




## Himadri Speciality Chemical Ltd

### Water Efficiency & Preservation Policy

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## **Purpose**

Himadri is dedicated to conserving natural resources, with an emphasis on continuous improvement and the promotion of sustainable industrial development. Our objective is to address environmental challenges associated with our industrial activities by transforming them into opportunities for innovation. This approach supports a shared value system for all stakeholders and incorporates circular economy practices.

We have a Zero Liquid Discharge mechanism in place, which ensures the elimination of discharge, responsible water consumption, minimizing wastage, and increasing operational efficiency.

## **Scope**

This policy applies to all our business operations such as manufacturing plants, and corporate offices & subsidiaries covering all the employees, workers (including 3rd party contractual), visitors and customers and any person affected by our business activities.

## **Organization and Responsibilities**

Himadri considers all matters related to water management as a mainstream management responsibility. Executives and line managers are directly responsible for operations under their control. Management is accountable for setting and achieving water management objectives, and for establishing pathways for continuous improvement in water conservation.

All employees are responsible and accountable for managing water use and quality in the activities under their control. We also encourage all contractors and business value chain partners to adhere to the same water management standards that we uphold.

Himadri recognizes the impact of its operations on local water resources, including water consumption during operations and pollutants injected into water. This also encompasses elimination accidental water pollution (e.g., spills) and the management of wastewater. We are dedicated to mitigating these impacts through proactive measures and continuous improvement.

## **Our Beliefs**

- Every drops of water can be conserved
- Water conservation is good for business
- All individual has role in conserving water

## **Our Aims**

- Zero liquid discharge
- Minimizing specific water consumption in operations and domestic usages
- Minimizing water wastages



## **Our Commitments**

- Provide training & awareness programs on water conservation initiatives covering 100% employees by 2026.
- Reduce fresh ground water withdrawal intensity by 20 % by 2026 from base line year 2021.
- Reduce the daily water consumption by 20% by 2025 by enhancing operation efficiency and innovative projects.
- Ensure no incidents of accidental discharge.
- Disclose the performance on annual basis.
- Carry out periodic and systematic monitoring of water consumption.
- Maintain desired water quality during procurement, processing, consumption, and discharge.
- Innovate technologies to reduce fresh water use in boiler operations.
- Identify and rectify areas to reduce steam energy losses in intermediate operations.
- Use treated water in domestic usage.
- Implement modern techniques in water treatment procedures.
- Create a forward pathway by integrating climate change-related risks and opportunities concerning water conservation.

## **Governance**

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

## **Policy Review**

This policy will be reviewed every 3 years and in special occasion if there any critical element to modified.