



Rolling Out Our Three-Year Strategic Plan (2025–27)

My Green Lab's 2025-2027 plan outlines bold initiatives to transform science through sustainability.



The **green lab movement has grown** from a small group of passionate advocates into **a global force for change**, with My Green Lab leading the way. Recognizing the scientific community's role in sustainability,

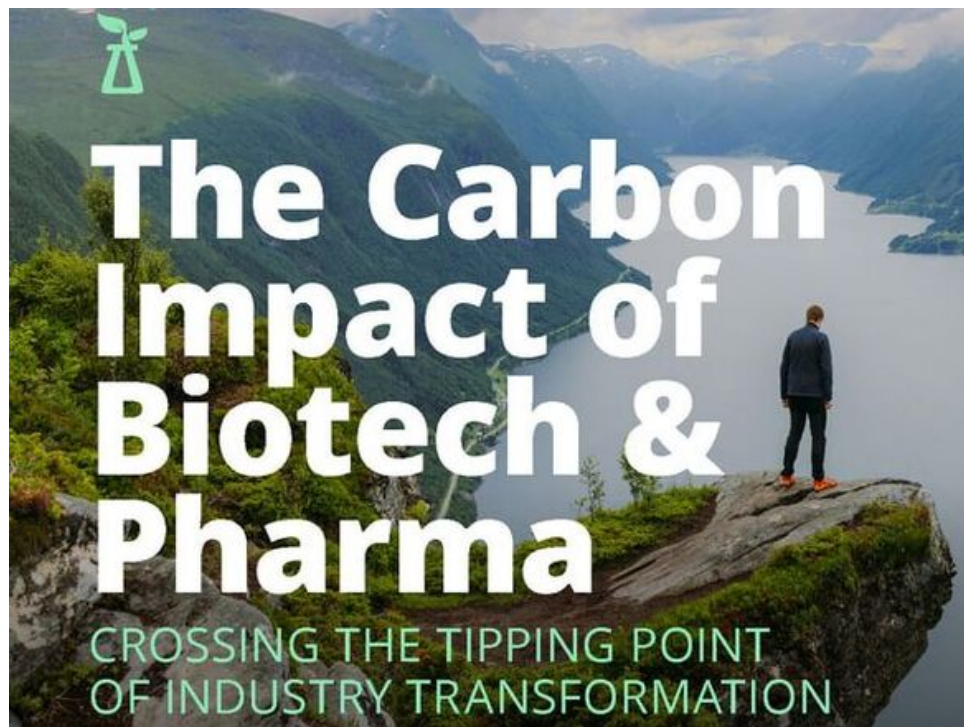
we are **advancing efforts to reduce the environmental impact of research** while promoting accountability and innovation.

My Green Lab's Strategic Plan 2025–2027 outlines **bold, transformative goals to make sustainability a core tenet of science**. The plan focuses on **expanding certifications, improving data transparency, and fostering a marketplace** of sustainable lab products. These initiatives aim to make **certified green labs and environmentally responsible lab products** the norm, fostering **meaningful policy and cultural change** throughout the industry.

Download our full strategic plan to discover how we aim to achieve our vision over the next three years.

[DOWNLOAD THE STRATEGIC PLAN \(2025-27\)](#)

**Recording Available: The 2024 Carbon Impact
of Biotech and Pharma Event**



The biotech and pharma industry plays a **pivotal role in advancing global health**, but as a significant contributor to climate change, its environmental footprint cannot be ignored. My Green Lab's 2024 Carbon Impact of Biotech & Pharma Report **highlights progress while calling for deeper systemic changes** as the industry approaches a pivotal moment in its sustainability journey.

On Nov 21, 2024, My Green Lab hosted the virtual '**COP 29 & Beyond: Unveiling the 2024 Carbon Impact of Biotech & Pharma Report**' event. We explored pivotal developments from Baku, **spotlighted findings from My Green Lab's** updated 'Carbon Impact of Biotech and Pharma' report, and **celebrated the milestones achieved** through our Converge Supplier Initiative.

The **recording, chat logs, and Q&A** for this event are now available upon free registration.

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Biogen Achieves 100% My Green Lab Certification: A Sustainability Milestone



In 2023, Biogen became the **first large biotech company to achieve 100% My Green Lab Certification** across all its laboratories, exceeding its sustainability goals two years early. The valuable insights gained from this program have facilitated the **development of sustainable solutions targeting energy and water usage**, waste management, over-purchasing, and beyond.

This collaboration underscores **the transformative power of My Green Lab Certification in advancing sustainability** across the biotech industry. “Biogen’s achievement demonstrates how education, collaboration, and the right tools can inspire impactful change,” shared **Katie Woodward, Interim Head of Sustainability**.

Together, **Biogen and My Green Lab have set a benchmark for sustainable lab operations**, inspiring labs and organizations worldwide.

LEARN MORE ABOUT BIOGEN'S 100% CERTIFICATION

Technobis' Crystal16® multi-reactor crystallizer has received the ACT Ecolabel



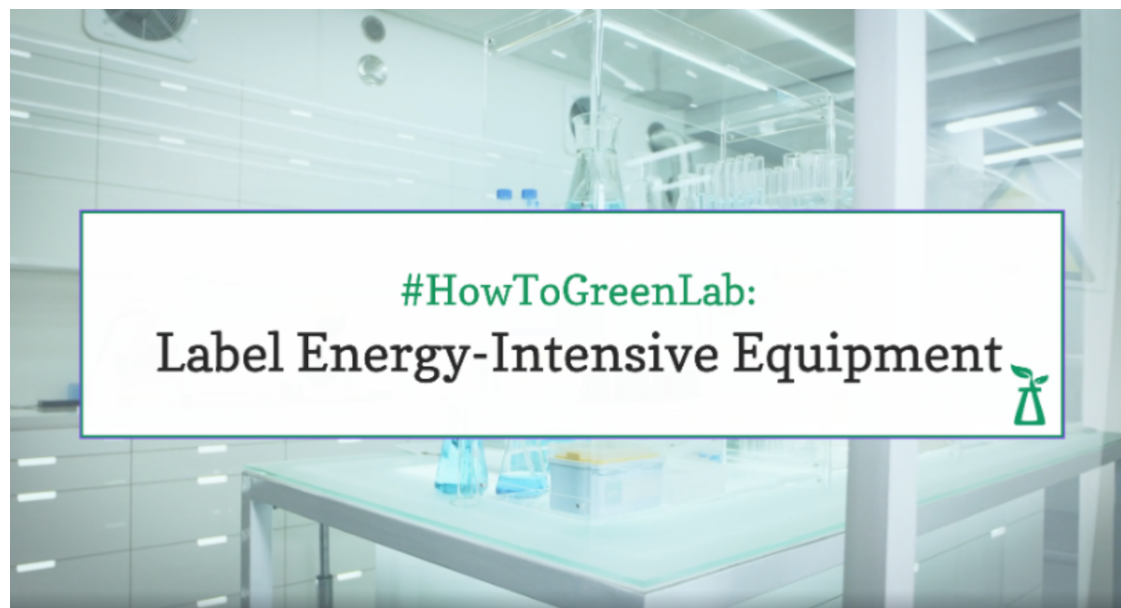
Congratulations to **Technobis** on joining the ACT Ecolabel program as one of its newest manufacturers! The certification highlights, among others, the company’s **commitment to innovate sustainably**. With a **dedicated sustainability team** to focus on waste and sustainability, as well as a **waste separation program** in place, Technobis and its Crystal16® received a score of -1.0 (minimal environmental impact) for innovation practices.

We are excited to see Technobis **lead the way in sustainable manufacturing** and look forward to their continued contributions to a greener future.

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'How to Green Lab' Monthly Tips

Valuable tips and hacks to help green your lab: a 'How to Green Your Lab' monthly series!



This month's **#HowToGreenLab** tip is to label energy-intensive equipment.

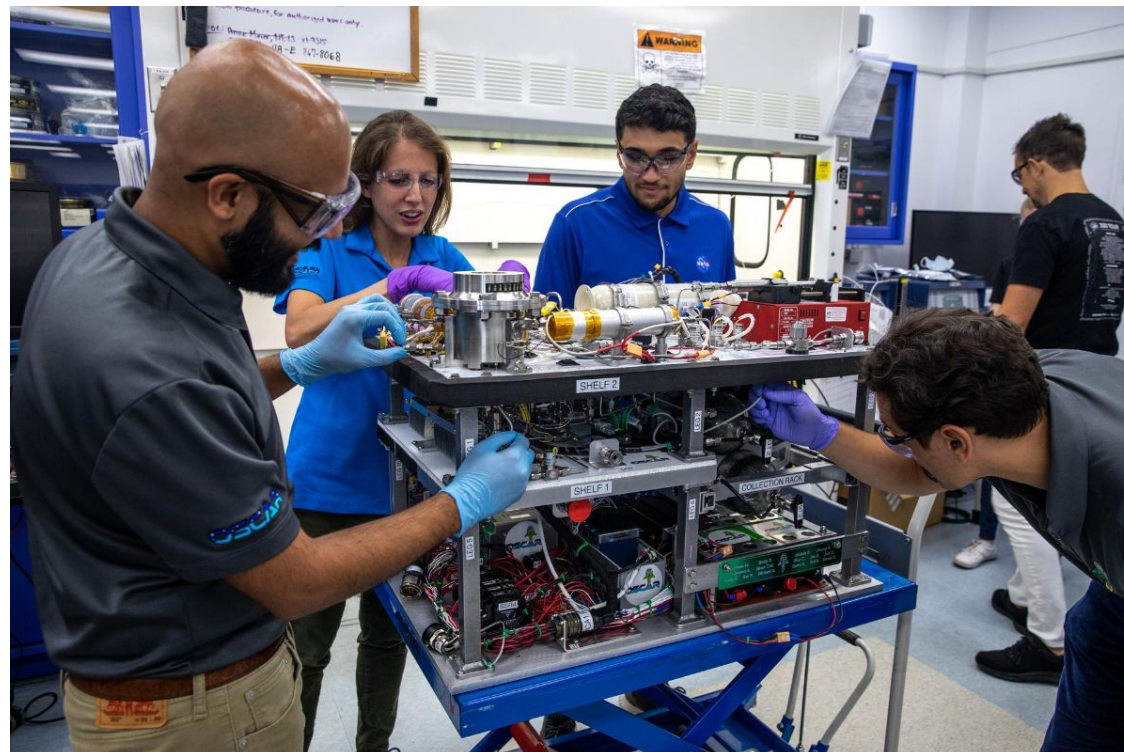
Help your lab save energy by **labeling energy-intensive equipment with reminders to turn it off when**

not in use. Start by identifying equipment such as **biosafety cabinets, centrifuges, and spectrometers** that consume high amounts of energy.

Add simple, clear instructions like “**Turn Off When Not in Use**” or “**Shut Down Overnight**” directly on the equipment. To make it engaging, consider using **creative designs or mascots** to make the labels more memorable.

MORE 'HOW TO GREEN LAB' FACTS

My Green Lab Programs in Action



[NASA Kennedy's Applied Chemistry Lab Achieves Agency First](#)

NASA's Kennedy Space Center Applied Chemistry Lab has achieved My Green Lab Certification, becoming the **first NASA lab** to earn this prestigious recognition! This milestone highlights NASA's commitment to sustainability, demonstrating how **cutting-edge research and technology development can align with environmental best practices**. The lab achieved green-level certification by conducting waste audits, adopting recycling programs, **installing low-flow aerators, and incorporating the 12 Principles of Green Chemistry** into daily lab routines.

[Freezer Challenge Winners Highlighted: Turning Cold Storage into a Catalyst for Change](#)

In this article, the 2024 Freezer Challenge winners reflect on **the ripple effect of friendly competition and collective action** in driving long-term sustainability goals. Collectively, participants in the 2024 competition **avoided 22,000 metric tons of carbon dioxide** equivalent—an increase of **more than 50 percent** compared to last year's challenge. Ready to join the Freezer Challenge? **Sign up [here](#)** to be the first to know **when the 2025 competition launches!**

[Going Green: Teaching Lab Earns Certification for Sustainability Efforts](#)

The USF Sarasota Manatee teaching lab's **two-year goal to earn My Green Lab Certification** has come true. The lab serves as a **teaching lab for undergraduates** who are earning a degree in majors requiring a lab component. Earning a 93 percent assessment score places the lab in **the highest level for certification — the “green level,”** which is a designation given only to labs that meet 80 percent or more of the overall sustainability processes assessed.

Hear from Our Team

[Triumvirate Webinar: Who Can Make a Difference for Lab Sustainability?](#)

December 10, Virtual

You care about sustainability. No matter the reason—morals, the **organizational benefits it provides, cost saving, or some other** such cause—finding environmentally-friendly solutions for your **environmental, health, and safety (EHS) programs** is paramount. Hear from Impact Laboratories' **Stephanie Millar**, and Triumvirate Environmental's **Charlotte Scott** at this webinar.

[My Green Lab: Sustainable Careers in Science](#)

Join Vi, Sustainable Laboratories Promoter, in a **Green 15 podcast episode** where she interviews **Lena Thomas from My Green Lab** about sustainability in science. This episode discusses the importance of sustainable science, **why organizations like My Green Lab are crucial**, and how you can **get involved** in a Green Career in science.

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