



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 supplier¹ 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 Standard² and Guidance³, 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.

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

²Technical 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

³Guidance 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: **Britvic Soft Drinks Ltd**

Publication date: 5 December 2023

Commitment to achieving Net Zero

Britvic Soft Drinks LTD is committed to achieving Net Zero emissions by **2050**.

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: Financial Year 2017 (1st Oct 2017 – 31st Sept 2018)	
Additional Details relating to the Baseline Emissions calculations.	
You can find a breakdown of our Scope 1, 2 and 3 breakdown from our financial year 2018, the first reporting year since our baseline year of 2017 here . Please refer to page 6+ of our Britvic Sustainability Metrics: Basis of Reporting 2018 document , which explains the scope and calculations of our emissions.	
Baseline year emissions: Financial Year 2017	
EMISSIONS	TOTAL (tCO₂e)
Scope 1	31,048
Scope 2	17,414 (market based)
Scope 3 (Included Sources)	116,931 (consisting of these categories, transmission and distribution losses, waste, water supply, effluent, business travel, logistics, electricity from refrigeration on customer sites)* <i>*The Scope 3 categories included in the SECR disclosure reflect the areas where we have robust and current data. We continue to expand the categories of Scope 3 greenhouse gas emissions that we measure and disclose, and this will be reflected in future reporting.</i>

Total Emissions	165,393 Please refer to page 65 of our FY23 Annual Report for further information.
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Current Emissions Reporting

Reporting Year: Financial Year 2023	
EMISSIONS	TOTAL (tCO ₂ e)
Scope 1	11,877
Scope 2	25,109 (market based)
Scope 3 (Included Sources)	87,527 (consisting of these categories, upstream emissions, of purchased fuels, upstream emissions of purchased electricity and heat, transmission and distribution losses, waste, water supply, effluent, business travel, logistics, electricity from refrigeration on customer sites)* <i>*The Scope 3 categories included in the SECR disclosure reflect the areas where we have robust and current data. We continue to expand the categories of Scope 3 greenhouse gas emissions that we measure and disclose, and this will be reflected in future reporting.</i>
Total Emissions	127,172 Please refer to page 65 of our FY23 Annual Report for further information.

Emissions reduction targets

We have set approved science-based carbon reduction targets in line with the latest climate science recommendations necessary to meet the goals of the Paris Agreement and limit global warming to 1.5°C, well below 2°C. This entails reducing our Scope 1 and 2 market-based emissions by 50%, and our Scope 3 emissions by 35% by 2025 versus our 2017 baseline. We have also pledged to be a net zero business by 2050 – this covers the whole value chain.

Please refer to page 63 of our [FY23 Annual Report](#) for further information.

Below you can find a graph of the current trajectory of our Scope 1 and 2 emissions reduction. Please refer to page 50 of our [FY23 Annual Report](#) for more information.

Scope 1 and Scope 2 carbon intensity ratio (market-based, tCO₂e/thousand tonnes production)

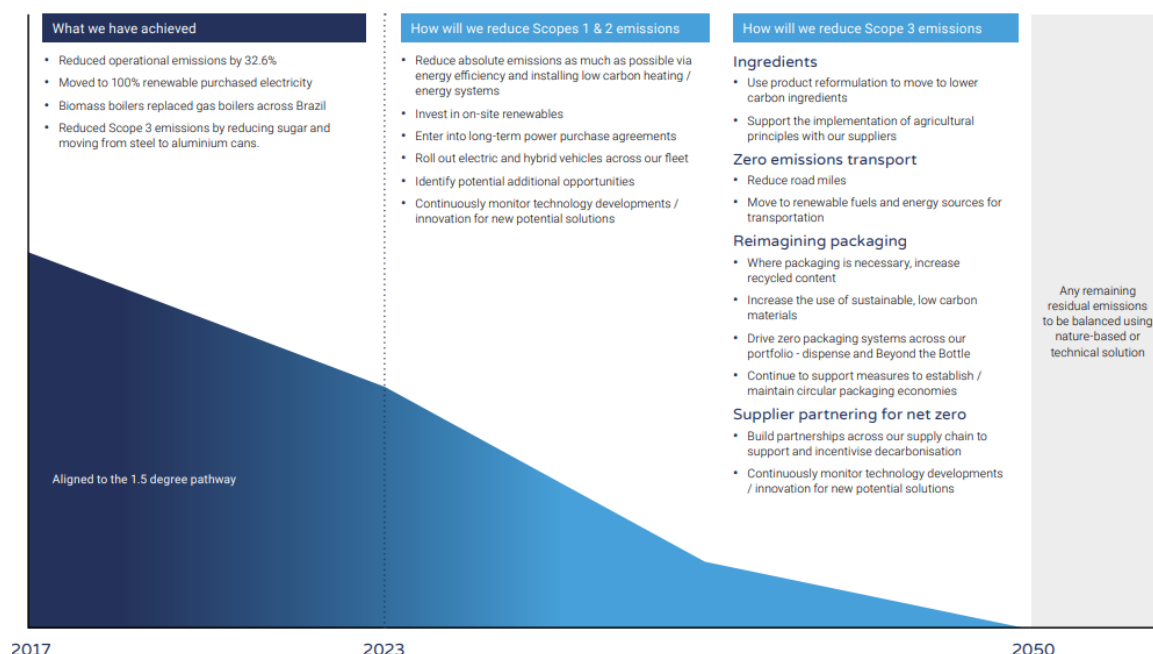


Scope 1 and Scope 2 market-based emissions (tCO₂e)*



Below you can find an overview of our path to net zero. You can find details of our path to net zero by 2050 in page 64 of our [FY23 Annual Report](#).

Our path to net zero by 2050



Carbon Reduction Projects

Completed Carbon Reduction Initiatives

Please refer to page 50-52 of our [FY23 Annual Report](#) to find our decarbonisation defined progress, roadmap and key initiatives, such as our commitments to SBTi targets, having externally certified management systems (e.g ISO 14001).

Please refer to page 64 of our [FY23 Annual Report](#) to find an overview of our future initiatives to help achieve our path to net zero by 2050.

Please refer to our sustainability [news page](#) for past press releases and future sustainability updates, such as:

- [Britvic partner with WRAP to increase sustainable water management | Britvic plc \(LSE: BVIC\)](#)
- [Solar powered soft drinks: 75% of the electricity used to make brands in Britain now comes from the sun | Britvic plc \(LSE: BVIC\)](#)
- [£8 million project to improve energy efficiency and cut carbon emissions by 50% at London factory | Britvic plc \(LSE: BVIC\)](#)

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 standard⁴ and uses the appropriate Government emission conversion factors for greenhouse gas company reporting⁵.

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) Standard⁶.

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:



A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to be 'M. Smith', is written over a horizontal dotted line. The signature is stylized and cursive.

Date: 29 July 2024

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>