



CARBON SENSE

CARBON REDUCTION PLAN 2025/2026



Date: 1st September 2025
Reporting Period: 1 June 2024 – 31 May 2025
Approved By: Andrew Robinson - Managing Director

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COMMITMENT TO ACHIEVING NET ZERO

Carbon Sense is committed to achieving overall, Net Zero emissions by 2030

Carbon Sense is a Cornwall-based environmental consultancy helping organisations measure, report, and reduce their carbon emissions with clarity and confidence. We combine practical expertise with robust compliance knowledge to support businesses across the UK in meeting Net Zero goals, PPN 006, SECR, and UK SRS requirements. Founded in 2023, our mission is to make carbon accounting simple, credible, and action-focused, empowering clients to achieve meaningful reductions while improving efficiency and resilience. We lead by example, monitoring and reducing our own emissions each year as part of our commitment to sustainability and continuous improvement.

BASELINE YEAR 2023 - 2024

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. The year 2024 - 2025 includes a greater breadth of emissions data and as such, constitutes a more appropriate baseline than the 1st reporting year 2023 - 2024.

REPORTING YEAR 1ST JUNE 2024 - 31ST MAY 2025

Carbon Sense's reporting year is **1 June 2024 - 31 May 2025**, provides a more comprehensive representation of our operational activities and supply chain impacts than the initial 2023-2024 dataset. All direct (Scope 1 and 2) and indirect (Scope 3) emissions have been assessed, including **Purchased Goods & Services, Business Travel, Employee Commuting, Waste, Water, and Investments**.

Categories such as Downstream Distribution, Franchises, Use of processed/sold products and Leased Assets have not been measured as not applicable to the organisation.

Baseline Year: 2023/2024	
Updated benchmark year with sufficient emissions data.	
Baseline: 5.892 tCO ₂ e	
EMISSIONS	TOTAL (tCO ₂ e)
Scope 1	0.3363
Scope 2	0.000
Scope 3 (Included Sources)	5.556
Total Emissions:	5.8924 tCO₂e

Current Emissions Reporting: 2024/2025	
Carbon Sense Ltd. Is measuring emissions for this reporting year, June 2024 - May 2025.	
Total: 9.3139 tCO ₂ e	
EMISSIONS	TOTAL (tCO ₂ e)
Scope 1	0.3241
Scope 2	0.000
Scope 3 (Included Sources)	8.9898
Total Emissions:	9.3139 tCO₂e

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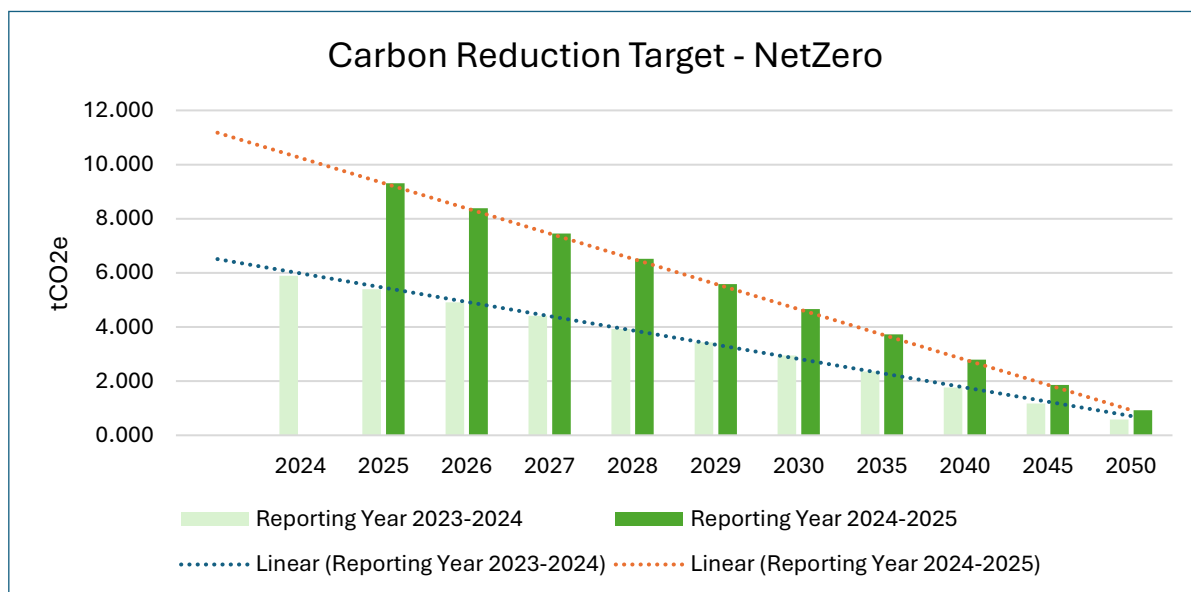
The need for taking immediate and bold action on climate change is being increasingly recognised by businesses, governments and the general population. Carbon Sense recognises that its activities have an impact on the environment and are committed to minimising any adverse impact wherever practical.

We have adopted science-based targets aligned with national policy. Our approach combines absolute reduction targets with continuous improvement in carbon intensity metrics, ensuring that growth remains decoupled from emissions.

INTENTION - CO₂E REDUCTION TARGET

To continue our progress to achieving Net Zero, **Carbon Sense** has adopted the following carbon reduction targets:

- Carbon Sense commits to achieving **Net Zero greenhouse gas emissions no later than 2050**, with an interim goal of **a 50 % absolute reduction by 2030**, in line with national science-based targets.



COMPLETED CARBON REDUCTION INITIATIVES

The following environmental management measures and projects have been completed or implemented previously:

- **100% renewable electricity:** verified annually via supplier documentation
- **Fleet conversion (diesel to hybrid):** reduced fuel consumption by 30%
- **Travel minimisation:** digital collaboration reduced business travel emissions by 40 % compared with 2023/24
- **Offset residual emissions:** Offset emissions using verified avoidance schemes as well as supporting credible UK linked nature-based restoration projects

Collectively these actions stabilised our total footprint despite a 50 % growth in client activity during the year.

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PLANNED CARBON REDUCTION INITIATIVES (OVERARCHING STRATEGIES)

- Data Integrity - Expand use of the Notch dashboard for real-time emissions tracking.
- Supplier Engagement - Integrate supplier carbon disclosure into procurement decisions by 2026.
- Employee Empowerment - Run annual sustainability workshops and incentive schemes.
- Governance - Achieve BCORP accreditation underpinning our values and supporting our ESG strategy
- Policy Integration - Ensure carbon considerations feature in all business planning, budgeting, and client delivery.

SPECIFIC REDUCTION STRATEGIES

PURCHASED GOODS & SERVICES AND CAPITAL GOODS

- Work closely with suppliers and service providers to understand their emission impact
- Seeking procurement from local suppliers with transparent Net Zero policies
- Procure services and products that are necessary

BUSINESS TRAVEL

- Continue to implement virtual first travel policy
- Mandatory use of public transport (unless agreed otherwise by board of directors)

COMPANY VEHICLES

- Transition from Hybrid to full Electric Vehicles

ACTIONABLE CARBON REDUCTION PLAN – 2025/2026

Short Term Goals: 1-12 months

Emission Source (Highest to lowest)	Who	Current Emissions (tCO ₂ e)	Action	Projected Reduction (%)	Target reduction by	Remaining Emissions (tCO ₂ e)
Purchased Goods & Services	AMR	8.639	Continue to source ethical suppliers and low carbon/recycled products	10%	01/06/26	7.775
Business Travel	AMR	0.413	Minimise travel to events / out of county unless deemed necessary.	50%	01/06/26	0.207
Company Vehicles	AMR	0.304	Use public transport or car share for all business trips	50%	01/06/26	0.152
Total (tCO₂e)		8.943	-	-	-	8.134

The figures and projections contained in this document may be subject to change as improved data becomes available, new technologies are introduced, or external circumstances evolve. This plan is a live document and will be reviewed and updated at least annually. While all reasonable efforts have been made to ensure accuracy and completeness, we cannot guarantee the absence of errors or omissions and accept no liability for reliance placed on the contents of this document beyond the purpose intended under PPN 006.

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DECLARATION AND SIGN-OFF

Governance and Accountability

This Carbon Reduction Plan has been approved by our Directors and will be subject to regular review, taking into account our operational challenges, performance, and emerging opportunities. Governance structures are in place to ensure climate change and carbon reduction are standing agenda items across a wide range of meetings and embedded into core business decision-making.

Leadership Commitment

We recognise that high-impact leadership is essential. Our directors and managers are expected to lead by example and ensure that all teams and business areas actively contribute to delivering the commitments in this plan. This visible leadership will drive the cultural and operational changes required to meet our targets.

Employee Engagement

Carbon reduction is a shared responsibility across the organisation. We will ensure fair consultation and representation when developing strategic plans, and all employees will be encouraged to take ownership of actions within their roles. Staff will be supported to identify opportunities, pursue initiatives, and collaborate with others to embed sustainable practices throughout our operations.

Sector Context

As a sustainability consultancy, our influence extends beyond our own operations. Through our work with clients, suppliers, and partners, we amplify impact across the region by promoting data transparency, circular economy principles, and measurable carbon reduction.

This Carbon Reduction Plan has been completed in accordance with PPN 006 + associated guidance and reporting standards for Carbon Reduction Plans. It is published alongside our carbon footprint report June 2024 – May 2025 on our website at: [Environmental Sustainability - Carbon Sense](#)

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, Scope 2 and 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.

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

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

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

This Carbon reduction plan has been reviewed and approved by the Board of Directors on 1st September 2025.



Andrew Moss Robinson
Managing Director