

2.2 STRONG SUPPLY CHAINS

Hochland Polska maintains an ongoing dialogue on sustainability, quality, safety and ethical standards in business relations with its customers and suppliers. Our aim is to build long-term relationships based on trust, transparency and shared values.



Cooperation within the SEDEX framework and SMETA audits

Hochland Polska actively participates in the global SEDEX platform, which supports responsible

supply chain management. Audit reports from our sites are published in the SEDEX database, which enhances transparency and allows customers and business partners to gain insight into our practices regarding ethics, labour rights, safety and the environment.

In 2025, the production plant in Węgrów underwent a SMETA audit and achieved a very good result. This confirms high level of compliance with international standards of responsible business conduct.

Supplier Auditing – Responsibility, Quality and the Environment

As part of its supply chain management, Hochland Polska subjects its suppliers to regular audits covering key areas of responsible business. These audits assess i.e.:

- the accountability of senior management,
- quality management systems,
- food safety,
- and environmental practices related to waste management and disposal.

This ensures that we work with partners who operate in accordance with European stand-

ards, observe safety regulations and strive to minimise their environmental impact.

Long-term relationships based on a shared commitment

Strong supply chains are the cornerstone of stability and quality of Hochland products. This is why we focus on long-term partnerships with reliable, proven partners who share our approach to social, environmental and ethical responsibility.

Together, we are building a value chain that meets customer expectations, complies with regulatory requirements and supports sustainable development.

BEST PRACTICE

SEDEX ONLINE PLATFORM
SUPPORTING ETHICAL
SUPPLY CHAIN
OPERATIONS