

Hera Group on CDP's «Climate A list»

The recognition awarded by this independent international organisation bears witness to Hera's concrete commitment to transparency in environmental reporting and to combating climate change

The Hera Group has been included for the first time in the prestigious "Climate A List" released by CDP (formerly the Carbon Disclosure Project), one of the most authoritative independent international organisations for environmental measurement and reporting. Thanks to this important recognition, the Group has further confirmed its position among the world's most virtuous companies, in the Top 2%, in terms of decarbonisation and transparency in reporting on climate change. This result is also above the industry average (B) and the European and world average (both C).

CDP recognised Hera's excellent results in practically all assessment categories, with further improvement in many key areas compared to the previous year and confirming its outstanding status in the remaining ones, corroborating its solid, structured approach, aligned with international best practices in managing climate challenges.

Being included in the A List reflects the Hera Group's high level of commitment and climate ambition, first and foremost in its pursuit of carbon neutrality, which is included in the Hera Group's purpose with an amendment of the company's Articles of Association in 2021. This goal also takes shape thanks to Hera's Climate Transition Plan, published in 2024, which includes Net Zero by 2050. In particular, the Plan defines paths and levers for reducing direct and indirect emissions (Scope 1, 2 and 3), showing concrete actions for the reduction of climate-changing emissions, and provides governance mechanisms to integrate climate risks into corporate decision-making and financial processes.

The CDP score

For 25 years, CDP has overseen the world's largest platform for environmental reporting, in which thousands of public and private companies participate every year. Over 24,800 companies responded to the 2024 edition of the questionnaire, including 95% of the FTSEurofirst 300, 85% of the S&P500 and 97% of the Nikkei, as well as over 1,000 cities, states and regions.

CDP works on behalf of more than 640 investors and financial institutions, representing over 127 trillion dollars in assets, and asks companies to transparently share their data and strategies on climate change, water and deforestation. The scores assigned by CDP are now a globally recognised standard in assessing corporate environmental sustainability.