

Our carbon journey begins







At PKF Octagon, sustainability is not simply a buzzword—it's a commitment.

We're proud to announce the release of our 2024 Carbon Report, marking a significant milestone in our journey to minimise our environmental impact.



PKF Octagon

This inaugural report establishes a robust carbon baseline, positioning us as a leader in sustainability within South Africa's professional services sector.

By adopting globally recognised carbon accounting practices and setting an ambitious reduction target in line with the Science-Based Targets Initiative (SBTi), we are stepping up as champions for climate action.



Our FY2024 baseline carbon footprint total-serving as the foundation for actionable change.

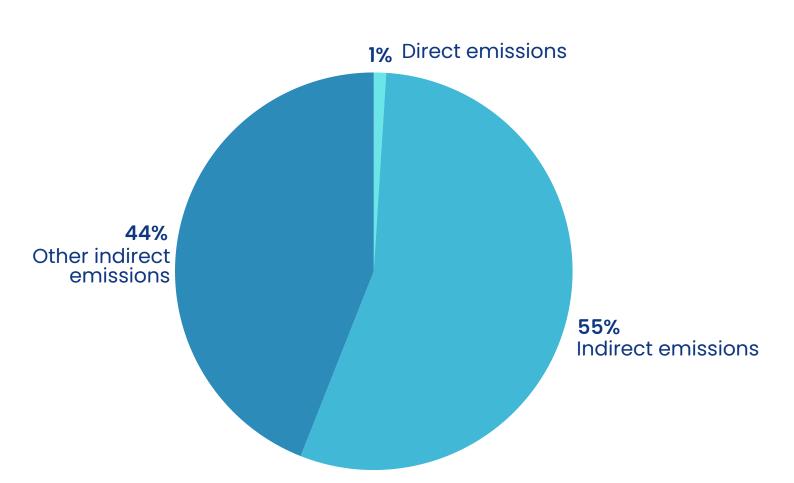
Key insights from our baseline

Understanding our emissions profile is the first step towards a meaningful reduction.



Our carbon footprint for FY2024 spans three categories:





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3.39 tCO₂e per employee



On an individual level, our emissions per employee, alignings with similar organisations globally.

Top contributors to our carbon footprint include:



Electricity usage (Grid and embedded generators)

51%



Employee commuting

23%



Food and drink consumption

16%

These insights provide the groundwork for targeted interventions and ongoing monitoring.



Commitment to science-based targets



Our dedication to sustainability is exemplified through our alignment with the Science-Based Targets Initiative (SBTi).

This framework ensures that our emissions reduction goals are in line with the latest climate science and the global targets



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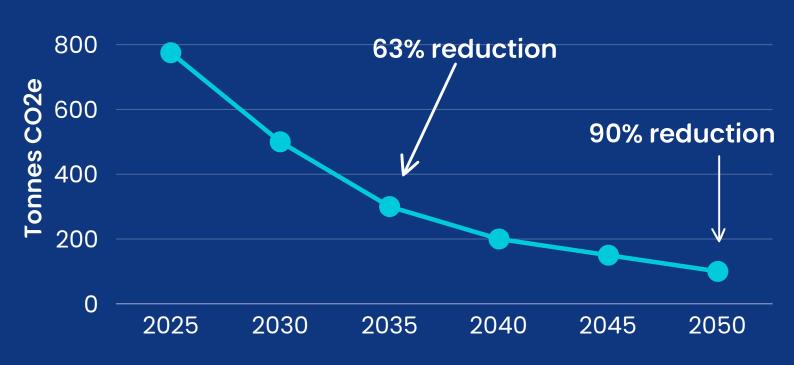
Near-Term Goal

63% reduction in Scope 1, 2, and 3 emissions.

2050

Long-Term Goal

90% reduction in emissions and reach Net Zero.



This ambitious roadmap not only underscores our leadership in climate action but also solidifies our commitment to embedding sustainability in every facet of our operations.





A pledge to transparency



Transparency is the cornerstone of our sustainability strategy, with an approach that includes;



Annual emissions tracking

Ensures consistent monitoring and accurate reporting.



Public progress reports

Keeps stakeholders informed and engaged.



Sustainability Committee

Oversees the implementation of reduction strategies, ensures alignment with SBTi goals, drives accountability.





We recognise that setting these targets is just the beginning.

Achieving them will require collaboration, innovation and sustained effort from every member of our team.



As we embark on this transformative journey, we invite our clients, partners, and broader community to join us in shaping a sustainable future.

Our commitment to science-based targets not only strengthens our operational resilience but also reinforces the trust our stakeholders place in us.





Stay tuned as we finalise our commitment with the SBTi and continue to make meaningful progress toward our Net Zero goals.

Together, we can drive impactful change for the planet.







Contact us today to explore how we can support your commitment to a greener future.

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