

Challenges:

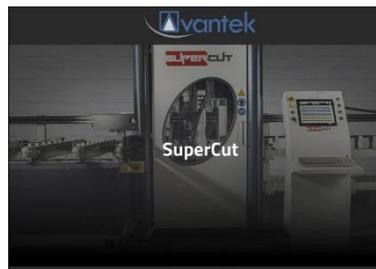


The main challenges that R&V Manufacturing experience are: zero waste, regenerative nature, dematerialisation, and resource efficiency. R&V now collaborate with suppliers to analyse the above factors such as the manufacturing process, reducing waste, and the recycling content of the materials used.

Overseeing sustainability across the organisation is R&V's health and safety manager, Steve Dickinson, who also puts procedures into place relating to re-using, recycling, separating, and storing waste products on site.

Impact:

After the initial assessments, it became clear that R&V's knowledge to ethics relating to the Supply Chain Sustainability School was lacking. With the action plan provided by the School, R&V has improved on areas such as Lean Construction and Waste, Sustainability, Performance Measures and Carbon Footprinting.



In order to achieve this R&V installed a SuperCut Machine for frame cutting which reduces the manufacturing waste by 90%.

Value gained:

Establishing company policies: Completing the company action plan has allowed the company to improve their Modern Slavery Policy, Environmental Policy and Equal Opportunity and Equality Policies. This has also helped in understanding and putting into place a Company Sustainability Policy.

Enhanced reputation: Through being a member of the School, R&V has enhanced their reputation with clients who are also members of the School.

Future proofing:

R&V looks to continue to undertake routine assessments to ensure continuous improvement and also try to attend more workshops and in doing so ensure further improvements.

Fact box



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NEW BUILD WINDOWS, DOORS & CONSERVATORIES

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153

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Services

Windows, doors, and conservatories

About

Set up back in 2001, R&V has spent years establishing a reputation as one of the leading names in UK PVC-U manufacture. Offering an in-house design service, the company caters to the new build, commercial, trade and retail sectors, producing an extensive selection of stunning, premium quality windows, doors, and conservatories to bespoke requirements.