

Himadri Speciality Chemical Ltd

Product End of Life Policy

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Purpose

Himadri Speciality Chemical Limited recognises its responsibility as an intermediary speciality chemical manufacturer to enable environmentally sound management of products and materials at the end of their life cycle, in line with internationally recognised standards and frameworks. This policy is aligned with the principles of ISO 14001 (Environmental Management Systems), circular economy guidance, and relevant global chemical and waste management conventions. It reinforces Himadri's commitment to minimising end-of-life environmental impacts through responsible disposal, recovery, recycling, and value-chain collaboration, while meeting regulatory requirements and advancing global sustainability expectations.

Scope

This policy applies to all business operations, including manufacturing units, logistics and distribution activities, subsidiaries, and downstream value chain interactions. It covers employees, contract workers, suppliers, logistics partners, distributors, customers, and other stakeholders associated with the handling, use, and end-of-life management of Himadri's products.

Organisation and Responsibilities

End-of-life management is a mainstream management responsibility at Himadri. Executives and line managers are accountable for ensuring that product design, production, and supply chain activities consider end-of-life environmental impacts within their areas of control. Management is responsible for performance against defined objectives and for enabling continual improvement through resource allocation and process integration. All employees are responsible for complying with this policy and supporting responsible end-of-life practices. Customers, distributors, suppliers, and other value chain partners are encouraged to adhere to Himadri's end-of-life guidance and sustainability standards.

Our Beliefs

- Responsible end-of-life management is essential to sustainable chemical manufacturing.
- Waste and environmental impacts can be minimised through design, collaboration, and innovation.
- Circular economy principles create long-term value for business and society.

Our Aims

- Zero non-compliant disposal of Himadri products.
- 100% compliance with applicable waste, hazardous material, and chemical disposal regulations.
- Continuous improvement in material recovery, reuse, and waste minimisation.



Our Commitments

Himadri commits to:

Ensure 100% compliance with applicable local and international regulations related to product disposal, hazardous waste, and chemical end-of-life management.

Provide end-of-life handling, disposal, or recovery guidance for 100% of applicable products, including information within Safety Data Sheets (SDS) or supplementary documents.

Integrate end-of-life considerations into 100% of new product developments and major product modifications.

Promote circular economy opportunities by enabling reuse or recovery of suitable by-products and residues through industrial symbiosis and partnerships.

Reduce waste generation through material optimisation and process efficiency across operations.

Engage customers and downstream partners to support responsible disposal, recycling, or recovery practices.

Monitor and review end-of-life risks and opportunities as part of environmental risk assessments.

Transparently disclose progress on waste reduction, recovery, and circularity through sustainability reporting.

Governance

This policy is governed by the Sustainability (ESG) Council of Himadri Speciality Chemical Limited under the supervision of the Board-level Sustainability (ESG) Committee.

Policy Review

This policy shall be reviewed every three (3) years or earlier, if required, due to changes in regulatory requirements, market practices, technology, or business operations.