Environmental Impact Report

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Our Footprint

Facilities

The majority of S&P Global's greenhouse gas (GHG) emissions originate from our offices. While we do track all of our emission sources—including travel, operations and procurement—we focus the vast majority of our sustainability efforts on our facilities.

Since 2013, we have:

- Decreased greenhouse gas emissions 31% and energy use by 37%,
- Reduced paper use by 70%
- Increased recycling to 61%.

Green Buildings

S&P Global's Real Estate Services department is responsible for worldwide real estate and construction activities. We continually assess our portfolio with sustainability in mind and implement programs to shrink our environmental footprint around the world. Twenty two S&P Global facilities are energy-efficient certified, including 10 LEED® Certified[™] buildings. Ten of our offices are now certified under <u>ISO 14001</u>, covering 38 percent of our employee base.

• Health, Safety & Environment Policy

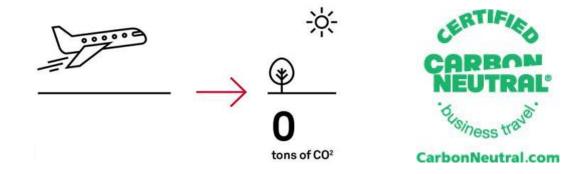
Supply Chain

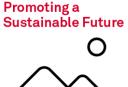
S&P Global's Vendor Code of Conduct formally outlines our expectations for suppliers across a variety of areas, including environmental performance, labor and health and safety. We set high standards for our suppliers' sustainability performance and work closely with them in order to reduce environmental impacts in our supply chain.

<u>Vendor Code of Conduct</u>

Business Travel

Each year we offset our Scope 3 business travel emissions by investing in low carbon initiatives such as wind farms. The offsets are assured by Natural Capital Partners, in line with the global standard CarbonNeutral Protocol, earning the Company a CarbonNeutral® Business Travel Certification.





Environmental Performance Metrics & Targets

Metrics							Baseline year	
Wetrics	Units	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
Scope 1 and 2 Energy	MWh	101,381	84,034	76,464	73,565	69,402	64,596	64,265
Scope 1 and 2 Energy Costs	US \$	10,981,504	9,350,963	8,542,004	8,980,052	7,317,511	7,087,580	7,051,269
Scope 1 and 2 GHG Emissions (Location based)	t CO2e	46,903	37,992	36,266	36,136	35,137	32,875	33,111
Scope 1 and 2 GHG Emissions (Market based)	t CO2e						30,351	30,395
Scope 3 GHG Emissions*	t CO2e	11,362	10,219	23,501	26,166	(36,110)	(42,740)	(46,951)
Total GHG Emissions (Scopes 1-3)	t CO2e	58,265	48,211	59,767	62,302	71,247	73,091	77,346
Water Consumption	Gallons	47,778,170	49,855,480	75,974,720	70,091,786	24,628,035	40,340,019	40,362,498
Recycling	Short Tons	3,919	4,990	1,777	631	798	548	569
Recycling Percentage	%	46	43	50	76	83	63	65
Composting	Short Tons	28	196	112	58	55	13	17
Waste to Landfill	Short Tons	4,553	6,594	1,770	197	173	330	317
Waste to Landfill Percentage	%	54	57	50	24	17	37	35
Office Paper Purchased	Short Tons	148	121	103	77	63	54	72

*Restated 2018 Scope 3 emissions due to improved range of data capture, including CRISIL's business travel. Brackets for 2017, 2018 and 2019 denote neutralized emissions from investments in low carbon initiatives.

Our Scope 1, 2 and 3 GHG emissions received third-party assurance from Corporate Citizenship. The evaluation assessed the accuracy of our environmental data processes and systems, verified against the ISAE 3000 standard.

In 2013 we set ambitious 5-year targets to cut greenhouse gas emissions and paper use and divert waste from landfill. In 2018, we reached our target year and are proud to report we exceeded our goals.

2013-2018	Target	Final result
Scope 1 & 2 GHG Emissions	-15%	-31%
Paper Purchases	-15%	-70%
Waste Diversion/Recycling	50%	61%

To continue our commitment to reduce the environmental impact of our operations, in 2019 we set new 5-year performance targets with a baseline year of 2018.

2018-2023 Global Environmental Targets				
Decrease Scope 1 & 2 GHG Emissions 10%				
Maintain Scope 3 Emissions Carbon Neutral Certification				
Decrease Paper Purchases 10%				
Remove Single Use Items from Offices Globally				
Cover >90% of employees in ISO 14001 certified offices				