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EXBERRYÂ plant-based colour supplier GNT earns top sustainability award

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GNT has been ranked among the top 1 per cent of companies in the food manufacturing industry for sustainability performance.

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GNT increased its overall score to 86 out of 100 in 2025, placing it in the 99th percentile, after delivering an improved performance across several areas. These included:

Enhanced resource use and waste reduction, including more efficient systems and equipment to reduce energy and utility consumption

Strengthened ethics and compliance practices involving external audits and independent verification

Improved supply chain risk management, with action taken to address potential sustainability-related challenges

Responsible and transparent supplier oversight with additional on-site visits, promoting sustainable procurement practices

GNT also officially committed to the United Nations Global Compact (UNGC) in 2025, aligning its strategy and operations with universally accepted principles on human rights, labour, the environment, and anti-corruption.

These developments provide several benefits for the companyâ??s customers, bringing greater supply chain resilience, lower carbon footprint, and further assurances over ethical sourcing.

Rutger de Kort, Sustainability Manager at GNT Group, said: â??This Platinum medal is the result of a continuous improvement journey and represents a significant milestone in GNTâ??s ambitious sustainability plans. Weâ??ve worked

tirelessly to drive higher standards, strengthen policies and procedures, expand sustainability KPI reporting, and improve our risk assessment practices.â?•

He added: â??This achievement underlines our strong commitment to an ethical and environmentally friendly EXBERRY value chain. By actively identifying and addressing potential risks, our customers can rest assured that we have gone the extra mile to ensure they will receive safe, secure, and sustainable supplies long into the future.â?•