

## **Pfleiderer Receives EcoVadis Platinum Award for World-Class Sustainability**

**Neumarkt, December 4, 2024** – The Pfleiderer Group has reinforced its leading position in sustainability with another top-tier accolade. For the first time, the wood-based panel manufacturer has earned the prestigious Platinum Medal in the annual EcoVadis rating, placing it among the global elite of assessed companies.

### **Platinum Medal Places Pfleiderer in the Top 1 Percent**

The EcoVadis sustainability rating, one of the world's largest providers for evaluating ESG activities (ESG: Environmental, Social, and Governance), assesses criteria across the areas of environment, labor and human rights, ethics, and sustainable procurement, awarding medals annually. With a score of 87 out of a possible 100 points, Pfleiderer now ranks in the top 1 percent of the approximately 130,000 companies assessed. Key factors contributing to this success include advancements in environmental protection, the introduction of additional metrics in ESG reporting, and top scores in labor/human rights and procurement.

“As they say, it gets tougher at the top. All the more remarkable is our continued rise into the absolute elite of the EcoVadis ranking,” emphasizes Dr. Frank Herrmann, CEO of the Pfleiderer Group. “We have always said that we won’t rest on our laurels and are committed to ongoing improvement. This top accolade is a testament to the tireless work of the entire Pfleiderer team, especially during these economically challenging times. A heartfelt thank you to all our employees!”

More information can be viewed at <http://www.ecovadis.com> and <https://www.pfleiderer.com/dach-en/sustainability>.

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**About Pfleiderer**

Pfleiderer is a leading manufacturer of premium engineered wood products, laminates and resins. Through its Engineered Wood Products division, the company produces premium wood and laminate products for fast-growing, high-end applications in the Western European kitchen, furniture and construction markets. Pfleiderer is also a leading producer of specialty and industrial resins through its Silekol division, which are used in Pfleiderer's own products and by external customers in the panel production, packaging, construction and building materials industries. Pfleiderer is headquartered in Neumarkt in der Oberpfalz, Germany, and employs around 2,200 staff primarily across five sites in Germany and one resin production site in Poland. The company has operated for over 130 years with sustainability and the renewable nature of wood at its core, with a strong focus on sustainable sourcing and manufacturing, reducing carbon emissions and protecting the environment.

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