



## Environmental Sustainability Helpful Tools and Websites

### Why measure your workplaces carbon footprint?

Measuring your workplaces carbon footprint allows you to see the impact the workplace is having on the climate, discover reduction opportunities, action these and compare carbon savings each year. Carbon footprint is the measure of total output of greenhouse gas emissions caused by an organisation, event, product or person. The easiest way to measure carbon footprint is to use a tool, examples below.

Go to the [Sustainable Business Network](#) for more detail about calculating your workplaces carbon footprint.

### Sustainable Action Tools New Zealand

If your workplace is interested in taking the next step towards becoming sustainable there are many tools available to support the process. The tools below vary in the service they provide but many include carbon footprint measuring, sustainable action examples and training.

#### **Climate Action Toolbox (Sustainable Businesses Network)**

##### [Climate Action Toolbox](#)

- The tool helps workplaces calculate their emissions and set a baseline for future measurements.
- Allows workplaces to analyse their results and see where their emissions come from.
- Helps workplaces to create an action plan.

#### **Toitū: Carbon Assess**

##### [Toitū Carbon Assess](#)

- Carbon footprint software for small New Zealand workplaces.
- An online tool that translates workplace information into their carbon footprint.
- Can compare your results to previous years.

## **Ekos**

### [Ekos](#)

- Help organisations measure and verify their carbon footprint.
- Use the online calculator to measure emissions.
- Develop and implement a smart carbon reduction plan.
- Properly price remaining (residual) emissions and make a commitment to paying that price.

## **Websites supporting New Zealanders to reduce their carbon footprint**

### **Ag Matters**

#### [Ag Matters | Ag Matters](#)

- Provides practical information, backed by science, to help farmers and growers get to grips with climate change.

### **Energy Efficiency and Conservation Authority**

#### [EECA - Energy Efficiency & Conservation Authority | EECA](#)

- Support large and small workplaces to be world leaders in clean energy use.
- Provide information about funding opportunities for workplaces.
- Information to support workplaces with compliance in relation to product and vehicle fuel regulations.

### **Gen Less**

#### [For business | Gen Less](#)

- Stories and tools workplaces can learn from and use.
- Action examples from a range of areas within the workplace.