

## Press Release

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### Sustainability thought through: Witzenmann publishes 2024 Sustainability Report

The Witzenmann GmbH, based in Pforzheim, has published its 2024 Sustainability Report. The report powerfully demonstrates how this globally operating company combines ecological responsibility, social responsibility and economic stability – and views sustainability as the very core of its transformation.



The 2024 Sustainability Report of Witzenmann appears in the company's new corporate design. (Image source: Witzenmann GmbH)

#### **Milestones in 2024: sustainability made measurable**

On its path to consistently advancing sustainability, occupational safety and employer attractiveness, the Witzenmann Group achieved key milestones in 2024: with the validation of its climate targets by the Science Based Targets initiative, its contribution to meeting the 1.5-degree target of the Paris Climate Agreement was officially confirmed. The initial certification of its headquarters to DIN ISO 45001 – the international standard for occupational health and safety – further underlines Witzenmann's commitment to protecting the health and safety of its employees. Even in international industry comparisons, Witzenmann sets benchmarks: EcoVadis recognised the company among the top 1 per cent of all businesses assessed worldwide, awarding it the Platinum Medal – the platform's highest distinction. "The recognition by EcoVadis, the validation of our climate targets and certification to ISO 45001 are strong confirmations of our path. They show that, at Witzenmann, sustainability is lived responsibility – for our employees, our environment and the

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future of our company,” stresses Christine Wüst, CHRO of the Witzenmann Group. The report also highlights the sustainability strategy embedded in the company’s structure. It documents measures to reduce emissions and improve resource efficiency, and focuses on initiatives such as fostering a culture of learning and health for employees, as well as ensuring transparent supply chains. The report complies with internationally recognised standards of the Global Reporting Initiative and the UN Global Compact.

### **Sustainability in practice: flagship project at the Buchbusch site**

With a history spanning more than 170 years, Witzenmann is undergoing its third major transformation – from a jewellery manufacturer to an industrial and automotive supplier, and now to a development partner for the decarbonised economy. A visible symbol of this evolution is the construction of its new headquarters at the Buchbusch site in Pforzheim – a clear commitment to Germany as a location, and a significant step towards climate protection. The fully electrified site, with 23,000 m² of networked production space, operates on a balance-sheet greenhouse gas-neutral basis. A photovoltaic capacity of 1.6 MWp, combined with a holistic Power-to-X storage concept, smart building technology and energy-efficient construction, makes the new plant a flagship project for sustainability and innovation. For this commitment, Witzenmann was recently awarded the “ZUKUNFTS.LÄND.MACHER” prize by the Ministry of the Environment, Climate and Energy of the state of Baden-Württemberg.

### **Transformation with tradition: sustainability as a constant for decades**

Despite profound changes, one thing has remained constant: sustainability has been an integral part of Witzenmann’s corporate identity for over 30 years. Since 1993, with its own environmental protection officer, since 2011 as a signatory to the UN Global Compact and today with its own dedicated sustainability department, the company has consistently pursued ecological, social and economic objectives. As early as 1997, Witzenmann began reporting regularly on its environmental management system and has published annual key figures on resource use and environmental compatibility ever since.

The **2024 Sustainability Report** is now available for download on the Witzenmann website: [www.witzenmann.com/en/about-us/sustainability/](https://www.witzenmann.com/en/about-us/sustainability/)

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### **Images and Captions**



**Caption:** The 2024 Sustainability Report of Witzenmann appears in the company's new corporate design.

**Image source:** Witzenmann GmbH



**Caption:** For its comprehensive commitment, Witzenmann was honoured with the "ZUKUNFTS.LÄND.MACHER" award by Thekla Walker, Minister for the Environment, Climate and Energy of the State of Baden-Württemberg.

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**Caption:** CFO Irene Krings presents the current Sustainability Report of Witzenmann to Thekla Walker, Minister for the Environment, Climate and Energy of the State of Baden-Württemberg.

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