

Carbon Reduction Plan

Supplier Name: **INTERA Geosciences UK Limited**

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In line with the 'Guidance for adopting and applying PPN 06/21' INTERA Geosciences UK Limited, as a new entrant to the market are following paragraph 10 of the Guidance Note.

10 -Suppliers should not be disadvantaged where they are a new entrant to the market (trading for less than 12 months). In these circumstances the supplier should confirm their commitment to achieving Net Zero by 2050 and should publish a full CRP as soon as possible.

INTERA Geosciences UK limited was incorporated as a company on 2nd February 2024. The company currently has three employees and no offices. We have a significant growth plan for the next five years.

We have measured our carbon emissions as comprehensively as is possible for the first six months of our operations February – July 2024 and we will submit baseline data as soon as we have the appropriate 12 months trading period established. We have therefore not entered data into the baseline emissions table, but we have entered data for the current period of 6 months under 'reporting year submissions'.

We have also outlined the environmental management measures we would undertake for the management of this contract.

We have committed to Net Zero Emissions by 2050 below.

Commitment to achieving Net Zero

INTERA Geosciences UK limited is fully 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: 2024	
Additional Details relating to the Baseline Emissions calculations.	
<p>Being a new entrant to the market we have only been incorporated for 6 months and are therefore not currently in a position to baseline our annual emissions. We will provide a baseline calculation at the earliest appropriate opportunity in 2025.</p>	
Baseline year emissions: 2024	
EMISSIONS	
Scope 1	
Scope 2	
Scope 3 (Included Sources)	
Total Emissions	

Reporting Year Emissions

Reporting Period: February to July 2024	
Additional Details relating to the Reporting Year Emissions.	
The following emissions reflect the company related emissions for a 6-month period since our incorporation.	
Reporting Year Emissions: 2024	
EMISSIONS	TOTAL= 12.256 (TCO₂e)
Scope 1	0.083 TCO₂e Shared Office - Gas (Heating) – 0.083
Scope 2	0.095 TCO₂e Shared Office - Electricity (Light and power) – 0.095 TCO₂e
Scope 3 (Included Sources)	12.078 TCO₂e Homeworking – 0.269 TCO₂e Shared Office – Electricity (WTT+T&D) - 0.023 TCO₂e Shared Office – Gas (WTT) - 0.014 TCO₂e Grey Fleet (Business Travel – Employee- owned cars Petrol) - 0.484 TCO₂e Business Travel (Rail + WTT Rail) - 0.136 TCO₂e Business Travel (Air + WTT Air) - 11.152 TCO₂e
Total Emissions	12.256 TCO₂e

Emissions reduction targets

INTERA Geosciences UK limited is committed to the Carbon Net Zero target of 2050, once we have had the opportunity to baseline our activity and establish a carbon footprint relative to our operational aspirations, we will establish a credible roadmap to achieving Carbon Net Zero.

Carbon Reduction Projects

Although we are still in the process of formalising projects relating to our carbon footprint, as we build our approach we are evaluating for our team:

- The most carbon efficient offices and office space going forward and how this best works relative to the agile working approach we have adopted.
- Maximising the benefits of remote working and virtual meeting technology.
- Championing a hybrid and electric car policy to support employees to make a change from petrol and diesel.
- Championing renewable energy contracts, energy efficiency at home and a fully paperless office.
- To use public transport modes (preferably train or bus) wherever feasible and walk or cycle short sections where feasible.

As a 'micro' business in relation specifically to this project our key areas of impact/focus are as follows (Please see our ITT for more detail)

- With no office, this means that we have no emissions associated with commuting.
- Our employees have individually elected to contract with renewable energy suppliers for our home offices and broadband providers such as Vodafone committed to Net Zero well before 2050.
- We strive for a paperless and low waste environment.
- We select hardware for the company considering its embodied carbon, choosing Dell, a manufacturer which has invested in understanding and reducing its emissions for individual products that also consider whole life cost and decommissioning
- Attention to detail in usage is important in reaching for our goals, and to this end as a relevant example we are conscious in preserving our laptop battery life by unplugging and 'training' the battery ensuring it is used regularly rather than always being charged which impairs the life of the asset.
- We have a particularly well-developed approach to using ICT to support our collaborative working via proprietary Google and Microsoft tools such as Teams, Outlook, Sharepoint, this being critical to maintaining connectivity and

exchanging data with one another in the UK and internationally.

- We will implement our climate conscious travel policy for the project to think twice and reduce physical travel when virtual tools would adequately fulfill the purpose, avoiding unnecessary travel for example by ensuring everyone travelling has clear reasons for being present, defining the impacts in numbers before travel to allow informed decisions. When travel is necessary for the benefit of the project, we will select the most efficient and environmentally friendly modes.
- We anticipate only travel by rail within this project, with first segment of the journey being walking or bus and last segment choosing where available a lower emissions vehicle preferably electric, by a ride-sharing app.
- We recognise that offsetting is not the solution to addressing Greenhouse Gas Emissions, however it nevertheless is a contribution towards a balance, and as such an additional measure, we are signed up to the non-profit Carbon Neutral Britain programme, including planting 30 trees per month and by group efforts removing more than 60 tonnes of CO₂e per year on our behalf.

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 standard and uses the appropriate [Government emission conversion factors for greenhouse gas company reporting](#).

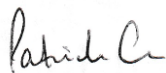
Scope 1 and Scope 2 emissions have been reported in accordance with SECR requirements, and the required subset of Scope 3 emissions have been reported in accordance with the published reporting standard for Carbon Reduction Plans and the Corporate Value Chain (Scope 3) Standard.

This Carbon Reduction Plan has been reviewed and signed off by the INTERA Geosciences UK Limited company Board of Directors.

Signed on behalf of INTERA Geosciences UK Limited Board:

Name: Patrick Cox

Signature:



Position: Managing Director for UK Operations