

# Adobinve

## Sustainability

At ADOBINVE

, sustainability is more than a vision: it is a daily practice, integrated into our culture, our processes and our decisions. We are committed to a model of responsible, circular and innovative industrial development, which provides active response to the climate, social and normative aspects of the present and the future.

### Audits and International Compliment

It includes internationally recognized external audits that certify the quality of our environmental, social and ethical management. These evaluations guide our continuous improvement and ensure alignment with the most demanding standards in the sector.



### Comprehensive Effluent Treatment

We have advanced depuration and processing water treatment systems, as well as internal recirculation systems that allow water to be reused within the product cycle itself. This approach significantly reduces water consumption and associated impacts.

### Waste Valuation

We work hard to transform waste into resources. Currently, 43% of our waste is converted into high-value by-products, and we work with companies in the sector to expand circularity to the entire value chain.

### Environmental Protection

We apply specific systems to control emissions and odours, ensuring a safe and healthy environment. We continuously monitor the quality of the ground and underground waters at our facilities, and monitor the biodiversity of the Ebre River to ensure that our effluents do not affect natural ecosystems.

### **Technical Innovation with Purpose**

Our technical department of innovation works actively in the development of vegetable tanning and free chromium, prioritizing alternatives with lower ecological impact and greater biodegradability. We have adopted the use of “biobased” products, which allow cleaner processes, reducing chemical exposure and improving safety for people and the environment.

### **Commitment to Renewable Energy**

Since 2021, ADOBINVE uses 100% renewable energy. From 2024, we fully comply with the objectives of the RE100 Pact, reaffirming our commitment to the energy transition and climate neutrality. In this line, we have promoted a photovoltaic self-production project with an installed power of 401.80 kWp, which allows us to avoid the annual emission of 163 tons of CO<sub>2</sub> equivalent. Currently, a second phase of expansion is underway with equal capacity.

### **Measurement and Management of our Climate Impact**

ADOBINVE believes that success depends on measurement. Therefore, since 2019 we have been annually calculating our carbon emissions, in accordance with the international standards for greenhouse gas emissions (GEH). Starting in 2022, this calculation also includes scope 3, covering those impacts that come from sources that are not under our ownership or direct control. Complementarily, we perform life cycle analysis (LCA) of our products, with the objective of identifying opportunities to reduce environmental impact and promote more sustainable manufacturing.

### **An Environmental Strategy for the Future**

“Think about the present without compromising tomorrow .”

Our environmental commitment is measurable, scalable and opened to constant innovation. From the prevention of impacts to the generation of circular value. Our sustainability strategy is specific in the following objectives:

- Ensure climate neutrality by 2040
- Reduce the absolute emissions of scopes 1, 2 and 3 by 90%, present on any basis in 2021
- Expand self-production of renewable energy
- Increase the valorization of waste, exceeding 50% of generated by-products
- Integrate technological and natural solutions for regenerative growth

