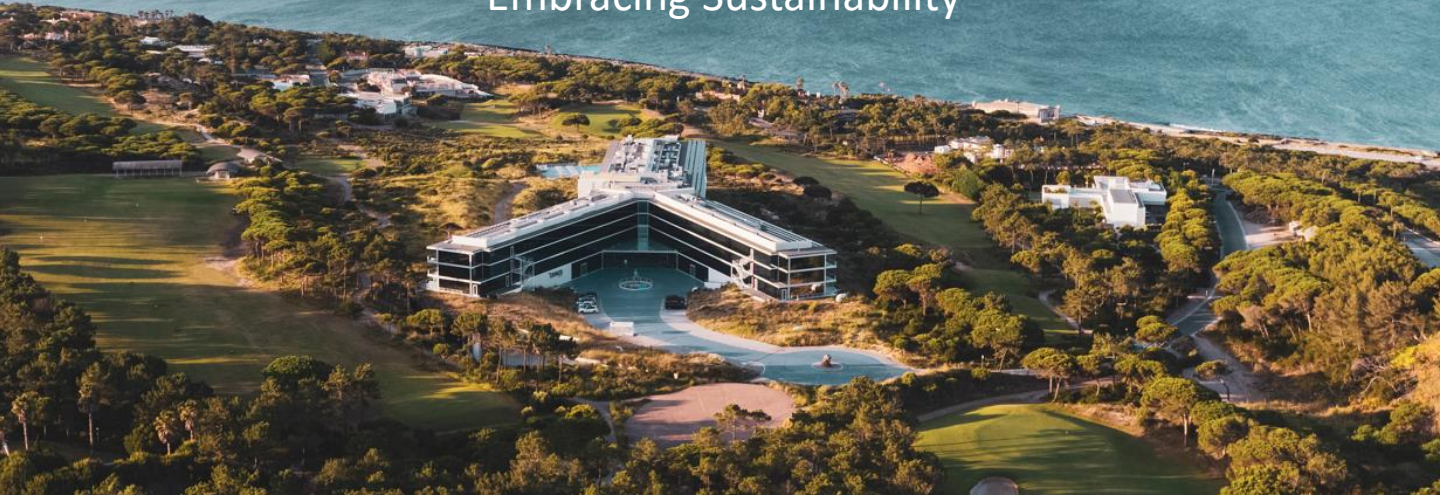


The Oitavos

Embracing Sustainability



SUSTAINABILITY FACTS

- **Located in the heart of Sintra-Cascais Natural Park**, the Oitavos' grounds are kept wild in respect to the natural fauna and flora, avoiding irrigation and treatment with pesticides.
- **1,500 photovoltaic panels** are responsible for generating 30% of the annual energy consumed by the hotel.
- **EV charging station:** The Oitavos is currently the only hotel in Portugal able to provide up to 374 kW (600A) simultaneously. This infrastructure has the capability of **charging up to 30 (EV) cars simultaneously**. It is a noteworthy fact that we have 28 (EV) charging stations that can charge up to 22Kw and 2 (EV) charging stations that can charge up to 150Kw (super-fast).
- The Oitavos uses a **pre-heating system** for domestic hot water (DHW) and for heating the water in the swimming pools (both using salt water extracted from the Atlantic) making use of the heat produced by the "chillers/air conditioning".
- 70% of the hotels' lightning in all common areas and the Conference Center is **LED lighting**.
- Oitavos Dunes links golf, one of the top 100 golf courses in the world, was the first course in Europe and second in the world to be named a **Certified Gold Audubon Signature Sanctuary**, the highest designation awarded by Audubon International's Signature Sanctuary Program. This is golf's strictest and most prestigious environmental management program.
- Whenever possible, the hotel uses objects made of **reusable and recyclable materials**. All single use plastics items have been eliminated from use throughout the hotel.
- The Oitavos **award winning cuisine** is created around **seasonal, local, sustainable** and non-industrial products.
- The Oitavos has a long-standing partnership with "Re-food", an independent, citizen driven, 100% volunteer, eco-humanitarian community charity, working to **eliminate food waste and hunger** in our surrounding area.
- Set menus are available for groups as an alternative to buffets which helps **prevent food waste**.
- For large groups with overflow requirements, e-bikes and electric golf carts are available to provide a **sustainable means of transportation** between neighbor hotels.
- Team building events include **eco-friendly activities** such as pick up trash from beaches and plant trees.