



Policy

# Nuclear safety

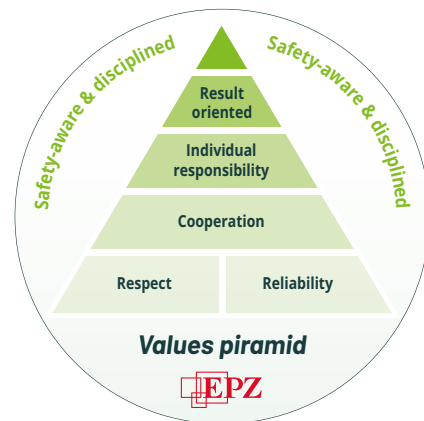
At EPZ, nuclear safety comes first. Our actions are aimed at minimizing the impact on people and the environment and protecting them against the harmful effects of radioactive discharge and radiation. To put this into practice, we apply three basic principles:

### Safety is our first priority

- Safety has the highest priority and always takes precedence above production;
- Safety is visibly present in all our activities;
- We aim to have a high level of organisational knowledge, skills and technology;
- We continually develop and promote our safety culture;
- We have taken the necessary preparations to prevent or limit the harmful consequences of undesired events.

### Safety is striving for excellence through continuous improvement

- We work according to the latest insights and compare our safety level with best practices and the latest international standards and guidelines;
- We learn from previous experience. We evaluate our own and international incidents and implement the points for improvement;
- We aim for maximum availability of all systems in our plant and reduce errors to the minimum;
- We comply with the rules and permit requirements that apply to our nuclear power plant.



### Safety is about having a proactive attitude

- Our core values determine our behaviour and we hold one another accountable for this;
- When we work, we think about the risks and arrange the work in such a way that a mistake does not lead to an incident;
- We account for the safety of our systems and our way of working and we do so transparently;
- We actively invite inspections, from domestic and international government authorities as well as from colleague organisations, and actively cooperate with them;
- We prepare ourselves for undesirable events, so that we can manage these and prevent or limit harmful consequences.

The Board, EPZ staff and those working for contractors and subcontractors are responsible for implementing this nuclear safety policy and are expected to comply with it, assist one other, hold one another accountable when necessary, and help to prevent and resolve circumstances that may hinder or disrupt the implementation of this policy.

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