Suiker Unie is an advocate of quality and sustainability throughout the value chain from growing the sugar beet by our farmers to delivering the sugar and other products to our customers. We work with our partners in the chain and respect the interests of other stakeholders. We give high priority to customer service. The continuity of beet growing and the sustainability of our production and logistics processes.

**Chain Responsibility**

**Climate & Energy**

Suiker Unie seeks the right balance between sustainability and profitability in all aspects of its operations. We treat our natural raw materials with the greatest of care and constantly and successfully take measures to reduce our energy consumption, work more efficiently and reduce our emissions. We are helping to make a better environment by increasing the availability of renewable fuels in the form of green gas and green electricity generated from the vegetable residual flows from our sugar production.

**Natural**

Sugar, a natural product made from sugar beet and sugar cane, is an excellent source of energy. It is an important part of a healthy and varied diet and an active lifestyle. We inform consumers about the properties of sugar through the Van Gilse brand. Suiker Unie also works to guarantee the future of sugar beet growing in the Netherlands. Sugar beet are important for biodiversity in the farming industry.

**Social Engagement**

Our social engagement is closely related to the cooperative structure of our business. Suiker Unie is known as a good employer that recognises the importance of the personal development and health and safety of our employees. We also carry out national and international social projects on themes that draw on our professional competences.