

Carbon Reduction Plan

Supplier name: Sological Solutions Ltd

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Commitment to achieving Net Zero

Sological Solutions Ltd is committed to achieving Net Zero emissions by 2050.

Baseline Emissions Footprint

Baseline emissions are a record of the greenhouse gases that have been produced in the past and were produced prior to the introduction of any strategies to reduce emissions. Baseline emissions are the reference point against which emissions reduction can be measured.

Baseline emissions have not previously been calculated for Sological Solutions Ltd. Therefore, this reporting period is our first and regarded as our Baseline Emissions.

Baseline Year: 2021	
Additional Details relating to the Baseline Emissions calculations.	
The emission values were calculated using the Carbon Trust's SME calculator based on the 12 month period 6 th January 2020 to 7 th January 2021.	
Baseline year emissions:	
EMISSIONS	TOTAL (KgCO₂e)
Scope 1	1,240
Scope 2	437
Scope 3 (Included Sources)	0 (see Notes on Scope 3)
Total Emissions	1,678

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Notes on Scope 3

As a digital service based business we do not undertake

- 4. Upstream transportation and distribution – as a service based digital business all operations are digital
- 5. Waste generated in operations – there is no waste generated as all operations are digital in their nature.
- 6. Business travel – all meetings with customers are undertaken virtually negating the need for travel.
- 7. Employee commuting - all employees work from home.
- 9. Downstream transportation and distribution - as a service based digital business all operations are digital.

Carbon offset

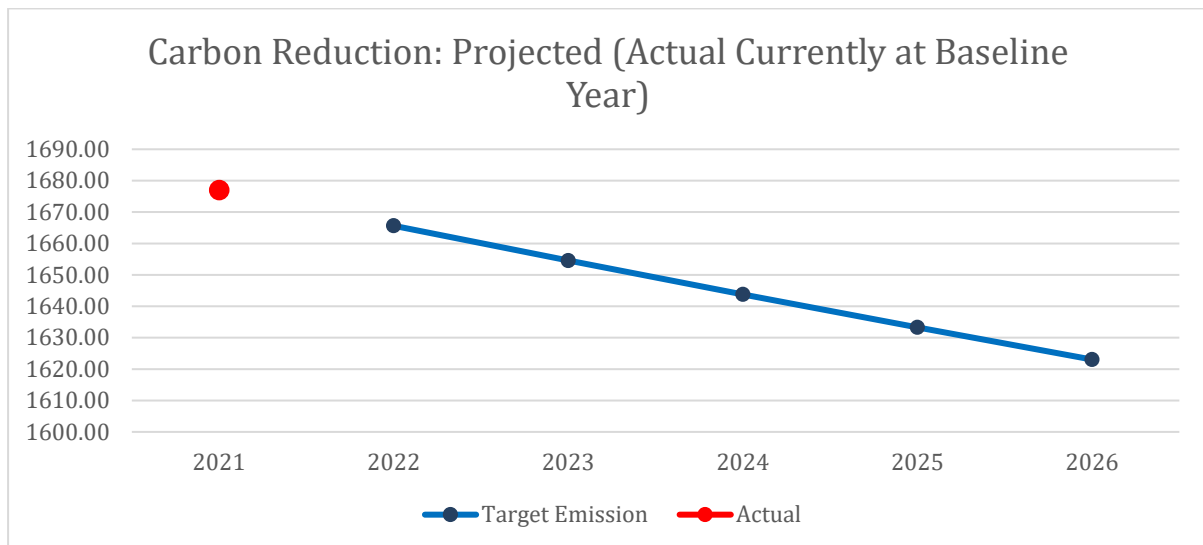
As a digital service based business we continue to work to further reduce and balance our carbon footprint. Whilst undertaking this objective we are committed each year to offset 100% of our Scope 1 and 2 emissions through afforestation programmes. We have partnered with Tree-Nation to do this and for 2021 are supporting a community tree planning scheme in the UK.

Emissions reduction targets

In order to start our progress to achieving Net Zero, we have adopted the following carbon reduction targets.

We project that carbon emissions will decrease over the next five years to 1623 KgCO₂e by 2026. This is a reduction of 3.2%

Progress against these targets can be seen in the graph below:



Carbon Reduction Projects

Completed Carbon Reduction Initiatives

As a digital business with no travel a key element of our carbon emission is a result of electricity usage. As the production of electricity is increasing from renewable resources in the UK there will be a natural decrease in our emissions as a result of the switch towards 100% renewable electricity production.

In the future we hope to implement further measures such as:
ensuring that our office supplies are source from companies equally committed to achieving net zero.

Declaration and Sign Off

This Carbon Reduction Plan has been completed in accordance with PPN 06/21 and associated guidance and reporting standard for Carbon Reduction Plans.

Emissions have been reported and recorded in accordance with the published reporting standard for Carbon Reduction Plans and the GHG Reporting Protocol corporate standard¹ and uses the appropriate Government emission conversion factors for greenhouse gas company reporting².

Scope 1 and Scope 2 emissions have been reported in accordance with SECR requirements, and the required subset of Scope 3 emissions have been reported in accordance with the published reporting standard for Carbon Reduction Plans and the Corporate Value Chain (Scope 3) Standard³.

This Carbon Reduction Plan has been reviewed and signed off by the board of directors (or equivalent management body).

Signed on behalf of the Supplier:

Deborah Soloman, Learning Director

Date: 2nd December 2021

¹ <https://ghgprotocol.org/corporate-standard>

² <https://www.gov.uk/government/collections/government-conversion-factors-for-company-reporting>

³ <https://ghgprotocol.org/standards/scope-3-standard>