



ENVIRONMENTAL POLICY

PURPOSE

As SASA, we aim to be a leader in the environment on a national and international scale, and to continuously improve and maximize our environmental performance, based on sustainable development strategies in the sector which we operate as an integrated polyester and specialty chemicals manufacturer in line with the United Nations sustainable development goals and circular economy principles.

SCOPE

This policy covers,

- All production facilities of SASA and utilities of SASA,
- All employees of SASA,
- Stakeholders of SASA, including personnel involved in contracts with suppliers, contractors, subcontractors and other organizations.

The Board of Directors undertakes to fulfill the requirements set forth in this policy and expects SASA employees to fulfill the same commitments.

In order to reach our goals, we are committed;

- To comply with other relevant national and international requirements beyond the current legal environmental legislation and to continuously review and improve our environmental management system in accordance with ISO 14001 requirements and to report our environmental impacts annually in our sustainability reports,
- To define all environmental dimensions with the lifecycle approach and evaluate their effects, to eliminate environmental risks and to reduce them to a reasonable level, to prevent pollution in order to achieve the determined goals and targets, to protect the environment and natural resources,
- Within the scope of combating climate change, to carry out necessary studies on the efficient use of natural resources, to reduce the amount and intensity of carbon dioxide emissions, to determine and follow up the goals and targets to review the changes and to increase the studies on the use of renewable energy sources and energy efficiency in this direction,
- To reduce our consumption by adopting the sustainable, efficient and economical use of water, energy, raw materials, chemicals and similar resource consumptions during our activities,
- To protect biodiversity at the areas where we operate, by managing our impact on our operations and supply chain,

- Within the framework of the circular economy, to adopt clean production technologies and best available techniques that prevent, reduce, recycle and reuse hazardous, non-hazardous wastes and wastewater from our activities and that minimize all kinds of our emissions, greenhouse gas emissions and their effects on the environment as much as possible, to carry out studies for the determination and monitoring the reduction targets for hazardous, non-hazardous waste, wastewater and greenhouse gas emissions and to determine company-wide responsibilities in this regard,
- In all our processes, to supply products and services with high energy efficiency, minimal environmental impact, and provide sustainable purchase of products and services, to support designs for energy performance and to maintain continuous improvement,
- To fulfill our environmental responsibilities in line with their needs and expectations by approaching all our stakeholders including our employees, customers, suppliers, government institutions, shareholders, and society with respect and taking their opinions on the protection of the environment, for this purpose; to regularly prepare and transparently share our environmental reports, to monitor and continuously improve our environmental performance, to carry out necessary information, training and similar activities by providing all kinds of communication and cooperation with all of our stakeholders and relevant parties in order to raise their awareness.
- To consider environmental criteria in the selection of suppliers so that our suppliers are aware of their environmental obligations, to include our suppliers in our environmental programs by transferring environmental management responsibility to the top management level through our Supply Chain General Directorate, and to improve environmental performance throughout our entire value chain,
- To fulfill and maintain the requirements of environmental and social conditions, considering IFC's Performance Standards in our new investment sites and facilities.

The image shows the SASA logo, which consists of the word "SASA" in a bold, blue, sans-serif font. Below it, the words "POLYMER" and "KARJAN" are written in a smaller, blue, sans-serif font. A blue ink signature is written over the logo.