Cabinet Office

CARBON REDUCTION PLAN GUIDANCE

Notes for Completion

Where an In-Scope Organisation has determined that the measure applies to the procurement, suppliers wishing to bid for that contract are required at the selection stage to submit a Carbon Reduction Plan which details their organisational carbon footprint and confirms their commitment to achieving Net Zero by 2050.

Carbon Reduction Plans are to be completed by the bidding supplier[1] and must meet the reporting requirements set out in supporting guidance and include the supplier's current carbon footprint and its commitment to reducing emissions to achieve Net Zero emissions by 2050.

The CRP should be specific to the bidding entity, or, provided certain criteria are met, may cover the bidding entity and its parent organisation. In order to ensure the CRP remains relevant, a Carbon Reduction Plan covering the bidding entity and its parent organisation is only permissible where the detailed requirements of the CRP are met in full, as set out in the Technical Standard[2] and Guidance[3], and all of the following criteria are met:

- The bidding entity is wholly owned by the parent;
- The commitment to achieving net zero by 2050 for UK operations is set out in the CRP for the parent and is supported and adopted by the bidding entity, demonstrated by the inclusion in the CRP of a statement that this will apply to the bidding entity;
- The environmental measures set out are stated to be able to be applied by the bidding entity when performing the relevant contract; and
- The CRP is published on the bidding entity's website.

Bidding entities must take steps to ensure they have their own CRP as soon as reasonably practicable and should note that the ability to rely on a parent organisation's Carbon Reduction Plan may only be a temporary measure under this selection criterion.
The Carbon Reduction Plan should be updated regularly (at least annually) and published and clearly signposted on the supplier's UK website. It should be approved by a director (or equivalent senior leadership) within the supplier's organisation to demonstrate a clear commitment to emissions reduction at the highest level. Suppliers may wish to adopt the key objectives of the Carbon Reduction Plan within their strategic plans.

A template for the Carbon Reduction Plan is set out below. Please complete and publish your Carbon Reduction Plan in accordance with the reporting standard published alongside this PPN.

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[1] Bidding supplier or 'bidding entity' means the organisation with whom the contracting authority will enter into a contract if it is successful.

[2] Technical Standard can be found at:
https://assets.publishing.service.gov.uk/government/uploads/system/uploads/attachment_data/file/991625/PPN_0621_Technical_standard_for_the_Completion_of_Carbon_Reduction_Plans__2_.pdf

[3] Guidance can be found at:
https://assets.publishing.service.gov.uk/government/uploads/system/uploads/attachment_data/file/991623/Guidance_on_adopting_and_applying_PPN_06_21___Selection_Criteria___3_.pdf

Carbon Reduction Plan Template

Supplier name: MIDLAND CHILLED FOODS Ltd…….
Publication date: …27/1/26…….....

Commitment to achieving Net Zero

Midland Chilled Foods Ltd is committed to achieving Net Zero emissions by 20**27**.

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.

We care about nature and the future of our planet and work daily to introduce new production and consumption patterns that are sustainable in the medium and long term. We intend to reduce plastics by limiting greenhouse gas emissions linked to the entire product life cycle.

Baseline Year: 2021/2022	
Additional Details relating to the Baseline Emissions calculations.	
Ensure sustainable consumption and production patterns. Granarolo aims to promote innovative and more responsible production and consumption systems, reducing the impact on the environment and raising community awareness of the benefits of the circular economy. **Promote actions at all levels, to combat climate change.** Granarolo has taken actions that, by reducing and/or replacing packaging materials have a positive impact on reducing greenhouse gas emissions and contribute to combating climate change Together our commitments will enable us to achieve an overall saving in terms of greenhouse gas emissions	
Baseline year emissions:	
EMISSIONS	**TOTAL (tCO_2e)**

Scope 1	**2,500 tonnes of co2 eq in the 2022**
Scope 2	**1045 tonnes of co2 eg**
Scope 3 **(Included Sources)**	**3,248 tonnes of co2 eq**
Total Emissions	**6,793 tonnes co2 eg**

Current Emissions Reporting

Reporting Year: 2023/2024	
EMISSIONS	**TOTAL (tCO_2e)**
Scope 1	1,100 tonnes co2 eg
Scope 2	**1450 tonnes co2 eg**
Scope 3 **(Included Sources)**	3725 tonnes co2 eg
Total Emissions	6,275 tonnes co2 eg

Emissions reduction targets

5 Sustainability Goals 2024-2027

- 34,000 tons less CO2 equivalent for Granarolo by 2027
- 10% use of renewable energy
- 30% use of reusable plastic by 2027
- 5% recovery of water used by 2027

2030 Plan Objective By 2030 reduce greenhouse gas emissions by 30% per kg of milk produced by the supply chain

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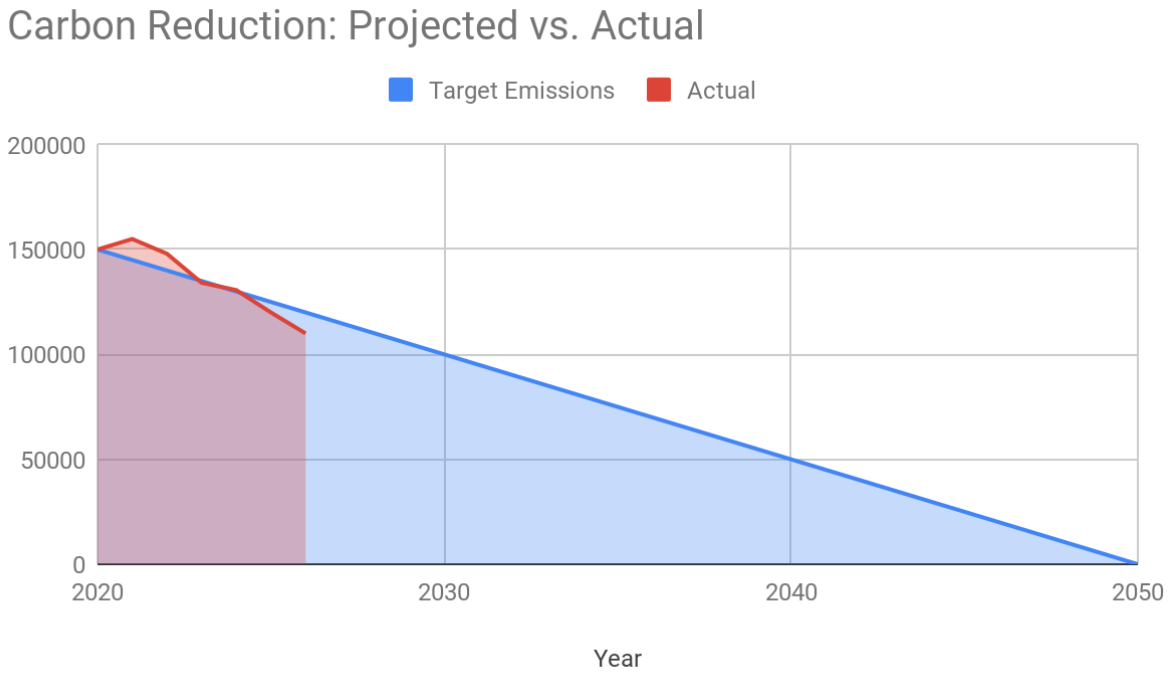
kms covered (CO2 details to follow). • Efficiency in warehouse storage and picking systems, resulting in a higher level of automation. • Use of energy-efficient transport. • -750 tonnes/year of CO2 eq for 2024. 2023 RESULTS: • -300 tonnes of CO_2 eq

In order to continue 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 **-2,500** tCO_2e by 20**25**. This is a reduction of **27**%

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



Carbon Reduction Projects

Completed Carbon Reduction Initiatives

The following environmental management measures and projects have been completed or implemented since the 20**22** baseline. The carbon emission reduction achieved by these schemes equate to **1471 TONNES OF** tCO_2e, a **58**%ge reduction against the 20**27** baseline and the measures will be in effect when performing the contract

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In the future we hope to implement further measures such as:

2023-2026 objectives

Reducing the environmental impact of packaging
Confirmation of the 2026 target

Reducing the environmental impact of logistics
Reduction of 750 tonnes of CO2 eq

Fighting Food Waste:
Reduction of 750 tonnes of CO2 EQ
Launch and support of mini -esl milk
Less returns project -40% in vol vs. 2021
1800 q short dated products sold inside factory shops
Opening of a new anti waste shop

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 standard[4] and uses the appropriate Government emission conversion factors for greenhouse gas company reporting[5].

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) Standard[6].

[4] https://ghgprotocol.org/corporate-standard
[5] https://www.gov.uk/government/collections/government-conversion-factors-for-company-reporting
[6] https://ghgprotocol.org/standards/scope-3-standard

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:

…Michelle Cox…….

Date13/3/36……..…….