

Carbon Reduction Plan

Supplier name: Computacenter UK Ltd

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Commitment to achieving Net Zero

Computacenter UK Ltd is committed to achieving Net Zero emissions by 2040.

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 Year: Scope 1 + 2: 2019. Scope 3: 2021.	
Additional Details relating to the Baseline Emissions calculations	
2019 has been selected as our baseline for Scopes 1 and 2 as a change in methodology to reflect more accurate reporting was made. These methods continue to be used for current emissions reporting. 2021 was the first year Computacenter UK Ltd calculated a full Scope 3 inventory, and has therefore been used as a baseline.	
Baseline year emissions:	
EMISSIONS	TOTAL (tCO₂e)
Scope 1 (2019)	1,145
Scope 2 (2019)	6,707
Scope 3 (2021)	1) Purchased goods and services – 462,832

(Included Sources)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 2) Capital goods - 381 3) Fuel- and energy-related activities - 537 4) Upstream transportation and distribution - 194 5) Waste generated in operations - 63 6) Business travel – 1,515 7) Employee commute – 7,143 8) Upstream leased assets – N/A 9) Downstream transportation and distribution - <i>Accounted for in (4)</i> 10) Processing of sold products – N/A 11) Use of sold products – 143,966 12) End of life treatment of sold products – 4,399 13) Downstream leased assets – N/A 14) Franchises – N/A 15) Investments – N/A
Total Emissions	<p>Scope 1 + 2: 7,852</p> <p>Scope 3: 621,032</p>

Current Emissions Reporting

Reporting Year: 2022	
EMISSIONS	TOTAL (tCO₂e)
Scope 1	608
Scope 2	0
Scope 3 (Included Sources)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 1) Purchased goods and services – 313,808 2) Capital goods – 2,686 3) Fuel- and energy-related activities - 91 4) Upstream transportation and distribution - 437 5) Waste generated in operations - 58 6) Business travel – 1,807 7) Employee commute – 7,235 8) Upstream leased assets – 1,704 9) Downstream transportation and distribution – <i>Accounted for in (4)</i> 10) Processing of sold products – N/A

	11) Use of sold products – 92,313 12) End of life treatment of sold products – 2,469 13) Downstream leased assets – N/A 14) Franchises – N/A 15) Investments – N/A
Total Emissions	423,316 tCO2e

Emissions reduction targets

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

Computacenter PLC has approved near and long-term science-based emissions reduction targets with the SBTi. The SBTi has also verified Computacenter PLC’s net-zero science-based target by 2040.

Computacenter’s commitments are:

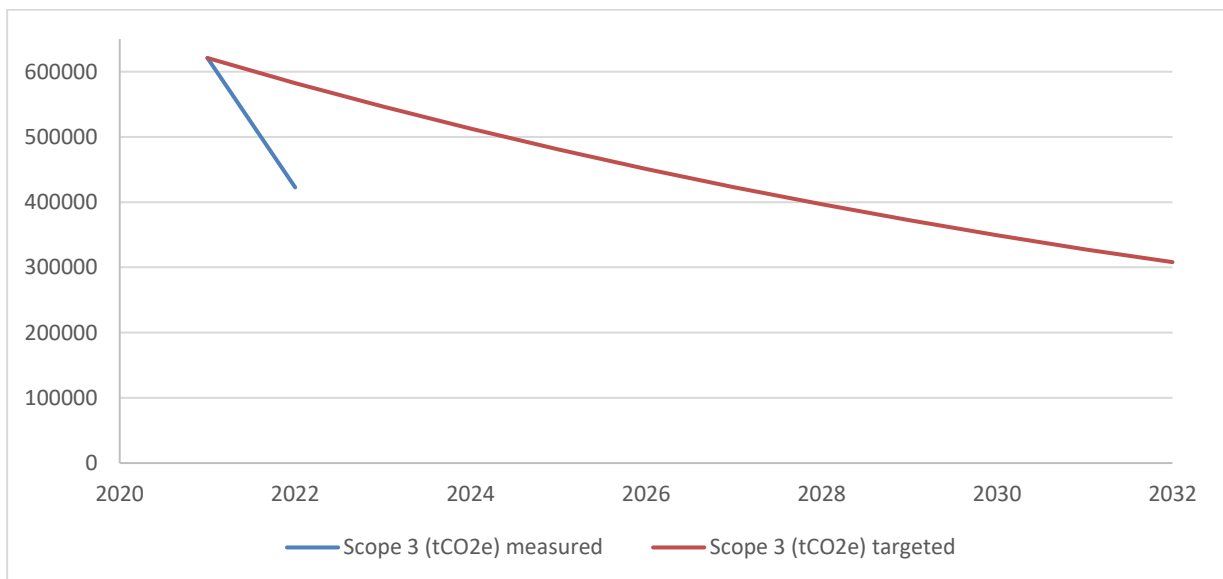
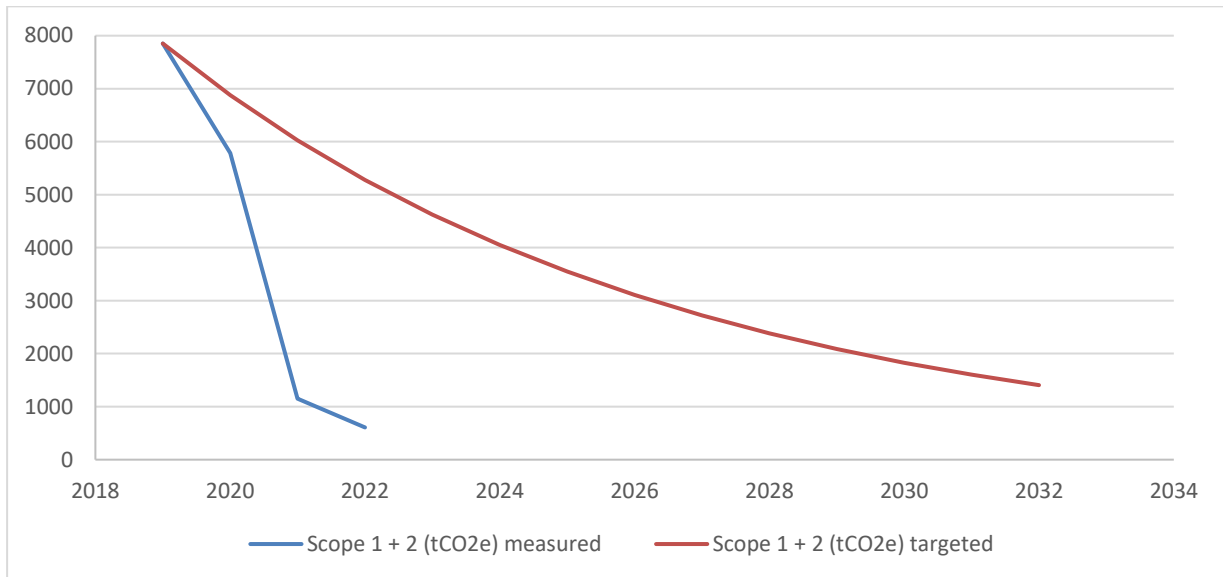
Near-Term Targets:

Computacenter PLC commits to reduce absolute scope 1 and 2 GHG emissions 82.1% by 2032 from a 2019 base year. Computacenter PLC also commits to reduce absolute scope 3 GHG emissions from purchased goods and services, capital goods, fuel and energy related activities, upstream transportation and distribution, waste generated in operations, business travel, employee commuting and upstream leased assets 50.4% by 2032 from a 2021 base year.

Long-Term Targets:

Computacenter PLC commits to reduce absolute scope 1 and 2 GHG emissions 90% by 2040 from a 2019 base year. Computacenter PLC commits to reduce absolute scope 3 GHG emissions 90% by 2040 from a 2021 base year.

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



Carbon Reduction Projects

Completed Carbon Reduction Initiatives

The following environmental management measures and projects have been completed or implemented since the 2019 baseline:

- Renewable energy consumption and production
- Commitment to the Science-Based Targets initiative (SBTi)
- Changes to the company fleet
- ISO14001 certification
- Improvements in energy efficiency of our buildings to reduce energy consumption.

Environmental Management Measures

- Our Environmental Policy and Management System are compliant with ISO14001 and are reviewed annually in accordance with this standard
- Computacenter was awarded a B rating in the 2022 CDP Climate Change Questionnaire

Energy Consumption and Production

- In 2018 a 13,000m² photovoltaic system was conceptualised for the roof of our Integration Centre at our Headquarters in Hatfield. In 2019 the planned installation went ahead, with more than 6,300 solar panels installed. We believe this to have been the largest rooftop installation in the UK in 2020.
- Following the success of the new photovoltaic solar panels in Hatfield, the Board approved the implementation of new solar installations at our office and Integration Centres in Kerpen (Germany) and Livermore (USA).
- Cumulatively, these solar panel installations produced more than 3m kWh renewable energy in 2022.
- In addition to producing our own electricity from renewable sources, our UK business, among other geographies, operates on 100% renewable electricity procured through a renewable electricity contract. Our green energy purchases mean that at the end of 2022, 78% of the Group's electricity usage was from renewable sources.

Company Fleet and Business Travel

- In order to reduce emissions from means of travel we have introduced a policy that restricts emissions from fleet vehicles to 110g CO₂ per vehicle. We are investing in technologies to allow greater use of existing communication platforms to reduce unnecessary business travel, with the target of reducing business travel emissions by up to 35% by 2025 compared to 2019.
- We have introduced an internal price on carbon and created a levy on business travel. Flights and hotel stays each attract an additional charge of £10. This internal tax contributes towards purchasing offsets.

Infrastructure and Technology

- Our offices and other buildings have undergone upgrades to improve energy efficiency. We specify LED light bulbs whenever replacements are needed and at our circular services division, RDC, all lighting has been replaced with LEDs which is expected to reduce annual electricity consumption by around 60%.
- As IT equipment in our offices needs replacing, we are rolling out display screens that power users' laptops and other devices, saving 50 to 60 per cent of the power drawn using separate chargers.
- We are investing in 'smart-lighting' technologies, reducing the amount of time our offices and buildings are lit.

- At our Manchester Datacentre, an air conditioning unit refresh was completed in 2020 to replace existing units with energy efficient equipment, leading to reductions in energy consumption of 14% in 2021.

In the future we plan to implement further measures. These may include:

- A transition to a fully electric fleet by 2040
- Additional photovoltaic installations at more sites in the UK and beyond
- Collaboration with key suppliers and customers to measure and limit GHG emissions from transportation and use of goods

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 and uses the appropriate Government emission conversion factors for greenhouse gas company reporting.

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.

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:

J. Knowles

Date: 15 September 2023