

Innovation Our approach



THE GLOBAL GOALS
For Sustainable Development



Our approach to innovation:

- Makes innovative projects **an integral part of all investment projects**.
- Seeks synergies between the needs of the company and benefits to the environment, especially to the natural world. The **technologies we use are ahead of the increasingly stringent environmental protection** standards and regulations.
- Is based on the assumption that **there is no single pattern of innovation-driven operations** in the refining industry, therefore each company, including the LOTOS Group, seeks its own way. We do not merely rely on the manufacturer's knowledge but we also **develop proprietary solutions**.
- Takes into account the fact that growth of the refining business requires application of state-of-the-art technologies and systemic solutions in the organisation's structure.
- Results in a regular analysis of new technologies with a view to **improving them to meet refinery's needs**.
- **Uses synergies between various industries**. We collaborate with other businesses in creating innovations.
- Recognises the fact that innovative projects **bolster our competitiveness**. That is why we have assigned strategic importance to their development and implementation and made them a foundation for one of the five objectives in the LOTOS Group's strategy for 2017–2022.