



Grasim Industries Ltd, Grasilene Division, Harihar awarded CII-ITC Sustainability Award 2019 for Excellence in Environment Management

Grasim Industries Ltd has been bestowed with the CII-ITC Sustainability Award 2019 for Environment Management. CII-ITC has recognised the accomplishments of Grasilene Division, Harihar a Unit of Grasim Industries, and rewarded the Unit for its tremendous achievements in the environmental front with the Sustainability Award for Environment Management in 2019.

Grasim Industries, in its journey towards environmental excellence has been taking giant leaps at its Pulp and Fibre Units by implementing new cleaner and state-of-the-art technologies.

Key highlights of Grasilene Division, Harihar Unit's sustainability achievements are:

- Highest Sodium Sulphate salt recovery among Group, leading to less load on Effluent Treatment Plant, better quality of treated wastewater.
- Continuous reduction in water consumption adopting 4R (Reduce, Reuse, Recycle, Regenerate) principles.
- Continuous reduction in Chemicals & Raw Materials (such as Zinc, Lime, Caustic Soda), Steam & Energy consumption putting less load on fossil fuel consumptions
- 100% utilization of Power Plant Fly ash in downstream - Adopting scientific methodology.

The CII-ITC Sustainability Award is the most credible sustainability award in the country. Instituted in 2006, the CII-ITC Sustainability Awards recognise and reward excellence in businesses that are seeking ways to be more sustainable and inclusive in their activities. Winners of the Awards are role models who inspire others to follow suit. The Awards are a part of the continued efforts of the organisation to create awareness on sustainability practices and to create capacities in business.

Excellence in sustainability is a journey of continuous improvement in processes and results.