

SUSTAINABILITY TOPICS

Sustainability topics	Policy	Sustainable Development Goals
Governance		
Sustainability strategy & management	We pay equal attention to economic, ecological and social interests to equip our company and the ports of Bremen for the future and to maintain our good acceptance with different stakeholder groups.	
Compliance	We comply with the identified legal requirements and proactively minimise the risk of corruption.	
Port security & risk prevention	We not only ensure compliance with the ISPS Code and all other legal requirements, but also endeavour to improve safety in the transport chain by means of innovative projects which integrate different interest groups.	
Sustainable procurement	We want to pay more attention to social and ecological aspects in the procurement of goods and services.	
Economic performance		
Market presence	We invest in pioneering projects which preserve and enhance the competitiveness of Bremen's ports.	
Adaptation to climate change	We analyse global trends to identify opportunities and risks for our port locations and take steps to ensure their future viability, even in times of climate change.	
Environmental compatibility		
Energy management & climate protection	We think carefully about our energy use, act sustainably, increase energy efficiency and raise the share of renewable energy.	
Environmentally friendly shipping	We support all technically feasible and economically appropriate methods of reducing the negative effects of shipping on people and nature and use these methods in particular for our own fleet.	
Biodiversity	We use the available space efficiently, avoid negative impacts on biodiversity and, if adverse effects are unavoidable, initiate the appropriate compensatory mitigation measures.	
Effects of maintaining the water depths	We reduce the negative impacts on nature and the environment to a minimum when maintaining the water depths.	
Labour practices		
Attractiveness as an employer	We promote our attractiveness as an employer with a family-friendly corporate culture that promotes health and skills. We also ensure equal treatment of our staff, foster an atmosphere of trust and respect and strictly oppose discrimination in any form.	
Occupational health & safety	We implement extensive preventive measures to avoid occupational accidents and health hazards.	
Social responsibility		
Impact on the population	We are devoted to maximising the positive impact of the ports of Bremen and to keeping the negative effects on the local population to a minimum.	