# Sustainability Report 2021-22

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# **Our vision**

Mobility is at the heart of people's lives and what matters to them: moving freely and caring for the planet, in their own way.

# **Our mission**

We pioneer technology for mobility experiences that matter to people.

Inspired to care our sustainability journey

Driven to inspire the future, we are ourselves inspired to care.

For the planet, our business and society, this is our approach to sustainability.

# Editorial

or many years, sustainability and responsibility have been convictions that are strongly shared by Faurecia and HELLA. Now that our communities have successfully joined forces and begun our new adventure as FORVIA, the world's seventh-largest Tier-1 automotive supplier, this commitment brings us even closer. We see and frame everything through the lens of sustainability: for us, mobility is about much more than moving. It is at the heart of people's lives and what matters to them: moving freely and caring for the planet, in their own way. This common vision is reflected in our mission: to create pioneering technology for mobility experiences that matter to people.

Our common sustainability roadmap is already delivering substantial results. We are convinced that our targets and commitments to the planet, business and people make us a Group that offers exciting opportunities and perspectives for all of our stakeholders, who are part of our journey. With many actions in place, we are already embracing the urgent transformation of our industry.



**PATRICK KOLLER** FORVIA Faurecia Chief **Executive Officer** 

FORVIA has become the first automotive player with a net-zero target approved by the **Science Based Targets initiative** (SBTi), recognizing our efficiency and leadership in this field.

Our goal is to reach CO<sub>2</sub> neutrality from 2045 by transforming our products and production methods, based on the maxim to use less, use better, and use longer.

Our commitments translate into practical, measurable initiatives that you will discover in this Sustainability Report for 2021 and 2022. We would like to thank our incredible 150,000-strong community who put sustainability at the heart of everything they do, in order to meet the challenges of future generations.





**MICHEL DE ROSEN** FORVIA Faurecia Chairman of the Board of Directors

∧ mong the major challenges of our times, the fight against climate change and A the quest for a fairer, more inclusive world go hand in hand: one cannot exist without the other. For many years, convinced that companies should make a positive contribution to society, Faurecia and HELLA have been automotive industry pioneers in walking the talk on sustainability issues. Their wide range of commitments and actions include CO<sub>2</sub> neutrality, responsible supply chain, diversity & inclusion, and societal engagement. The road ahead is long and complex. And FORVIA has all the assets to play a leading role.

### This is why it has been an honour to join the Governance, **Nominations and Sustainability Committee as Chairman** from early 2021, to guide and assess company's ethics and compliance policies and review its social and environmental responsibility actions.

Faurecia and HELLA are committed to achieve their shared mission under the FORVIA Group. I am confident that they will accelerate together and succeed in building a net-zero, sustainable future that reconciles protecting the planet with improvements to mobility, well-being and development.



Chairman and Chief Executive Officer of EDF Member of FORVIA Board of Directors - Chairman of the Governance, Nominations and Sustainability Committee

ontributing to a better, more sustainable world is one of the most pressing Lissues of our time. At FORVIA, we are committed to our holistic Sustainability Roadmap focusing on our impact on the planet and people, as well as responsible governance. Key action areas address circularity and the reduction of the CO<sub>2</sub> footprint of our value chain. FORVIA's new science based net-zero targets are proof of our engagement to tackle climate change and decrease greenhouse gas emissions, aiming for a net-zero value chain in 2045.

#### We are taking action today to combat climate change with sustainable, profitable solutions.

For instance, we are investing in R&D for innovative technologies that electrify vehicles and pave the way for CO<sub>2</sub>-neutral mobility. Our employees can do their jobs in the knowledge that they are contributing to make the world a better place. And that is an amazing mindset.





#### JEAN-BERNARD LÉVY



**MICHEL FAVRE** FORVIA HELLA Chief **Executive Officer** 

# FORVIA in brief

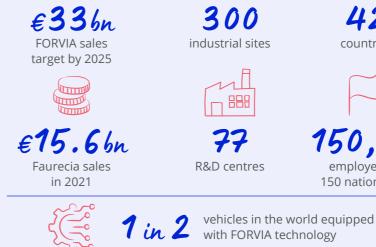
#### With the acquisition of a controlling interest in HELLA, Faurecia and HELLA have created FORVIA, a global automotive supplier with an advanced technology portfolio and innovation capability.

Aligned with key industry megatrends and fast-growing technology areas, FORVIA is uniquely placed to bring solutions for a safe, sustainable, advanced and customized mobility. The company is organised into six Business Groups, which are accountable for Operational Performance and Total Customer Satisfaction.

The Group's key initiatives for sustainable development, and in particular its ambition to become net CO<sub>2</sub> neutral by 2045, are based on its strong convictions and values. Its transformation is embedded in a robust, ethical and efficient corporate governance structure.

This document enables all stakeholders to better understand the company's vision and strategy for profitable growth. FORVIA's business model is focused on creating value for all its stakeholders, in terms of both financial and non-financial performance, over the short and long term.

# #7 global automotive supplier





At FORVIA, we believe that embracing a bold ambition inspires us to push the boundaries and play our part in driving positive change.



By placing **sustainability at the heart** of our strategy, we care for our planet, conduct business in a responsible way and positively contribute to our society.



At FORVIA, we offer a unique and broad technology portfolio for advanced and customized mobility experiences.

# FORVIA

42 countries

150,000 employees of 150 nationalities

6 activities

**CLEAN MOBILITY** 

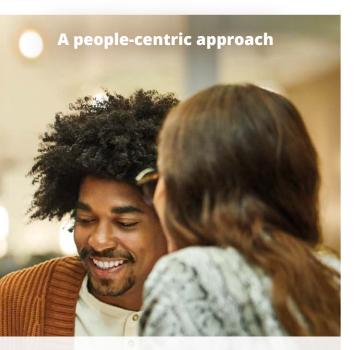
**ELECTRONICS** 

**INTERIORS** 

SEATING

LIGHTING

LIFECYCLE **SOLUTIONS** 



United around a common passion, we leverage the full diversity and expertise of our 150,000 talents to offer mobility solutions designed for the people.



# Our sustainability convictions

Our world is in a state of permanent disruption and faces major environmental and social challenges. These include, among others, urbanization, population growth, climate change, scarce resources and technological change.

### As a company, we strongly believe that we play a key role in facing up to these challenges, and that we can make a difference.

### We have started to have a positive impact on society and the planet by:

- reducing our CO<sub>2</sub> footprint and offering solutions for sustainable mobility;
- investing in technology and new business models;
- engaging in open, responsible and balanced dialogue with our stakeholders:
- contributing to economic development and the creation of social value through local hiring;
- encouraging the broadest possible diversity in our recruitment processes and career management, while fostering workplace conditions that are tailored to individual needs;
- providing training and career advancement for our employees.

And we will continue to move forward: this is the cornerstone of FORVIA's commitment to sustainability.

**Board of Directors** 



FORVIA Faurecia: 1. Michel de Rosen - Chairman of the Board of Directors. 2. Patrick Koller - Chief Executive Officer. 3. Dr. Jürgen Behrend - Managing general partner of Hueck Industrie Holding KG. 4. Daniel Bernardino - Board member representing the employees. 5. Judy Curran - Head of Global Automotive Strategy of ANSYS. 6. Odile Desforges - Board member. 7. Penelope Herscher - Chair/Board member. 8. Valérie Landon - Chief Executive Officer France and Belgium Credit Suisse. 9. Jean-Bernard Lévy - Chairman and Chief Executive Officer of EDF. 10. Yan Mei - Senior Partner, Chair of Brunswick Group (China). 11. Denis Mercier - Deputy Chief Executive Officer of Fives Group. 12. Peter Mertens - Board member. 13. Peugeot 1810 - Represented by Robert Peugeot, Chairman of the Board of Directors of Peugeot Invest. 14. Emmanuel Pioche - Board member representing the employees. 15. Yann Brillat-Savarin - Executive Vice-President, Group Strategy. 16. Victoria Chanial - Executive Vice-President, Group Communications. 17. Nolwenn Delaunay - Executive Vice-President, Group Communications. 17. Nolwenn Delaunay - Executive Vice-President, Group Communications. 17. Nolwenn Delaunay - Executive Vice-President, Group Chief Financial Officer. 19. Nik Endrud - Executive Vice-President, Group Chief Financial Officer. 19. Nik Endrud - Executive Vice-President, Group Chief Financial Officer. 19. Nik Endrud - Executive Vice-President, Group Chief Financial Officer. 19. Nik Endrud - Executive Vice-President, Group Chief Financial Officer. 19. Nik Endrud - Executive Vice-President, Group Chief Financial Officer. 19. Nik Endrud - Executive Vice-President, Group Chief Financial Officer. 19. Nik Endrud - Executive Vice-President, Group Chief Financial Officer. 19. Nik Endrud - Executive Vice-President, Group Chief Financial Officer. 19. Nik Endrud - Executive Vice-President, Group Chief Financial Officer. 19. Nik Endrud - Executive Vice-President, Group Chief Financial Officer. 19. Nik Endrud - Executive Vice-President, Group Chief Financial Officer. 19. Nik Endrud - Executive Vice-President, Group Chief Financial Officer. 19. Nik Endrud - Executive Vice-President, Group Chief Financial Officer. 19. Nik Endrud - Executive Vice-President, Group Chief Financial Officer. 19. Nik Endrud - Executive Vice-President, Group Chief Financial Officer. 19. Nik Endrud - Executive Vice-President, Group Chief Financial Officer. 19. Nik Endrud - Executive Vice-President, Group Chief Financial Officer. 19. Nik Endrud - Executive Vice-President, Group Chief Financial Officer. 19. Nik Endrud - Executive Vice-President, Group Chief Financial Officer. 19. Nik Endrud - Executive Vice-President, Group Chief Financial Officer. 19. Nik Endrud - Executive Vice-President, Group Chief Financial Officer. 19. Nik Endrud - Executive Vice-President, Group Chief Financial Officer. 19. Nik Endrud - Executive Vice-President, Group Chief Financial Officer. 19. Vice-President, North America. 20. Franck Huber - Éxecutive Vice-President, Faurecia Seating. 21. Olivier Lefebvre - Executive Vice-President, Clean Mobility 22. Jean-Paul Michel - Executive Vice-President, Faurecia Interiors. 23. Christopher Mokwa - Executive Vice-President, Digital Transformation. 24. Thorsten Muschal - Executive Vice-President, Sales and Program Management. 25. Christophe Schmitt - Executive Vice-President, Group Operations. 26. Jean-Pierre Sounillac - Executive Vice-President, Group Human Resources. 27. François Tardif - Executive Vice-President, Clarion Electronics and Asia.



## **Members of the Faurecia Board of Directors and Executive Committee and of the HELLA Shareholders Committee** and Management Board

FORVIA

Shareholders Committee



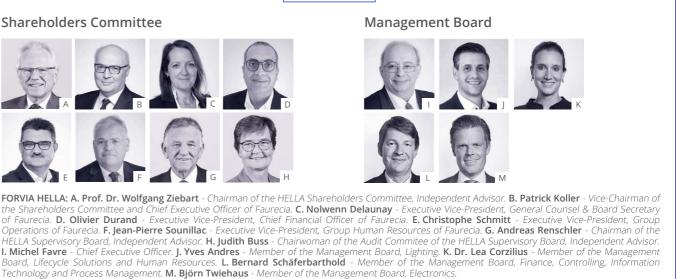
the Shareholders Committee and Chief Executive Officer of Faurecia. C. Nolwenn Delaunay - Executive Vice-President, General Counsel & Board Secretary of Faurecia. D. Olivier Durand - Executive Vice-President, Chief Financial Officer of Faurecia. E. Christophe Schmitt - Executive Vice-President, Group Operations of Faurecia. F. Jean-Pierre Sounillac - Executive Vice-President, Group Human Resources of Faurecia. G. Andreas Renschler - Chairman of the HELLA Supervisory Board, Independent Advisor. H. Judith Buss - Chairwoman of the Audit Commitee of the HELLA Supervisory Board, Independent Advisor. I. Michel Favre - Chief Executive Officer. J. Yves Andres - Member of the Management Board, Lighting. K. Dr. Lea Corzilius - Member of the Management Board, Lifecycle Solutions and Human Resources. L. Bernard Schäferbarthold - Member of the Management Board, Finance, Controlling, Information Technology and Process Management. M. Björn Twiehaus - Member of the Management Board, Electronics.







As of 1 November 2022





# Faurecia's 2021 sustainability performance\*



# Governance

→ A diverse, international, multidisciplinary Board of Directors



**Board Members**, 13 including 2 representing employees and 5 women (45.5%)



Excom Committee meeting on sustainable transformation



initiatives



Remun - linked to ESG criteria (gender diversity and CO<sub>2</sub> emissions)

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0.72	CO <sub>2</sub> emissions scope 1 & 2 (MtCO <sub>2</sub> eq)
46.6	<b>CO<sub>2</sub> intensity</b> (tCO <sub>2</sub> eq/€ million of sales)
27	<b>CO<sub>2</sub> emissions scope 3</b> (MtCO <sub>2</sub> eq)
175	<b>water intensity</b> (m³/€ million of sales)
13	<b>waste intensity</b> (Tons/€ million of sales)
13%	share of revenues eligible for the Green taxonomy

<sup>t</sup> At the publication of this report, Faurecia owns more than 80% of HELLA. The two companies form the FORVIA Group. This reports mainly concerns the sustainability performance of Faurecia. When available, data are presented for HELLA's sustainability performance. The consolidation of FORVIA Group data is ongoing.



# **Business**

**95%** of targeted employees **received training on the Code of Ethics** 

1.33

accidents per million hours worked with and without a day lost (FR1t)



**97%** of suppliers were assessed for **sustainabilty by EcoVadis** 



35/100 minimum EcoVadis score for suppliers in panel







women managers & skilled professionals

22.6h training hours per employee

of employees involved in local projects





# 1. Governance

Sustainability integrated into corporate governance

FORVIA's governance structure relies on the best standards of independence, transparency, openness, inclusiveness and responsibility for the Group's strategic and operational business.

FORVIA's governance structure includes complementary governance bodies at Faurecia and HELLA with efficient decision-making processes at all levels of the Group. It takes into account every financial, societal, social and environmental challenge in light of the Groups' convictions, values and commitments.

2019	2020	2021	2022
<ul> <li>Definition of Faurecia's sustainability convictions</li> <li>Materiality analysis</li> <li>Reference year for the sustainability roadmap</li> <li>TOP 300 senior executives: 10% of variable compensation linked to ESG criteria</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Creation of the internal department: Climate Strategy &amp; Sustainable Transformation Initiatives</li> <li>Three climate-based scenarios used to test the resilience of the Group's strategic plan</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Faurecia becomes independent from its historic shareholder, PSA/Stellantis</li> <li>Renaming of the Governance &amp; Nomination committee to include the term Sustainability</li> <li>Appointment of Jean-Bernard Levy as a new independent Board Member and Chairman of the Governance, Nominations and Sustainability Committee</li> <li>Launch of Faur'ESO, the employee</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Closing of the strategic and transformative acquisition of HELLA</li> <li>Creation of FORVIA: a combination of Faurecia &amp; HELLA, creating the world's seventh-largest automotive supplier</li> <li>4,800 Faurecia Managers: 15% of variable compensation linked to ESG criteria</li> <li>Faurecia integrates the EURONEXT CAC 40 ESG* index</li> </ul>

shareholding program • Launch of the **internal** 

CO<sub>2</sub> price

# 1.1 Robust & committed governance

# **1. Faurecia Board of Directors**

The Board of Directors determines Faurecia's business, financial and economic strategies and oversees their implementation, in accordance with the corporate purpose and taking social and environmental challenges into consideration. The Board meets at least four times a year.

#### **Enhanced independence**

As a result of the FCA and PSA merger, the distribution by Stellantis in 2021 of its stake in Faurecia to its shareholders allowed the Group to affirm its business strategy as an independent company. The resulting enhanced independence was reflected in a change in governance, with a large majority of independent members sitting on the Board of Directors.

#### **Three dedicated committees**

Three permanent committees are tasked with preparing discussions on specific topics. They issue proposals, opinions and recommendations within their areas of expertise, with a sustainability issue integrated into each:

#### Audit Committee

Review the Group's risk mapping

- Compensation Committee Review the compensation policy for top management
- Governance, Nominations and Sustainability
   Committee

Steer and assess the company's ethics and compliance policies as regards good governance practice, and review the social and environmental responsibility roadmap and action plans.



## 2. Faurecia Executive Committee

The Executive Committee has an international, diverse membership. It meets at least once a month to review the Group's results and discuss operations and strategy. Operating under the responsibility of the Chief Executive Officer, Faurecia Executive Committee is composed of the CEO and 13 Executive Vice-Presidents from the Group's international Business Groups and support roles.

# 3. Full involvement of Faurecia employees in the company's shareholding

The employees' shareholding scheme and the existing top managers' shareholdings bring employee share ownership to over 2.4% of the company's capital.

#### **HELLA governance**

On August 14, 2021, Faurecia and HELLA publicly announced their intention to combine their businesses. Since January 2022, Faurecia has held a controlling interest, with 81.6% of HELLA shares, becoming HELLA's new controlling shareholder.



#### **HELLA governance bodies**

• Management Board: oversees the strategic and operational management of the HELLA Group.

- Shareholders' Committee: monitors and advises the Executive Board management, decides on management issues, decides on measures requiring management's approval.
- **Supervisory Board:** supervises and advises management.
- Annual General Meeting: exercises control rights, elects shareholder representatives to the Supervisory Board and Shareholders' Committee.





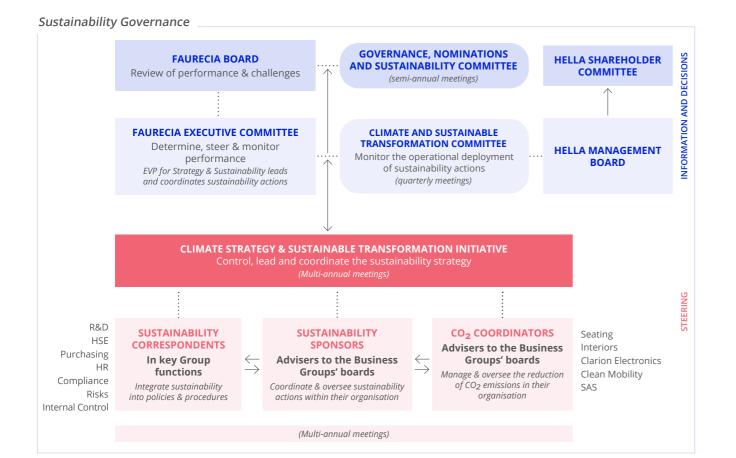
12 key skills and areas of expertise

that set the company apart

# 1.2 Sustainability governance

# 1. Driving the Group's sustainability strategy

Over the years, sustainability has become an integral part of FORVIA's decision-making process. Given the importance and scope of the sustainability issues involved in many strategic decisions, each governance body handles these issues within its area of expertise. At Faurecia's Executive level, sustainability is led by Yann Brillat-Savarin, EVP for Strategy and Sustainability, working together with the Climate and Sustainable Transformation Executive Committee, which includes one HELLA representative.

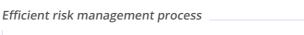




# 2. Sustainability embedded in the Group's processes & decision making

#### Group risk mapping integrating extra-financial risks

Faurecia's list of extra-financial risks is based on an in-house materiality analysis carried out in 2018 by a multidisciplinary working group from various departments. Comparisons were drawn with a risk universe for peers within the automotive sector. The preliminary list of risks was based on a methodology linked to frequency of occurrence and



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degree of seriousness, which was then discussed in around twenty interviews with external stakeholders. The Executive Committee then approved a final list of risks and opportunities. These are updated on a yearly basis, and supplemented by the sustainability roadmap monitoring indicators.



#### Faurecia's sustainability-linked remuneration criteria

	Short-term variable compensation	Long-term variable compensation
<b>Faurecia Chief</b> <b>Executive Officer</b> (See URD 2021 p.309 for more details)	<b>15%</b> of variable compensation linked to <b>scope 1 &amp; 2 CO<sub>2</sub>e neutrality</b> results. <b>Qualitative objective</b> linked to the <b>implementation of sustainability</b> convictions and the sustainability roadmap in the execution of the strategy.	<b>10%</b> of performance shares linked to gender diversity objectives.
Faurecia TOP 300 senior executives	of variable compensation linked to <b>scope 1 &amp; 2 CO<sub>2</sub>e neutrality</b> results.	<b>10%</b> of performance shares linked to <b>gender diversity objectives</b> .
Faurecia 4,800 Managers	<b>15%</b> of variable compensation linked to <b>scope 1 &amp; 2 CO<sub>2</sub>e neutrality</b> results.	

#### Internal strategic plan process: **Business Groups & functions** integrating sustainability

As part of an annual internal process, Business Groups present their 3-year strategic plan to Executive Committee members, integrating the greenhouse gas footprint reduction roadmap and more broadly the sustainability roadmap, including implementation strategies (planning, budget, resources, KPIs, etc.).

#### **Investment decisions steered** by an internal CO<sub>2</sub>e price

Global warming, regulations, taxes and incentives will soon impact the CO<sub>2</sub>e footprint of vehicles. Since 2021, the Group has thus included a CO<sub>2</sub>e footprint price in new products development. The aim is to be in a position to make the right decisions and look ahead to the first vehicle's production by 2025. The internal CO<sub>2</sub>e price will also be applied to the current product portfolio, incentivizing serial CO<sub>2</sub>e improvements.



#### Group strategy integrating the climate risk transition



#### Applying the 11 Task Force on Climate-related **Financial Disclosure (TCFD) recommendations**

Faurecia has integrated the 17 TCFD recommendations, broken down into four reporting categories: governance - strategy - risk management - indicators and objectives.

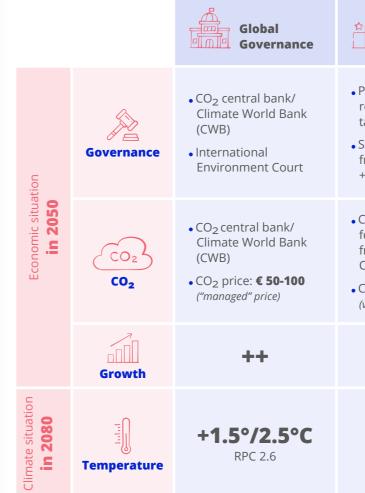


#### • Climate-based Scenarios: assessing the effects of the climate transition for the Group

As part of these TCFD recommendations, Faurecia has developed three prospective climate-based scenarios (economic, social and environmental) in partnership with the Toulouse School of Economics. These scenarios are all related to the impact of climate change. They take into account the disruptive effects of the climate transition and assess the resilience of the Group's strategy.

## Three climate-based scenarios are used to test resilience of the Group's strategic plan

As per TCFD recommendations



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Complex Competition	Wild World
Private & national/ regional decision-makers take action Shared initiatives + free riders (governments + companies)	<ul> <li>Pension/health funds drive environmental markets (incl. CO<sub>2</sub>)</li> <li>States decentralize and divest public services</li> </ul>
CO <sub>2</sub> cap & trade for companies + fragmented CO <sub>2</sub> fines, CO <sub>2</sub> border taxes CO <sub>2</sub> price: <b>€30-200</b> (varying over time/ scope)	<ul> <li>Few regional CO<sub>2</sub> taxes &amp; regulations</li> <li>CO<sub>2</sub> price: €0-1,000 (wild markets, varying CO<sub>2</sub> price)</li> </ul>
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# 1.3 Sustainability ecosystem

The Group adheres to international norms and standards, reflecting its commitment to best environmental, social and societal practices.

# Planet

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FORVIA's emissions reduction targets have been approved by the Science Based Targets initiative (SBTi) under the most ambitious scenario of 1.5°C. In 2022, FORVIA became the first automotive company with net-zero target approved by the SBTi.

#### - TCFD TCFD

Since 2019, Faurecia has applied the recommendations of the Task Force on Climate-related Financial Disclosure.

#### **French Business** Climate Pledge

In 2017, Faurecia was one of the major French companies to sign the French Business Climate Pledge to take practical actions to combat climate change.

#### Hydrogen Global Hydrogen Council and French Hydrogen Council •

FORVIA is part of the Hydrogen Council's executive group. The Hydrogen Council is a global initiative of leading energy, transport and industrial companies with a united vision and a long-term ambition for hydrogen to drive the energy transition.

#### MOVIN'ON Movin'on

Board member of the Movin'on Lab. Created by Michelin, the Movin'on Lab is an innovative and collaborative 'Think and Do Tank' aimed at promoting better life through Sustainable Mobility.

#### WE MEAN BUSINESS We Mean Business coalition

Since 2021, Faurecia has been a member of the coalition led by seven non-profit organisations: BSR, CDP, Ceres, CLG Europe, Climate Group, The B Team and WBCSD. The coalition aims to catalyse business leadership and drive policy goals to accelerate the transition to a net-zero economy.

# **Business**

#### €**₽**€ EPE ●

FORVIA is a member of Enterprises for the Environment (EpE), a French organisation that brings together 50 large French and international companies willing to give greater weight to environmental issues in their strategic decisions and day-to-day management.

#### ISO ISO 14001 **A**

The Group's analysis and control of local environmental risks is based on the ISO 14001 international standard. In 2021, 85% of Faurecia production sites and 94% of HELLA production sites, which had been operational for at least two years, were ISO 14001 certified.



In 2021, 100% of FORVIA's sites were certified by the international standard for quality management systems in the automotive industry.

The Group also relies on recognized partners and methodologies to develop and monitor its sustainability strategy. It uses international reporting frameworks and certifications to ensure its transparency and guarantee the guality of its management systems and processes.

## People

# UN Global Women's EMPOWERST

Since 2020, FORVIA has been a signatory of the WEP - an initiative established by the United Nations Global Compact and UN Women. FORVIA is committed to promoting gender equality and the empowerment of women in the workplace.

#### **Happy Index** Trainees **A**

Faurecia is "Happy Index Trainees" certified. Certification recognizing companies' approach to the onboarding, support and management of their trainees, work-study trainees and volunteers for international experience (VIEs).



## Transversal

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Faurecia strongly supports the United Nations Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs) by integrating them into its materiality analysis.

#### Global Compact

Since 2004, Faurecia has been a signatory to the 10 principles of the Global Compact, a United Nations initiative launched in 2000. Faurecia renews its membership each year, and is committed to promoting respect for human rights, international labour standards, environmental protection and the fight against corruption.

#### **Global Reporting** GR Initiative (GRI) +

Faurecia prepares its Extra-Financial Performance Declaration and reporting in accordance with GRI standards, core option.



#### **Sustainability Accounting** Standards Board (SASB) +

The analysis of Faurecia's extra-financial challenges was made using comparisons with a risk universe for automotive sector peers, and based on SASB recommendations.

#### ecovadis **EcoVadis** •

Since 2017, Faurecia has been working with EcoVadis to carry out an in-depth assessment of its suppliers, focusing on their ethical, social, and environmental practices. In 2023, HELLA will be included in the scope of this assessment.

- Commitments ▲ Certifications
- Partnerships
- Transparency



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# 2. Planet

2020

**Care for the planet** 

#### 2019

- Application of TCFD
   recommendations
- CO<sub>2</sub> reduction
   commitments
- Partnership with
   Schneider Electric
   for strategic planning
   Climate transition risks,
- definition of 2050 scenarios with the Toulouse School of Economics
- Hydrogen Center of Expertise in Bavans, France
- Emissions reduction targets approved
- by the SBTi and compliant with 1.5°C global warming

#### 2022

 First Green Bond issuance

2021

- Cross Business group division for sustainable materials
- Partnerships with Engie,
   Schneider Electric and
   GreenYellow for energy savings
- Agreement with SSAB to develop green steel
- Internal price of CO<sub>2</sub> for new products
- Member of the
   **"We Mean Business"** coalition targeting CO<sub>2</sub>
   neutrality

engagement leader On-site PPA (solar panels) with Engie & EDP covering 7% of energy consumption

Rated "A" as a CDP Supplier

- Partnership with Veolia for recycled plastic raw materials
- Variable compensation for managers **integrating CO<sub>2</sub>** criteria
- FORVIA is the first automotive company with a **net-zero target approved by the Science Based Targets initiative**
- FORVIA commits to **Act4Nature**

# Commitments for the Planet

INDICATORS
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### CO<sub>2</sub> emissions scopes 1 & 2 (MtCO<sub>2</sub>eq)

CO₂ intensity (tCO₂eq/€ million of sales)

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Sustainable products

**Environmental** 

in operations

footprint

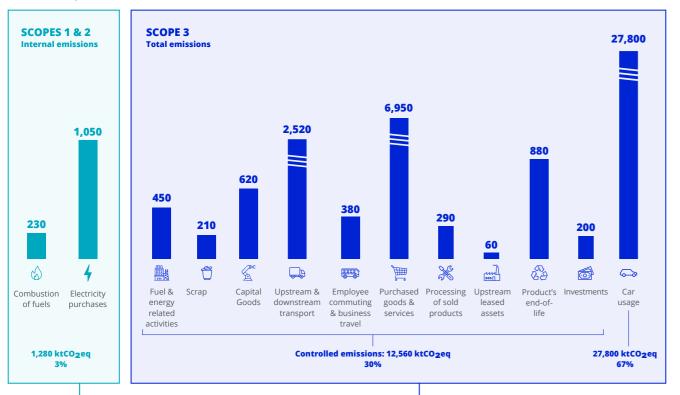
#### CO<sub>2</sub> emissions scope 3 (MtCO<sub>2</sub>eq)

Faurecia data. The consolidation of FORVIA Group data is ongoing.

		<b>FORVIA</b> <b>OBJECTIVES</b>		
<b>) 1 9 *</b> ERENCE	2021*	<b>2025</b> Target	<b>2030</b> TARGET	
).93	0.72	Neutrality by 2025		
8.8	46.6	-20%		
31	27		-45%	

# 2.1 FORVIA 2021 CO<sub>2</sub> emissions breakdown

#### In kt CO<sub>2</sub> equivalent



# **OBJECTIVE CO<sub>2</sub> neutral** scopes 1 & 2

#### **Green energy**

- On-site renewable energy production
- External renewable energy sourcing

#### **Energy Savings**

- Digitalization & smart actuators
- €100 m to achieve the objective



#### Use less

- Lightweighting architecture
- Frugal design

#### **Use better**

- Green manufacturing
- Recycled materials
- Bio-based materials

#### **Use longer**

- Recyclability
- Modularity

# FORVIA's SBTi Net-Zero commitments

#### In June 2022, FORVIA became the first French company and the first global automotive company to receive the new SBTi Net-Zero Standard certification.



Recent years have seen an influx of net-zero commitments from companies. The SBTi Net-Zero Standard was launched to combat

criticisms about the consistency of the quality and goals of these commitments. It provides a credible, independent assessment of corporate short- and long-term net-zero targets, in line with climate science.

FORVIA's SBTi Net-Zero Standard-approved roadmap

## -80% scopes 1 & 2 CO<sub>2</sub> emissions by 2025

FORVIA set a target in 2020 to become CO<sub>2</sub> neutral in its operations by 2025 (scopes 1 & 2). This roadmap has been assessed and approved by the Science Based Target initiative (SBTi) with a -80% commitment for scopes **1 & 2**. This is in line with the target in the 2015 Paris Agreement of limiting global warming to 1.5°C.

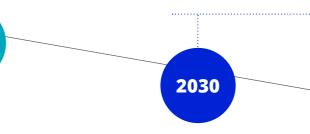
2025

## -45% scope 3 CO<sub>2</sub> emissions by 2030

#### as an intermediate target

To reduce upstream CO<sub>2</sub> emissions related to its products. the Group is developing ultralow CO<sub>2</sub> materials. In 2021, a new division was created for sustainable materials. FORVIA is also mobilizing its partner ecosystem, including its suppliers, to converge towards a net-zero future. FORVIA was rated "A" by CDP Suppliers for its excellent suppliers' commitment in its CO<sub>2</sub> neutrality roadmap.

#### To reduce downstream CO<sub>2</sub> emissions related to the use phase of its products, the Group works in particular on lightweighting architectures and frugal design, as well as end-of-life recyclability, thus contributing to the circular economy.





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The Net-Zero Standard requires companies to become CO<sub>2</sub> net-zero no later than 2045, and to show evidence of a common, robust, science-based understanding of what this entails. Certification is a way for companies to demonstrate to stakeholders that their emissions reductions targets are of a pace and scale required to limit long-term global warming to 1.5°C.

### **CO<sub>2</sub> Net-Zero** for total emissions by 2045

FORVIA is committed to **reducing** its scope 1, 2 and 3 CO<sub>2</sub> emissions **by 90%** (in absolute value) by 2045 - a target that meets the SBTi's most ambitious standard.

#### **Neutralizing the final 5-10%**

**Residual emissions** amounting to 10% will be offset by removals, meaning CO<sub>2</sub> from the atmosphere will be sequestrated in sustainable materials, such as plastics. This is one of the functions of FORVIA's newly created Sustainable Materials division.

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# 00000 2.2 Environmental footprint in operations

FORVIA Off-site PPA in Swede

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of global energy

consumption

1,800 GWh of global energy consumption

900 GWh

#### OUR VISION

**Reducing FORVIA's environmental footprint** involves neutralizing the greenhouse gas footprint in all of the Group's activities. FORVIA is also committed to applying international environmental standards in all of its sites, and works on a daily basis to reduce, recover or recycle waste generated throughout the production chain, wherever possible. Similarly, the company is committed to using water more efficiently and to closely monitoring the use of chemicals and volatile organic compound emissions.

#### OUR APPROACH

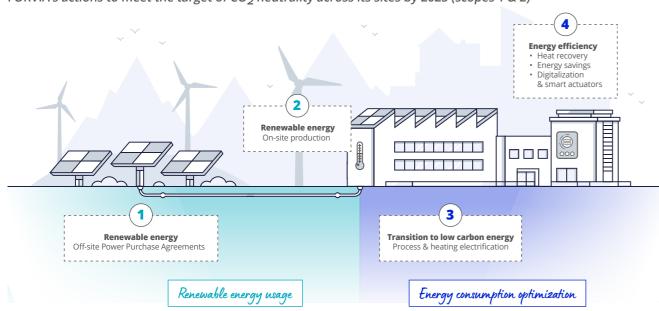
## 1. CO<sub>2</sub> neutrality in operations by 2025

#### Actions to accelerate the energy transition and increase energy savings

To reach its goal of operational CO<sub>2</sub> neutrality, FORVIA launched a global energy transition plan for 2020-2025 to develop digitalized energy efficiency and to selfproduce and supply renewable energy for all Group sites around the world. As part of this plan, the Group is committed to a minimum15% energy reduction.

**investment** in energy savings by 2023

FORVIA's actions to meet the target of CO<sub>2</sub> neutrality across its sites by 2025 (scopes 1 & 2)

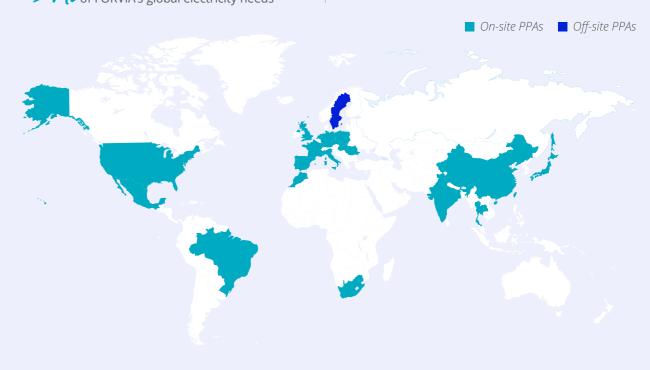


In 2021

#### **FORVIA Power Purchase Agreements (PPAs)**

FORVIA is stepping up its strategy to become CO<sub>2</sub> neutral by signing Power Purchase Agreements (PPAs) with strategic partners in the medium and long term. On-site PPAs involve setting up facilities and producing renewable energy on FORVIA sites. Off-site PPAs, meanwhile, will allow the Group to source renewable energy from externally located assets. Leveraging these strategic collaborations with leading global partners will allow FORVIA to speed up and improve its energy resilience.





# **Off-site PPAs (2022)** 10-year contract

 $\rightarrow$  27 wind turbines in two locations in Sweden

-> 650 GWh/year by end-2023

 $\rightarrow 2/3$  of FORVIA's European electricity consumption

#### Building a CO<sub>2</sub> neutrality plan with a strong ecosystem

From planning to action - measuring the Group's CO<sub>2</sub> footprint, developing a roadmap and implementing action plans -FORVIA relies on an ecosystem of expert partners to achieve its CO<sub>2</sub> neutrality goals and ensure compliance with state-of-the-art requirements.

#### Climate strategy and sustainable transformation initiative

The CO<sub>2</sub> neutrality project is managed as part of the "climate strategy and sustainable transformation" initiative, reporting to the Executive Committee. Its holistic implementation includes an operational interface network for all Business Groups and support functions. A monthly and global dashboard of key indexes is used to closely monitor the roadmap and react appropriately.

#### Compensation for managers that integrates CO<sub>2</sub> neutrality criteria

To involve the teams in achieving CO<sub>2</sub> neutrality, the managers' compensation scheme includes a CO<sub>2</sub> reduction component:

• TOP 300 senior executives: 15% of the short-term compensation is linked to CO<sub>2</sub> neutrality

• All 4,800 managers eligible for variable compensation have 15% of their short-term compensation linked to CO<sub>2</sub> neutrality.

#### FORVIA's ecosystem of expert partners



# 2. Environmental footprint

# Improving sites' environmental performance

FORVIA has committed to ISO 14001 environmental certification for its production plants that have been operational for more than two years, based on a principle of continuous improvement.

#### Avoiding, managing, and recovering waste

Sites implement local initiatives to improve the reduction, sorting and recovery of product waste and to reincorporate production scraps into processes as much as possible. Actions range from reducing production waste, strengthening sorting practices, setting up recycling systems to recover waste externally, and reusing packaging.

#### Making better use of water resources

Faurecia industrial processes consume a modest amount of water: Two-thirds of the Group's consumption is for sanitary use (showers, catering, toilets), and 74% of total water consumption is released to the Public Wastewater network. Improved water management is based on accurate monitoring, leak prevention and closed-loop use. The Group is preparing a plan to reduce the water consumed from the city network by prioritizing "water stress" areas and installing rainwater harvesting systems at new FORVIA sites (around 15-20 sites per year).

#### **Preventing environmental pollution**

#### . Limiting the use of hazardous chemical products

FORVIA has implemented a data system for managing substances throughout the supply chain for all its procured products (based on the "International Material Data System (IMDS)" OEM declaration system specific to the automotive sector). It performs upfront life cycle analysis and prevention for process byproducts that may impact the environment. Among other benefits, this system provides the Group with complete information about the substances entering its products, in compliance with directives such as the European Union's REACH (Registration, Evaluation and Authorization of Chemicals) regulation. Its actions consist initially of identifying substances of concern, then anticipating and proposing substitutes.

# • Limiting volatile organic compound (VOC) emissions from production

FORVIA monitors and limits atmospheric VOC emissions related to its business.



#### • Avoiding accidental discharge into water and soil

To eliminate the risk of accidental discharge inherent to industrial activity, FORVIA trains all site operators in anticipating risks and reacting correctly in the event of an accidental spill, in particular via its "10 Environmental Attitudes" training program. All ISO 14001-certified sites integrate the prevention of this risk into their management system. FORVIA assesses the environmental risks of its industrial projects by systematically conducting environmental audits and subsoil studies research when appropriate. Lastly, for industrial restructuring resulting in plant closures, the Group systematically assesses the environmental impact and carries out a soil and subsoil study when appropriate.



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of production plants

of waste generated

waste recycling rate

of water consumption

(VOC) emissions

of Volatile Organic Compound

(62% non-hazardous waste)

by Faurecia's sites

(operational for more than 2 years) were ISO 14001 certified

#### 2.2 Environmental footprint in operations

#### Assessing the impact on biodiversity and identifying FORVIA sites located near to natural environments

FORVIA moderates its impacts on biodiversity by reducing the impact of its activities on the soil and the air. The Group has mapped its sites located close to protected areas, and takes action to reduce the pressure on these areas. Protected areas close to FORVIA sites are natural areas containing fauna and flora (interest type 1 or 2); areas containing protected species that are endangered or liable to become endangered (e.g. leopards, ground squirrels, etc.); and protected natural water areas (rivers and streams). There are 24 sites (17 production plants, 6 assembly sites and 1 R&D site) located less than three kilometres from a protected area.



In 2022, FORVIA committed to Act4nature. Led by the French organisation Enterprises for the Environment (EpE), Act4nature is

an international alliance that aims to promote practical business actions that benefit nature through 10 common commitments and so-called SMART (Specific, Measurable, Attainable, Relevant and Time-bound) individual commitments.

#### **FORVIA Green factory white book**



FORVIA has created a guide listing the environmental constraints to be considered and the best practices to be applied when developing a new site (the Group develops about 15 to 20 new sites per year). It includes the identification and management of potential impacts on biodiversity.





1,200,000m<sup>3</sup> of water consumption

#### **KEY HIGHLIGHTS**

#### **Digital transformation** supporting CO<sub>2</sub> neutrality

Faurecia's digital transformation supports its goal of CO<sub>2</sub> neutrality via global monitoring (using its "Resource Advisor") and the installation of smart actuators (Al-powered energy & emissions monitoring and reduction software systems).

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#### "We Mean Business" coalition

Faurecia is signatory to a letter from the "We Mean Business" coalition calling on the G20 to maintain the 1.5°C commitment set out in the Paris Agreement.

As a manufacturing company, a major source of HELLA's CO<sub>2</sub> emissions is the energy consumed in its production. The worldwide Think.Act.Save! initiative has been implemented to systematically reduce its energy usage. As part of this program, HELLA's production experts assess where energy is being wasted, identify how machines and systems can become more energy efficient, share best practices and define new standards.



In 2021

85%

205,000t

64%

2,710,000m°

1,500+



#### Think.Act.Save! program to reduce **HELLA's energy consumption**

#### **Deloitte: Measuring HELLA's CO<sub>2</sub> footprint**

FORVIA teamed up with Deloitte to calculate its greenhouse gas footprint along the value chain (scope 3). HELLA and Faurecia have identified where the greatest emissions occur for upstream and downstream business activities. Based on this knowledge, both companies can implement key levers to reduce the CO<sub>2</sub> footprint efficiently.

# 2.3 Sustainable products

#### **OUR VISION**

FORVIA's commitment to the circular economy is reflected in the design of its products, taking into account their entire life cycle (eco-design, use of resources and raw materials, use phase, end-of-life and recycling).

The Group has developed an efficient management strategy for its materials and resources. The materials that Faurecia uses are mainly metals (80% by weight of total raw materials purchased) and plastic (20%).

#### **OUR APPROACH**

FORVIA assesses the life cycle of its main innovation projects, with the target of 100% of innovation & development projects undergoing a simplified Life Cycle Analysis by 2023.

## 1. Using environmentfriendly material

The Group is reorganising its purchasing process for low-carbon raw materials and services (controlled scope 3) and has launched a project to measure and reduce CO<sub>2</sub> emissions.

# 2. Improving eco-design

For each innovation project, the Group has implemented an eco-design checklist to address the following points: avoiding substances of concern; recyclability; environmental impact; and interior air quality. The possibilities for end-of-life recycling are an ongoing consideration.

FORVIA systematically studies plastics substitutes that are not easily recyclable (PVC, thermoset or composite plastics such as glass-fibre reinforced polypropylenes). The Group innovates for greater frugality via: lean cockpit architecture & seat design;

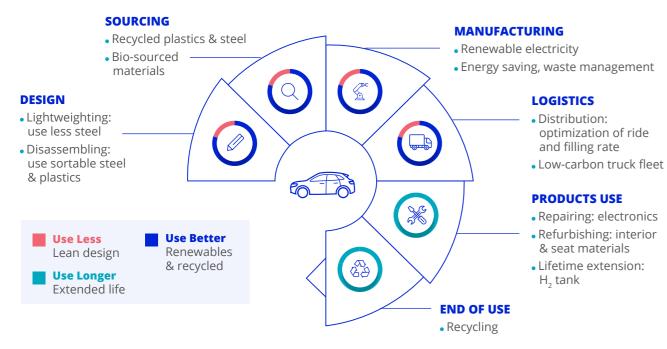
- material reduction;
- use of CO<sub>2</sub>-negative material;
- scrap reduction.

# 3. Life Cycle Analysis

FORVIA evaluates the life cycle of its key innovation projects. Based on the ISO 14040 and 14044 standards, it measures impacts including greenhouse gas emissions, consumption of non-renewable resources and materials, and water eutrophication. The Group is also an active participant in three Life Cycle Assessment working groups led by the main industry associations. The purpose is to discuss relevant issues and establish a common methodology.

#### Industry associations





#### MATERI'ACT: A new division to reach CO, neutrality in our products MATERI'ACT 🚺

FORVIA created MATERI'ACT, a new division to develop, source, produce and sell unique cutting-edge materials with low, and ultra-low footprint bringing up to 85% CO, reduction versus current materials.

The new entity brings more than 10 years of expertise in formulating and processing recycled and bio-sourced materials, including experience in variability management. All sustainable materials from MATERI'ACT are aligned with the European Green Taxonomy.

#### The range of products includes:

#### **Bio-based and carbon-capturing** compounds for interiors, seats and lighting

Renewable polymers are made of postconsumer recycled plastics and/or bio-mass. When bio-mass based, these sequestrate  $CO_2$  from the atmosphere as soon as they can be recycled or re-used at their end-of-life. These polymers are used for interiors, seats and lighting. They are also offered outside the automotive industry.

#### **Bio-based foils for seats and interiors**

Bio-based foils embed biomass within their structure. Used for seats or interior surfaces, they have outstanding feel and appearance and offer an animal-free alternative to traditional leather. These foils can also be used in other industries (e.g. fashion or furniture).

#### **Key Milestone**

-> FORVIA is building a dedicated Sustainable Materials R&D Center and a Pilot plant

both of which are set to become operational in 2023

- -> 400 engineers in 2030
- $\rightarrow$  and more than  $\notin 2 bn$  in sales targeted by 2030

#### Low CO, carbon fibers for H, tanks

Existing carbon fibres have high CO<sub>2</sub> emissions (around 30 kg CO<sub>2</sub>/kg) due to their non-optimized production processes. This technological breakthrough will dramatically change production processes, leading eventually to single-digit emissions. These fibres will be used for H<sub>2</sub> tanks and other high-performance applications (e.g. aeronautics).

#### **Green steel for seats**

FORVIA is a founding partner of GravitHy, a steelmaking company producing Direct Reduced Iron using H<sub>2</sub> in a new chemical reaction that avoids CO<sub>2</sub> emissions.

Production is expected to start in 2027.

FORVIA is also working with SSAB to use the first European green steel in seats as early as 2026.







#### **KEY HIGHLIGHTS**

#### **Electronic systems recycling: the RepairLab**

Faurecia Clarion Electronics (FCE) offers a multibrand repair service throughout Europe. In 2020, in partnership with Stelllantis and Renault, FCE launched a electronic repair offer based on a circular economy model.

# **30,000** repairs each year

#### "Seat for the Planet" program

Faurecia Seating has developed a program to improve industrial processes, materials and seat design, and to reduce the CO<sub>2</sub> footprint of its systems by 45% throughout their life cycles.

- Reducing weight
- Using sustainable, recycled and recyclable materials
- Designing for modularity: reducing seat complexity from 80 to 20 elements to facilitate personalization and refurbishment over the product's lifetime, as well as end-of-life recycling

#### **Lifecycle Solutions**

HELLA's Lifecycle Solutions business group contributes to environmental protection and the prudent use of resources. As part of its Aftermarket services, the company supplies wholesalers with around 35,000 different spare

#### sustainable design that supports the circular economy The DECOPE (Decarbonation, COckni

**DECORE** partnership:

The DECORE (DEcarbonation, COckpit, REcycling/ REconditioning) project was created by Faurecia along with Renault, the French Atomic Energy Commission (CEA) and MTB Recycling. Its goal is to decarbonise the vehicles of the future using technologies that emit less CO<sub>2</sub>, are more sustainable, and increase vehicle lifetimes through retrofitting and refurbishment. The target is to provide cockpits designed with 40% recycled materials and an 85% lower CO<sub>2</sub> impact by 2030.

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parts and provides workshops with diagnostic equipment and additional tools. FORVIA thus helps to extend vehicles' lifetimes, getting them back on the road quickly and efficiently.



# 2.4 Green taxonomy eligible investments \_

#### **OUR VISION**

The EU taxonomy is a classification system issued by the European Commission that sets out a list of environmentally sustainable economic activities. It provides a common framework for investors to determine which investments are seen as contributing to net-zero carbon commitments and the Paris Climate Agreement.

As a key partner helping automotive manufacturers meet  $CO_2$  neutrality targets, FORVIA has analysed the eligibility of its activities under this Green taxonomy classification. In 2021, about 13% of Faurecia's revenue were eligible under four main categories:

- 3.2. Manufacture of equipment for the production and use of hydrogen
- 3.3. Low-carbon manufacturing technologies for transport
- 3.4. Manufacture of batteries

(8% of HELLA revenue were eligible under this category)

#### • 3.6. Manufacture of other low carbon technologies

As a company fully committed to the climate transition, FORVIA is developping sustainable technologies that contribute to climate change mitigation and adaptation.

#### OUR APPROACH

### 1. Hydrogen storage systems technologies (eligible under 3.2)

FORVIA believes that hydrogen-powered mobility and fuel cell technology will occupy a significant place in the powertrains energy mix in the next 10-15 years. It supports automakers by providing complete Hydrogen Storage System integration for different vehicle architectures that meet industry requirements, with justin-time delivery of end-of-line tested turnkey systems.

FORVIA's carbon-fibre homologated tanks (350 and 700 bar) are designed to optimize weight reduction and fuel consumption. They will be produced at the Group's new Center of Expertise for Hydrogen Storage Systems in Bavans, France. FORVIA has already signed major contracts to produce Light Commercial Vehicles, as well as a large-scale Heavy-Duty Commercial Vehicle project to promote hydrogen mobility in Switzerland.

#### Hydrogen Storage System (HSS)



Gaseous hydrogen tank





Hydrogen storage system for Heavy-Duty Vehicles

#### **KEY HIGHLIGHTS**

#### **Investing in Green Hydrogen**

Green hydrogen is easily produced by electrolysis of water using electricity from renewable energies. It is a key lever for zero pollution and zero  $CO_2$ emission mobility. Hydrogen also allows for the storage of overproduced renewable energy, such as a wind turbines operating at night.

### 2. Battery systems technologies (eligible under 3.4)

The rapid growth of electric vehicles is driving the need for integrated battery thermal and energy management solutions, as well as lightweight battery housing that makes electric driving more economical.

FORVIA's battery management systems (BMS) ensure the safe and reliable functioning of lithium-ion batteries for fully electric vehicles, as well as for plug in and hybrid vehicles (PHEVs). These BMS monitor the voltage, temperature and current of the batteries, as well as providing various safety functions including those relating to high voltage. The BMS design is modular and scalable for integration into different drive electronics, independent of the cell technology used. This ensures a high degree of variability for use in a wide range of batteries and vehicle models. The Group is also an expert in the thermal management of cooling circuits for batteries, electric motors and vehicle interiors. Its intelligent battery sensors also measure the state of charge and health of vehicle batteries.

#### → 48V DC/DC Converter

FORVIA's 48V DC/DC converter enables bidirectional power transmission between 48V and 12V networks for mild hybrid vehicles, while powering fuel-saving options such as electric power steering actuators or windshield heaters. It also enables CO<sub>2</sub>-reducing functionalities such as recuperation (energy recovery during braking), improved start-stop behaviour, and sailing mode (coasting in idle with the engine switched off).



### 3. Low-carbon vehicle technologies\* (eligible under 3.3)

FORVIA develops full system technologies for sustainable automotive design and materials, energy efficiency, extending product life and increasing recyclability.

#### Full interiors systems capability

FORVIA develops sustainable materials for instrument panels, door panels and centre consoles, as well as the seamless integration of smart functionalities. The use of bio-sourced materials (vegetable fibres mixed with a resin) can reduce the weight of vehicle parts and significantly lower environmental impacts.

#### → Interior for the Planet

FORVIA's "Interior for the Planet" innovation program is based on three pillars: use less, incorporate recyclable and recycled materials, and create alternatives to petrol solutions, with no impact on cost. By 2030 FORVIA aims to reduce the interior CO<sub>2</sub> footprint from cradle to gate up to 85%.

#### Seats and seating systems

FORVIA develops eco-designed technologies for complete seats, seats mechanisms and frames, covers and comfort solutions aimed at optimizing safety, comfort and wellbeing. The Group is working on low-carbon textiles for seat covers as alternatives to leather. It is also innovating to reduce the complexity of its seat design from 80 to 20 elements. This frugalitybased innovation will facilitate personalization and refurbishment over the seats' lifetime, as well as end-oflife recycling.

#### → Seat for the Planet

FORVIA's "Seat for the Planet" innovation program is based on life cycle management and five requirements: use sustainable materials (natural, with lower CO<sub>2</sub> footprints, recycled or recyclable), use less (and reduce waste in manufacturing), avoid mixed materials, focus on consumer experiences and needs, and design for easy assembly and disassembly. By 2030, FORVIA aims to reduce the seat CO<sub>2</sub> footprint from cradle to gate by 45%.

### \*Low-carbon vehicles are hybrid (hydrogen or electric) with emissions of less than 50 $\mathrm{CO}_2/\mathrm{kg}.$

#### **Electronics**

The electrification of vehicles is a major lever for CO<sub>2</sub>neutral mobility. FORVIA thus offers a comprehensive portfolio including sensors and actuators, automated driving, lighting, body electronics, cockpit electronics, hmi/displays and energy management. FORVIA's Advanced Driver Assistance Systems (ADAS) devices help to reduce emissions when driving.

#### → E-mirror range

FORVIA's e-mirror range replaces conventional door mirrors. An intelligent sensor provides drivers with a dynamic view and safety alerts, improving fuel consumption by up to 1.6% and reducing CO<sub>2</sub> emissions by up to 4.6 g/km.

#### **Clean mobility**

One-third of the energy currently produced by automotive drivetrains is lost as heat through the exhaust system. FORVIA's Exhaust Heat Recovery Systems (EHRS) is adapted for use in hybrid vehicles by allowing them to operate in electric mode more often, improving fuel economy and reducing CO<sub>2</sub> emissions.

#### → Compact EHRS

FORVIA's compact EHRS can be installed close to the engine for maximum heat recovery. It reduces fuel consumption by 3-7% in cold conditions due to faster engine warmup and increased use of the electric mode.



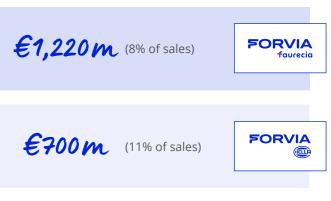
# 4. Other sustainable technologies (eligible under 3.6)

FORVIA develops sustainable materials demonstrating substantial life-cycle greenhouse gas emission reductions compared to the best performing alternative technologies available on the market.

#### → NAFILean®

FORVIA NAFILean<sup>®</sup> technologies incorporate hemp fibers in non-visible plastic interiors components. In addition to being fully recyclable, they offer up to 40% reductions in weight and reduce up to 95% the CO<sub>2</sub> emissions associated with the market reference. Around 13 million vehicles are equipped with NAFILean<sup>®</sup> products.

#### R&D investments\*\* in 2021



\*\*R&D spending including the depreciation and amortization of capitalized development costs.

#### **KEY HIGHLIGHTS**

#### Hydrogen Fuel Cell systems

In 2019, Faurecia created Symbio: a joint venture with Michelin to

develop, produce and market hydrogen fuel cell systems for all types of electric vehicles. With an initial investment of €140 million, Symbio unites Faurecia's and Michelin's hydrogen fuel cell stack operations, with a new plant dedicated to the production of fuel cell stacks in the Lyon region. Faurecia and Symbio address 75% of the fuel cell value chain.

#### **Partnership with Stellantis**

Stellantis' new range of light commercial vehicles will be equipped with Faurecia hydrogen storage systems, as well as fuel cell stacks through Symbio.





# **3. Business**

**Responsible performance** 

#### 2019

- Launch of a **quality** academy for all
- employees to improve knowledge and ensure
- the robust application of quality practices
- Covid-19: launch of the "Safer Together" protocol for employee safety

2020

EcoVadis 2020 Award Launch of the Faurecia **Supplier Council** with 12 suppliers

2021

- Product transparency, conformity and traceability: **XCEED**: the new blockchain solution for certification
- General Motors Supplier of the Year Award
- Faurecia EcoVadis rating of 69/100 in the top 1% of our category

# **97%** of Faurecia's suppliers assessed on Sustainability by EcoVadis

2022

- Duty of Care risk mapping and strategy
- Group Human **Rights policy**

# Commitments for the Business

#### **KEY PERFORMANCE** INDICATORS

### % of targeted employees receiving training on the Code of Ethics

#### Accidents per million hours worked with and without a day lost (FR1t)

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**Business** 

ethics

Safety

 $( \bigcirc$ FORVIA OBJECTIVES 2021\* 2019\* 2025 REFERENCE TARGET 100% 1.8 2.05 1.33

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# 3.1 Business ethics

#### OUR VISION

In today's business environment, organisations need to be increasingly agile and reactive. FORVIA's new internal compliance dashboard reflects its belief in the importance of promoting a culture of integrity, safety and vigilance wherever the Group operates, while ensuring compliance with the highest ethical standards.

FORVIA has been a member of the United Nations Global Compact since 2004. It is committed to respecting and promoting the conventions of the International Labour organisation (ILO) on human rights, labour standards and the environment in its business practices.

FORVIA's Code of Ethics contains all of its rules and principles, which must be understood and respected in all countries by all employees across all business lines, and by all business partners.



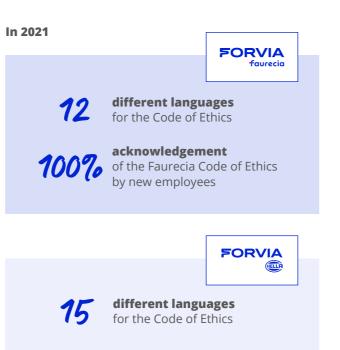
#### OUR APPROACH

# **1. Building an ethics and compliance culture**

The Group's ethics and compliance program seeks to implement an extensive system of policies, processes, training programs and communications. FORVIA's leaders have a personal, renewed commitment to integrity. They are supported by a robust compliance processes that drives a Group-wide culture of integrity.

**The Code of Ethics** aims to develop accountability and employee empowerment based on respect for fundamental human rights, economic and social dialogue, skills development, and ethics and rules of conduct, including those related to detecting and preventing corruption.

The principles set out in the Code of Ethics are translated into operational requirements by the Management Code and other systems, such as the Anti-Corruption Code of Conduct and the Best Practices Guide aimed at combating anti-competitive practices.



Respect for the law
Prohibition of child labour
Elimination of forced labour
Respect for the environment
Promotion of health

and safety

Ethics and rules of business conduct

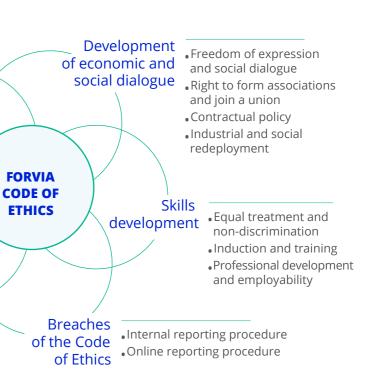
- Anti-corruption
  Human rights
  Compliance
  Use of Faurecia funds, services and assets
  Dealings with customers, service providers and suppliers
  Fair competition
  Confidentiality
- . Loyalty and exclusivity
- Conflicts of interest
- Protecting FORVIA's

#### assets

# 2. Strong compliance governance

The implementation of the Group compliance program is based on specific organisation and governance:

- **Group compliance committee** chaired by the Chief Executive Officer, for priorities and strategic decisions.
- Risk committee for compliance risks discussions.
- Audit committee for disclosure of the annual compliance roadmap.
- Regional Compliance Officers (RCOs) and Business Groups Compliance Leaders for implementing the compliance program, sharing priorities and drafting action plans.



# 3. Continuous risk assessment

FORVIA defines and implements systems, processes and risk assessment plans to continuously improve its ethics & compliance program.

The Group Compliance Officer works closely with the Risk Officer and the Internal Control and Internal Audit network. Their role is to identify and monitor noncompliance risks and to update the compliance risk mapping on a regular basis, using feedback from the population exposed to identified risks.



**1007 Tier-1 compliance risks** included in the Group Risk Universe

## 4. Training and communication on ethics and compliance

FORVIA has introduced various training sessions for all FORVIA employees (including part-time employees, interns, consultants, etc.). These courses are tailored to FORVIA's risk profile, and address the risks that local teams may face. They include online mandatory MOOCs (Ethics, Anti-trust, Anti-corruption), regular refresher sessions at the industrial sites, practical guides on anticompetitive practices, reporting and managing conflicts of interest, and the internal whistle-blowing procedure. Significant efforts have been made to disseminate these guides throughout the Group.

Along with the Human Resources, Internal Audit and Control teams, the Compliance department ensures that all identified employees receive proper training in the internal rules.

#### **FORVIA's Duty of Care plan**

In 2022, FORVIA enhanced its Duty of Care plan. Its purpose is to identify risks and prevent serious violations of human rights and fundamental freedoms, or the health and safety of people and the environment, resulting from the Group's activities or those of its subcontractors and suppliers in the various countries where it operates.

#### **KEY HIGHLIGHTS**

Faurecia's Speak Up line: a way to escalate ethics and compliance issues

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Employees (including temporary workers, subcontractors, etc.) and suppliers are encouraged to raise concerns or report violations of Faurecia's internal policies, processes and applicable laws via an independent whistle-blowing hotline: www.faurecia.ethicspoint.com

#### **New Anti-corruption MOOC**

In 2021, Faurecia launched a new anti-corruption MOOC, which was completed by 94% of its target audience (2,644 employees).

#### Anti-trust law: **HELLA employee training**

HELLA uses a new e-learning tool to train the relevant employee groups on anti-trust issues, challenges and laws. Available in four languages, the course addresses rules and offers tips relating to contact with competitors.



#### **OUR VISION**

FORVIA seeks to provide a safe work environment for all its employees and outside parties, while placing quality and service at the heart of operational excellence.

Policies and measures are implemented to anticipate, reduce and manage the main safety risks identified by FORVIA (physical injury related to production; occupational illnesses related to workstation ergonomics) based on two priorities: protecting employees' health and improving workplace safety.

The Group's Hygiene, Health and Safety policy is overseen by the HSE department. It translates into a set of simple, practical rules via the "Seven Fundamental Principles for Safety".

FORVIA is also committed to its products being beyond reproach in terms of quality and safety, including the active and passive safety of drivers and passengers, with the goal of achieving Total Customer Satisfaction. The Group's safety policy applies to its entire value chain: sourcing, development, production, customer satisfaction monitoring and, where applicable, product recalls.

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2021 accident severity rate (lost hours/1,000 hours)

2021 accident

severity rate



#### OUR APPROACH

## 1. Safety at work

#### Workplace health and safety driven by excellence

FORVIA's Hygiene, Health and Safety policy is implemented via the Faurecia Excellence System (FES). Based on active risk prevention, this management tool uses metrics that can be regularly checked, and their effectiveness measured.



FES incorporates the leading quality, environmental and safety standards (e.g. IATF 16949, ISO 14001 and ISO 45001) and benefits from FORVIA's 14+ years of experience. It is continually supplemented with the best internal and external practices relating to lean manufacturing.

#### **Creating a culture of safety** with the CARE program



The CARE program is deployed at nearly 300 sites worldwide. Its function is to raise awareness and increase commitment among all employees and subcontractors as they go about

their day-to-day work. The program is based on four fundamental principles:

- Compliance: compliance with HSE rules through training and audits;
- Attitudes: reactions and practices that ensure the safety of all employees;
- **R**isk mitigation: detecting and preventing risks;
- Everyone's Commitment: from operators to top management, including all levels of leadership.

#### Training, communication and internal audits

The FES ensures that all employees are continuously trained according to HSE rules. On site, several communication media (videos, messaging, presentations, etc.) are used remind all employees of the "Seven Fundamental Principles for Safety" on a daily basis. All meetings systematically begin with a safety topic. An online platform has also been set up to discuss and share best practices. Each month, a specific topic is chosen to highlight one of the Group's best practices and celebrate employees' commitment to safety issues.

#### Annual in-plant audits and risk assessment

Each year, an internal team conducts FES audits to assess compliance with the "Seven Fundamental Principles for Safety" and the level of risk at all sites.

The Group also launches regular actions to detect and prevent occupational safety risks in all its plants. Each "Autonomous Production Unit" aims to detect one risk per day. To better anticipate accidents, employees participate directly in the daily identification of risks.



#### **Preventing musculoskeletal** disorders

For several years, the Group has implemented measures to better take into account and reduce the physically demanding nature of its workstations, with each workstation being classified according to its level of arduousness. Workstation ergonomics are integrated into the FES tool. These are systematically taken into account from the design stage of new products and production tools, and checked both on a daily basis and during production plant audits.

# 2. Product safety

#### Implementing zero-defects

#### Safety policy

FORVIA's product safety goals are rooted in its zerodefects quality policy. This policy consists of:

- **1.** using quality criteria to ensure the intrinsic safety of products and systems with regard to their materials, their design, and their production processes (VOC emissions, mechanical resistance, etc.);
- **2.** designing products that ensure the active and passive safety of drivers and passengers.

#### Safety regulations and criteria

The Group ensures that its products comply with local regulations. Depending on the country, these may include mandatory equipment or gualifications, performance tests or impact tests. Regulatory compliance is confirmed according to local legislation, by self-certification, or by certification from accreditation laboratories.

FORVIA is also committed to designing the safest products based on independent driver and passenger safety assessments, particularly those carried out by the international New Car Assessment Programs (NPACs). Tests relate to accident prevention and the consequences of various types of impacts.

Finally, FORVIA is committed to implementing its quality and safety policy in a way that meets equipment manufacturers' requirements, which extend beyond the regulatory framework.

#### **Creating a product safety culture**

#### Total Customer Satisfaction strategy (TCS)

The Total Customer Satisfaction strategy enhances and affirms FORVIA's competitive position in terms of quality and customer loyalty. Product safety occupies a central place in FORVIA's worldwide operations via quality agreements, a shared vision spanning all regions, and the integration of local needs.

#### Training and awareness

The FORVIA University Quality Academy is present at all Group sites to ensure that all employees are aware of and apply quality and safety rules. All operators receive training in working standards, including product safety, as part of the induction to the Group.

#### **Managing product safety**

FORVIA integrates end-user security into its processes throughout its value chain via the Faurecia Excellence System (FES) - the Group's management tool with integrated quality and safety standards (IATF 16949 and ISO 9001).

- Safety of components and materials: sharing the Group's zero-defects goal with suppliers via the Supplier Quality Requirements.
- Safety in design: conducting a preventive analysis of failure modes and their effects (e.g. Design/Process Failure Mode and Effect Analysis, D/PFMEA)
- Safety checks during production: applying systematic control points.
- Continuous improvement: implementing assessment and audit programs.
- Digital traceability: ensuring that each part produced at each control point is safety compliant. Successive records are made, from the supplier to the customer, to analyse any problems and anticipate recall campaigns, if necessary.
- Alert and problem resolution system: any employee can report a non-conformity and generate a corrective action plan.



Faurecia's sites are 1007 IATF 16 949 certified (automotive market requirements including ISO 9001)

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100% HELLA's sites are LATF 16 949 certified

#### **FORVIA product quality** & safety certifications

- IATF 16 949 and ISO 9001®: quality management in the automotive industry
- ISO 26 262: functional safety & data security
- TISAX<sup>®</sup> Trusted Information Security **Assessment eXchange**

#### **KEY HIGHLIGHTS**

#### **Quick Response Continuous Improvement (QRCI)**

Faurecia has developed a system that analyses the frequency of work-related accidents to measure the effectiveness of actions in a specific area. After each accident, a QRCI analysis is performed using a problem solving method to ensure that the primary causes of the accident are understood, that corrective actions have been effectively implemented, and that preventive measures are in place and shared across the various sites.

#### **Blockchain project**

Faurecia is committed to combating fraud and counterfeiting, and is already working with several suppliers and customers on a blockchain system. As well as product safety, this system will measure the environmental and carbon impact of products across the value chain.

#### **Covid-19: testing and vaccination** for HELLA employees

HELLA employees were extremely confident in the company's pandemic response. This was reflected in its global employee survey, with 94% declaring themselves satisfied with the company's Covid-19 measures. In 2021, HELLA provided extensive testing for its employees. The company also offered vaccinations in Germany and Lithuania, with a total of 4,000 doses administered to employees by medical professionals.

#### **Product Cyber Security**

New regulations and standards such as UNECE R-155 and ISO/SAE 21434 require vehicles and their electronic control units to be secured against malicious cyber attacks. HELLA is following automotive manufactures in implementing strong cyber security controls that meet these requirements (e.g. Smart Car Access Systems, Electronic Power Steering units, Radar Sensors and Battery Management Systems).



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#### **OUR VISION**

Social, environmental and fair economic business practices are key aspects of the Group's relationship with its partners. Based on the **Group's convictions and its Code of Ethics, FORVIA** has developed a sourcing and supply chain Code of Conduct that sets out its expectations for supplier relations.

FORVIA or a third party regularly audits suppliers to ensure compliance with this code. A sustainability assessment is fully integrated into the Group's supplier management strategy to ensure that their respective aims are fully aligned.

Finally, FORVIA engages in ongoing dialogue with suppliers to maintain close ties and share knowledge and best practices. This includes a Supplier Council organized twice a year and chaired by the CEO, regular supplier conventions, and an annual supplier satisfaction survey.



#### OUR APPROACH

### 1. The sourcing and supply chain Code of Conduct

Since 2013, the Group has required its suppliers to comply with its sustainable purchasing policy, which targets the four fundamental principles of the ISO 26000 international standard for procurement: protecting the environment; respecting human and labour rights; ethical business conduct; and sharing best practices across the Group's global supply chain. This complies with the following documents and conventions:

- Universal Declaration of Human Rights;
- International Labour organisation's Declaration (ILO);
- Declaration on Fundamental Principles and Rights at Work;
- Rio Declaration on Environment and Development;
- United Nations' Convention against Corruption.



#### Labour & Social Issues

No child labour No forced labour Working hours Fair wages Equal treatment and non-discrimination

#### Environment

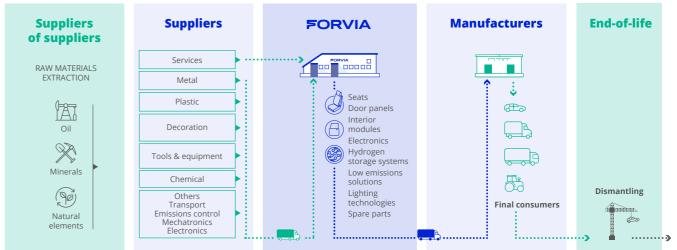
Environmental policy Innovation & product life cycle Protecting natural resources Prohibited substances and materials CO<sub>2</sub> emissions reduction

#### **Business** practices

Combatting corruption & bribery Fair competition

Managing conflicts of interest

#### FORVIA value chain



## 2. Assessing suppliers' sustainable practices

Since 2017, the Group has worked with EcoVadis to carry out an in-depth assessment of its suppliers, focusing on their ethical, social, and environmental practices. The assessment is a prerequisite to joining Faurecia's panel of suppliers. Suppliers with an EcoVadis score above 62 are audited every three years; the others are audited annually.

At the operational level, FORVIA also has a robust process in place to ensure that its suppliers meet sustainability commitments, in strict compliance with:

- **REACH** (the European Registration, Evaluation and Authorization of Chemicals)
- IMDS (International Material Data Collection System the automotive industry's material data system)
- Conflict minerals regulations: to curtail trade in some metal and minerals in conflict zones and highrisk areas, FORVIA implements a process to provide transparency and certainty about the supply practices of importers, smelters and refiners. An international declaration platform gives FORVIA information on all products containing these minerals, as well as the suppliers using them. FORVIA uses the Responsible Minerals Initiative's (RMI's) Conflict Mineral Reporting Template (CMRT) guestionnaire as part of its annual supplier risk assessment campaign.



of sourcing covered by a no-go sustainability criterion



**2,000 suppliers assessed** for their sustainability performance in 2021



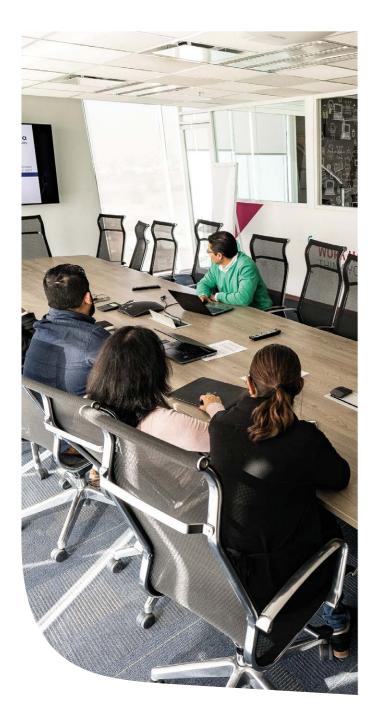
of Faurecia suppliers were **97%** assessed for **sustainabilty ecovadis** by EcoVadis in 2021

Supplier ratings give sustainability criteria the same weighting as quality and financial criteria



#### **Responsible leather sourcing**

FORVIA endeavours to use responsible sourcing, particularly for leather items used in seating products. The Group works with around 10 direct suppliers, which are proposed and assessed by the manufacturer. These suppliers offer food chain by-products.



# 3. Mitigating procurement risk

FORVIA'S risk mapping integrates key suppliers' risk management, overseen by the Risk Committee on a quarterly basis. Faurecia uses an ongoing supplier risk assessment process. An external data analytics tool alerts the Group about any material, financial, reputational and compliance risk, at all stages of supplier relationship management:

- Listing in the supplier panel: the entry process includes a general risk assessment and a CSR assessment.
- Supplier qualification: depends on the supplier's level of risk and the results of the EcoVadis analysis.
- Corrective action plans for at-risk suppliers: monitored on a daily basis by buyers, and monthly by the Commodities Director since 2021.

• Risk analysis of materials used by suppliers: systematic inclusion in the International Material Data System (IMDS) - the automotive sector's data collection system - from the design phase.

#### **FORVIA recognized as a Supplier** Engagement Leader in 2021 and 2022 by CDP



The Group was rated "A" by CDP for its excellent supplier engagement since the launch of its CO<sub>2</sub> Neutrality program in 2019. The Group has been recognized for the way it has mobilized its partners to converge towards a net-zero future across

its entire value chain. The Group is also aiming to onboard 500 key suppliers into CDP's Supply Chain Management Program by 2022.

#### **FORVIA suppliers council**

#### Sharing priorities with suppliers

FORVIA has made use of a Suppliers Council since the start of the Covid-19 health crisis in 2020. The Council brings together the representatives of 12 suppliers to discuss upcoming challenges, market changes and trends, as well as the CO<sub>2</sub> reduction

policy. The Board decided to address three priority topics in 2021: Power Purchase Agreements (PPAs); best practices in energy management to achieve CO<sub>2</sub> neutrality; and alternative materials.

# 4. A CO<sub>2</sub>-neutral supply chain

Suppliers whose CO<sub>2</sub> targets align with FORVIA's are key to achieving CO<sub>2</sub> neutrality by 2030, as purchases account for 70% of scope 3 emissions. A cornerstone of the supplier relationship, this is based on four pillars:

• supplier's commitment to CO<sub>2</sub> targets;

- CO<sub>2</sub> impact assessment using a common IT platform;
- sharing of best practices and existing data on energy efficiency and CO<sub>2</sub> emissions in factories;
- shared action plan to reduce the total CO<sub>2</sub> footprint.

In 2021, FORVIA asked its suppliers to take part in the Group's climate strategy, which outlined requirements for 2021 and 2022:

- a CO<sub>2</sub> commitment from 2021 led by Executive Management:
- a gradual increase in the minimum requisite EcoVadis score (35 in 2021, 55 in 2025 and 66 in 2030);
- an incentive to participate in the Carbon Disclosure Project (CDP), a climate-neutrality accelerator;
- innovations in sustainable and recyclable materials, the circular economy, and waste and by-product management by 2022.



#### **KEY HIGHLIGHTS**

#### **EcoVadis rating**

Faurecia has a "Gold" ecovadis supplier ranking from its customers, with a score of 69/100

in the 2021 EcoVadis sustainability rating. It is in the top 1% of the companies in its category rated by EcoVadis.

#### Faurecia's "Speak Up" line and supplier alerts

The alert procedure was opened to all Group suppliers via the website. A systematic reminder is sent during business reviews with each supplier.

#### New supplier risk analysis tool

In 2021 Faurecia adopted a risk analysis tool that will enable it to assess the risk of natural disasters and geopolitical conflict from 2022.

#### Faurecia, as assessed by suppliers

1,000 supplier satisfaction surveys (representing 42% of direct industrial purchases) are performed every year. In 2021, the Group's average score was 2.95 out of 4.

#### **Respect for Human Rights** in HELLA's supply chain



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HELLA is strengthening its supply chain due diligence. Suppliers will be asked about their sustainability performance and their human rights policies on a risk basis. HELLA has also initiated cobalt and mica





# 4. People

# **Contribute to society**

2019	2020	2021	2022	Learning organisatio
<b>Top Employer</b> certification in 10 countries Creation of the <b>FORVIA</b> Foundation	Diversity targets included in leaders' variable compensation Faurecia signs the UN Women's Empowerment Principles	<ul> <li>Commitment to maintain 1,400 jobs for apprentices, young graduates &amp; volunteers for international experience (VIEs)</li> <li>Faur'ESO, Faurecia Employee Shareholding plan</li> <li>Diversity &amp; Inclusion Digital Events: first WW Recognition Program</li> <li>Virtual recruitment fair offering more than 800 apprenticeship contracts &amp; internships</li> <li>Faurecia Foundation selects 11 employee projects</li> <li>Faurecia Foundation signs 5 new external partnerships</li> </ul>	Launch of <b>Her</b> <b>Way:</b> conferences to promote Women within the Group FORVIA Foundation selects <b>21 new</b> <b>employee projects</b> Launch of the <b>Solidarity Hub:</b> volunteering platform for FORVIA employees	Diversity and inclusio

Happy Index Trainee label in Europe and 4 countries

People Cor		<b>OBJECTIVES</b>			
	KEY PERFORMANCE INDICATORS	2019* REFERENCE	2021*	<b>2027</b> TARGET	<b>2030</b> Target
Learning organisation	Number of training hours per employee and per year	21.6h	22.6h		25h
전 Diversity and inclusion	% of women among the top 300 leaders	15%	21%	25%	30%
	% of women managers and skilled professionals	24.4%	27%	30%	35%

# 4.1 Learning organisation

#### **OUR VISION**

FORVIA's core businesses are undergoing a rapid transformation. The Group strives to ensure its staff remain employable throughout their working lives via learning, professional mobility and on-the-job training. This is the best way to guarantee that everyone can reap the benefits of technological advances, innovation and changing work practices, whilst being prepared for change and challenges.

Talent management is a key component of employee development, and FORVIA's HR strategy and best practices are aimed at attracting and retaining talents to meet business needs and foster their growth.



#### OUR APPROACH

# 1. Training to support the Group's transformation

FORVIA's training offer is aimed at all employees across all levels of responsibility.

• FORVIA University: 22,000 managers and skilled professionals have access to FORVIA's corporate university programs and services to grow the skills required for the Group's transformation. The university has five campuses worldwide, and provides both face-to-face and online training.

 Learning Lab: all employees have access to this digital learning platform, including a library of over 450 business and managerial courses available in more than 20 languages.

All on Board Connect: the Group has created a learning community based on monthly Webinars. The aim is to give all employees a better understanding of key issues and to involve them in the Group's transformation.

#### Main training areas

- Plant performance and optimal production start-up
- Customer offerings
- Technological expertise
- Managerial skills
- Value creation and entrepreneurial spirit
- Working methods for excellence or creativity
- International and intercultural management

#### Faurecia's managerial values

Faurecia's corporate culture and management model is aligned with its transformation strategy. The model seeks to encourage agile and inclusive leadership. It promotes three managerial values - entrepreneurship, accountability and autonomy and three behavioural values - energy, respect and exemplarity.

To bring this culture to life, Faurecia developed its Management Code, which sets out the key skills that leaders must acquire according to their level of responsibility. The Code provides selfassessment and managerial benchmarks for use in annual performance reviews. It also serves as a reference for employees to construct an individual development plan.

## 2. Managing talents

FORVIA's talent management policy supports employees in their career development. From the time of hiring, employees are offered professional opportunities including mobility options and promotions.

The Group uses international volunteer programs as a key driver for its graduate recruitment ambitions.

It also offers all new hires a personal induction program to learn about its values, its strategy, its organisation, its culture and its operational systems.

FORVIA uses an annual assessment to ensure that its package remains competitive compared to local markets.





# 3. Strengthening social dialogue

FORVIA pursues an active policy of dialogue and negotiation with employee representative bodies. In 2018, it created a European company committee composed of 25 members that proportionally represent the workforce of the 16 European countries in which the Group has a presence. The committee is committed to strengthening economic and social dialogue.

**501** agreements signed in 25 countries in 2021 (a record number)

#### **KEY HIGHLIGHTS**

#### **Apprentices, Volunteer for** International Experience (VIE) contracts and PhD opportunities

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In July 2020, the Group committed to take on 1,000 apprentices and VIEs in France by end-December 2020, and to maintain the existing recruitment programs for apprentices, VIEs and doctoral students for 2020 and 2021, with an additional target of 400 interns.

#### Since 2020

#### apprentice and VIE hires

(1,400 apprentices in France and more than 700 VIEs)

#### Learning Lab

In 2021, more than 330,000 hours of digital training were provided through MOOCs, i.e. nearly four hours per employee over the year. This passed the symbolic threshold of one million hours of training since the launch of the lab at end-2015.

#### "Top Employer Europe" label

Following audits carried out by the Top Employer Institute, Faurecia was among the companies awarded the "Top Employer Europe" label for 2021. This label rewards companies for their excellence in managing human capital and employing women in leadership positions.

#### **HELLA trains its future leaders**

HELLA has implemented a series of L.E.A.D. programs (LEAD = learn, engage, accelerate, drive) to train and

promote talented managers and experts. These are conducted annually and aim to foster and develop global talent. The programs are run at various hierarchical levels. They last for several days, and take place in Mexico, Eastern Europe, China, India and Germany.

#### Learning Lab opens for HELLA

Since spring 2022, HELLA employees have enjoyed access to Learning Lab - FORVIA's online training platform. The lab offers over 2,000 training courses on topics such as communication, artificial intelligence, creativity, time management, sustainability and many more.



# 4.2 Diversity

#### **OUR VISION**

Diversity is one of FORVIA's strengths. It is both a source of motivation for employees and a source of innovation. It has a positive impact on FORVIA's performance and on the development of its employees. FORVIA is committed to promoting diversity as a genuine strength and an asset, to fostering inclusion, and to combating all forms of discrimination.

Diversity is a multi-dimensional concept that includes a person's origin, religion, gender, disability status, sexual orientation, training experience, or any other difference. It is already part of FORVIA's culture and identity: employees spanning 103 nationalities and backgrounds have been central to the company's success. The Group has adopted a gender diversity target and inclusion action plans to create an inclusive culture in which all forms of diversity are seen as a genuine source of value. Plans are also in place to set up an internal Board Committee.

**OUR APPROACH** 

## **1. Promoting gender** diversity

#### Implementing the diversity and inclusion policy

The Vice-President of FORVIA University and HR Transformation coordinates the rollout of the diversity and inclusion policy. A Group Diversity and Inclusion Champion sponsors the program and leads an internal network of around 40 diversity and inclusion ambassadors around the world. Their role is to promote diversity and inclusion within their business scope and in their country, in particular through training.

#### **Promoting gender equality** in recruitment and careers

FORVIA encourages its partner recruitment agencies to promote gender diversity. In 2021, the Group increased its target for the proportion of women among shortlisted job applicants. From now on, two out of four shortlisted applicants must be female (compared to one in three previously). The Group also launched a program for recruiting high-potential female executives and reaching gender balance among Faurecia's 300 most senior executives.



A review of women's careers is also planned every year, and the People Review was adapted to include a section on female talent at various levels within the Group. Two programs for developing female talents have also been launched by FORVIA University, centred on mentoring, coaching and sponsorship.

#### **Equal pay**

An annual equal pay analysis has been carried out since 2016, revealing no major statistical differences. Any discrepancies are examined on an individual level and corrected on a case-by-case basis.

#### Integrating gender equality in compensation

As a way of involving Faurecia's 300 top executives in our diversity strategy, 10% of their long-term variable compensation is linked to meeting gender diversity targets.







of new managers and skilled professionals hired were women (+2.5pts vs. 2020 and + 10pts vs. 2018)

6,000

162

of women in **Faurecia top 300 leaders** (+6% vs. 2019)

of women managers

and skilled professionals

employees completed gender diversity MOOCs

women enrolled **in a coaching** and mentoring program





of women managers and skilled professionals

## 2. Diversity training

Several training modules are in place to raise managers' awareness and grow an inclusive culture. The issues addressed include understanding unconscious biases, achieving greater efficiency via a diverse team, etc.



# 3. Monitoring employee engagement

For several years, FORVIA has monitored employee engagement via an annual satisfaction survey. This survey measures and collects employees' feedback from several perspectives, including: compensation, well-being at work, diversity, ethics, training and career development, health and safety, the environment, and FORVIA's sustainable development strategy. The survey is designed to give an overview of all permanent employees' engagement, providing key insights that are shared at site level.





## 4. Promoting local employment with local managers

FORVIA promotes local managerial appointments to better understand specific cultural conditions and strengthen its performance. The Group also strives to have a positive impact on the economic development of the regions where it operates by employing and nurturing local talent around the world.





#### **KEY HIGHLIGHTS**

# Diversity & inclusion digital events

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In May 2021, Faurecia hosted a first-of-its-kind global event dedicated to diversity and inclusion. Two virtual sessions were organised to celebrate the many initiatives taking place across the company. Gender diversity - an area where Faurecia is committed to progress - was a particular focus.

800 attendees

70+

**D&I award winners** from 22 countries

#### UN Global Women's Empowerment Principles

Faurecia is a signatory of the UN Global Women's Empowerment Principles since 2020, reflecting its commitment to gender equality and women's empowerment in the workplace.

#### The Faurecia Women at Work network

This purpose of this network is to connect women, to encourage exchanges of views and co-development, and to guide women in their careers within the Group. This involves three specific initiatives: local discussion sessions ("Let's connect"), large-scale digital events centred on inspiring women's career paths ("Her Way"), and small group discussions with a leader role model.

# Networking events to promote diversity

## **FORVIA**

For its Women's Day, more than 240 HELLA female employees from various business divisions, roles and countries met for a live digital event. Among the main topics addressed were the art of networking and communicating.



# 4.3 Local solidarity actions

#### **OUR VISION**

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FORVIA is a member of the community in each region where it operates worldwide. The Group contributes to local economic development and creating local social value. It has a responsibility to maintain a frank, ongoing dialogue with the communities near to its sites to ensure that its operations are harmoniously integrated in each region.

The Group aims to strengthen its commitment to local communities by initiating or contributing to projects and programs that address local needs, and by offering its expertise and resources in support of these actions. The Group's societal engagement is based on local economic development and local solidarity actions initiated by employees and the FORVIA Foundation.

#### OUR APPROACH

## **1. The FORVIA Corporate** Foundation

#### FORVIA Foundation

In 2020, the Group officially launched its corporate Foundation, which invests significant resources to support

projects in countries where the Group operates. These actions are centred on three pillars: mobility, the environment and education. Employees are asked to submit their ideas to the Foundation for projects with a tangible social impact. They can then develop and deploy these initiatives on a larger scale.

→ €1milion

→ 4 calls for projects among employees since 2020

→ + 4,000 people supported since 2020

→ 34 employees solidarity projects financed since 2020





## 2. Implementing societal action programs



FORVIA encourages solidarity initiatives at all of its sites by facilitating employees' involvement in projects that benefit society, and by offering its expertise to the regions where the Group operates. Each site is invited to design its own local

and annual societal action plan, and employees make significant contributions to local communities through voluntary initiatives in the form of events or donation campaigns.

For instance, the "FORVIA Unites with Employees for Local Services" (FUELS) initiative was created in 2010 by Faurecia North America employees to fight hunger. It has gradually spread to other causes and countries. Other actions include employees at more than 50 sites in Canada, Mexico and the United States taking part in the "Help from the Heart" fundraising campaign in 2021 to fight hunger and improve children's education in Canada. FORVIA matched the total donations collected.

"Bike to School" in Morocco - Project sponsored by the Foundation in 2021

## 3. The Solidarity HUB: volunteering platform

Solidarity Hub by the FORVIA

To expand its societal impact and facilitate employee engagement, the Group is implementing

a digital tool that will centralize FORVIA's solidarity actions throughout the year. Launched in 2021 in Canada, the United States, France and Mexico, the Solidarity HUB also offers "private" volunteer work with non-profit organisations, bridging the gap between employees' desire to act and the volunteer missions offered by local non-profits. The platform will be rolled out in 2022 at all FORVIA sites.

#### **KEY HIGHLIGHTS**

#### Third edition of the **FORVIA Foundation's call for projects**

After successfully implementing 14 projects in 2020 and 2021, the FORVIA Foundation launched its third call for projects in 2022.

employee solidarity projects were selected. These will be supported in 2022 by a

000 grant.

#### **HELLA'S Hueck Foundation**

HELLA's Hueck Foundation (founded in 1999 for the company's centennial anniversary) focuses on supporting education, science and environmental conservation, and assisting children and seniors in the surrounding communities of Lippstadt, Germany.

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#### **Local solidarity actions**

Each year, employees are involved in local solidarity actions on their sites. These include fundraising campaigns, blood donations, food collections, or others initiatives addressing specific needs. For example, during the Covid-19 health crisis, teams in Romania designed an air filtering device for hospital wards, and teams in India developed a cost-effective ventilator.

#### FORVIA STANDS WITH UKRAINE

**EXCEPTIONAL DONATION OF** 

FORVIA

€550,000

**AID TO UKRAINE** €300,000

to the NGO Première **Urgence Internationale** (hygiene products for mother and children & emergency aid at the Polish border)



#### €145,000 to the **Fundatia Comunitara Valcea**

in **Romania** (supporting recruitment

at Faurecia plants and integration of refugees)

#### An exceptional donation from the FORVIA Foundation

In March 2022, the FORVIA Foundation earmarked €500,000 in response to the war in Ukraine. An internal call for donations was launched to support the solidarity initiatives led by more than 20,000 Forvians in neighbouring countries (Poland, Romania, Hungary, Slovakia and the Czech Republic). This fundraising campaign raised €25,000 in donations from employees, which the Foundation matched with an additional €25,000. The funds are being distributed to NGOs providing aid to refugees and those remaining in Ukraine.

**AID FOR UKRAINIAN REFUGEES** 

# €250,000

to **local NGOs** in the countries bordering Ukraine

# €65,000

to JedInia Dzieciom in Grojec, **Poland** and **Fundatia Comunitara** Valcea in Romania (Forvian initiative for the

integration of refugee children)

€20.000 to **Caritas** in the Czech Republic €20,000 to **People in** need in Slovakia (for advice, accomodation,

translation and childcare)

€40,000

**HELLA support for Ukrainian refugees** 

HELLA donated €100,000 to the UN's emergency refugee aid fund. HELLA employees also organised a variety of initiatives to help those fleeing the war in Ukraine. Volunteers in Slovakia, Lithuania, Germany, Romania and the Czech Republic collected donations in kind.

#### **Societal action partnerships**

The FORVIA Foundation has enhanced its impact by forging five partnerships with external players recognized for their societal actions.



#### Humanitarian aid



#### Providing emergency assistance - food, basic necessities, psychological assistance - and long-term educational support to students affected by the Covid-19 crisis in France.

In 2022, The Foundation continues to support projects addressing post-Covid issues. These include mental health support and suicide prevention measures for young people, housing for vulnerable single-parent families, and training in emerging sectors.

#### Education

### SIMPLON FOUNDATION

#### Supporting young digital workers and improving the prospects of those with little or no qualifications to find digital jobs.

The FORVIA Foundation sponsors an intensive learning program and offers scholarships for emergency actions.



#### Providing educational and social connections for "street children".

The FORVIA Foundation supports three mobile schools that organise regular visits to disadvantaged neighbourhoods in Mexico and Romania, providing an educational and social connection for "street children". In 2022, the Foundation is supporting the opening of a new mobile school in Romania and Poland to help children fleeing the war in Ukraine.





#### Environment

#### envie autonomie

#### *Giving a second life to medical equipment for people* with permanent or temporary disabilities.

The FORVIA Foundation sponsors two new operating sites in France, and provides skills sponsorship on environmental footprint management and spare parts management.



#### Supporting actions that promote biodiversity and protect ecosystems.

The FORVIA Foundation supports a program to protect and restore pollinators in France by restoring grasslands, improving scientific knowledge and changing agricultural and community practices.

#### 4.3 Local solidarity actions

#### **EMPLOYEE SOLIDARITY PROJECTS SPONSORED BY THE FORVIA FOUNDATION SINCE 2020**



#### PORTUGAL

Supporting an environmental education program for seniors organised by young people > 40 seniors & 8 young people

#### FRANCE

• Accommodation support and inclusion measures for homeless people > 5 families

• Supporting the artistic training program for young comedian from

the French theater "le Théâtre des

#### Amandiers" > 12 artist students

• Set-up of 1 mobile space to help with the orientation and integration of young people who have dropped out of school or without qualifications in rural areas of the east of France

Supporting the creation of a school offering vocational training in industrial maintenance > 45 students

#### **GERMANY**

Financing the purchase of a minivan for a disabled people's residence > 22 residents

Financing digital equipment to support a digital coaching program for vulnerable parents > 100 parents and children

#### **CZECH REPUBLIC**

• Financing minivans for 3 non-profit organisations helping children with disabilities > 50 beneficiaries



#### **SPAIN**

Supporting the education & integration of children and families in 2 refugee centres > 252 young refugees

Financing digital tools & providing training for children in need > 50 children and 30 families

#### **UNITED STATES**

 Installing wheelchair ramps to improve the independence of people with disabilities > 4 families



# **IEXICO**

Reforestation venture that redistributes the benefits to a children's charity > **12,000 trees** per year and 100 children

#### BRAZIL

• Vocational training for school dropouts > 275 children

#### **ARGENTINA**

• Mentoring & scholarships for vulnerable teenagers > 10 students

Restoring indigenous forests to improve the livelihood of local farmers > 25 farmers and 300 students

#### MOROCCO

• Providing bikes that allow children from remote villages to go to school by themselves > 100 children



### INDIA

- Improving education for girls in 2 schools > 400 schoolgirls
- Improving facilities & training at a residential school for the visually impaired > 130 residents
- Creating a green energy village > 300 families
- Increasing the capacity of a school & dormitories in a rural residential school > 70 schoolgirls



#### Vocational training for school dropouts > 100 children

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• Introducing eco-friendly practices to a primary school and providing training > 100 children

#### ROMANIA

- Digital tool donation & extracurricular activities for disadvantaged children > 40 children
- Providing a minibus to improve the social inclusion of children with disabilities > 44 children
- Road safety training and social activities to improve the social inclusion of children with disabilities > 30 children
- Sports & cultural education to improve the social inclusion of children with disabilities > 120 children
- Setting up an IT lab for vulnerable children > 150 children
- Building a lecture hall in a rural school > 150 children

#### ITALY

- Refurbishing computers so that children can follow classes online > 300 children
- Ecofriendly assistance and deliveries for families impacted by Covid-19 > **1,000 families**

#### CHINA

• Afterschool centers for migrant workers' children





- VIETNAM
- Financing scholarships & providing materials to offer a brighter future for schoolgirls in Mekong > 50 schoolgirls

# Key performance indicators table

Indicators table			2019(1)		FORVIA OBJECTIVES		
Commitments	Flagship projects	Key performance indicators	Reference year	<b>2021</b> <sup>(1)</sup>	2025	2027	2030
Planet			,				
	<ul> <li>Management of the CO<sub>2</sub> neutrality strategy on all sites</li> </ul>	CO <sub>2</sub> emissions scopes 1 & 2 (MtCO <sub>2</sub> eq)	0.93	0.72	Neutrality		
Environmental	<ul> <li>Deployment and management of the environmental policy using the FORVIA Excellence System</li> </ul>		40.0	46.6	by 2025		
footprint in	ISO 14001 certifications	$CO_2$ intensity (t $CO_2$ eq/ $\in$ million of sales)	48.8	46.6	- 20%		
operations	Reduced energy consumption						
	Use of renewable energy						
	${\scriptstyle ullet}$ Management of the CO $_2$ neutrality strategy throughout the supply chain						
	• Life cycle analysis of innovations and the entire solutions portfolio						
Sustainable products	• Creation of a new division to develop and produce innovative and smart sustainable materials	CO <sub>2</sub> emissions scope 3 (MtCO <sub>2</sub> eq)	31	27			-45%
	• Two initiatives to accelerate the development of sustainable solutions: "Interiors for the planet" and "Seats for the planet"						
	Electronic repairs in partnership with automotive industry customers						
	<ul> <li>First green bond issue of €400 million maturing in 2029</li> </ul>						
Croop toxopomy	<ul> <li>Development of hydrogen technologies for zero-emissions mobility</li> </ul>						
Green taxonomy eligible investments	Development of low-emission and air quality technologies						
	• Hydrogen joint venture: Symbio, a 50/50 partnership with Michelin						
	Large ecosystem of partners for sustainable innovations						
Business							
	Application of the Code of Ethics	Percentage of targeted employees receiving training on the Code of Ethics	93%	95%	100%		
	Communication about the whistle-blowing procedure for employees and subcontractors						
Dusiliess ethics	Ethics, compliance and anti-corruption training						
	Preventing tax evasion and corruption						
	<ul> <li>Zero-defect quality program and Total Customer Satisfaction</li> </ul>	Accidents per million hours worked with and without lost time (FR1t indicator)	2.05	<b>1.33</b> <sup>(2)</sup>	1.8		
Safety	• Deployment and management of workplace safety measures using the Faurecia Excellence System						
	CARE program to strengthen the culture of safety and ergonomics at work						
	Faurecia's responsible purchasing policy						
Responsible supply chain	CSR assessment of suppliers in partnership with EcoVadis						
chain	<ul> <li>Management of the CO<sub>2</sub> neutrality strategy throughout the value chain</li> </ul>						
People							
	<ul> <li>Training system for all employees</li> </ul>	Number of training hours per employee and per year	21.6h	22.6h			25h
Learning organisation	<ul> <li>Coaching and mentoring programs for managers and professionals</li> </ul>						
	<ul> <li>Diversity and inclusion training, particularly addressing unconscious bias</li> </ul>	Percentage of women among the top 300 leaders	15%	21%		25%	30%
Diversity	<ul> <li>Program for the hiring and promotion of talented women</li> </ul>	Percentage of women managers and skilled	24.4%	27%		30%	35%
and inclusion	• Annual employee satisfaction and engagement survey	professionals					
Local solidarity	• FORVIA has launched a solidarity commitment platform in the United States, Canada,						
actions	France and Mexico to promote solidarity among its employees						
	The FORVIA Foundation has selected 21 new solidarity projects worldwide						

Faurecia data. The consolidation of FORVIA Group data is ongoing.
 These data do not include SAS Automotive, which was acquired in 2020. The FR1t indicator including SAS was 1.49 in 2021.



# Faurecia's contribution to the SDGs

**Faurecia supports the United Nations Sustainable Development Goals** (SDGs) program to achieve a better, more sustainable future for all.

In 2019, the Faurecia Group identified which of the 17 SDGs it contributes to via its sustainable development actions and operations.



#### Planet **12. RESPONSIBLE** 6. CLEAN WATER U CONSUMPTION AND SANITATION AND PRODUCTION Efficiency in water use. Sustainable waste management. 7. AFFORDABLE AND **CLEAN ENERGY** On-site production and external sourcing of renewable energy. **Business 11. SUSTAINABLE CITIES 3. GOOD HEALTH** AND WELL-BEING AND COMMUNITIES Reduce safety risks in plants and road injuries via FORVIA's are particularly suited to product quality and safety policy. urban areas. 8. DECENT WORK AND **12. RESPONSIBLE** CONSUMPTION **ECONOMIC GROWTH** AND PRODUCTION Respect for and promotion Eco-design of products of international principles and circular economy. relating to human rights and labour law throughout the value chain. **10. REDUCED INEQUALITIES** Fight against discrimination. People 3. GOOD HEALTH AND 5. GENDER WELL-BEING EQUALITY Implementation of Promotion and career uncompromising workplace development of women. safety and risk prevention policies. Supporting employees and families during the pandemic. 8. DECENT WORK AND 4. QUALITY EDUCATION **ECONOMIC GROWTH** Training and skills development at work and occupational for FORVIA's employees, in particular via FORVIA University. diseases. Support for solidarity and local initiatives that promote education.



Reduction of FORVIA's greenhouse gas emissions to achieve operational CO<sub>2</sub> neutrality by 2025.

Air quality innovations that



#### **13. CLIMATE** ACTION

Development of solutions for zero-emissions mobility over the full vehicle life cycle.



#### **17. PARTNERSHIP** FOR THE GOALS

Partnerships for sustainable innovation with key players in the industrial and technological ecosystem.

Fight against discrimination and for professional equality.

Active prevention of accidents



Development of local societal actions.



#### **17. PARTNERSHIP** FOR THE GOALS

Active societal engagement with local communities and NGOs.

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