Cunning Running Software Carbon Reduction Plan

Supplier name: Cunning Running Software Ltd
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Commitment to achieving net zero

Cunning Running Software 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 before the introduction of any strategies to reduce emissions. Baseline emissions are the reference point against which emissions reduction can be measured.

Baseline year: 2019	
Additional details relating to the baseline emissions calculations:	

Baseline year emissions:	
Emissions	**Total (tCO2e)**
Scope 1 Does not apply. Our business is the development of software. We do not manufacture or transport goods. Software delivery is via the internet or postal service**.**	
Scope 2 Gas. Electricity. Air Conditioning. Water.	**7.94 (tCO2e)**
Scope 3 (included sources)	**32.76 (tCO$_2$e)**
6. Business travel. Train & car. 7. Employee Commuting per week. On average, eight people commute for 26 days 4.Upstream transportation & distribution is n/a. We do not transport or distribute products 5. Waste generated in operations n/a. Our product is software; its production does not generate waste. 9. Downstream transportation & distribution is n/a as our product is distributed via computer.	
Total emissions	**40.64 (tCO$_2$e)**

Current emissions reporting

Reporting year: 2025

Emissions	TOTAL (tCO2e)

Scope 1

Scope 1 does not apply to Cunning Running Software Ltd. Our business is the development of software. We do not manufacture or transport goods. Delivery of the software is over the internet or via a postal service.

Scope 2	**5.86 (tCO$_2$e)**

Gas. Electricity. Water. Waste

Scope 3 (included sources)	**3.80 (tCO$_2$e)**

6. Business travel & 7. Employee commuting
On average, two staff members commuted daily for 7 days a week in total.
One of whom drives an electric car.

- Scope 4. We do not transport or distribute products
- Scope 5. Our product is software; its production does not generate waste.
- Scope 9. Is not applicable as our product is distributed via computer.

Total emissions	**9.67 (tCO$_2$e)**

Emissions reduction targets

To progress to achieving Net Zero, we have adopted the following carbon reduction targets.

We project that our carbon emissions will decrease over the next 11 years to 20.32 (tCO2e) by 2036. This will meet a target reduction of 50% from the baseline year.

Carbon reduction projects

Completed carbon reduction initiatives

The following environmental management measures and projects have been completed or implemented since the 2019 baseline. The carbon emission reduction achieved by these schemes equates to
9.67 tCO$_2$e, a 76.20% reduction against the 2019 baseline.

- *Changed team meetings to virtual; physical attendance by the whole team is only held once a quarter*
- *Operated an optional part-time work-from-home policy*
- *Recycled computers and IT equipment to a charity that refurbishes them*
- *Instruct staff and tenants to turn off technology when not in use*
- *Waste is recycled into glass, paper, plastic, cardboard & printer cartridges*
- *Photocopying and printing usage minimised*
- *Lights and heating in unused rooms are turned off*
- *Upgraded video conferencing facilities*
- *Use of public transport whenever possible*
- *Recycle 85% of the general office waste we produce*
- *Low-energy lights fitted throughout the building*
- *Gas & Electricity supplies are from 100% green energy sources*
- *A move to cloud-based servers*

Future carbon reduction initiatives

In the future, we hope to implement further measures:
Wherever possible Increase our efficiency through technology.
Transfer to total homeworking for all staff.

Declaration and sign off

This Carbon Reduction Plan has been completed in accordance with PPN 006 and the 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[13] and uses the appropriate government emission conversion factors for greenhouse gas company reporting.[14]

Scope 1 and Scope 2 emissions have been reported in accordance with SECR requirements (where required), and the required subset of Scope 3 emissions has been reported in accordance with the published reporting standard for Carbon Reduction Plans and the Corporate Value Chain (Scope 3) Standard.[15]

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:

Date: 22/01/26

[13] https://ghgprotocol.org/corporate-standard
[14] www.gov.uk/government/collections/government-conversion-factors-for-company-reporting
[15] https://ghgprotocol.org/standards/scope-3-standard