

AIR CONDITIONING, Our air conditioning systems are based on the thermic exchange of water from the lake (we do not have compressors and we use no gas). We take water from the lake at 50mt depth at a temperature of 8°C and we return it to the lake at 15mt depth at a temperature of 11°C in order to avoid any damage to the ecosystem. We are the only hotel chain which uses this system and we are very proud of this.



ELECTRICITY, We only purchase electricity from sustainable sources. In particular, our group owns hydroelectric power plants producing energy from the mountain streams water. One of the hydroelectric power plant is situated in Baveno, not far from Grand Hotel Dino.

SOLAR PANELS, We are equipped with state-of-the-art solar panels to heat the pools.



LED LIGHTS, Almost all of our light bulbs are led, which results in a reduction of the electric consumes.

PAPERLESS, All our internal procedures are digitalized and the whole staff uses tablets or touchscreens.



PENS, Plastic pens in the rooms have been replaced with pencils.

COURTESY KIT, We are implementing refillable dispenser solutions to replace the Courtesy Kits (soap, shampoo, bubble bath, etc.) available in the bedrooms' bathrooms, in order to further



PLASTIC ITEMS, We replaced almost all plastic containers with recycled paper or aluminium containers.

GREEN WATER, For meetings and congresses, our group offers the Green Water service as an alternative to the classic room bottled water service. We installed drinking water dispensers in the meeting rooms, and we distribute to our business guests water bottles 0.50 L with Zacchera Hotels logo. Our employees are also equipped with refillable bottles at the drinking fountains installed in the hotels, allowing a saving of 65,000 plastic bottles per year.



COFFEE CUPS AND LIDS, We replaced plastic lids with recycled paper and vegetable-based coffee lids.

TOUCH PANELS, In each hotel and residence touch panels are installed to monitor both rooms temperature and lights in order to limit energy waste.



TABLET, We eliminated paper directories in the rooms and substituted them with electronic devices (tablets).



FOOD PRODUCT PACKAGING, We have raised awareness among our suppliers and have replaced small food packages with medium packages (eg salads from 100g to 500 / 1000g) to reduce the disposal of plastic.

SUSTAINABILITY, Collaborators, partners and guests are constantly invited to make a conscious use of detergents and water, a precious resource. Ecolabel products are used for ordinary cleaning and the management of waste collected in a differentiated manner complies with strict standards.



CLEANING PRODUCTS, Also for cleaning and sanitation products we replaced single use dosers with rechargeable dispenser to reduce the environmental impact.

BIO BOTTLE, On the bedside table, our guests will find a Bio Bottle as a welcome gesture. The Bio Bottle, the one and only compostable plastic bottle available perfectly represents the green attitude of Zacchera Hotels hospitality chain.

BIO



100% GREEN ENERGY, For all hotels, villas, residences and the headquarter, energy comes from renewable sources. In the last ten years we have achieved a saving of 11,500 tons of CO₂.

LAUNDRY, Our laundry, which is completely automatic and directly managed by us, is equipped with a sewage treatment plant to re-use 80% of water.



COMMUNICATION, Zacchera Hotels constantly communicates its environmental commitment both inside its facilities and on traditional and digital media. A video about the environmental awareness has been recorded and shared by the media.

RESPONSIBLE ENERGY CONSUMPTION, All the corridors of the floors will be equipped with sensors to avoid energy waste.



CO₂

ENERGY SAFE, It is recognized by all that the most important renewable energy is the energy we save. For our air conditioning systems we have gone from an average annual consumption of 54KW / h / m² (source ENEA) to an average annual consumption of 3.6Kw / h / m². Therefore an annual average saving of 50.6Kw / h / sq m. Equivalent to 1885 tons of CO₂ saved per year. In 10 years 18850 tons of CO₂ saved.

AWARDS EMAS



WE LOVE OUR PLANET

*We don't need a handful of people doing zero waste perfectly.
We need millions of people doing it imperfectly.*