

Go
clean

Go green





*Wash like a professional:
with sustainable
premium machines –
**the environment and
your wallet
will thank you!***

Thomas Marder, CEO

High quality machines with a long service life, an innovative spirit, digital solutions, and mindfulness towards the environment – that is how we define sustainability.



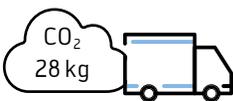


Manufactured in Switzerland. Loved around the world.

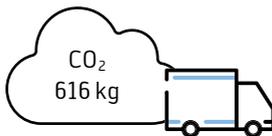
For us, Swiss quality begins with premium machines and reliable service.

Our machines have an exceptionally long service life thanks to high quality materials and professional, high-precision workmanship. Because we are based in Switzerland, we can guarantee flexibility and short transport routes, which reduces emissions and does not unnecessarily clog up roads. As a consequence Schulthess significantly reduces its carbon footprint.

Typical example (in Switzerland):

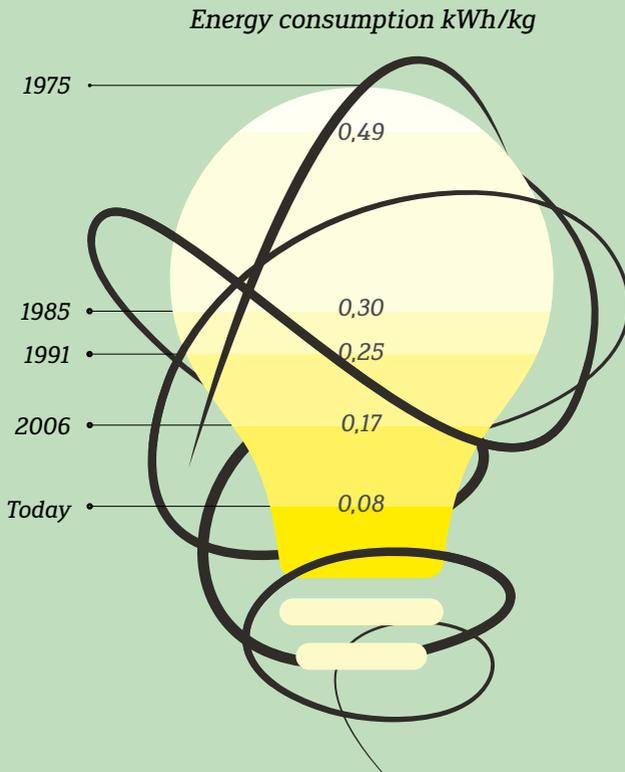


Schulthess machine:
Ø 100 km transport within Switzerland



Competitor brand:
Ø 2200 km transport from foreign country

Sustainable cleanliness.

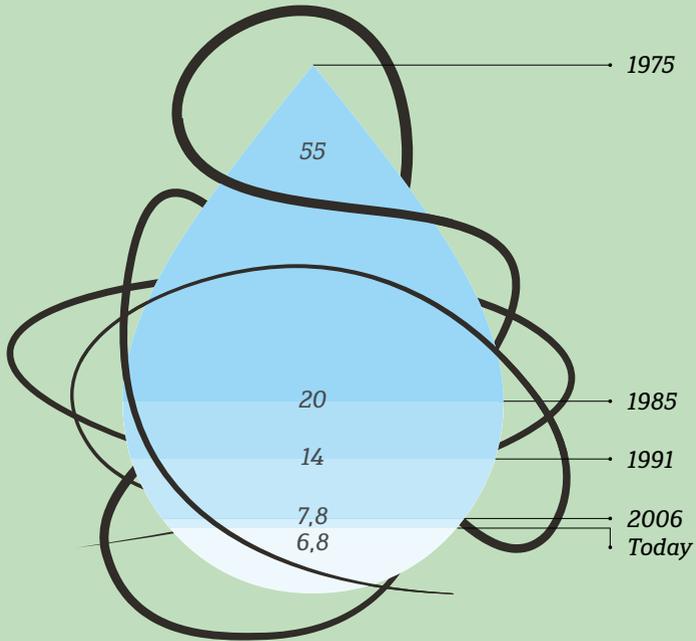


Impressive: over the last 40 years, we have reduced the energy and water consumption of Schulthess machines nearly sevenfold.

In 1975, washing machines used 55 litres of water per kilo of laundry. Today, they require just 6.8 litres – an 88 %

reduction. And the difference in energy consumption is equally impressive. In 1975, machines used 0.49 kWh per kilo of laundry; today they need only 0.08 kWh. So people who choose Schulthess do their laundry sustainably.

Water consumption l/kg





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*Our mission
is to develop
ecological
programmes.*

We care for clean water.

Schulthess places a special focus on water, because water plays a central role in washing technology.

Schulthess laundry cycles are designed to deliver perfect washing results while using as little water and laundry detergent as possible. Customers thus not only save water and laundry detergent, but also electricity and as a consequence can reduce their carbon footprint and play their part in protecting the environment.

By the way, to further reduce water consumption and protect our forests, we make a small, symbolic charge for our product brochures – which we then donate to environmental organisations. Of course the digital version of our brochure is available free of charge.

Stainless steel instead of plastic.

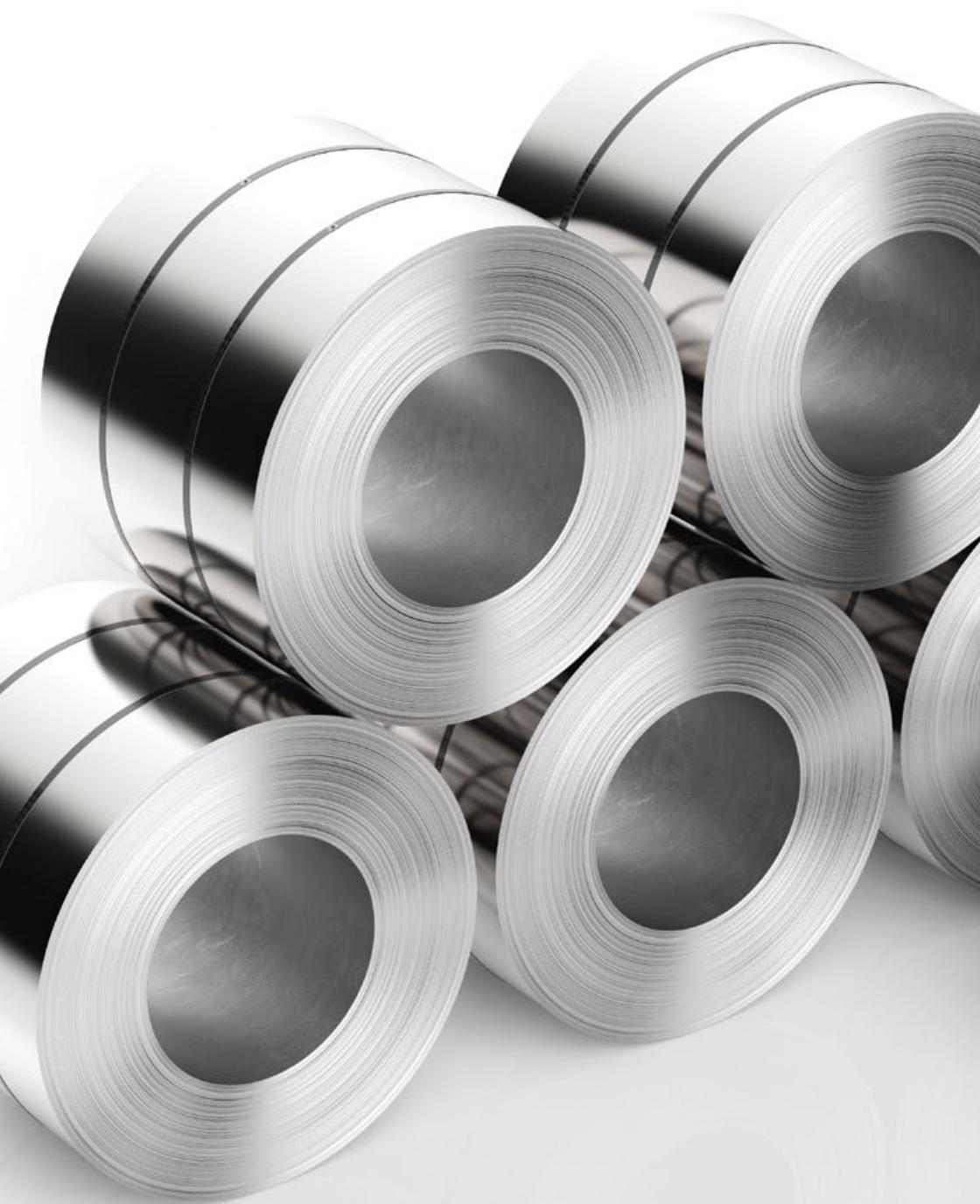
#noplactic - durable alternative

In all Schulthess washing machines, both the inner and outer drums are not made of plastic, but of high-quality stainless steel. The advantages are obvious: the drums are extremely durable, can be recycled and are also extremely hygienic.

Perfect customer service - years later, spare parts are still available

Even years on, the Schulthess customer service team can repair your machine. The prices we charge for this service are fair thanks to the fact that we store all spare parts for multiple generations of machines at our production site in Switzerland.





Sustainability in practice.

Handling resources mindfully – even in customer service

We focus on protecting the environment when we develop, manufacture and sell our machines. But it does not stop there. Even the customer service at Schulthess is environmentally friendly. We use a digital route planning system to make sure our service technicians take the shortest possible route. This significantly reduces carbon emissions and means our technicians can be on the spot even faster. We routinely modernise the Schulthess fleet and replace older vehicles with fuel-efficient vehicles.

Empty talk will not help our environment

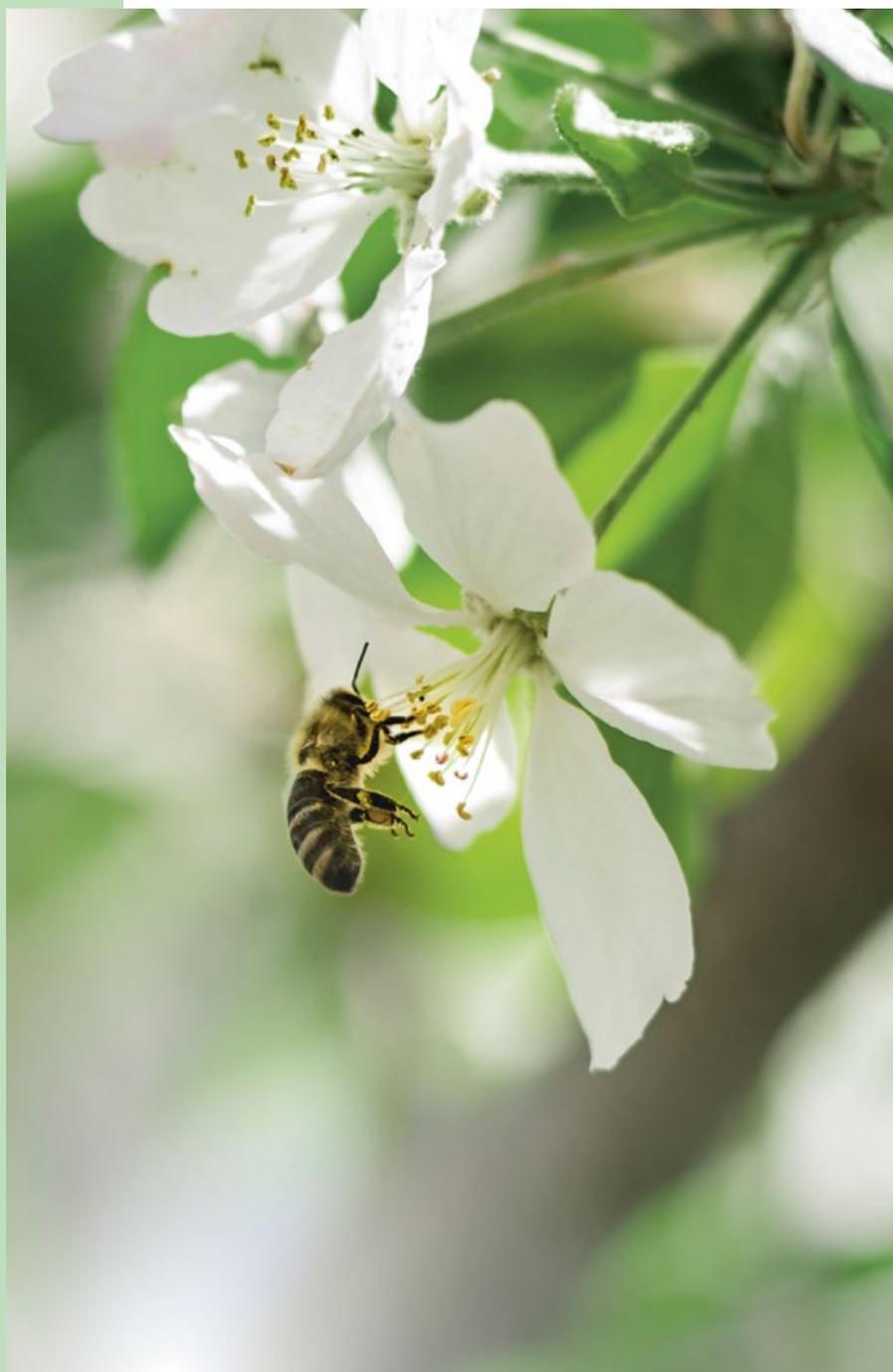
We take our responsibility for the environment seriously – including in our internal processes. Here at Schulthess,

orders are processed without a single sheet of paper. The entire process, from incoming orders through to invoicing, is completely digital. We use electronic paper for our brochures, price lists and other documents, and only print them in special cases.

We encourage our employees to use public transport, and offer them generous discounts for doing so. And at Schulthess, you will always find glass decanters filled with fresh tap water. We consciously avoid plastic bottles – because recycling is good, but avoidance is better!

Schulthess delivers on its promises. We have committed ourselves to measurable environmental protection standards (ISO certification 14001) and are a member of My Blue Planet.





For the sake of nature. And your own budget.

Investing in the future

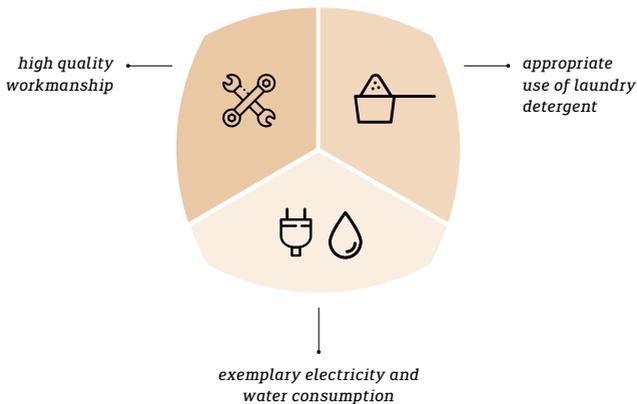
Obviously, washing machines and dryers cannot be manufactured without using resources. Because we take environmental protection seriously, we place a strong focus on Swiss quality to make sure our machines have a long service life and operate reliably for many years to come. Which makes sense not only for the environment, but also financially. Because customers who opt for Schulthess save money in the medium and long term – even if the initial cost

is somewhat higher. Over a period of ten years, the effective cost of a Schulthess machine is significantly lower than for a machine from a budget brand.

In addition to the raw materials and energy they need in production, washing machines and dryers need electricity and water throughout their entire service life. Schulthess machines are energy-efficient and regularly achieve top marks – as confirmed by the European Union energy label. By the way, if a Schulthess

Three factors for environmental protection

The most effective way to protect the environment:
with machines that are built for durability,
are extremely energy-efficient and use an appropriate
amount of laundry detergent.



washing machine is connected to a hot water or rainwater intake, you can take saving resources to a next level.

Even more environmentally-friendly thanks to more mechanical power

There's a very simple system for washing laundry. It is called the «Sinner Circle» or laundry cycle. Four factors play a role for clean laundry: laundry detergent, mechanical power, time and temperature. These parameters are all interdependent. In other words, if you

change one factor, the rest changes too. This is where Schulthess is able to exploit its pioneering expertise in washing technology. If you improve the mechanical power of a machine, your laundry comes out cleaner – and it's also more cost-efficient. In turn, this means that laundry cycles are faster and you need significantly less electricity and water which benefits the environment as well as your wallet.

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