

Corporate Standard Training Learning Objectives

The GHG Protocol Corporate Standard Training is a perfect entry-point for corporate greenhouse gas accounting. Training participants can expect to gain the following knowledge and skills:

Introduction to the Greenhouse Gas Protocol Initiative

- How and why the GHG Protocol Corporate Standard was developed
- What the Standard should (and should not) be used for
- How a GHG inventory can bring value to a business
- How the Standard interacts with GHG programs

GHG Accounting and Reporting Principles

- The 5 principles that guide the Corporate Standard
- How the principles were developed
- How to apply the principles to your organization's inventory

Business Goals and Inventory Design

- The business goals of compiling a GHG inventory

Setting Organizational Boundaries

- How to determine which of your company's operations to include in your inventory
- Two approaches to determine a company's organizational boundaries
- Why an entity might choose one organization boundary approach over another

Setting Operational Boundaries

- Which sources of emissions to include in an inventory
- The difference between direct and indirect emissions
- How to classify emissions under Scopes 1, 2, and 3
- How to prevent double-counting of emissions
- How to classify emissions from leased assets
- How to classify emissions from biomass combustion

Tracking Emissions over Time

- How to assess your company's emissions trends
- How to choose a base year
- Why you may need to re-calculate base year emissions
- How to recalculate base year emissions

Identifying and Calculating GHG Emissions

- How to identify and calculate emissions
- Where to find relevant emission factors
- How to choose which emission factors are most appropriate for your inventory
- How to choose global warming potential values
- Where to find helpful calculation tools
- How to combine emissions from all of your organization's facilities

Reporting GHG Emissions

- Which information must be reported in a GHG inventory
- Which information may be reported optionally
- Emission reporting tips
- How to facilitate interpretation of emissions data

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