

Wetrok Environmental Management

What we do for the climate

Clean buildings are important. But it's even more important to have a clean environment for people and animals. For us, protecting the environment goes well beyond offering products with sustainability labels: We offer not only ecological products, but also sophisticated comprehensive solutions for eco-friendly cleaning. Our five sustainability principles:

- We promote the wider use of resource-efficient cleaning methods.
- We provide training in the correct dosing of cleaning products.
- We lower our company's CO₂ emissions.
- We optimise our value chains and digitalise processes.
- We increase the service life of our products.

ISO 14001

Wetrok is certified in accordance with ISO 14001 (Environmental Management System) and thus fulfils high requirements for doing business in harmony with nature.

Cleaning products

Climate-neutral Granuline

With Granuline, Wetrok has achieved a breakthrough in ecological research: Cleaning with granulate instead of liquid detergent. With its compact form alone (pre-dosed sachets instead of large canisters), the patented and award-winning method revolutionises all environmentally relevant factors along the value chain.

The five granulate cleaning products of Wetrok Granuline carry the label "climate-neutral product" from the independent organisation *Climate Partner* and are **highly biodegradable**. All emissions have been recorded, further reduced and offset through recognized climate protection projects. *ClimatePartner* has confirmed: With Wetrok granulate cleaners, you produce **19% less CO₂** emissions in total than with conventional liquid cleaning agents.

Wood care oil based on an eco-friendly formula

In 2022, Wetrok reworked the formulas for the wood care oils Leinol BW and Leinol NW. Both wood care oils are now particularly low in emissions and carry the strict **VOC eco-label EMICODE EC1 Plus**.

Eco-friendly foam cleaning method

The cleaning method "damp wiping with foam" developed by Wetrok demonstrates how valuable resources can be saved by switching to an ecological method. Compared with the bucket and water method, foam consumes **90% less chemicals and 30% less water**. Compared to spray, foam does not generate any vapours or emissions.

Eco-friendly cleaning product line with multiple certifications

With Wetrok EcoLine, Wetrok offers a highly **biodegradable product family** with multiple certifications for cleaning the entire building. The Wetrok EcoLine has carried the *EU Ecolabel* and the *Austrian Ecolabel* for many years.

An economic alternative with Nordic Ecolabel

Eco-friendly cleaning products need not break the bank. That's why Wetrok developed the eco-friendly cleaning product family wetco line. The wetco line is certified with the *Nordic Ecolabel* and easily **biodegradable**.

Machines

Certified scrubber-driers

Three of the four Wetrok Duomatic scrubber-driers are "EFFICIENCY certified" in line with the *EUnited Green Cleaning* label of the European Cleaning Machines Association. The result is high cleaning efficiency with **low energy and water consumption**.

Bristles made of 100% recycled PET

Since 2021, Wetrok offers eco-friendly **PET brushes for scrubber-driers** in its range. The cleaning bristles for the PET scrubbing brush are made of 100% recycled PET. Reduced wear on the bristles also extends the lifetime.

Repair & leasing instead of new procurement

Wetrok cleaning machines have an above-average service life compared to other available machines. But if a problem should occur nevertheless, we provide assistance with an extensive **range of spare parts** (including for older models) and a comprehensive repair service. If a cleaning machine is only needed for a limited time, a wide range of leasing options are available.

Consumables

Eco-friendly dust cloths

Disposable products can be eco-friendly too. Wetrok's Masslinn dust cloths carry one of the most well-known eco-labels: *the Cradle-to-Cradle certification® (Bronze)*.

Outlook

Each year, we further expand our commitment to sustainability. We are currently reviewing our environmental site footprint. In this way, we aim to determine the footprint of our entire company in order to subsequently introduce targeted measures that will lower our greenhouse gas emissions. The COVID-19 pandemic has shown us that we can often do without air travel. Digital meetings are a valued alternative in most cases. We will maintain this practice and review all air travel to ensure that it is absolutely necessary.

Our ecological labels

