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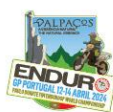
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# VALPAÇOS 2024 Environmental Sustainability Plan



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## 1- ORGANIZER:

Clube TT Usprigozus de Vilarandelo

Address:

Rua das Escolas Nº8,  
5430-659, Vilarandelo



## 2-FRAMEWORK:

The Clube TT Usprigozus de Vilarandelo, in partnership with the company Resinorte and the Municipality of Valpaços, intends to develop strategies and implement measures that aim to reduce the ecological footprint of the GP OF PORTUGAL-VALPAÇOS, implementing a strategy towards sustainability.

Usprigozus, together with its partners, will develop and implement strategies to reduce and reuse the waste produced, as well as its correct routing, not only by the organization during the race, but above all by the teams that participate in it, with the main objective being this year, raising awareness among all players.



## 3-SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT GOALS (SDGS)

In 2015, the 2030 Agenda was defined, comprising 17 Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs). The 2030 Agenda is a broad and ambitious agenda that addresses several dimensions of sustainable development, with the SDGs and the 2030 Agenda being a common vision for Humanity, a “contract” between world leaders and people and “a list of things to do in the name of the people and the planet”.

Portugal has an active position in the preparation of this Agenda, defending the need to guarantee the efficiency and effectiveness of a system that should be based on coordinated cooperation and complementarity between different actors, at global, regional, and national levels, exploring synergies and interdependencies between the respective skills and strategies, avoiding and seeking to maximize capabilities and impacts





We consider that realizing this vision is a responsibility of governments, but the challenges require new partnerships. Everyone has a role to play so that no one is left behind.

Each country defines its priorities and will define how each SDG should be achieved. Portugal materializes its strategic priorities in the implementation of the 2030 Agenda for Sustainable Development in SDGs 4,5,9,10,13 and 14.

## OBJETIVOS DE DESENVOLVIMENTO SUSTENTÁVEL



## SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT OBJECTIVES TO BE IMPLEMENTED

Based on the 17 SDGs, we have prioritised 3; 4; 6; 7; 12; 13; 14; 15 and 17, focusing heavily on the areas of action in noise, waste, water and energy, fuels and soil protection, hygiene and cleaning, awareness-raising and carbon offsetting, and their associated targets:

1. Noise:

\_ODS 3 - Health and Well-being: Reducing noise contributes to healthier environments.

2. Waste:

\_ODS 12 - Responsible Consumption and Production: Efficient waste management promotes more sustainable consumption and production practices.





### 3. Water and Energy:

\_ODS 6 - Drinking Water and Sanitation: Water conservation contributes to the sustainable management of water resources.

OSD 7 - Clean and Affordable Energy: Use of renewable energy sources promotes the transition to cleaner energy.

### 4. Fuels and Soil Protection:

\_ODS 13 - Action Against Global Climate Change: Promotion of cleaner fuels contributes to the reduction of greenhouse gas emissions.

\_ODS 14 - Protecting Marine Life: Protecting groundwater and aquatic ecosystems.

\_ODS 15 - Terrestrial Life: Protecting the soil aims to conserve biodiversity and terrestrial ecosystems.

### 5. Hygiene and Cleanliness:

\_ODS 6 - Drinking Water and Sanitation: Good hygiene and cleaning practices are related to the promotion of drinking water and adequate sanitation.

### 6. Sensitisation:

\_ODS 4 - Quality Education: Awareness campaigns contribute to the promotion of environmental education.

\_ODS 17 - Partnerships and Means of Implementation: Collaboration with different stakeholders to achieve sustainable objectives.

### 7. Carbon offsetting:

\_ODS 13 - Action Against Global Climate Change: Carbon offsetting contributes to the mitigation of climate change.

Aligning the event's actions with these SDGs creates the cornerstone of the event's initial considerations, which follow the basic approach of "thinking globally, acting regionally".



## 4- COMPETITION OFFICIALS

FIM Race Director	Pedro Mariano	FIM: 15173
END Course Inspector	Maurizio Micheluz	FIM: 15178
Clerk of the Course	Celestino Cruz	FIM: 15933
Environmental Steward	Nelson Correia	FIM :40539
Safety Steward	Daniel Matos	TBA





## 5- ENVIRONMENTAL COMMITMENT

Usprigozus is committed to this environmental sustainability plan explained here, to respecting the FIM and FMP Environmental Codes, to making all necessary efforts to reduce and mitigate or even compensate, in a positive way, the impact that the test in question may cause to the environment. To achieve this, together with our partners, we will implement a set of actions that we now list.

1- Placement of recycling containers for liquid and solid industrial and domestic waste in the paddock, departures and arrivals and public areas. So that the respective teams and the public deposit the waste produced separately to allow recycling.

2- Distribution of "environmentally friendly" plastic bags in distinct colours (blue, yellow, and green) in each Competitor's bags along with the race documents, to be used to separate waste during the event.

3- Distribution of "environmentally friendly" plastic bags in distinct colours (blue, yellow, and green) in areas with the highest concentration of public (e.g., prologue) to allow the areas used by the event to be completely clean.

4- Use of small recycling bins in the race direction area and other rooms used for the event. (Secretariat, press room, control room)

5-Use of recycled paper in all documents produced at the event.

6- Use of paper bags to distribute race documents to Competitors, Controllers, Security Teams, and other participants in the race.

7- Carrying out campaigns (radio and local newspapers, social networks, and internet and throughout the event) with spectators promoting sustainable environmental practices, recycling and distributing some eco-friendly gifts.

8-Creation of ecomarchals brigades, with the collaboration of the company Resinorte and the municipality





## 6- IMPACTS/RISKS

Area Spending	Types	Kind of	Estimated quantity to be paid by us.	Type of Direct Compensation	Forwarding
Energy	Fuels. Fossils	Several			
WATER	Water Warm	It is	S.D.		
	Sanitary				
MANAGEMENT OF WASTE	Tire Waste	Competitors	S.D.		Valorpneu
	Waste	Competitors [PA]	S.D.		
	Oil waste	Competitors [PA]	S.D.		Municipality
	Various Lamps	Organization	S.D.		Sociadade Ponto Verde
	Toners	Organization	4		Municipality
	Electrical Waste and electronics	Organization	S.D.		Sociadade Ponto Verde
	Plastic	Organization	S.D.		Resinorte
		Public	S.D.		Resinorte
	Card	Organization	S.D.		Resinorte
	Others: ribbons	Organization	S.D.		Resinorte
WASTE HOSPITAL		Fittings			
		Ambulances	S.D.		Health Unit Valpaços
TRANSPORT	Race Officials / Organization	Vehicles	35		
	Competitors	Vehicles	130		
	Teams	Vehicles	200		
	GNR Official Entities	Vehicles	12		
	Official Firefighter Entities	Vehicles	6		
	Official Entities	Vehicles	5		
	Ambulances				







## 7- Environmental Objectives and Targets

### ENVIRONMENTAL GOALS AMOUNT OF WASTE TO TREAT:

70 – 85%

### ENTITIES INVOLVED IN WASTE TREATMENT

- Municipality of Valpaços and parish council of Vilarandelo.
- Resinorte
- Valor Pneu
- Sociadade Ponto Verde

### AMOUNT OF WASTE TO BE COMPENSATED BY COMPENSATION MEASURES

40- 50%

### MEASUREMENTS

As in previous years, awareness-raising initiatives will be held throughout the weekend not only for the event's participants, but also for the community in general, promoting good practices and the importance of the 3 Rs: reduce, reuse and, finally, recycle when it's not possible to apply the first two.



## 8- COMUNICATION, TRAINING AND CONSULTATION

Reduction in paper consumption in the quantities used compared to previous editions, with production using recycled paper when possible. And reinforcing the use of digital platforms.

Awareness-raising and awareness-raising actions in public areas, thus appealing to environmentally sustainable conduct.

Disclosure of the Environmental Plan and the measures to be implemented at the event, on the event's digital platforms.





## TRAINING / INFORMATION OF ELEMENTS INVOLVED IN THE ORGANIZATION

In all meetings and training sessions held throughout the preparation of this GP, the environmental sustainability component will be addressed, through the presentation of the Environmental Sustainability Plan, as well as the responsibilities and measures that the various participants in the organization should have.

## TRAINING / INFORMATION TO TEAMS

Drivers and teams will be given an environmental briefing in conjunction with the sports briefing.

Several awareness-raising activities will be conducted before and during the event, led by the Usprigozus environmental manager in collaboration with the promoters of our partner Resinorte, a recycling company in our district.



## 9- MONITORING AND MESUREMENT

Verification and validation of all procedures by the event's Environmental Manager in conjunction with the person responsible for Resinorte, with photographic records before and after the event in places with the greatest public influx and/or areas susceptible to waste production.



## 10- WASTE MANAGEMENT

Eco points will be placed in all areas of the organization to selectively collect the waste produced:

- Secretariat, Race Control, Jury Room, Specials and Assistance Park.

Containers will be placed to collect waste produced by the public – unsorted, plastic, cardboard and glass in places considered to be popular with the public, but which also comply with the safety requirements of their location.

In the Assistance Park there will be several sustainable islands for the collection of solid and liquid waste. domestic and industrial.



**The Paddock and camping area are in Paddock A and B, which will be in the city of Valpaços (41°36'07.7"N 7°18'44.1"W)**

An environmental map was drawn where you can see the location of toilets, changing rooms, washing areas, recycling bins and recycling of contaminated liquids.

Furthermore:

- Special spaces will be marked for parking trucks, caravans and vehicles belonging to the various teams and drivers. In other words, all the equipment necessary for comfortable accommodation for everyone who comes to the event.
- There are toilets, toilets for people with disabilities, changing rooms, showers, solid waste, and tire recycling islands.

**The correct routing of waste produced by the teams is the sole responsibility of the teams themselves.**



## **11- PROTECTION OF BIODIVERSITY AND SURROUNDING AREAS**

The route and special stages are chosen considering natural parks and protected areas, with the aim of avoiding impact on protected and biologically sensitive areas.



## **12- PROBLEMS MANAGEMENT AND PREVENTION**

During the event, all safety elements have equipment to control small oil spills.

It is mandatory to use an environmental mat whenever refuelling motorcycles.

In the assistance park, an environmental mat is mandatory.

It is mandatory to use an environmental mat in the closed park.

The use of an environmental mat is mandatory in all assistance or gas zones.

**The use of environmental mats with duly regulated characteristics and dimensions is mandatory in the areas described, to avoid fuel spills and other industrial liquid waste, preventing, thus, the contamination of soils and groundwater beds.**





Motorcycle washing area located in the industrial area of Valpaços, 200 mtr from the paddock <https://goo.gl/maps/7kHgCPePKTNmCPbz6>

On Rua Cidade De Madrid nº 14

5430-492 Valpaços

At this service station there is an area reserved for pilots who can use, free of charge, all the necessary conditions to preserve the environment and in accordance with the FIM environmental code.

**We remind everyone that the use of any.  
cleaning product for washing competition vehicles its forbidden.**



## 13- IMPACTS RELATED TO NOISE

Phonometric tests will be carried out during technical checks to verify that all vehicles comply with the new sound regulations of FIM and FMP. Exhausts will be marked and at any time technicians will be able to repeat the tests throughout the event with the aim of protecting the environment and noise pollution is minimized as much as possible in cities, towns, streets and areas affected by the event .The volume and orientation of the sound system in the paddock and the rest of the event will be permanently monitored by me so that it does not exceed that stipulated by the FIM sustainability code.



## 14- CARBON EMISSION/MONOTORING AND REDUCTION

To reduce greenhouse gas emissions from competition vehicles, assistance vehicles, organization vehicles and vehicles belonging to the public, it is strongly recommended that the vehicle only be started when necessary; do not park it in protected areas and green spaces.







## 15- ENVIRONMENTAL SUSTAINABILITY DIGITAL MESURES

Encouraging the use of the FIM Sportity app.

Use of Usprigozus digital platforms to disseminate communication.

As well as the creation of several WhatsApp groups, thus reducing the number of copies of the various documents throughout the event, as well as the fuel consumption used in traveling in relations with competitors and competitors. It is also an excellent tool that speeds up the transmission of information to everyone involved in the event.



## 16- MEASURES PROVIDED FOR THE TRACK

The race Logistics Team is responsible for removing all advertising placed on the race, immediately after the end of the special stages. All material will be cleaned and tidied for use in future events.

The course tape team is responsible for removing all tape placed during the race, which will be duly sent for recycling.

Resinorte will collect all waste produced and all furniture used for the event. It will be sent to the Resinorte Waste Management Centre.

The organization will correctly route the waste collected in the Assistance Park and other areas surrounding the event.

The achievement and targets of the SDGs established for this Environmental Plan will be assessed.

The Environmental Officer will conduct the entire route of the test to identify possible locations where waste may be found for subsequent collection.

The Usprigozus Environmental Officer will prepare a final environmental sustainability report, with the aim of evaluating the application of this environmental sustainability plan.





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This distinction brings additional work. That's why this year we'll be carrying out several extra activities, such as:

Drawing competitions in schools for all 4th grade students in the municipality, with the theme of the environment versus motorbikes; and for 12th grade students, a photographic competition with the theme "Transmontano Treasures". The winners will be rewarded with sustainable gifts.

In addition, due to the low recycling rates for electrical appliances, we have decided to issue a challenge to all those taking part in this event: bring an electrical appliance for recycling.

And many other surprises are in store for the whole event, so I hope to see you all here in Valpaços so that together we can witness another momentous event, the GP Enduro Portugal-Valpaços.

**We all leave a mark wherever we go, let's make ours as green as possible today.**

**Drive-green Ride-Green**

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