

How Oceanário de Lisboa EMAS CAN SUPPORT IMPROVING THE SUSTAINABILITY OF THE TOURISM SECTOR

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HISTORY



Oceanário de Lisboa

Opened in 1998 Oceans Pavilion – 1998 Lisbon World Exhibition

Oceanário de Lisboa is known for its large central aquarium, which contains 5 million liters of water and represents the Global Ocean.

Home to more than 15,000 marine creatures from 500 different species, including penguins, sea otters, manta rays, stingrays, and several species of sharks and corals.

It is a conservation and education center, offering various educational activities and exhibitions that promote the conservation of the oceans and marine biodiversity.

MISSION

Promote knowledge of the Ocean, raising awareness about our duty to conserve Natural Heritage, through changing our behaviors.

VISION

Ocean conservation is everyone's responsibility.





MILESTONES

1998 **Expo 1998**

- 2003 ISO 9001 Certification ISO 14001 Certification EMAS
- 2005 European Environmental Management Award EMAS 2005
- 2011 Opening of the new building "Edifício do Mar"
- 2014 Trip Advisor recognizes Oceanário as the **best aquarium** in Europe and the second in the world

2015, 2017, 2018

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Exhibition "Florestas Submersas by Takashi Amano" wins "Best Exhibition of the Year in Portugal" award - Time Out Lisbon



Oceanário de Lisboa

- 2016 **TripAdvisor Certificate of Excellence** (5th consecutive year)
- 2018 The Oceanário started to consume only electrical energy from renewable sources

Store renovation, as part of its 20th anniversary celebrations

TOURIST RELEVANCE (2023 data)

MILLIONS OF VISITORS / YEAR

OCEANÁRIO DE LISBOA 1,4

IMPORTANT TOURIST ATTRACTIONS IN LISBON

Castelo de São Jorge	2,0 (2018 date
Mosteiro dos Jerónimos	1,0
Torre de Belém	0,4
Museu Nacional do Azulejo	0,3
Museu Nacional dos Coches	0,2

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ACTIVITY	-	+
EXHIBITIONS	Athmosphere Emissions - GFEE Gas consumption Water consumption Species originating from wild populations	Catching food with local fishermen Sustainability message
STORE		Sustainability message
EDUCATIONAL PROGRAM		Sustainability message Increasing Ocean literacy among students, teachers, journalists and other stakeholders
CONSERVATION PROGRAMS		Program to support conservation projects IUCN Marine RED LIST Officer Project Species reproduction Participation in captive population management groups
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CONSERVATION

Center for Species Survival

Reproduction of Marine species

Support for In-Situ conservation projects

Participation in studies, publications and scientific communications





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EDUCATION

Schools Sustainability programs Actions for teachers



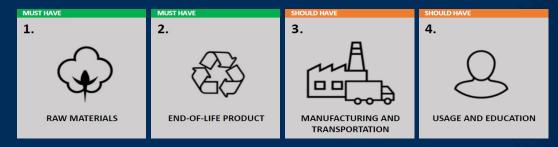
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ENVIRONMENTAL SIGNIFICANT ASPECTS

STORE

Definition of sustainability criteria per product Since 2019 >> from 64% to 99% of the products

PRODUCT SUSTAINABILITY CRITERIA







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OPERATION (ENGINEERING)

Energy efficiency Water cycle Refrigerant gas leak 1.3 M€ Invested in equipment (2023)



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OPERATION (BIOLOGY)

Sustainable Food (local and abundant species) Respect for international codes Animal Wellfare compliance

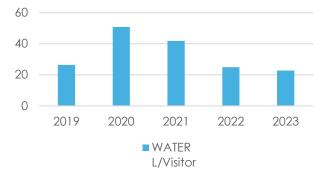


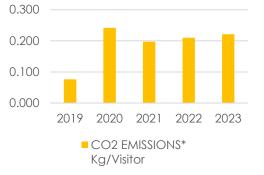
SPECIFIC CONSUMPTIONS



YEAR	VISITORS	ENERGY KWhEP/Visitor	CO2 EMISSIONS* Kg/Visitor	WATER L/Visitor
2019	1.407.183	21,3	0,076	26,4
2020	522.211	54,3	0,242	50,8
2021	584.751	47,1	0,197	41,8
2022	1.254.856	22,7	0,210	24,9
2023	1.383.747	18,7	0,221	22,8







WHAT CAN EMAS DO?



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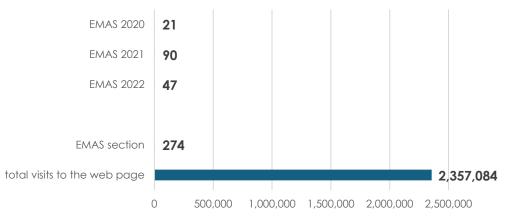
IMPROVE EMAS KNOWLEDGE BY STAKEHOLDER

Insurance

Activity inspections

General public







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Thank you

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