

## Challenges:

Caple faces various challenges in sustainability, including research and development efforts focused on improving energy efficiency for their appliances. The company places a strong emphasis on helping consumers reduce energy costs and resource demand. However, achieving these goals in a cost-efficient manner to minimize impacts on production costs and, consequently, retail prices remain a significant challenge.

## Impact:

With the help of the School, Caple has discovered innovative approaches to addressing challenges that arise throughout the supply chain. They leverage the knowledge gained to take informed steps and ensure tasks are approached with comprehensive data, fostering confidence in making necessary changes.

## Resources:

**Assessments** – They found the assessments to be useful, as they were able to integrate the information and knowledge gained throughout a specific course and consolidate their learning effectively.

**Action Plan** – Action plans have proven useful for Caple in strategizing how to enhance efficiency in specific processes without compromising the integrity or value of their products.

**E-learning modules** - We have found the modules to be useful and informative; they highlighted certain areas within subjects that were not necessarily emphasized in our current business model. However, we have successfully incorporated them where necessary.

## Value gained:

Being part of the school has helped Caple review and modify their practices and their perspective on every aspect of the supply chain. They have successfully integrated the covered modules into their business model to enhance and bolster their capabilities within the industry.

## Future proofing:

Caple hopes to maintain their gold status while continuing to learn and enhance their practices. They anticipate further expanding their knowledge across all areas of sustainability. In a dynamic environment where best practices are constantly evolving, they emphasize the importance of remaining proactive and responsive to implement changes that benefit the entire supply chain.

## Fact box



### Company

Caple

### No of employees

98

### HQ

Avonmouth, Bristol

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### Services

Manufacturing and supply of kitchen products in the UK

### About

Caple stands tall as a premier, privately-owned supplier of kitchen products in the UK.

The impressive product range caters for all style preferences and budgets. Whether it's a beautiful built-in wine cabinet or a premium oven range.

As the largest brand of wine cabinets and a leading provider of cooker hoods in the UK, Caple continues to set the standard for excellence. The dedication to crafting superior kitchen appliances remains unwavering, blending intelligent technology with intuitive design to unlock the full potential of every kitchen.