



## **Gold medal for MAN in EcoVadis sustainability ranking.**

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**The world's largest provider of sustainability ratings has awarded MAN a gold medal for the first time. This puts the commercial vehicle manufacturer among the top five percent of companies assessed in the "manufacture of motor vehicles" segment.**

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- **MAN has improved strongly in all four assessment areas and is well above the industry average everywhere.**
- **The sustainability efforts of recent months and years are bearing fruit - and are an incentive for further ambitious measures.**
- **Sustainability is anchored in the core of MAN's new corporate strategy and will remain a central task in the future.**
- **The success was made possible by the interdisciplinary cooperation of all the departments involved at MAN.**

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Since its foundation in 2007, the independent rating agency EcoVadis has built up an international network of more than 100,000 rated companies. For this purpose, experts analyse how well they have integrated the principles of sustainability and corporate social responsibility (CSR) into their business activities and management systems - specifically according to industry, country and company size. MAN has been participating in the assessments since 2014.

The aim of EcoVadis is to produce reliable and globally recognised sustainability assessments. This enables companies to document their own efforts and include their assessment when selecting suppliers. Increasingly, such assessments are the prerequisite for even being considered for new purchases.

### **MAN far above the industry average**

MAN achieved 72 out of 100 points in the overall evaluation, while the industry average in the "manufacture of motor vehicles" segment is 45 points. The

MAN Truck & Bus is one of Europe's leading commercial vehicle manufacturers and transport solution providers, with an annual revenue of just under 11 billion euros (2021). The company's product portfolio includes vans, trucks, buses/coaches and diesel and gas engines along with services related to passenger and cargo transport. MAN Truck & Bus is a company of TRATON GROUP and employs more than 34,000 people worldwide.



high score secures MAN a place among the top five percent of all 104 companies assessed, as 97 percent of them scored worse. This is why EcoVadis has awarded the commercial vehicle manufacturer a gold medal for the first time, following a bronze medal in 2021.

EcoVadis evaluates companies in four areas. MAN achieved the highest score in the area of "Environment" (80 points), followed by "Labour and Human Rights" (70 points), "Sustainable Procurement" (70 points) and "Ethics" (60 points). The basis for the assessments was the current Sustainability Report 2021, which is based on the fundamentally revised sustainability strategy.

MAN's transparent and comprehensive reporting and progress tracking on all relevant sustainability aspects (e.g. the audited sustainability report in accordance with the GRI standard), the commitment to sustainability goals via published information and measures already implemented (e.g. the SBTi goals) as well as the guidelines and policies anchored in the company on the four assessment areas (e.g. the MAN environmental policy) were particularly highlighted in the assessment.

### **New MAN sustainability strategy bears fruit**

Sustainability is anchored at the core of MAN's new corporate strategy. "This is now bearing fruit, as our leap forward in the EcoVadis assessment shows," says MAN CEO Alexander Vlaskamp. "For us, this is an incentive to further increase our efforts in all areas considered - because sustainability is not an outcome, but a continuous process. And even in a difficult market environment, we regard sustainable action as a prerequisite for being able to compete in the future."

In particular, the interdisciplinary cooperation of all MAN divisions made the success in the EcoVadis assessment possible. The company intends to continue along this path in the future: After the detailed evaluation of the strengths and weaknesses named by the experts, MAN will further optimise its measures in the area of sustainability.

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E-mobility is a high priority at MAN. eTGE and Lions City E are already being successfully sold, and production of the eTruck will start in 2024.