Sustainable developments meet the needs of the present without compromising the resources of future generations. Evonik’s experts are experienced at translating customer needs into innovative solutions for sustainable and resource-efficient coatings, with adapted services and products.

Evonik Industries AG Group is also in the TOP 1% of suppliers assessed by EcoVadis in the category “Manufacture of basic chemicals, fertilizers and nitrogen compounds, plastics and synthetic rubber”.

The products from Evonik Coating Additives increase sustainability in a number of ways:

**Product life cycle assessments:**
Evonik has evaluated the life cycle assessment for several products and these reports are available in English on the Evonik website under the following link: [http://bit.ly/CAD_LifeCycle](http://bit.ly/CAD_LifeCycle)

Life cycle assessments for several of our well-known products can be found there, including TEGO® Dispers 750 W, TEGO® Airex 900, TEGO® Foamex 1488, and more.

**Statement on Eco-labeling:**
Environmentally friendly paint and coating formulators contribute to improving sustainability by developing paints carrying an Eco-label. This is only possible if raw material suppliers are able to provide the product information requested to fill in Eco-label statements. Evonik makes this information available to facilitate the process of preparing and validating the Eco-label dossier.

**Regulatory Datasheets (RDS):**
Based on our decades of experience, we have established Regulatory Data Sheets (RDS) for a majority of our product portfolio, covering the regulations the most frequently asked: [http://bit.ly/Evonik_CAD_Products](http://bit.ly/Evonik_CAD_Products)
Renewable materials:
Our additives portfolio includes products based on renewable materials. Our innovation team works to expand our product line to fulfill the market need. The table to the left shows the amount of renewable materials in several of our defoamers, deaerators, and dispersing additives. The values are stated on the Regulatory Data Sheets on our website.

Portfolio for low-VOC formulations:
Our additives portfolio offers a broad range of products suitable for water-based and solvent-free formulations, allowing formulators to walk away from solvent-based formulations and maintain or improve their levels of performance. TEGO® VariPlus LK, the new grinding resin, drastically lowers the VOC content in pigment concentrates for solventborne coatings and for the overall formulation.

Improved process efficiency:
As pigment milling is a very energy and time consuming production process, we offer CARBOWET® grind aids to reduce the process time and increase efficiency. CARBOWET® GA200 is a grind aid that dynamically wets pigments and particles very efficiently from the beginning of the dispersion, allowing to reach the desired particle size and reduced viscosity sooner.

UN sustainability goals:
Evonik is strongly engaged and contributes to the 17 Sustainable Development Goals, adopted by the United Nations which should be achieved by the year 2030 in a cooperative partnership between governments, industries and societies. More information can be found at: http://bit.ly/Evonik-UN-SDGs