

**Declaration of Conformity**  
based upon comprehensive reporting  
following stringent reporting standards

Comprehensive reporting following the stringent reporting standards of the GRI (A+) or EFFAS (Level III) equates to compliance with the Code (see p. 21 in "[The German Sustainability Code](#)"). It is also meaningful, though not compulsory, to issue a declaration of conformity in this case.

<b>Company/ Organisation:</b>	
<b>Conformity with the German Sustainability Code (GSC) is declared on the basis of a report following the stringent reporting standard of</b>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> GRI A+ of the Global Reporting Initiative <input type="checkbox"/> EFFAS Level III
<b>Heading with link to the report and/ or index online, date and place of publication:</b>	Sustainability Report 2014  Power To Create  <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Sustainability Report <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> GRI-Index, UN Global Compact and German Sustainability Code  <a href="http://www.evonik.com/responsibility">http://www.evonik.com/responsibility</a>  Essen, April 27, 2015
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