

Greenhouse Gas Emissions Reporting



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1.0 V3Gate's Commitment to Sustainability



At V3Gate, our steadfast commitment lies in conducting our business operations in an environmentally sustainable manner. As a value-added reseller boasting a widely distributed remote workforce, we recognize the unique

opportunity we possess to significantly reduce our carbon footprint and environmental impact. This policy delineates our fundamental commitments and the strategic initiatives we undertake to uphold them.

In alignment with our dedication to sustainability, we pledge to implement environmentally responsible practices across all facets of our operations. This encompasses not only our internal processes but also extends to our interactions with suppliers, partners, and customers. By fostering a culture of environmental consciousness within our organization and throughout our supply chain, we aim to maximize our positive impact on the planet while delivering exceptional value to our stakeholders.

Furthermore, we are committed to continually assessing and improving our sustainability efforts, embracing innovation and collaboration to drive meaningful change. Through transparent communication and engagement with all relevant stakeholders, we seek to inspire collective action towards a more sustainable future for generations to come.

Consistent with our commitment to rigorous processes and the highest quality standards, V3Gate has earned:

- CMMI Level 3, Quality Service Delivery
- ISO 9001:2015, Quality Management
- ISO/IEC 20000-1:2018, Service Management
- ISO/IEC 27001:2013, Information Security Management
- ISO/IEC 20243:2018, Secure Supply Chain Open Trusted Technology Provider Standard (O-TTPS)



2.0 Emissions Inventory – 2023

This inventory is based on the Greenhouse Gas Protocol and has been developed using the tools and templates found at the following websites:

- https://ghgprotocol.org/
- Greenhouse Gas Equivalencies Calculator | US EPA
- Frequently Asked Questions (FAQs) U.S. Energy Information Administration (EIA)
- EPA Guide to Greenhouse Gas Management for Small Business & Low Emitters

2.1 REQUIRED INFORMATION

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QUESTIONS	ANSWER
Has this inventory been verified by an accredited third party?	NO



Have any facilities, operations and/or emissions sources been excluded from this inventory? If yes, please specify.	NO	
Reporting period covered by this inventory	2023	
ORGANIZATIONAL BOUNDARIES		
Which consolidation approach was chosen (check each consolidation approach for which your company is reporting emissions.) If your company is reporting according to more than one consolidation approach, please complete and attach an additional completed reporting template that provides your company's emissions data following the other consolidation approach(es).	Operational Control	
OPERATIONAL BOUNDARIES		
Are Scope 3 emissions included in this inventory?	NO	
If yes, which types of activities are included in Scope 3 emissions?	N/A	

2.1.1 INFORMATION ON EMISSIONS

The table below refers to emissions independent of any GHG trades such as sales, purchases, transfers, or banking of allowances

EMISSIONS	TOTAL (mtCO2e)	CO2 (mt)	CH4 (mt)	N2O (mt)	HFCs (mt)	PFCs (mt)	SF6 (mt)
Scope 1	0	0					
Scope 2	52.2	52.2					
Scope 3 (OPTIONAL)							

2.1.2 BASE YEAR

Year chosen as base year	2023
Clarification of company-determined policy for making base year	No calculations
emissions recalculations	have been made
Context for any significant emissions changes that trigger base year	N/A
emissions recalculations	

BASE YEAR EMISSIONS							
EMISSIONS	TOTAL	CO2	CH4	N2O	HFCs	PFCs	SF6
	(mtCO2e)	(mt)	(mt)	(mt)	(mt)	(mt)	(mt)
Scope 1	0	0					
Scope 2	52.2	52.2					
Scope 3							
(OPTIONAL)							

2.1.3 METHODOLOGIES AND EMISSION FACTORS

Methodologies used to calculate or measure emissions other than those provided by the GHG Protocol. (Provide a reference or link to any non-GHG Protocol calculation tools used).

- https://ghgprotocol.org/
- Greenhouse Gas Equivalencies Calculator | US EPA



- Frequently Asked Questions (FAQs) U.S. Energy Information Administration (EIA)
- EPA Guide to Greenhouse Gas Management for Small Business & Low Emitters

2.2 OPTIONAL INFORMATION

2.2.1 ORGANIZATIONAL BOUNDARIES

List of all legal entities or facilities over which reporting company has equity share, financial control, or operational control.

Entity Locations	% equity share in legal entity	Does reporting company have financial control? (yes/no)	Does reporting company have operational control? (yes/no)
Operational Control:	100%	Yes	Yes
Office space located			
at 555 Middle Creek			
Parkway, Colorado			
Springs, CO			

2.2.2 INFORMATION ON EMISSIONS

Emissions Disaggregated by Source Types						
	Scope 1: Direct Emissions from Owned/Controlled Operations					
a.	Direct Emissions from Stationary Combustion	None: Building does not use				
		natural gas				
b.	Direct Emissions from Mobile Combustion	None				
c.	Direct Emissions from Process Sources	None				
d.	Direct Emissions from Fugitive Sources	None				
e.	Direct Emissions from Agricultural Sources	None				
Sco	Scope 2: Indirect Emissions from the Use of Purchased Electricity, Steam, Heating and					
Cooling						
a.	Indirect Emissions from Purchased/Acquired Electricity	52.2 mt				
b.	Indirect Emissions from Purchased/Acquired Steam	None				
c.	Indirect Emissions from Purchased/Acquired Heating	None				
d.	Indirect Emissions from Purchased/Acquired Cooling	None				



3.0 ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

Information on any contractual provisions	N/A
addressing GHG-related risks and obligations	
An outline of any external assurance provided	N/A
and a copy of any verification statement, if	
applicable, of the reported emissions data.	
Information on the quality of the inventory	The inventory was taken based on bills for
(e.g., information on the causes and magnitude	the office space under operational control.
of uncertainties in emission estimates) and an	An environmental policy is in place to
outline of policies in place to improve	encourage and inform employees ways to
inventory quality.	lower our emissions.
Information on any GHG sequestration	N/A

3.1 Emissions Goals for the Future

- By the end of the year, V3Gate will have reduced water consumption at its main facility by .5% as compared to the previous year's consumption.
- By the end of the year, V3Gate will have reduced electricity use at its main facility by 2% as compared to the previous year's consumption.