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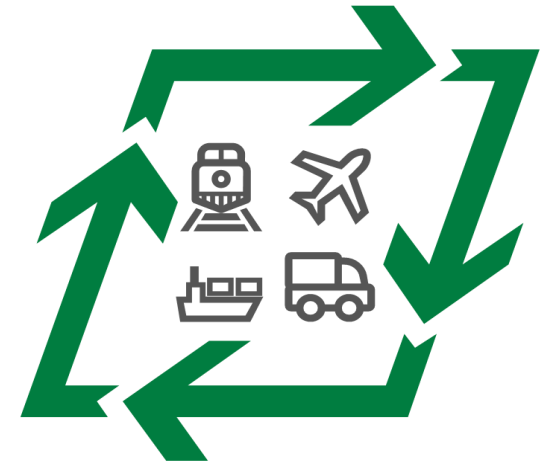
EU Green Week Webinar

# How to achieve climate neutral logistics



## Carbon neutral logistics: How can it be defined and how can it be accomplished?

1. Motivation
2. General framework
3. Calculating a carbon footprint
  -  3.1 Corporate carbon footprint
  -  3.2 Carbon footprint of transportation services
4. Accomplishing climate neutrality



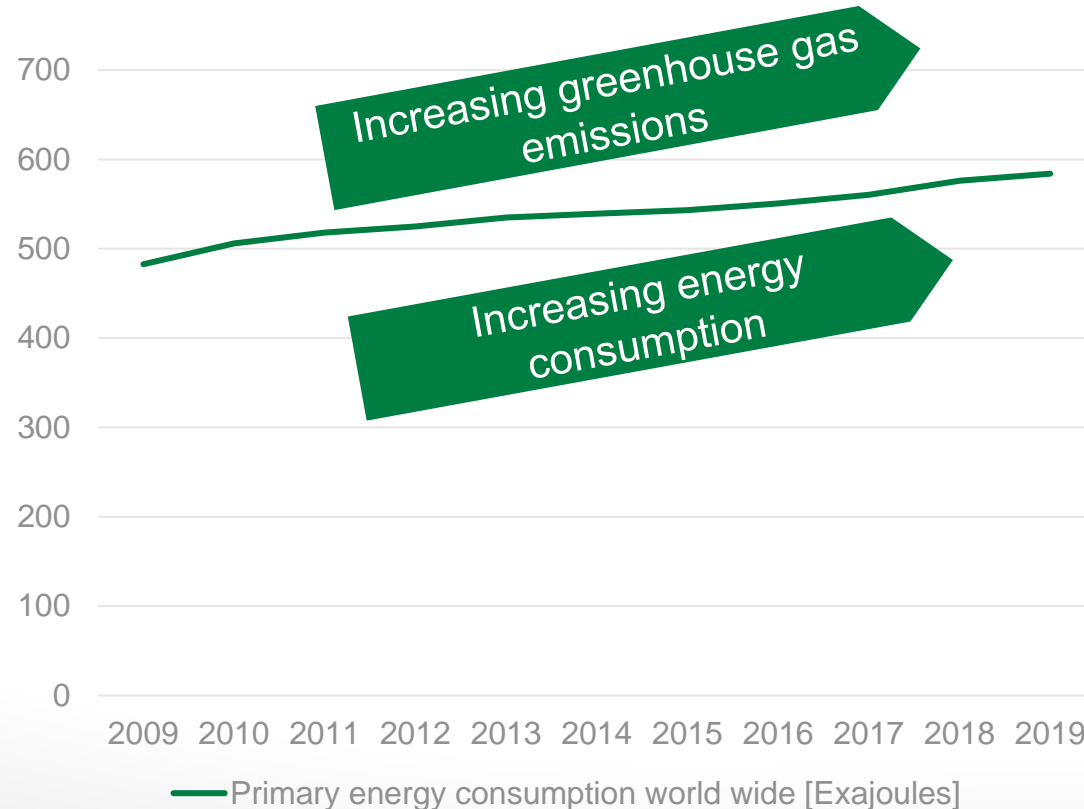


# 1. Motivation



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## International increase in primary energy consumption



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- Definition of a CO<sub>2</sub> residual budget for **1.5°C target**
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  - **Residual budget: approx. 276 gigatons**
  - **Residual time: < 7 years**

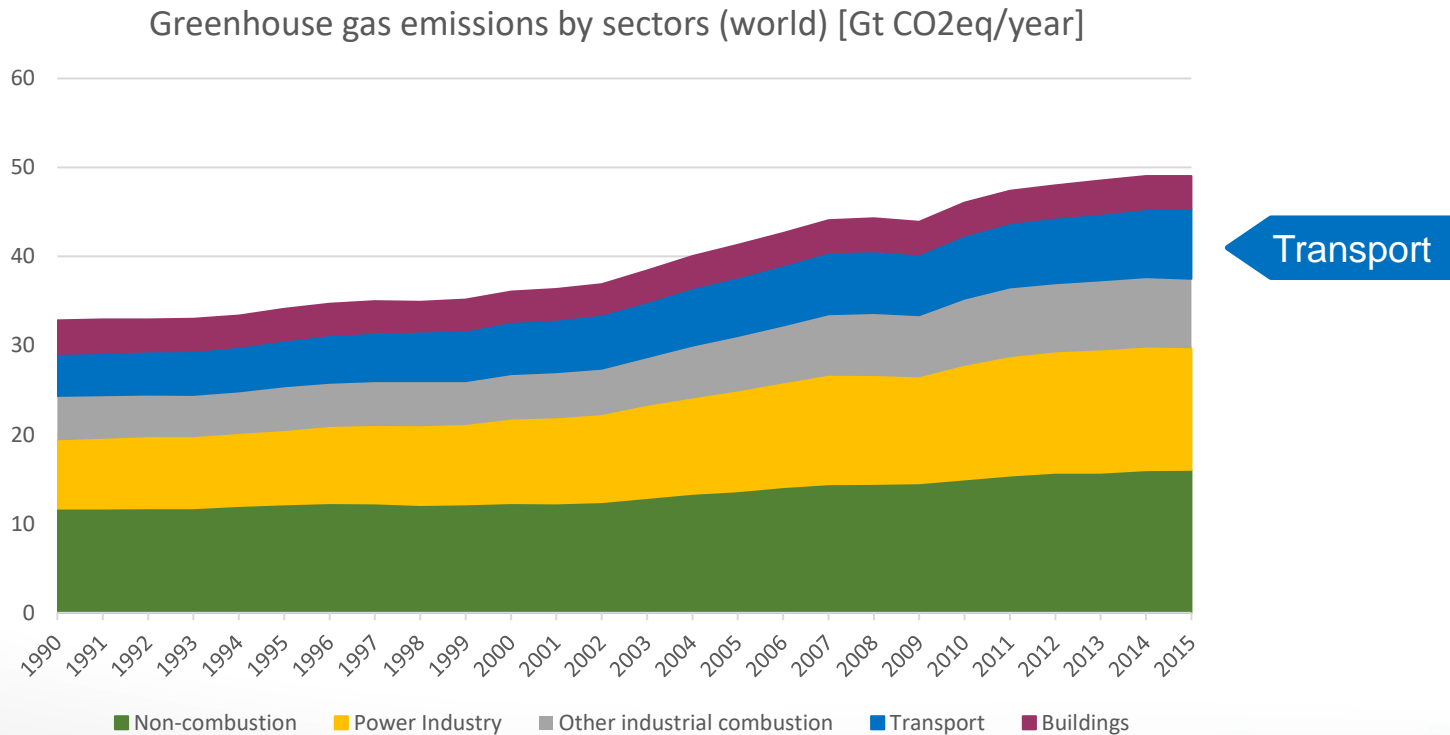
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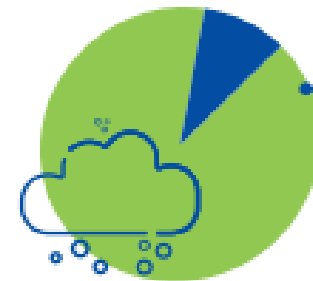
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Their CO<sub>2</sub> emissions are currently not completely avoidable.

➡ **But:** Reduction approach required!

- Logistics industry as a driver of highly developed economies
- Freight transport as the basis for supplying industry, trade and the population
- Greenhouse gas emissions as a measure of “green” logistics activities
  - Greenhouse gas balance as a basis for decision-making
  - Identify key emission drivers
  - Implement preventive measures
  - Securing competitive advantages
- DIN EN 16258 standard
  - Accuracy, transparency, uniformity

**Goal: Climate Neutrality in EU until 2050**



**90%  
reduction**  
greenhouse gas  
emissions in  
transport by 2050

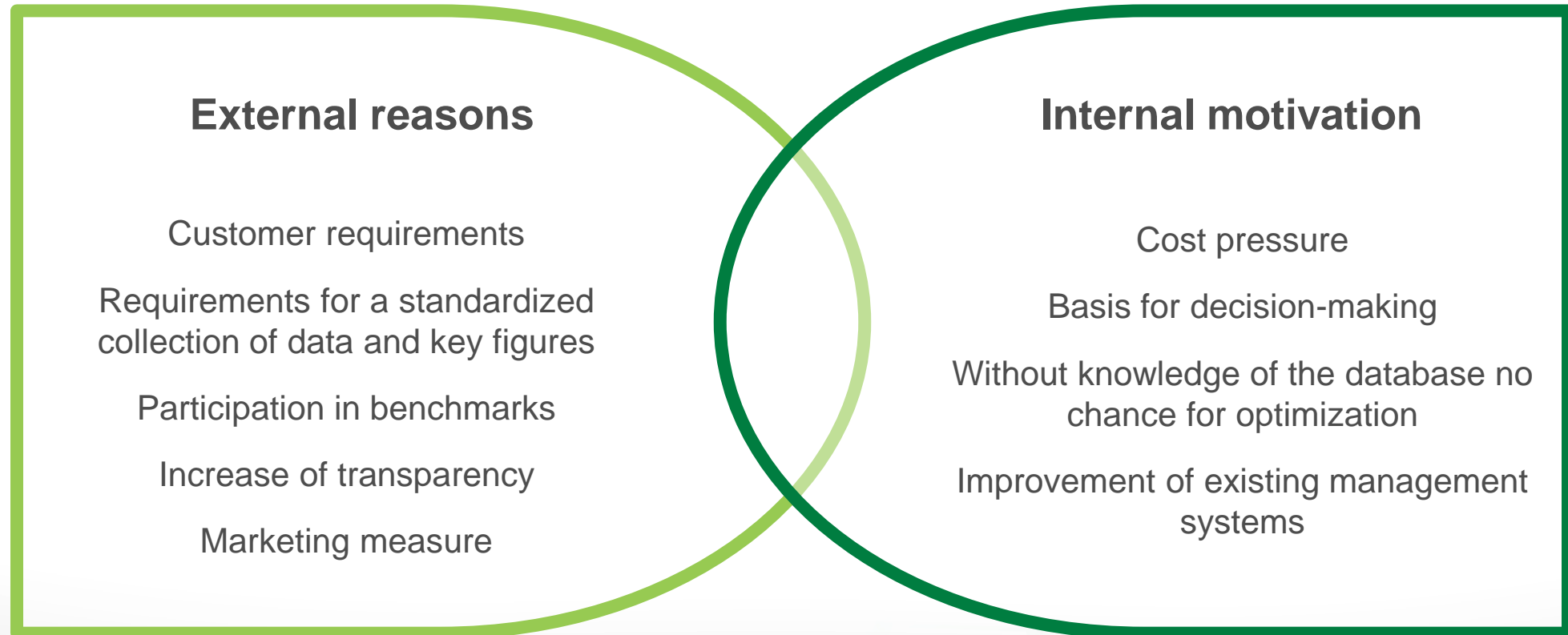
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# Interactive survey I



# 1. MOTIVATION

## Why carbon accounting?





## 2. General Framework



## 2. GENERAL FRAMEWORK

### Which carbon footprint?

<b>Product</b> PCF = Product Carbon Footprint	<b>Corporation</b> CCF = Corporate Carbon Footprint	<b>Project</b>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>▪ Determination of the climate impact of a specific product</li><li>▪ Consideration of the entire life cycle from raw material to recycling or disposal</li></ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>▪ Determination of the climate impact of a company</li><li>▪ Consideration, assessment and management of emissions within defined system boundaries</li></ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>▪ Determining the climate impact of specific projects</li><li>▪ Consideration of:<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>– Services (e.g. transportation),</li><li>– Events,</li><li>– Sub-project, etc.</li></ul></li></ul>

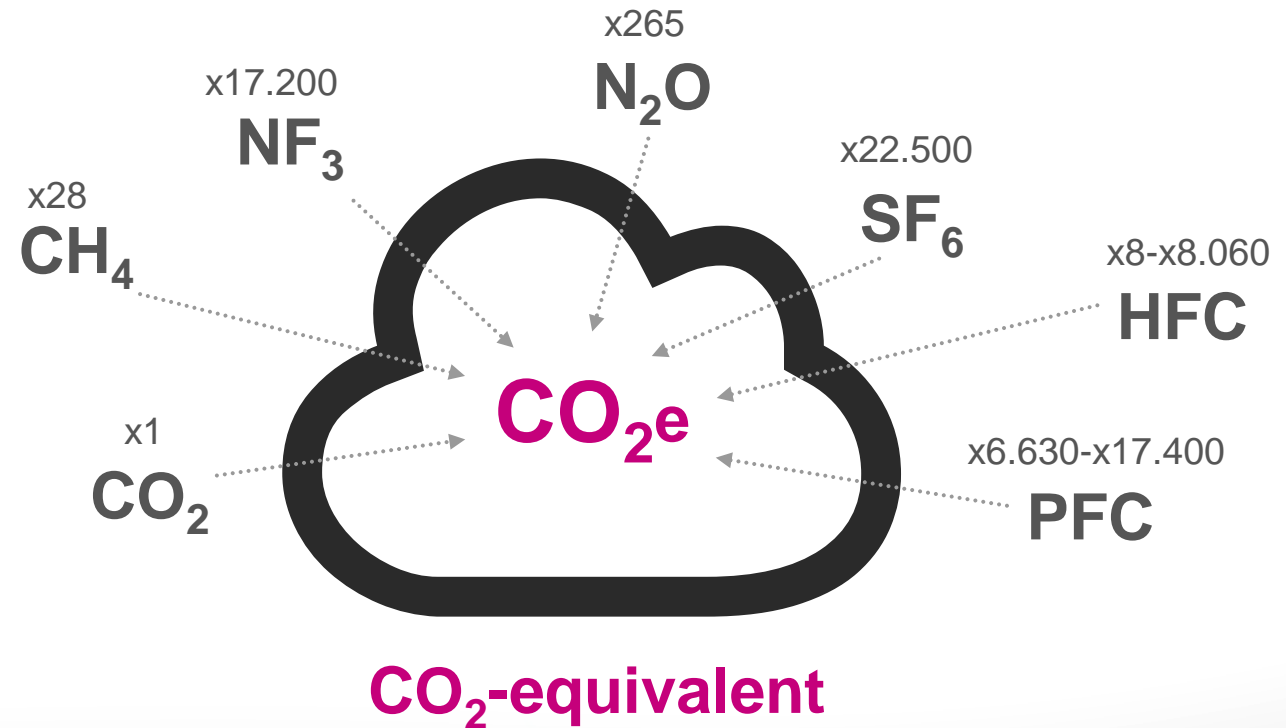
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## 2. GENERAL FRAMEWORK

### Greenhouse gases

- Defined by United Nations expert panel (Intergovernmental Panel on Climate Change, IPCC)
- Different impacts in the atmosphere (global warming potential)
- Unit of measurement for comparison (CO<sub>2</sub> equivalents)





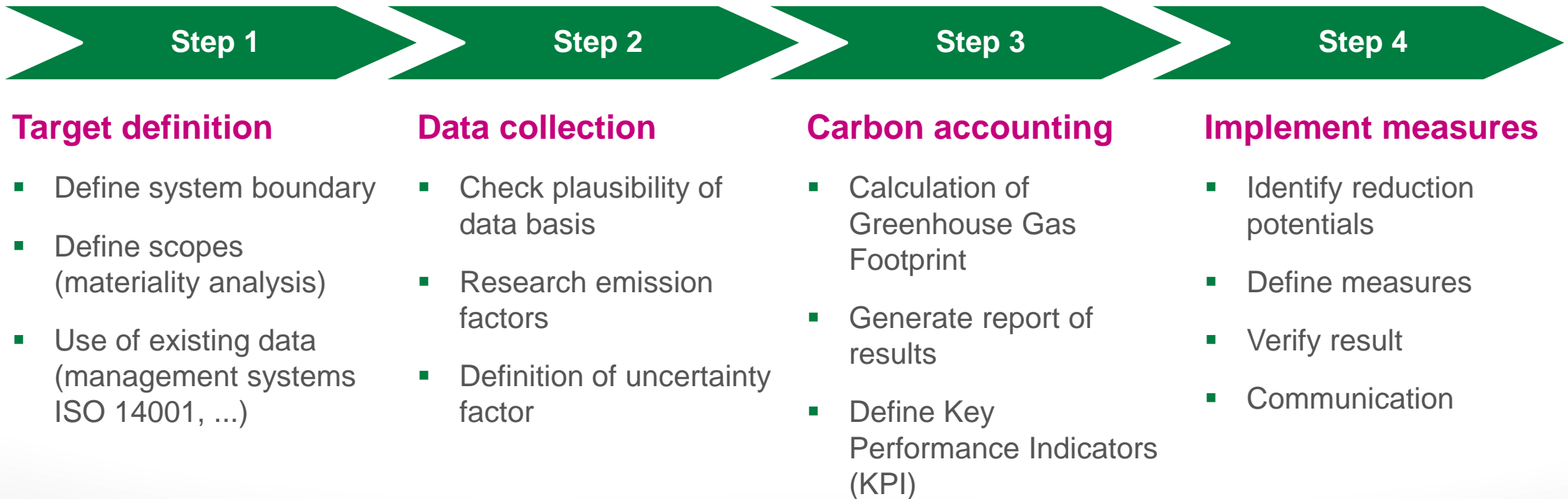
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## 3.1 Corporate Carbon Footprint (CCF)



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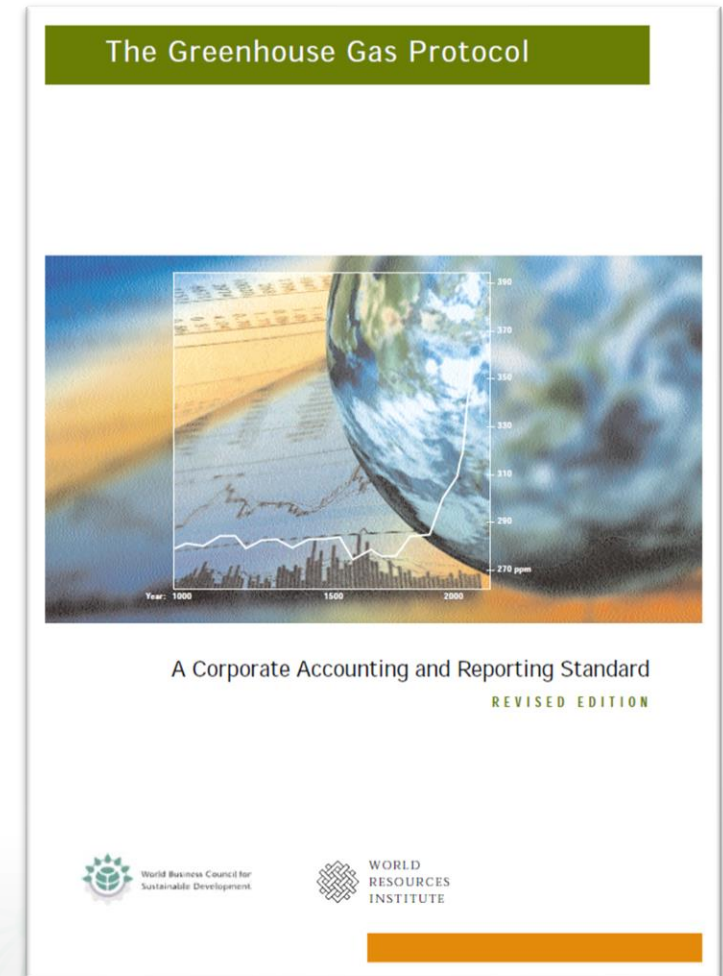
### The Greenhouse Gas Protocol in general

- is a multi-stakeholder partnership, that brought together governments, NGOs and businesses.
- Stakeholders were convened by the World Resources Institute (WRI), a U.S.-based environmental NGO, and the World Business Council for sustainable development (WBCSD).
- The initiative established a greenhouse gas accounting and reporting standard for businesses, which is today broadly applied and internationally accepted.

**Full Greenhouse gas Protocol document can be accessed via:**

<https://ghgprotocol.org/corporate-standard>

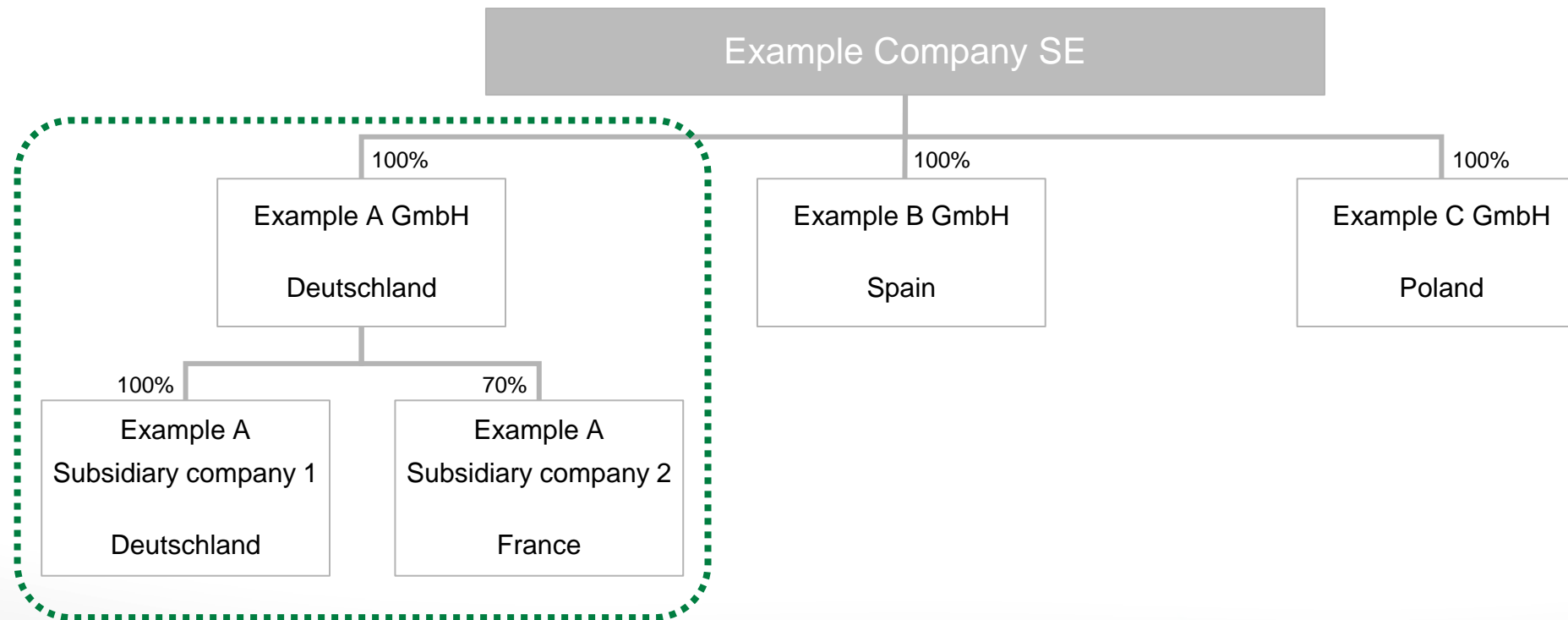
→ It's available in different languages!





# 3. CALCULATING A CARBON FOOTPRINT

## 3.1 Corporate Carbon Footprint



**Define system boundary**

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## 3.1 Corporate Carbon Footprint

### Scopes according to the Greenhouse Gas Protocol

#### Scope 1 Emissions

include all **direct** greenhouse gas emissions resulting from a company's own business activities. These therefore include emissions from the consumption of primary energy sources as well as process emissions that occur during the production process.



Location



Fleet

#### Scope 2 Emissions

include the **indirect** greenhouse gas emissions resulting from the generation of energy procured by a company; e.g. emissions from the generation of electricity or district heating.



Electricity



District Heating

#### Scope 3 Emissions

include all other indirect greenhouse gas emissions that occur in the upstream and downstream supply chain; e.g. emissions from the manufacture and delivery of the products used by the company.



Procurement



Waste



Logistic

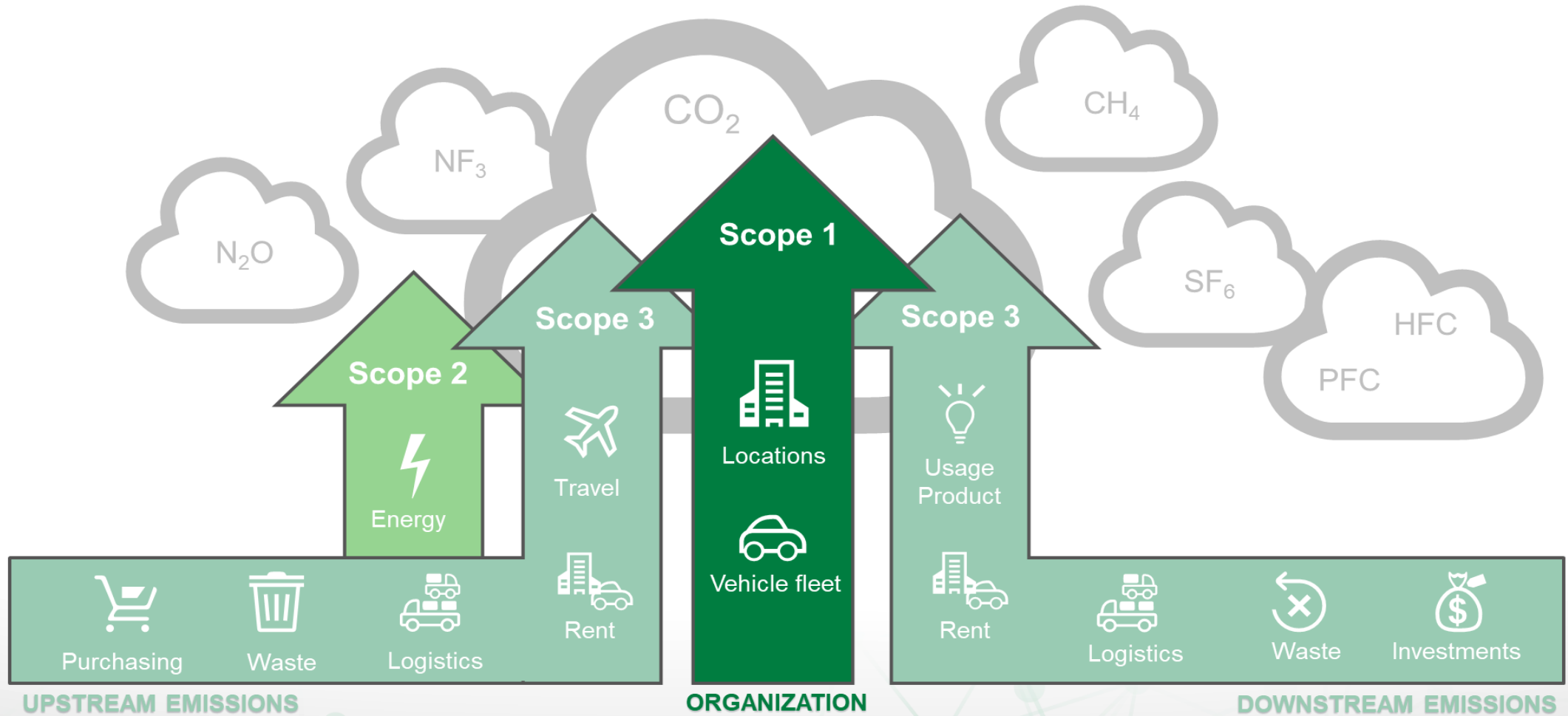


Travel



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## 3.1 Corporate Carbon Footprint



Scopes according to the Greenhouse Gas Protocol  
(figure shows examples)

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## 3.1 Corporate Carbon Footprint

### The accounting process

$$\text{Actions in all scopes} \times \text{emission factor [kg CO}_2\text{e / unit]} = \text{Carbon footprint [kg CO}_2\text{e]}$$

Organizational Boundaries

# 3. CALCULATING A CARBON FOOTPRINT

## 3.1 Corporate Carbon Footprint

### The accounting principles

RELEVANCE

COMPLETENESS

CONSISTENCY

TRANSPARENCY

ACCURACY



# 3. CALCULATING A CARBON FOOTPRINT


## 3.2 Carbon footprint of transportation services ↗




# 3.CALCULATING A CARBON FOOTPRINT

Standards	System boundary	KPIs	Scopes	Allocation
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## 3.1 Corporate Carbon Footprint

	Greenhouse Gas Protocol (GHG-P)	Financial control / Operational control	Greenhouse gases (CO2e)	Scope 1, Scope 2, (Scope 3)	no
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## 3.2 Carbon footprint of transportation services

	DIN EN 16258	Entire transport chain (own vehicles / subcontractors)	Greenhouse gases (CO2e) / Energy consumption	TTW*, WTW**	physical variables
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- ☒ All modes of transport
- ☒ Sum of all partial distances (legs)
- ☒ Total fuel consumption
- ☒ Empty trips included
- ☒ Greenhouse gas emissions and energy consumption



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Accounting steps of DIN EN 16258

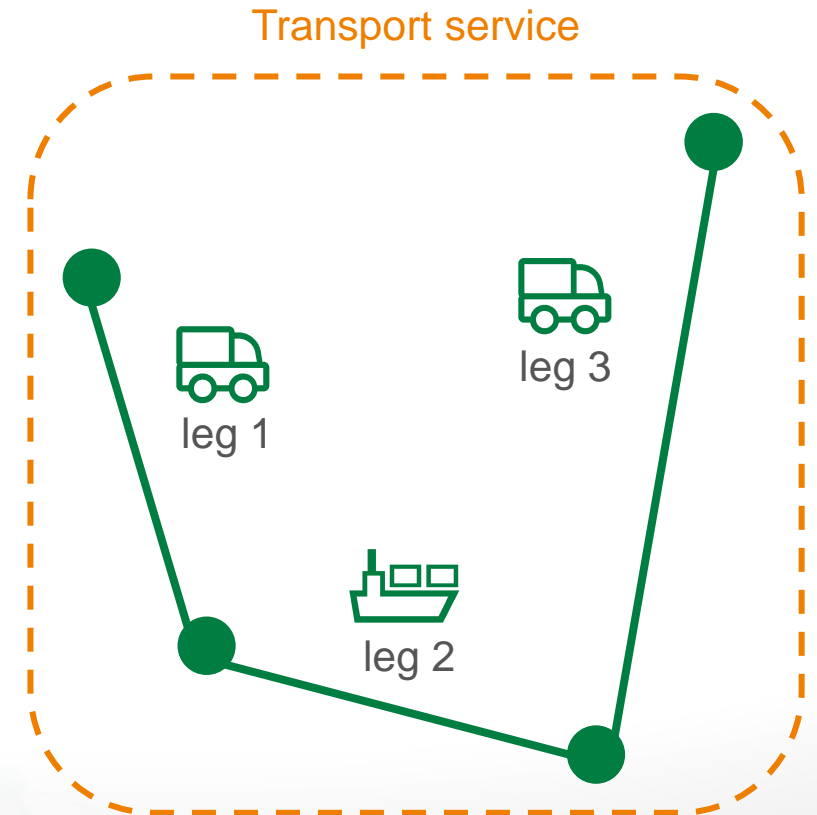
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### Definition of partial distances (legs)

- Identification of the used modes of transport for the **transportation service**
- Division into sections without change of the used modes of transport

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3



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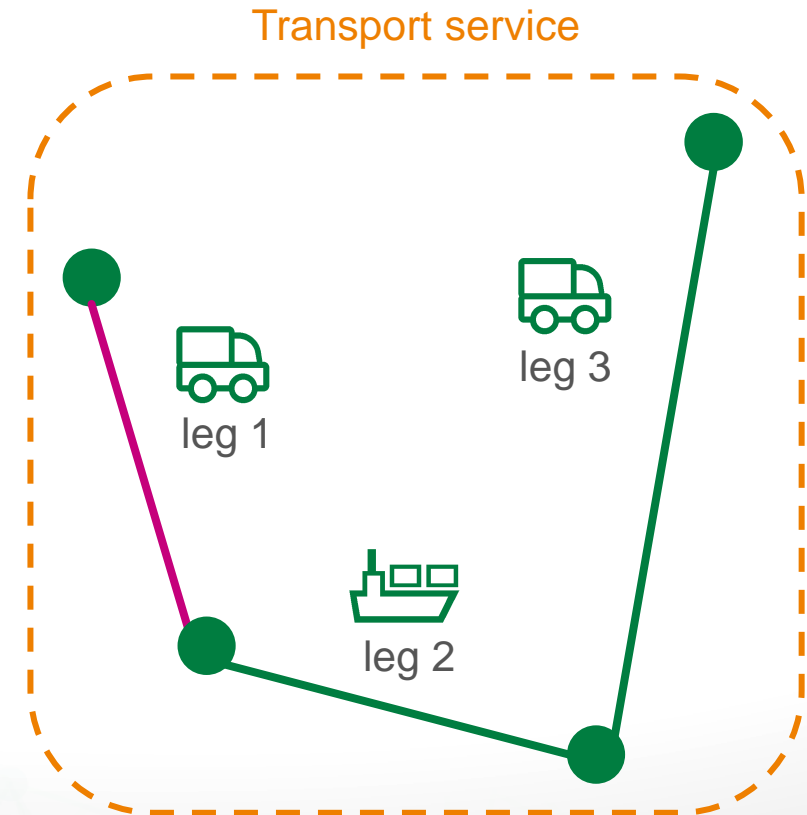
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### Calculation of energy consumption and greenhouse gas emissions per partial distances (legs)

- Definition of a **Vehicle Operation System (VOS)** per leg
- Identification of the energy consumption
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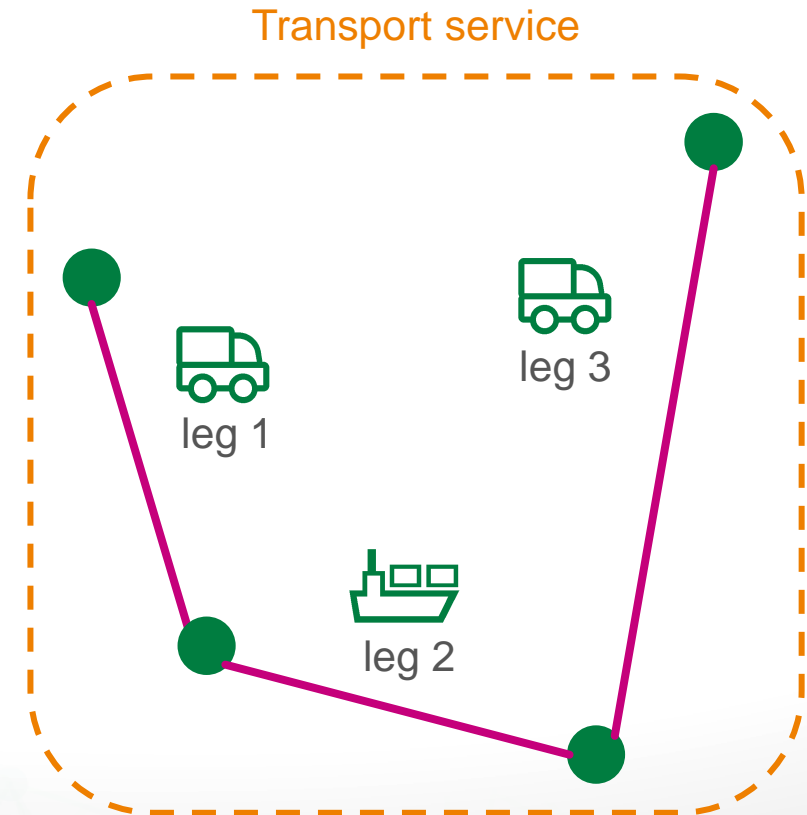
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### Totalization of the entire partial distance results

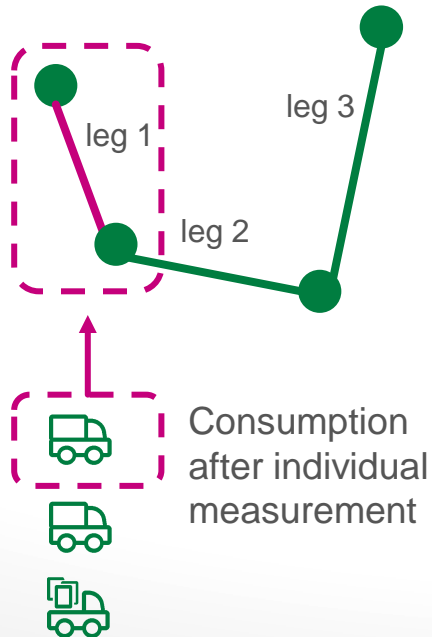


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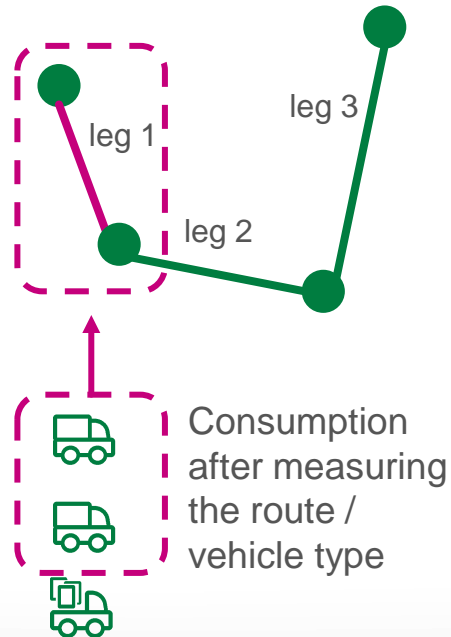
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Determination of the energy use of a defined **Vehicle Operation System (VOS)** per leg according to...

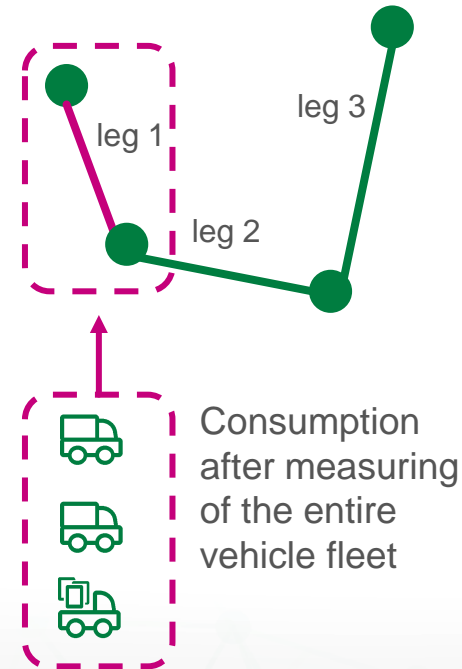
...single measured value.



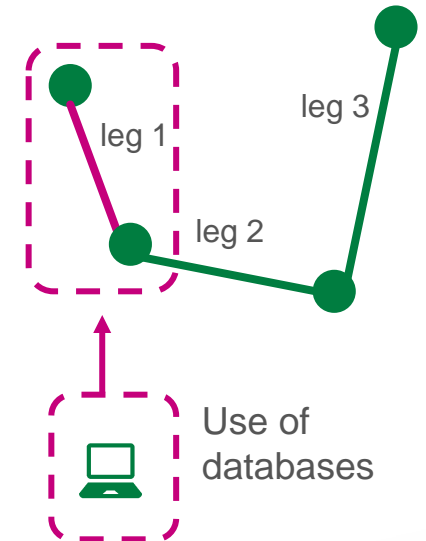
...specific value.



...Fleet value.



...Default value.



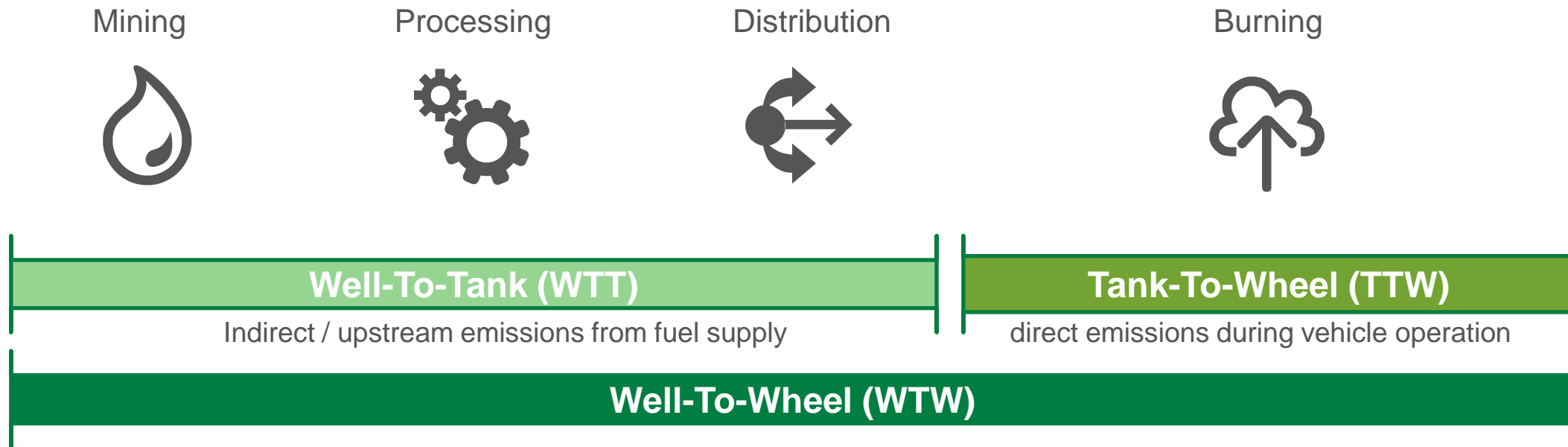
Decrease in data quality



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## 3.2 Carbon footprint of transportation services ↗↘

Determination of Key Performance Indicators (KPI) according to DIN EN 16258



Four Key Performance Indicators (KPI) must be recorded for energy consumption and greenhouse gas emissions:


- **TTW- and WTW-Energy consumption** (MJ)
- **TTW- and WTW-Greenhouse gas emissions** (CO<sub>2</sub>e)

# 3.CALCULATING A CARBON FOOTPRINT



## 3.2 Carbon footprint of transportation services ↗↘

Determination of Key Performance Indicators (KPI) according to DIN EN 16258



90 liters of Diesel

Conversion factors  
DIN EN 16258

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TTW-Energy Consumption: **3.231 MJ**

WTW-Energy Consumption : **3.843 MJ**

TTW-Greenhouse Gas Emissions: **240 kg CO<sub>2</sub>e**

WTW-Greenhouse Gas Emissions : **292 kg CO<sub>2</sub>e**

Table A.1 — Transport fuels: density, energy factor and GHG emission factor

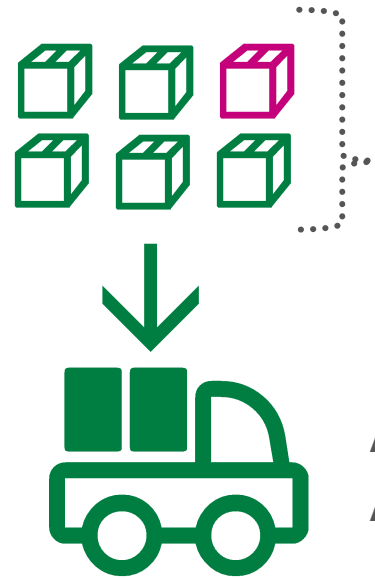
	Density (d)	Energy factor				GHG emission factor					
		Tank-to-wheels (e <sub>t</sub> )		Well-to-wheels (e <sub>w</sub> )		Tank-to-wheels (g <sub>t</sub> )			Well-to-wheels (g <sub>w</sub> )		
Fuel type description	kg/l	MJ/kg	MJ/l	MJ/kg	MJ/l	gCO <sub>2</sub> e/MJ	kgCO <sub>2</sub> e/kg	kgCO <sub>2</sub> e/l	gCO <sub>2</sub> e/MJ	kgCO <sub>2</sub> e/kg	kgCO <sub>2</sub> e/l
Ethanol	0,794	26,8	21,3	65,7	52,1	0	0	0	58,1	1,56	1,24
Gasoline/Ethanol blend 95/5	0,747	42,4	31,7	51,4	38,4	72,6	3,08	2,30	88,4	3,74	2,80
Diesel	0,832	43,1	35,9	51,3	42,7	74,5	3,21	2,67	90,4	3,90	3,24

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## 3.2 Carbon footprint of transportation services ↗↘

Allocation - splitting of energy consumption and greenhouse gas emissions to individual goods.

- Allocation method must be constant
- Special rules for round trips exist
- Allowed units:
  - Ton kilometers (Tkm) as primary unit
  - Other units only with special reason (pallets, volume, loading meters, etc.)



**Specific pallet weight: 3t**

**Cargo weight (total): 10t**

**Allocation pallet: 1 pal. (spec.) / 6 pal. (total) = 16%**

**Allocation mass: 3 t (spec.) / 10 t (total) = 30%**



# 3. CALCULATING A CARBON FOOTPRINT

## 3.2 Carbon footprint of transportation services ↗↘

Overview DIN EN 16258

- **Process standard for greenhouse gas accounting of transportation services**
  - Definition of requirement for system boundary
  - Recording of all modes of transport used
- **Calculation of energy consumption (MJ) and greenhouse gas emissions (CO<sub>2</sub>e)**
  - Specification of energy and greenhouse gas factors for the calculation of the carbon footprint given
  - Definition of allocation parameters for the splitting of the carbon footprint given
- **Advantage in competition with other companies**
  - Customer of transport service can classify service to own climate targets
  - Own reduction measures and own climate targets can be achieved



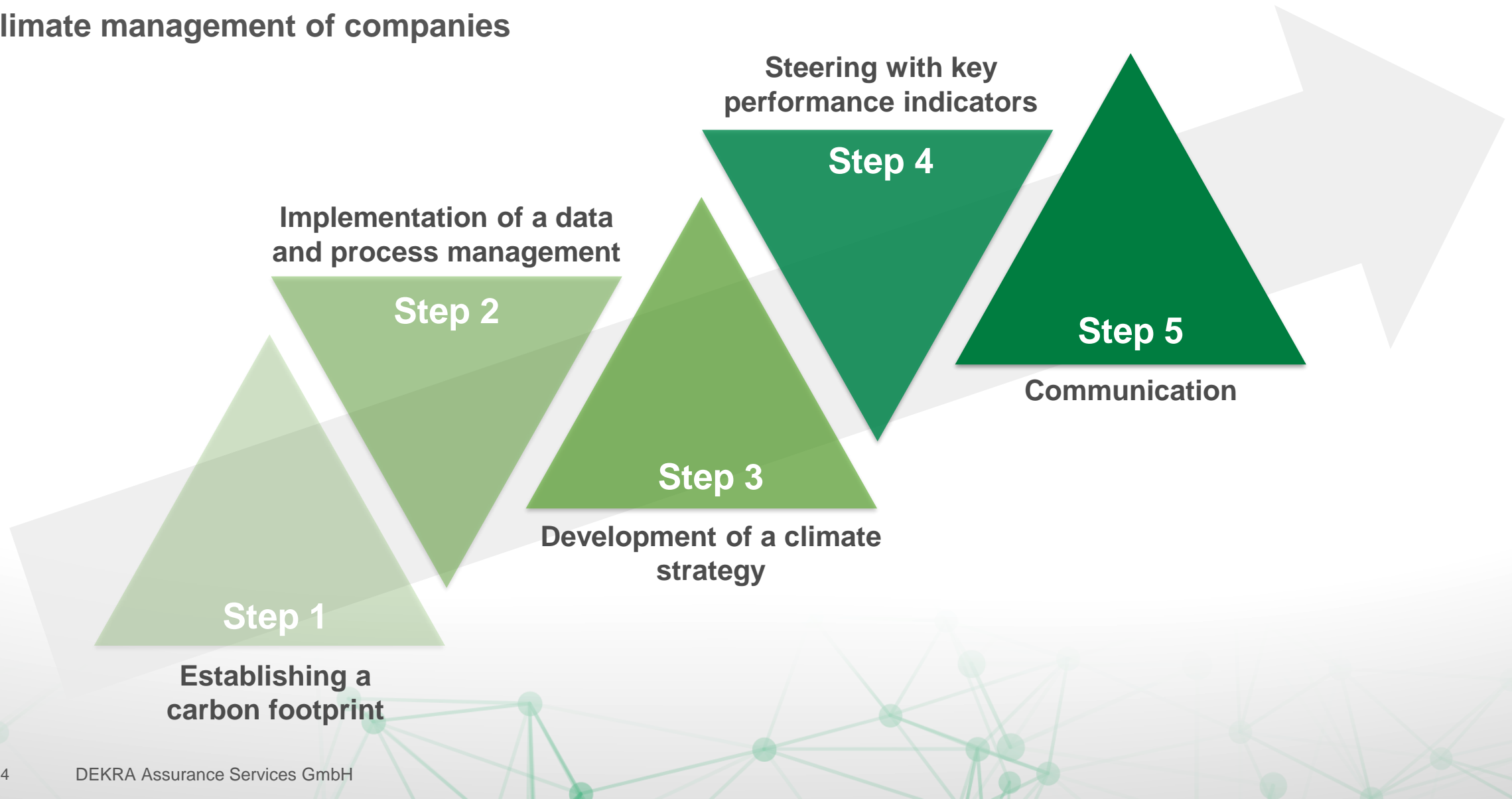


## 4. Accomplishing Carbon Neutrality



# 4. CLIMATE NEUTRALITY

## Climate management of companies



# 4. CLIMATE NEUTRALITY

## Process steps

→ **DIN EN 16258** as part of your overall carbon footprint!  
(Logistics services)

## Confirmation climate neutrality

### Data collection

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- Start meeting for the definition of required documentation
- Description of the data that will be used for the collection, documentation and processing of

### Assessment CO<sub>2</sub>e Balance

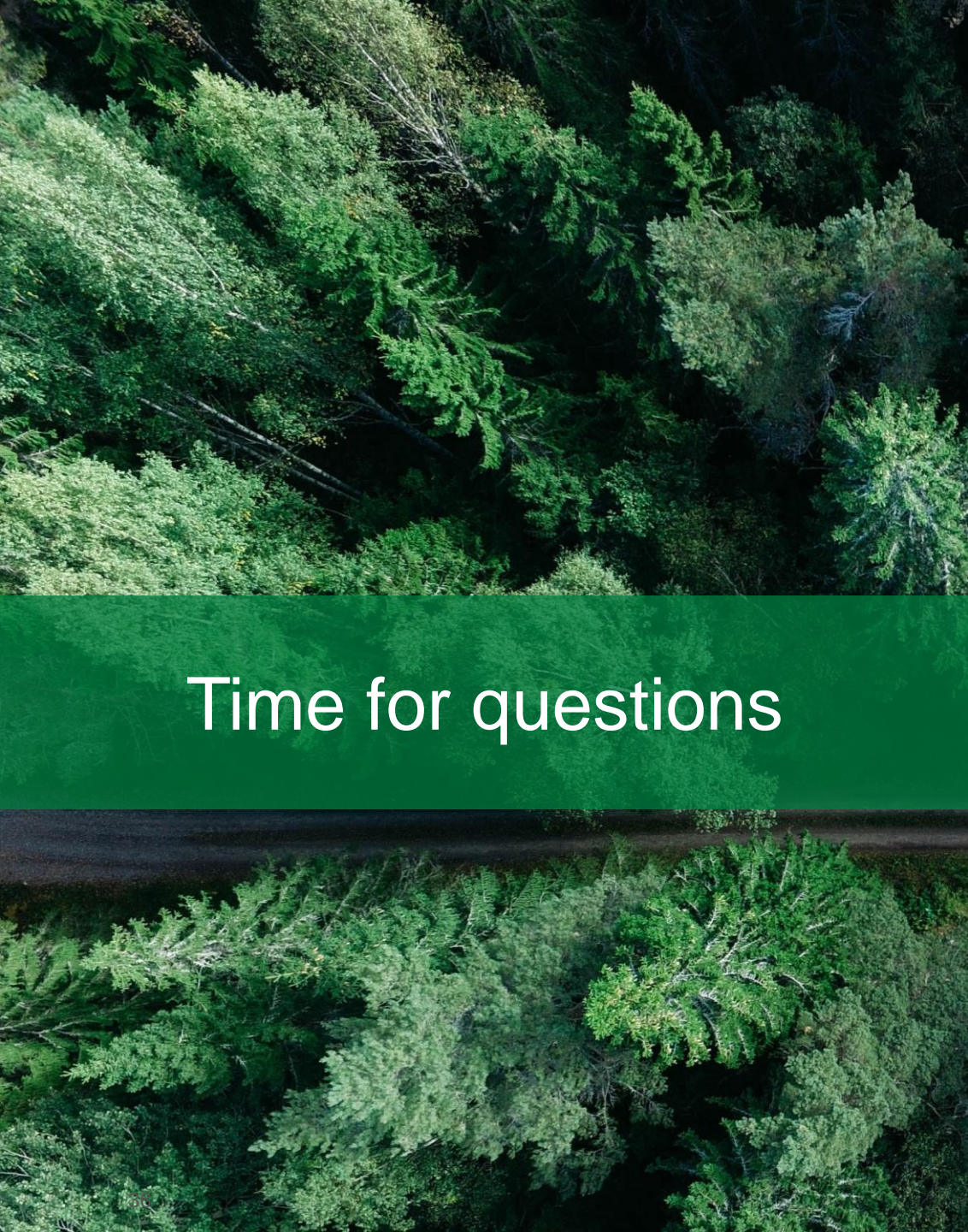
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- Verification of GHG emissions for Scope 1-3 according to Greenhouse Gas Protocol
- Examination of the procedures for the definition of the **inventory boundary** and emission sources
- Review of data basis, calculation factors and existing uncertainties
- Certificate according to Greenhouse Gas Protocol

3

- Analysis of the **reduction measures** implemented (methodology as well as type, quantity and time period of the greenhouse gas emissions saved)
- Analysis of the implemented **compensation measures** (type, quantity and time period as well as retirement of allowances)
- *Validation according to PAS 2060 (additionally possible)*



An aerial photograph of a dense, lush green forest, showing the intricate patterns of the tree canopy from above.

Time for questions





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