

Carbon Reduction Plan

2022

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Commitment to achieving Net Zero

Datatank Ltd is committed to achieving Net Zero emissions by 2024.

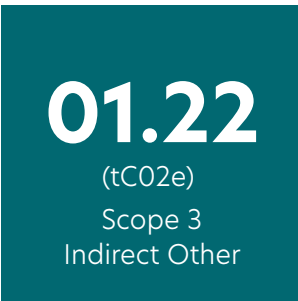
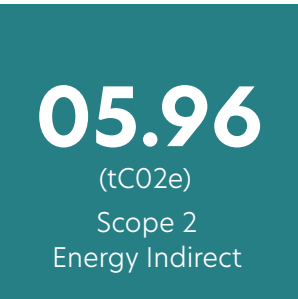
Baseline/Current Emissions Footprint

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 Year: 2021

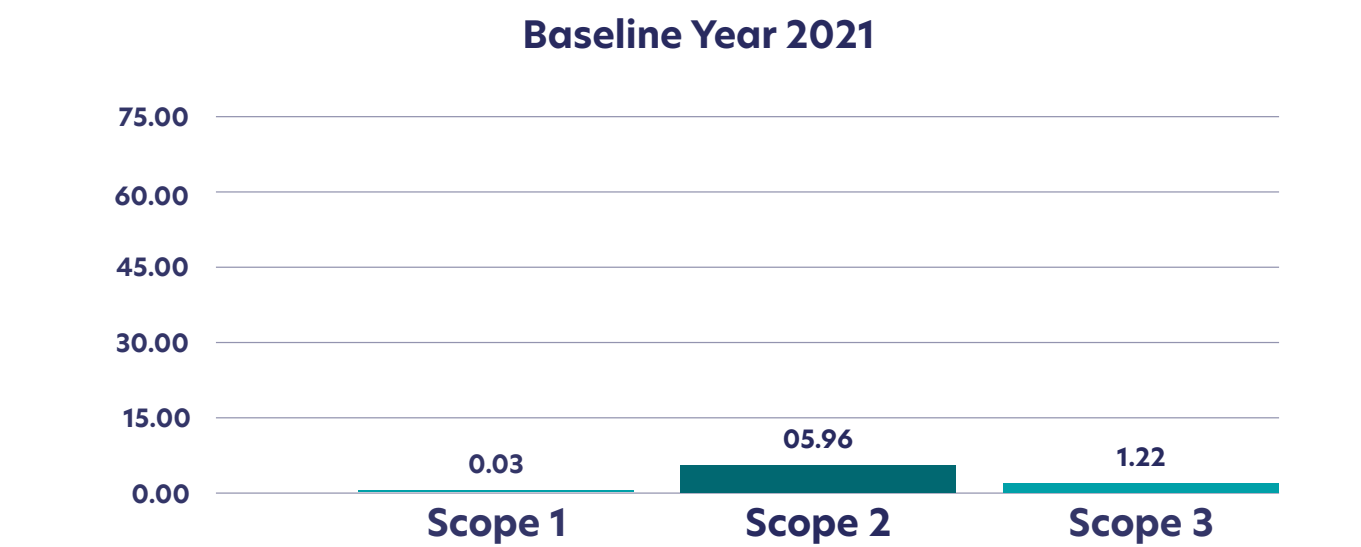
Additional Details relating to the Baseline Emissions calculations

Our Carbon Emissions in 2021 were measured in line with GHG Protocol and include the greenhouse gases stated in the Kyoto Protocol. In order to manage and streamline our supply chain, we have ensured that upstream and downstream transportation and distribution emissions are measured year on year and included in our scope 3. We have also measured our Business Travel and Employee Commuting as part of our Scope 3 emissions. The Government issued emissions factors have been used to calculate the CO₂e for each source.



Scope 3 Breakdown

Scope 3	Total1.22
Waste generated in operations	0.00
Upstream transportation and distribution	0.00
Downstream transportation and distribution	0.00
Business travel	00.0130
Commuting	1.2045



Purpose

The Carbon Reduction Policy outlines the company's commitment to meet the government's target to reduce CO2 emissions by 80% by 2050. It also delivers against many of the Sustainability Principles that we as a company have adopted.

Data Tank Ltd interim target is to reduce CO2 emissions by 40% by 2022. Our baseline year will be based on 2021/22 CO2 emissions.

We aim to provide a leadership role and work with partners and suppliers to reduce the overall CO2 emissions.

Scope

The Carbon Reduction Policy applies to all our operations and services.

This policy covers emissions from the company's operational requirements that include commercial gas (heating & cooling), electricity usage, vehicles, and IT Hardware.

Commitment

Data tank Ltd commits to:

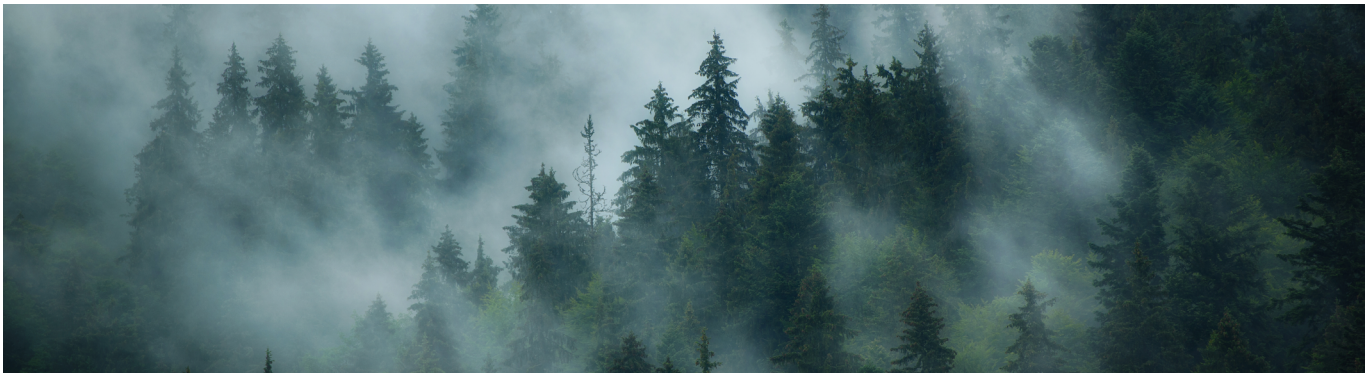
- Ensuring accurate carbon emissions data is available for legal reporting and carbon management purposes.
- Reducing CO2 emissions as required to meet the company's and UK's target commitments
- Increasing carbon efficiency in terms of energy consumed within our services.
- Applying the energy hierarchy, which sets the direction for sustainable energy use within the company and in priority order, we will strive to:
 1. Eliminate or reduce the need for energy
 2. Maximise the efficiency of the remaining energy uses
 3. Supply energy from renewable sources where feasible

Investing In

- a). energy-efficient LED Bulbs for office,
- b). changing our fleet to battery operated vehicles,
- c). offering Staff to use public transport and cycle to work schemes,
- d). provide hybrid working for our staff
- e). Using energy efficient IT Hardware equipment to reduce CO2.

Meanwhile the management of Data Tank Ltd further commits to:

- Include life cycle (energy & maintenance) costs into the decision-making process when procuring new hardware, and projects
- Ensuring all future plans and policies include adaption to climate change



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:

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Gareth Chen-Rees

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Date:

8/4/2022

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>