risk Assessment: Conduct regular climate risk assessments to identify and mitigate potential impacts on our operations and supply chain.
- Adaptation Planning: Develop and implement adaptation plans to address identified risks and enhance the resilience of our facilities and infrastructure.
- Innovation: Invest in research and development of technologies and solutions that contribute to climate resilience and sustainability through our products.

5. SUSTAINABLE IT PRACTICES

- Objective: To lead in sustainable IT practices and digital services.
- Green IT Procurement: Prioritize the procurement of energy-efficient and environmentally-friendly IT equipment.
- Digital Sustainability: Implement sustainable practices in digital services, including data management, cloud computing, and software development to reduce their environmental footprint.
- End-of-Life Management: Ensure responsible disposal and recycling of IT equipment to minimize e-waste.

6. COMPLIANCE WITH ISO 14001

ABACO SPA has aligned its environmental management practices with the ISO 14001 standard. This has involved developing, implementing, maintaining and improving an environmental management system (EMS) that complies with ISO 14001 requirements.

- Environmental Policy: Our environmental policy is designed to be compliant with ISO 14001, ensuring a systematic approach to managing our environmental responsibilities.
- Objectives and Targets: Abaco spa periodically establishes environmental objectives and targets consistent with the ISO 14001 framework, focusing on significant environmental aspects and compliance obligations.
- Training and Awareness: Abaco spa provides specific ISO 14001 training to employees to ensure awareness and understanding of their roles within the EMS.
- Performance Evaluation: Abaco spa regularly monitors, measures and evaluates its environmental performance against ISO 14001 standards, using the results to drive continuous improvement.



ABACO S.p.A. con socio unico
Sede legale: Piazza Vilfredo Pareto, 9 - 46100 Mantova
Sede secondaria: Via Magenta, 5 - 00185 Roma
C.F./PIVA 01588630200 REA MN168716 Cap.Soc. € 120.000 i.v.
Tel. +39 0376 222181 abaco.mantova@pec.it info@abacogroup.eu

abacogroup.com

- **Internal Audits:** Abaco spa conducts periodic internal audits to verify that the EMS complies with ISO 14001 requirements and is effectively implemented and maintained.
- **Management Review:** Top management reviews the EMS at planned intervals to ensure its suitability, adequacy and continued effectiveness, aligning with ISO 14001 requirements.

This policy will be reviewed annually to ensure it remains relevant and effective in addressing the challenges of climate change and sustainability.

ABACO SPA commits to continuous improvement and leadership in environmental stewardship.

Last Edition 21/05/2024

ABACO SPA Management