BIRLA CARBON AWARDED GOLD RATING FOR THE FOURTH CONSECUTIVE YEAR BY ECOVADIS



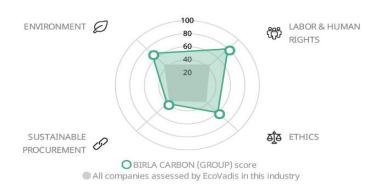
Birla Carbon has been awarded a **Gold** level rating for sustainable practices, for the fourth consecutive year by EcoVadis. Birla Carbon was recognized as an advanced practitioner of Sustainability. The rating was awarded after EcoVadis reviewed Birla Carbon's sustainability reporting standards and practices, based on Birla Carbon's seventh sustainability report, Evolving, Sustainably Together.

With the gold ranking, Birla Carbon continues to be in the top 1% companies in the 'Manufacture of other non-metallic mineral products' category.

Overall, Birla Carbon is in the top 4% of all suppliers assessed.

EcoVadis assessors continue to recognise Birla Carbon's progress and efforts in sustainable reporting and the EcoVadis score and assessment is made available on the EcoVadis website.

Theme score comparison



2016	First gold rating by EcoVadis placed Birla Carbon in the top 2% of 20,000 companies assessed
2017	Second consecutive gold rating by EcoVadis placed Birla Carbon in the top 1% of 30,000 companies assessed
2018	Third consecutive gold rating by EcoVadis placed Birla Carbon in the top 2% of 55,000 companies assessed
2019	Fourth consecutive gold rating by EcoVadis putting Birla Carbon among the top 1% of companies under the 'Manufacture of other non-

metallic mineral products' category