

ESG

The GRI (Global Reporting Initiative) Standards represent global best practice for reporting publicly on a range of economic, environmental, and social impacts. Sustainability reporting based on these Standards provides information about an organization's contributions to sustainable development in a structured way that is transparent to interested parties. The Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs) are global goals set out by the United Nations, used by companies to measure their Environmental, Social, and Governance (ESG) credentials. It is a collection of 17 interlinked global goals designed to be a "shared blueprint for peace and prosperity for people and the planet, now and into the future.¹ Below are the benefits associated with Aura Air's systems attributable to our partners by using Aura Air's systems:

- The reduction of particles, VOCs and pathogens in indoor environments creates cleaner, safer and healthier places and increase employees efficiency.

 In experiments conducted by the Ministry of Health and the Ministry of Education in Israel, it was found that Aura Air systems reduced Covid-19 infections at a rate of approx. 30%. This outcome is in accordance with "Fight Communicable Diseases" and "Reduce Illnesses and Death from Hazardous Chemicals and [Air] Pollution" guidelines (SDG targets 3.3 and 3.9) and shall be disclosed, inter alia, under the subjects: "a description of any voluntary health promotion services and programs offered to workers to address major non-work-related health risks..." (GRI Standard 403-6-b). It is also shall be disclosed, inter alia, as "actions taken or underway to eliminate these hazards and minimize risks" (GRI Standard 403-10-c). It is worth mentioning, that high levels of VOCs are linked, inter alia, to headaches and lack of concentration; hence, any reduction of those levels improve employees efficiency.
- Real-time monitoring and measuring of the components of the air pollution (such as PM and VOCs) provide an updated accurate picture of the air quality on-premises, including information on air pollution-related hazards.
 Using this system, organizations can receive real-time data about health risks associated with poor air quality, identify safe spaces and spaces where infections are likely to occur, and receive alerts and recommendations in real-time. This outcome is in accordance with the "Improve Early Warning System for Global Health Risks" guideline (SDG target 3.D) and shall be disclosed, inter alia, under the subjects: "actions taken or underway to eliminate work-related hazards that pose a risk of ill health and minimize risks" (GRI Standard 403-10-c).
- Using Aura Air technology, HVAC systems operations can be optimized in order to enhance energy efficiency and to reduce Greenhouse Gas (GHG) emissions.
 This outcome is in accordance, inter alia, with "Improvement in Energy Efficiency", "Reduce the Environmental Impact of Cities", "Sustainable Management" and "Strengthen Resilience and Adaptive Capacity to Climate Related Disasters" guidelines (SDG targets 7.3, 11.6, 12.2, 13.1). It shall reduce or affect the values that shall be disclosed, inter alia, under the subjects: "Electricity, Heating, Cooling Consumption", "Total Energy Consumption Within the Organization", "Amount of Reductions in Energy Consumption Achieved as a Direct Result of Conservation and Efficiency Initiatives", "Total Fuel Consumption within the Organization" (GRI Standard 302-1, 302-4) and "Extent of Development of Significant Infrastructure Investments and Services Supported" (GRI Standard 203-1).

¹ No poverty, zero hunger, good health and well-being, quality education, gender equality, clean water and sanitation, affordable and clean energy, decent work and economic growth, industry, innovation and infrastructure, Reduced Inequality, Sustainable Cities and Communities, Responsible Consumption and Production, Climate Action, Life Below Water, Life on Land, Peace, Justice, and Strong Institutions, Partnerships for the Goals. See here: https://sdgs.un.org/goals.

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