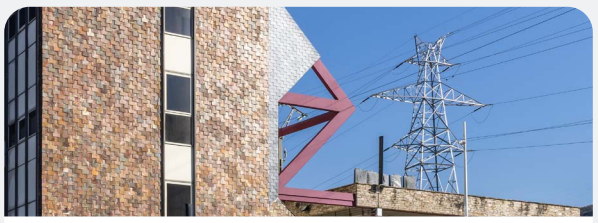
Environmental Good Practice Guide

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Energy



- Use of efficient equipment and maintenance.
- Switching off equipment and using Eco mode.
- LED lighting and natural light.
- Temperature control:
  - Summer: 24-27°C
  - Winter: 19-22°C

Vehicles and machinery



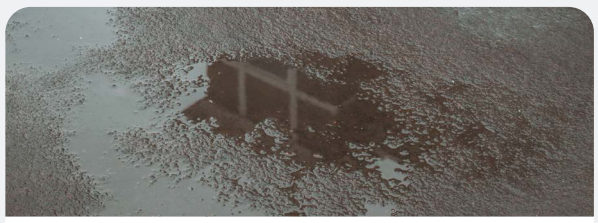
- Efficient driving to reduce consumption.
- Avoid very short journeys.
- Tyre maintenance and checks.
- Reasonable use of air conditioning.
- For hybrids and electric vehicles: optimise regeneration and energy consumption.

Water



- Avoid waste and leaks.
- Installation of water-saving systems.
- Water reuse in processes.
- Optimise its use for cleaning and irrigation.

Spills



- Spill prevention and use of absorbents.
- Use of environmentally friendly products.
- No discharge of oils or hazardous substances.

Atmospheric pollution



- Reduction of dust and emissions (filters, ventilation, water).
- Speed control and road watering.
- Close windows and doors to prevent the spread and entry of dust.

Noise



- Proper maintenance of machinery.
- Acoustic insulation (closing windows and doors).
- Limiting noisy activities to daytime hours.

Waste



- Application of the 3Rs: reduce, reuse and recycle.
- Separation by waste type (including EWC codes).
- Management by authorised waste operators.
- Safe storage, especially of hazardous waste.

Hazardous products



- Reduction in the use of hazardous products.
- Safe storage with containment.
- Use of safety data sheets.
- Use compatible containers and avoid decanting.

Materials



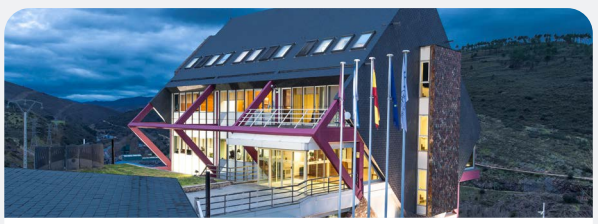
- Optimisation of material consumption.
- Reuse and use of recycled materials.
- Reuse of packaging and internal resources.

Biodiversity



- Protection of fauna and flora in extraction areas.
- Control of dust, noise and discharges.
- Environmental restoration and impact prevention.

Light pollution



- Reduction of unnecessary outdoor lighting.
- Use of warm light (<3,300 K).
- Minimisation of blue light.
- Correct orientation of light fittings (from top to bottom).

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