

The AREPA logo consists of the word "AREPA" in a bold, yellow, sans-serif font, centered within a solid blue square.

AREPA

**BUILDING A SUSTAINABLE
INDUSTRY** – together

CELEBRATING 40 YEARS

A man with a beard and glasses, wearing a dark blue blazer over a light blue shirt, stands with his arms crossed in front of a brick wall. In the background, a blue sign with yellow text 'A7EPA' is visible. The man is looking slightly to the right of the frame.

A7EPA

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Helping companies and people recover after catastrophic property losses is incredibly rewarding. Being able to reduce the impact on the environment by saving technical equipment further motivates our team and generates an immense sense of pride. In the future, we are committed to making sustainability a key part of our strategy so that we are able to support our clients and communities today, tomorrow and for years in the future.”

– Torben Vad

Celebrating 40 years by looking into the future

More than 40 years ago in Silkeborg, a vision was taking form – and soon after, AREPA was born. The founder, Torben Vad, has led the company through years of growth and expansion, and today AREPA is among the industry leaders in damage assessment and equipment restoration. We have undertaken projects in more than 60 countries and have saved our clients hundreds of millions of dollars.

This year's anniversary not only allows us to celebrate our achievements, but also allows us to look to the future of what the next 40 years will bring.

Revolutionizing the industry

We take pride in what we do. Sustainability and sustainable business practice are part of our DNA. These core values are becoming more and more sought after in the insurance industry, as well as by consumers all around the world. In more ways than one, our future depends on us making sustainable choices and taking concrete action.

Timing is everything to our clients – and therefore it is everything to us. At AREPA, we believe that the time is now. It is part of our responsibility to create solutions and practices that push the industry towards sustainability.

One major challenge we face is how to measure our sustainable practices. The industry needs both the tools and the guidelines in order for us to truly change the world. This – what you are reading now – is our take on how we can realize and operationalize sustainability in our industry.

We believe that together we can push the boundaries and expectations of the industry.

Together, this can be our legacy.





„In order to make a difference we need to get input from experts and inspiration from all parties involved in the claims process.”

Mark Lerche,
AREPA Business Development

Sustainability and risk management

By FERMA

Damages caused by natural and climate-related disasters are growing. It is fundamental for the risk and insurance industry to work with closing the climate protection gap, improving access to climate-related risk data and encouraging resilience building in cities.

Accountability

There will be more requirements on companies to articulate their sustainability strategies as well as bringing in a wider variety of stakeholders into this process, helping shift focus away from the short-term value-creation for shareholders.

Making directors accountable for their organization’s sustainability strategy and the conduct of third-party providers – and their own supply chain – are just some of the potential strategies.

Part of our role as risk managers is to translate the various sustainability initiatives into risks and opportunities for our industry. In 2021, FERMA issued the first sustainability guide “People, Planet, Performance”. Building on good practices from leading risk managers, it shows how a sustainable risk-management process can be linked to strategic goals and risk appetite.

“For us, sustainability means encouraging businesses to frame decisions in terms of financial, environmental, social and human effects, ensuring resilience and long-term value creation.”

Valentina Paduano,
Chair of FERMA's Sustainability Committee (ANRA – ITALY)

Good intentions or measurable targets

By Rasmus Elsborg-Jensen, CEO & Founder of ReFlow ApS

The circular economy is highlighted as one of the significant activities that will help society with the environmental challenge and the growing resource scarcity. The fundamentals for a circular economy aim to minimize waste and promote reuse, recovery, repair, reconditioning, and recycling in that order. This includes crucial initiatives to reduce waste and make sustainable decisions with contaminated or damaged equipment.

However, companies and decision makers need the best foundation to make these sustainable decisions. Even though recovery and reconditioning by default sounds like the most sustainable solution, this is not necessarily the case every time. The specific equipment and a proposed reconditioning effort need to be evaluated on a case-by-case basis in a life-cycle perspective to ensure optimal use of resources.

Creating awareness through data

With millions of individual claims globally, complex engineering calculations per case will never be a realistic option in the insurance industry. A quality

benchmarking tool with data sets from the right partners in the industry can measure the difference in environmental impact between replacement and reconditioning.

Getting environmental numbers added to the spread sheets of claims handling can create awareness of the extensive environmental impact reduction potential that a circular mindset and initiatives bring.

Rethinking consumption

If we create less waste, we consume fewer resources. This closely relates to rethinking and reducing one's consumption patterns in a broader perspective. Make no mistake – the shift from a linear production business to a modern circular business requires more than fancy assessments, numbers and models. It requires willingness, sacrifices and changes, and it requires us to form new partnerships with many stakeholders.

Sustainability is no more than a good intention if we don't set quantifiable goals and measure the impact.



Bio-Circle Surface Technology – eller i daglig tale Bio-Circle – er et brand, som over de sidste 30 år har stået for udvikling af bio-teknologiske produkter med mikroorganismer, som nedbryder olie og fedt. Vores produkter bruges hovedsageligt i industrien, vedligeholdelses- og ikke mindst skadeservicebranchen.

Vores erfarne stab af trænedede eksperter vil med glæde stå til din rådighed med personlig og kompetent rådgivning og vejledning hos dig, så du sikres den optimale hjælp i forbindelse med dine afrensningsopgaver.

Kontakt os allerede i dag for din næste opgave.



Our ambition is to be the preferred damage-control partner for our customers by taking care of people, assets and properties



We are strongly committed to becoming the most sustainable damage-control provider in Scandinavia

We work at the forefront of the sustainability agenda and take responsibility for the way we leave this planet to the next generation.

In part by reducing our environmental footprint and working with the newest technologies and materials.

We will reduce our CO2 emissions by 70% towards 2030

We have initiated electrification of our car fleet, and the target is that 50% of the total fleet is electric in 2025

We work proactively to ensure the integration of all demographics in our society and to increase the number of female employees in our staff to 50%



AREPA IS COMMITTED TO THE UN SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT GOALS



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