



Vicinity™ Desk Screens

● Vicinity™ Sol
in Tree House and Acros

● Autex Acoustics®,
New Zealand

Solace in open-plan spaces

An escape from the hum and bustle of the open-plan office, Vicinity™ is a simple, intelligent desk screen system that provides both physical and acoustic shelter; a sanctuary for focussed, independent work.

Vicinity Desk Screens are made from 100% polyester fibre, designed to be fixed non-destructively to any desk via the Vicinity Desk Clamps. As a modular desk screen system, Vicinity Desk Screens and Clamps work in collaboration; the die-cast zinc clamps slot comfortably into the screen via pre-cut sockets which are then fixed to the desk using a single Allen key.

The Vicinity range features a curated collection of flat and pressed screens. Flat screens offer classic, understated design with simple contemporary shapes and a smooth finish, while pressed screens have a soft, sophisticated look with sleek, rounded edges and a minimalist embossed design.

To find out more about Vicinity Desk Screens visit www.autexglobal.com





Features and benefits

- Delivers excellent acoustic performance
- Solid colour and smooth finish, no capping required
- Pinnable surface
- UV resistant qualities
- Easy to clean
- Customisable
- Easy to install and move
- Made from compressed 100% polyester felt and does not contain formaldehyde, crystalline silica, or other carcinogens
- Low VOC—beneficial for IEQ
- High recycled polyester content
- Highly durable, assuring long-term stability and performance

Applications

- Suitable for a variety of workspaces, including: commercial and home offices, classrooms, and libraries



Pressed Screens

With sleek, rounded edges, and a minimalist embossed design, Pressed Screens bring a unique textural aesthetic to the Vicinity Desk Screen range. Effortlessly enhance furnishing design in open-plan workspaces with our Pressed Screen in Polka, or put your own stamp on your space with a custom pattern.

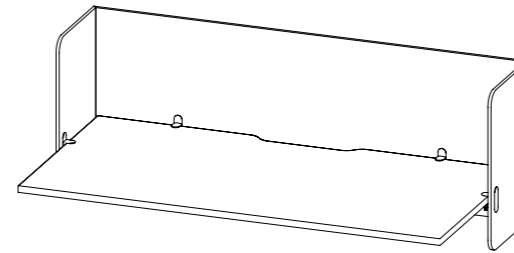
Through a moulding process, the screen is heated, then pressed, to create an embossed pattern with rounded edges on each side. This allows for pattern continuity, so your screen looks good from any angle. The rounded edges offer a softer, more sophisticated look—creating the illusion of a thinner screen.

Pressed Screen customisation

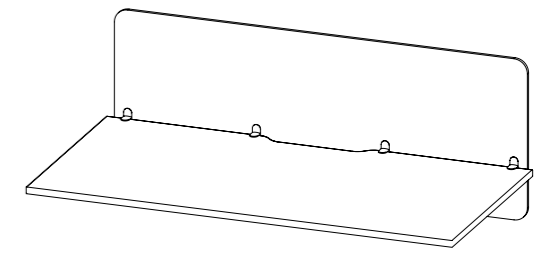
As every workspace is different, Pressed Screens can be customised to fit your brief. Customisation options include pressing bespoke designs or textures into the screen, custom colours, and custom shapes. MOQ's apply.



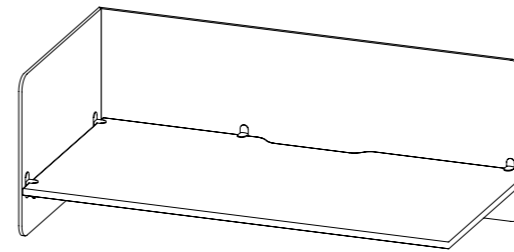
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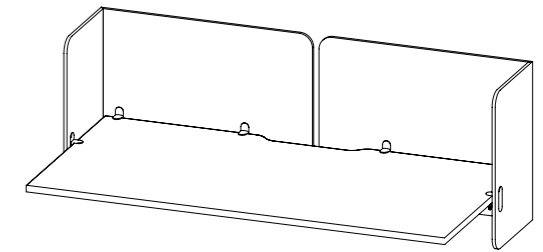
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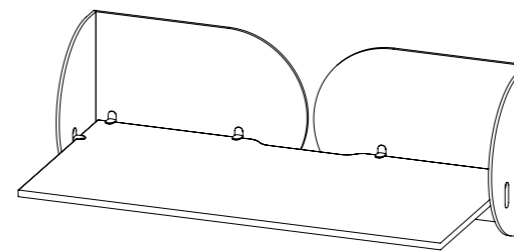
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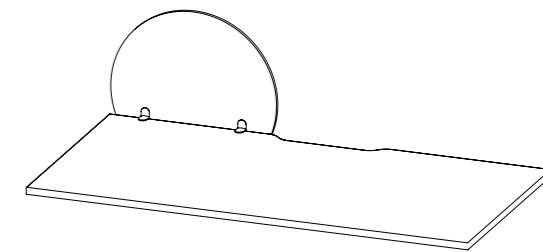
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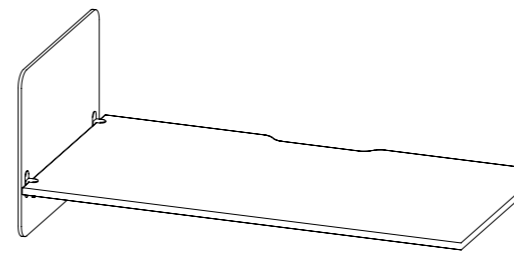
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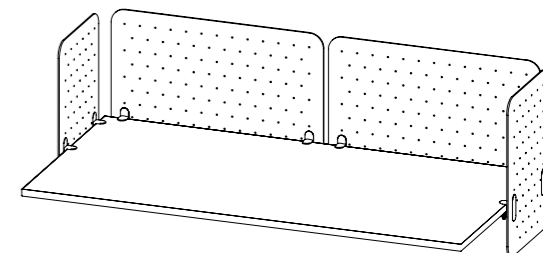
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Sol



Slate



Polka



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New Zealand

● Vicinity Hedge
in Opera and custom colour

Vicinity™ Desk Clamps

To allow for creative freedom and effortless installation, Vicinity Desk Clamps are designed to clamp Vicinity Desk Screens to any desk at a 90 degree angle—without marking or damaging the desk. Made locally from die-cast zinc, Desk Clamps are available in three colours—black, white and silver—so they blend seamlessly with the aesthetics of any workspace. Desk Clamps are durable, easy to assemble, and recyclable at the end of their life. As they are an essential part of the Vicinity Desk Screen set, Desk Clamps are not sold separately.

Desk Clamp design registration

NZ DES 425915 | NZ DES 425911 | US DES-PAT APP 29708130 | AU DES 201915344
AU DES 201917046 | EU DES 006978144-0001



Customisation

As creators and innovators, we understand your pursuit of the bold and unusual, the rare and exceptional—the brave, colour-outside-the-lines ideas. Every space you design is unique, therefore, every element—from floor to ceiling—should be tailored to fit. Our customisation tools offer unique avenues for creative expression to help you achieve your vision—all that's left to explore are the boundaries of your imagination.

Our customisation capabilities include Print, Etch, Groove, Precision Cut, Mould and Press, and Peel 'n' Stick.





We are proud to be a carbon neutral organisation

We have reduced and balanced all carbon emissions from our business operations, including manufacturing to zero.

We offer entirely carbon neutral products

All our products are carbon neutral with emissions offset through certified carbon credits.

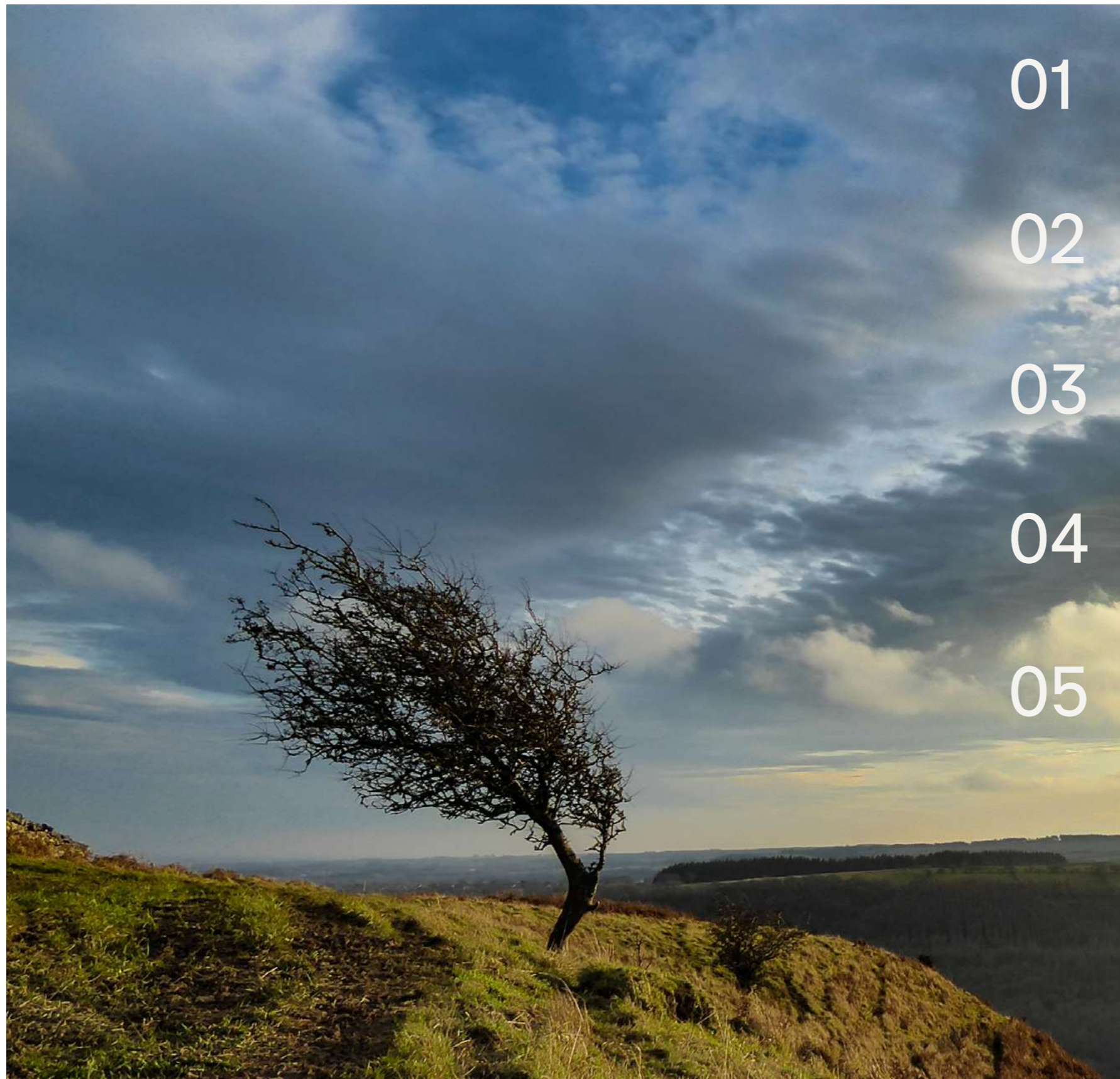
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CO₂-e per kg of product



Sustainability pillars

The five pillars of our sustainability strategy define all aspects of our operations and the products we offer.



01



Climate change demands climate action We are carbon neutral in everything we do.

02



Closing the loop We are advocates for closing the loop on waste. We contribute by using recycled material through to creating recyclable products.

03



Sustainable supply chain We carefully select responsible suppliers to eliminate unethical practices and encourage good working conditions.

04



Supporting wellbeing in buildings All our products are made using only safe materials. No harmful chemicals are used in any stage of our process.

05



Operating a business for purpose and profit We strive to have a positive impact on our environment, our people, and the next generation.

In everything we do



Our journey to carbon neutrality

1967 1990 2012 2017 2020 2021 2022

Founded in Auckland, NZ, creating underfelt for the flooring industry

Established a zero-waste production line

Reclaimed waste trimmings, **reducing raw material use and associated emissions**

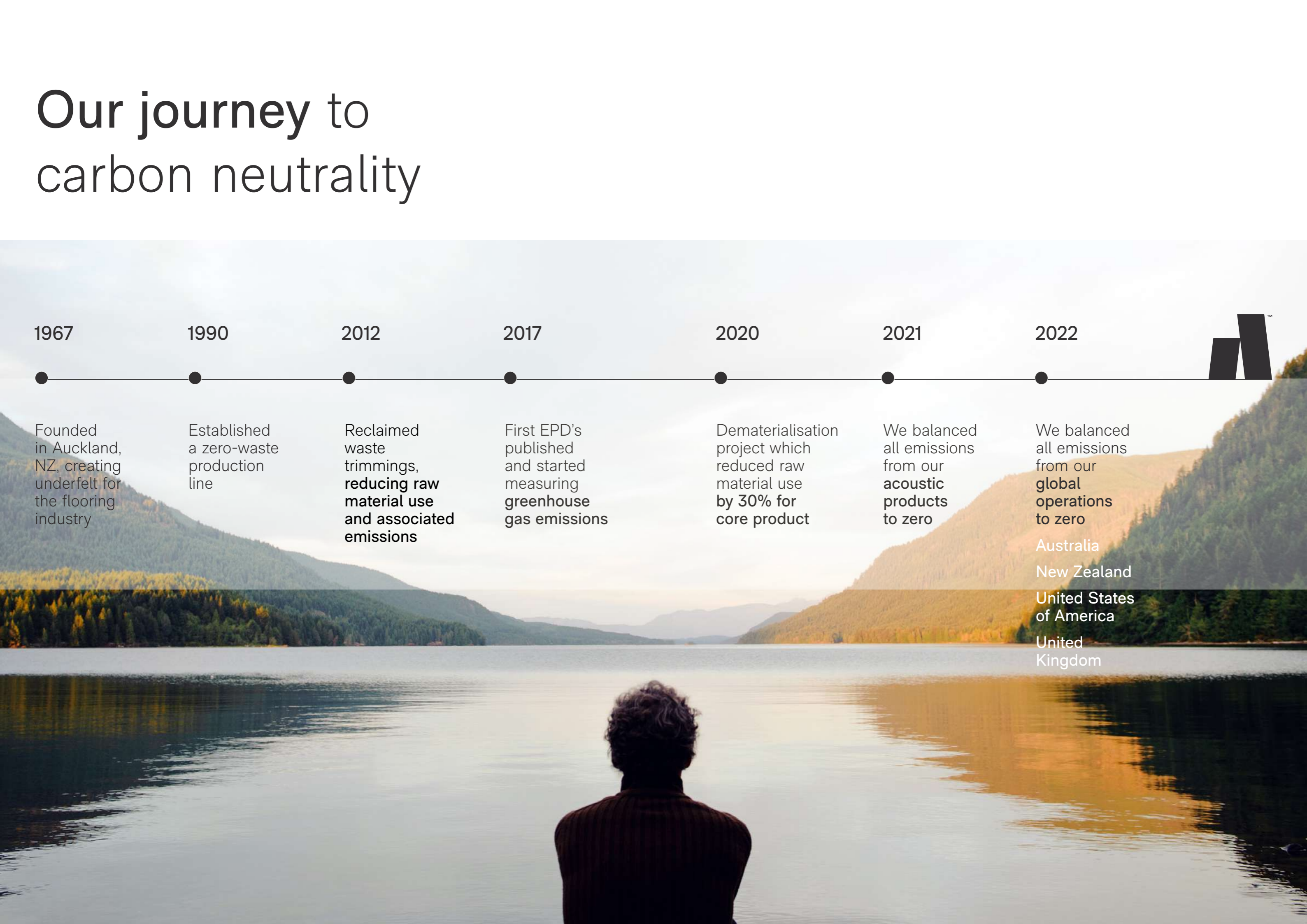
First EPD's published and started measuring **greenhouse gas emissions**

Dematerialisation project which reduced raw material use **by 30% for core product**

We balanced all emissions from our **acoustic products to zero**

We balanced all emissions from our **global operations to zero**

- Australia
- New Zealand
- United States of America
- United Kingdom



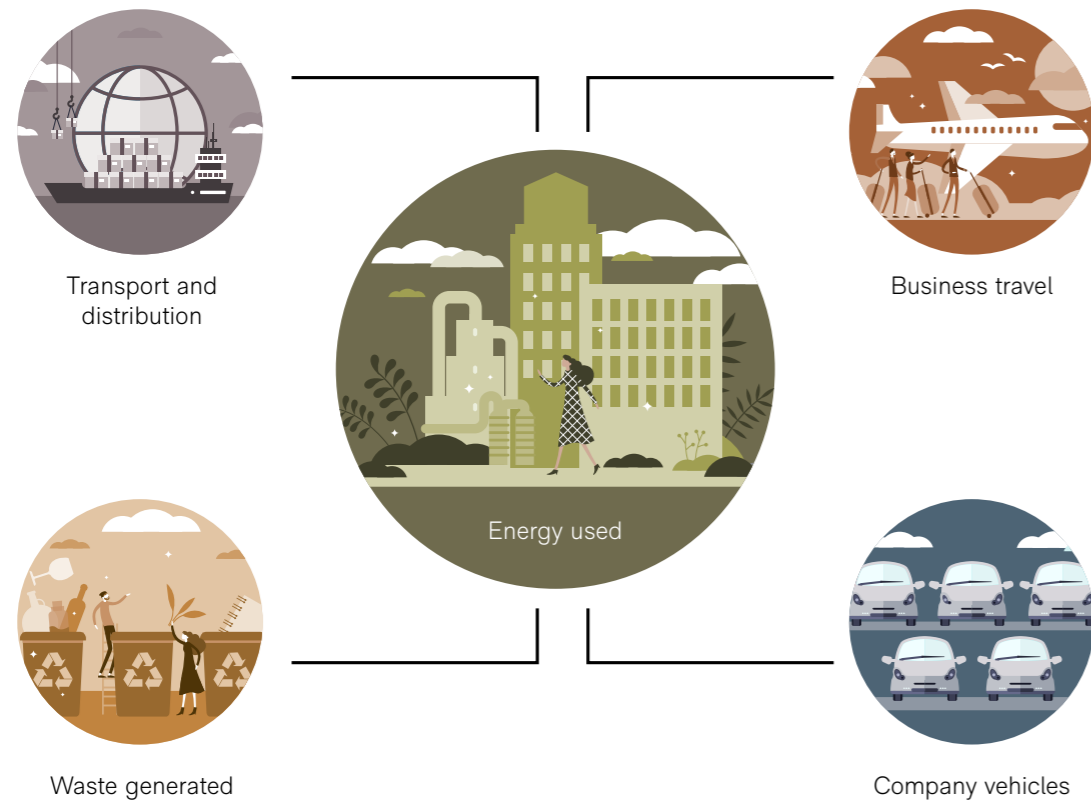
How we're fighting climate change

The climate crisis is the biggest issue of our generation. As a product designer and manufacturer, we have an opportunity to help improve the carbon impact of our industry.

Our operational carbon emissions

We are a carbon neutral business. We actively monitor the carbon emissions of our entire operation to better understand our carbon footprint and how we can further reduce emissions. We have an internal strategy to reduce our carbon emissions and have successfully delivered a number of carbon reduction initiatives within our operations. Any carbon emissions that are currently unavoidable are offset through certified carbon credits. We have a commitment to purchase only verified carbon credits that are retired on robust registers to ensure we are driving positive change.

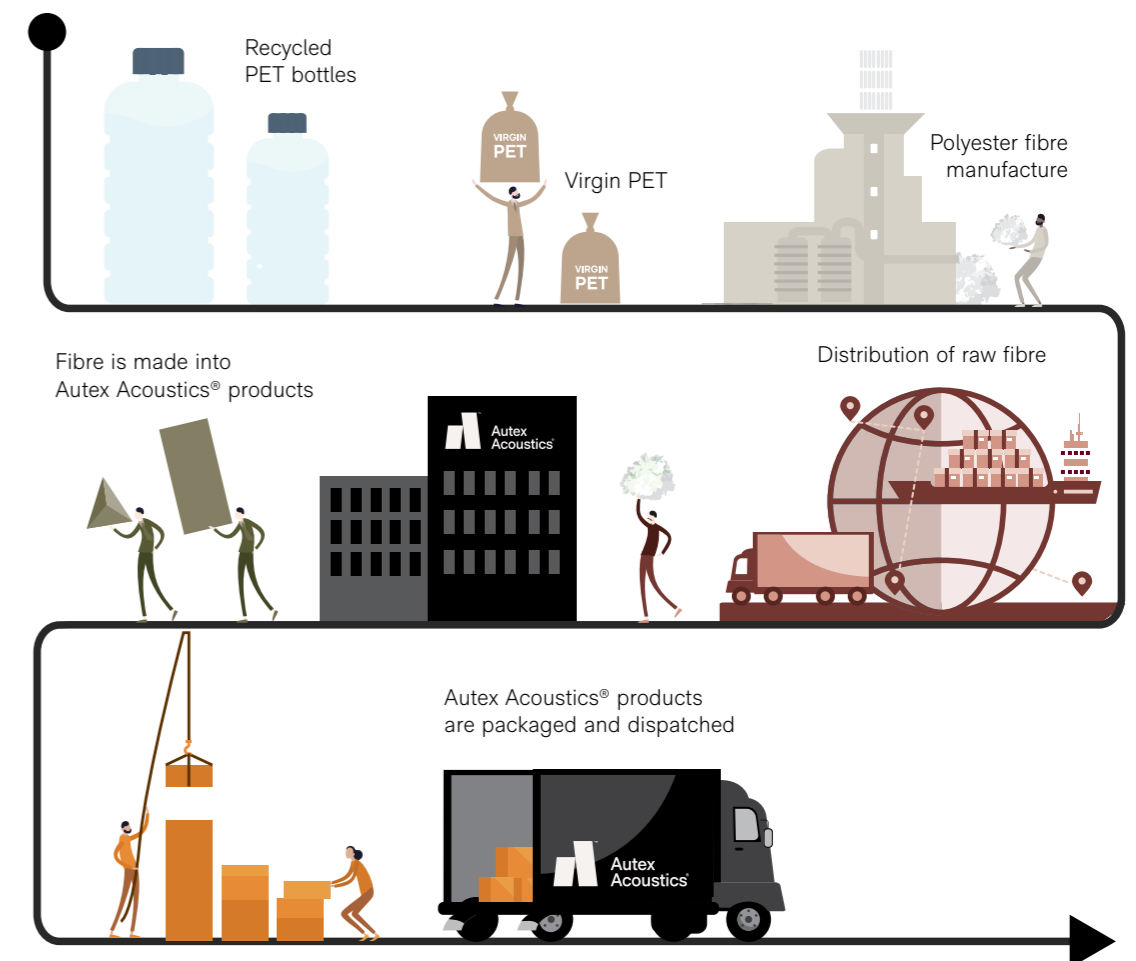
Key business activities contributing to our operational emissions

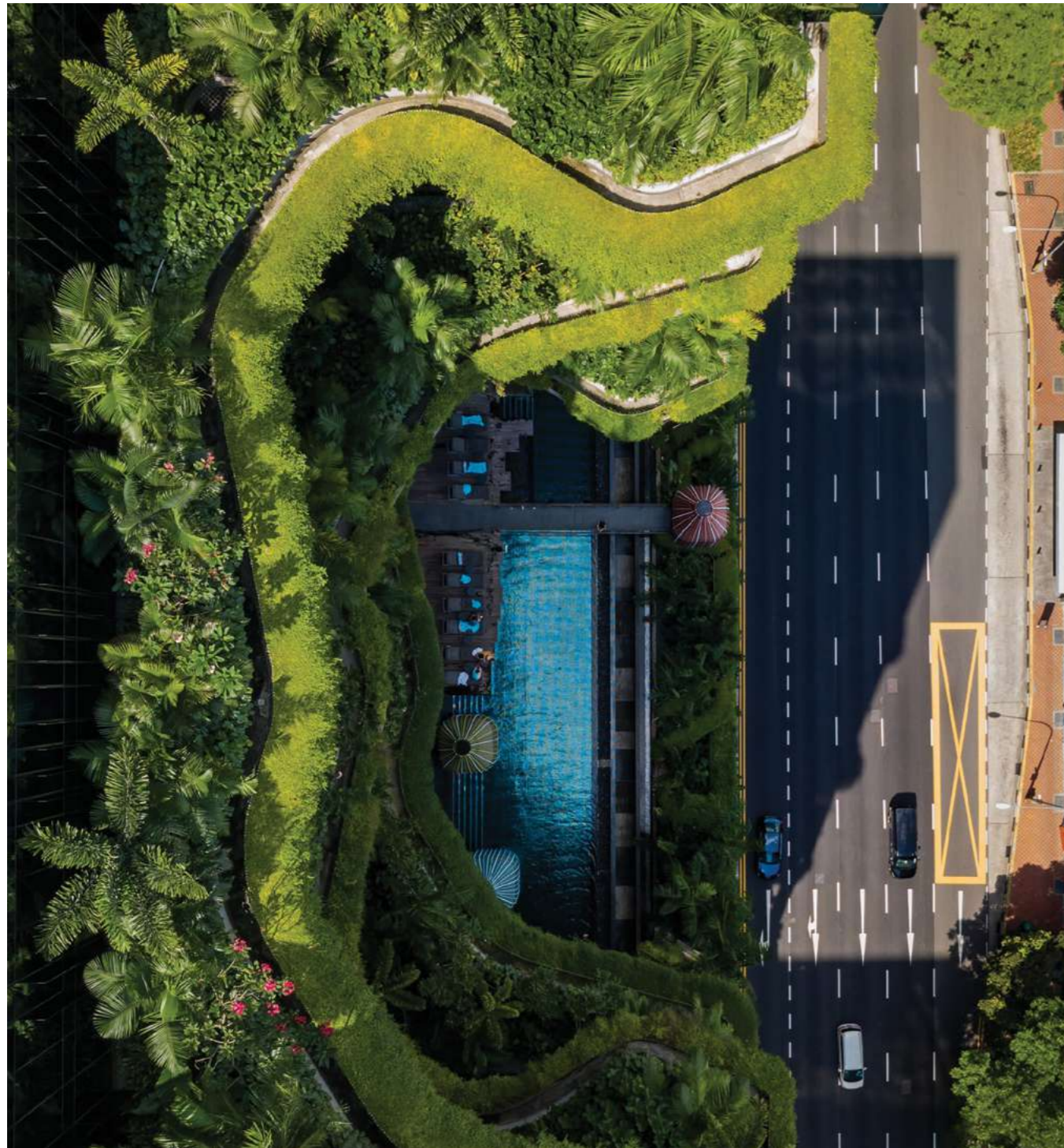


Embodied carbon of our products

Our products are carbon neutral, and we are the first business in our industry to include the cost of carbon in our products. We consider this an investment in present and future generations, and simply a cost of doing business. We calculate the embodied carbon of our products, from the raw material to the manufacturing gate, using industry recognised ISO standards. We have reduced the carbon footprint of our products through smart design and efficient manufacturing. While the embodied carbon of our products is low, they still do have a carbon impact. We mitigate this through our Carbon Neutral Product Initiative by offsetting the equivalent emissions using certified carbon credits. These carbon credits are generated from projects focused on renewable energy, fuel switching, and reforestation around the world.

Key activities contributing to the embodied carbon of our products





Certifications

Certifying your green building

Autex Acoustics products meet criteria for WELL, LEED, Green Star, and BREEAM building rating systems, helping you achieve certification for your project. For support and guidance on available rating system points, please visit www.autexglobal.com, or speak with your Autex Acoustics account manager.



Environmental Product Declaration

An Environmental Product Declaration (EPD) is a document that communicates information about the life-cycle environmental impact of a product, including embodied carbon. Our EPDs are created and verified in accordance with ISO 14025 and EN 15804, used for construction products and services.



GreenRate – Level A

GreenRate is a multi-attribute environmental certification that scores products on a range of environmental, health, and social measures. Autex Acoustics products are certified to achieve GreenRate Level A. Level A is the highest GreenRate level and demonstrates the highest level of product sustainability.



Declare – International Living Future Institute

The ingredients in our products have been reviewed against the Living Future Challenge Red List and achieve a Third-Party Verified 'Red List Free' status.



Products achieve the highest 'LBC Red List Free' status when:

- Ingredients are 100% disclosed and are not found in the Red List
- Products are shown to meet VOC emissions limits

We assure the accuracy of our certifications by having our Declare labels independently verified by a third party expert.



Health Product Declaration

A Health Product Declaration (HPD) is a document that reports the ingredients of a product and the health effects associated with these ingredients. A Health Product Declaration has been generated for each of our products.



CDPH Standard

CDPH Standard Method (CA Section 01350) is a widely used standard to evaluate building products for low volatile organic chemicals (VOC) and formaldehyde emissions. All Autex Acoustics products meet the limits set by CDPH and the LEED building rating scheme.



ISO Certifications

ISO 14001 – Environmental Management

Autex Acoustics manufactures under environmental management processes that are ISO certified. This certification gives assurance that we manage any environmental impacts within our operations.



ISO 9001 – Quality Management

Autex Acoustics has a strict quality management system that is ISO certified. Robust quality processes from raw material through to product release help ensure our products meet expectations.



ISO 45001 – Health and Safety Management

Autex Acoustics manufacturing operations have an ISO 45001 certified Health and Safety Management System to ensure the safety and wellbeing of our people.



In everything we do

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