

## modefinance has released the ESG Rating of BETTER SILVER S.P.A., assigning it a rating of S2 (dynamic):

- The organization is exposed to low ESG risks and is capable of managing and monitoring them without exposing stakeholders to unforeseen costs or other significant negative impacts
- No specific risk-reduction actions are necessary; however, improvement actions could be beneficial, particularly to take advantage of development and innovation opportunities driven by sustainability trends.



**BETTER SILVER S.P.A.** is a company that operates in the design, production, and commercialization of silver jewelry. Founded in 1977 by the Bettinardi brothers, it is still led today by the second generation of the same family, whose efforts over the years have made it a significant player in the industry.

For more information: https://www.bettersilver.it/

## **Key Rating Assumptions**

**Better Silver S.p.A.** is implementing its 2024-2026 Strategic Plan, which fully incorporates ESG principles. The company has adopted a **proactive approach to environmental sustainability, precisely monitoring energy consumption and developing indicators to assess progress toward long-term ESG goals**. Over the past three years, Better Silver has undertaken **energy efficiency initiatives**, resulting in a significant reduction in annual energy consumption. Additionally, scope 1 greenhouse gas emissions are accurately measured, and the company is committed to using only electricity derived from renewable sources. The UNI EN ISO 14001 certification attests to Better Silver's commitment to environmental management.

From a social standpoint, Better Silver maintains a careful balance, **adequately considering social risks and valuing the diversity of its workforce**. Although the Uni/PdR 125:2022 Gender Equality certification has not yet been obtained, it is among the priority goals for the 2024-2026 period.

In terms of governance, Better Silver has implemented effective strategies and set clear objectives. The company voluntarily prepares a **sustainability report**, identifying the most relevant ESG aspects through a materiality analysis, and plans to establish a dedicated Sustainability team by 2024.

Regarding risk management, Better Silver demonstrates a **constant commitment to innovation**, proactively responding to customer demands for environmental and social sustainability, thereby confirming a positive outlook for the medium and long term.





modefinance, a company within the TeamSystem Group, is a native Fintech enterprise specializing in the assessment of creditworthiness for companies and banks, and in the development of Artificial Intelligence solutions for credit risk analysis and management. With these methodologies, Modefinance can evaluate any company, regardless of sector, size, or country: as a certified Credit Rating Agency (CRA) at the European level, its ratings demonstrate high standards of quality, transparency, and reliability, and have legal value, thus being usable for regulatory purposes. Modefinance is authorized to operate as a credit rating agency under Article 16 of European Regulation No. 1060/2009 and subsequent regulations, and is authorized to issue both solicited and unsolicited credit ratings for non-financial enterprises and banks.

The information contained in this document is to be considered confidential and reserved, and may be used only by the designated recipient. Copying, altering, distributing, or publishing these contents without specific authorization is not permitted. Reproduction and public disclosure are prohibited.