Carbon Reduction Plan Richard Wolf UK Ltd

Richard Wolf UK Ltd is committed to achieving net zero emissions by 2045 when we plan to have reduced our emissions by 90%.

Baseline Emissions Footprint vs Current Emissions Footprint Baseline emissions are a record of the greenhouse gasses 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.

Emission Scope	Baseline Emissions, 2023 (tonnes CO2e)	Current Emissions, 2023 (tonnes CO2e)
Scope 1	13.4926	13.4926
Energy Purchased (Sites, Other Emissions)**	13.3325	13.3325
Company Cars (Company Cars, Other Emissions)	0.1601	0.1601
Delivery Vehicles (Delivery Vehicles, Other Emissions)	0.0000	0.0000
Air Conditioning / Refrigerants (Other Emissions)	0.0000	0.0000
Scope 2	9.5768	9.5768
Electricity (Sites, Other Emissions)**	9.5768	9.5768
Scope 3	2,301.7744	2,301.7744
Purchased Goods and Services (Sites, Other Emissions)**	0.0274	0.0274
Capital Goods (Other Emissions)	0.0000	0.0000
Fuel & Energy Related Activities (Other Emissions)	0.0000	0.0000
Upstream Transportation & Distribution (Freighting Goods (Upstream), Other Emissions)	156.2861	156.2861
Waste Generated in Operations (Waste Disposal, Other Emissions)	1,858.4130	1,858.4130
Business Travel (Hotels, Air Travel, Public Transport & Hire Cars, Employee Owned Vehicles, Company Cars, Other Emissions)	68.6073	68.6073
Employee Commuting (Home Working, Employee Commuting, Other Emissions)	6.4037	6.4037
Upstream Leased Assets (Other Emissions)	0.0000	0.0000
Downstream Transportation & Distribution (Freighting Goods (Downstream), Other Emissions)	212.0369	212.0369
Processing of Sold Products (Other Emissions)	0.0000	0.0000
Use of Sold Products (Other Emissions)	0.0000	0.0000
End of Life Treatment of Sold Products (Other Emissions)	0.0000	0.0000
Franchises (Other Emissions)	0.0000	0.0000
Investments (Other Emissions)	0.0000	0.0000
Total	2,324.8438	2,324.8438
** Generated from renewable sources * includes WTT	0.0000	0.0000



Carbon Reduction Projects The following environmental management measures and projects are currently in progress or have been completed since the 2023 baseline.

Actions In Progress

Car Fleet Emissions			
Target Completion Date: 01/01/2027	Objective To reduce the average overall C02 emissions of the company car fleet		
	To calculate the baseline for 12 months by 2023 To reduce by 10% by 01/01/2027 *Measured by per employee average reduction Emissions of		
	cars driven by employees to be less than 93.6g/km by 2029 Encourage the use of hybrid and fully electric vehicles		
	Action, Improvement or Control		
	Educate employees on maintenance of their vehicles and raise awareness on fuel efficiency. Install electric car charging stations - complete		
Use of Recycled Paper			
Target Completion Date: 01/01/2026	Objective To change to recycled paper		
	Target		
	25% of all paper used to be recycled in 2026		
	Action, Improvement or Control		
	Purchase recycled paper wherever possible Discuss Review supplier options Add a comment on customer letters that this is a company		
	initiative.		
Use of Heating			
Target Completion Date: 01/01/2027	Objective		
	To reduce amount of energy used for heating by the organisation		
	Target		
	To reduce energy used by 15% in 2027 (aggregated electricity bill)		
	Action, Improvement or Control		
	To review and consider reducing thermostat temperatures. Ensure not		
	running heating when areas are unused. Ensure boilers serviced regularly and maintained. Reduce to stop use of electric fan heaters, to replace with		
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Electricity - Lighting, Air conditioning and general use

Target Completion Date: 01/01/2027

Objective

To reduce the amount of energy used by the organisation in relation to lighting, air conditioning and general office use

Target

To calculate the baseline for 12 months by 2023 To reduce amount of electricity used by 10% by 01/01/2027

Action, Improvement or Control

Posters reminding to turn off lights, computers and other electrical items up in office. Timers on lights in bathrooms and other appropriate spaces Change all lighting to energy saving alternatives Replace high energy rated appliances with lower energy rated versions Motion sensors for lighting in hallways and other appropriate areas Sensible use of air conditioning at an agreed ambient temperature not used in conjunction with windows being open

Transportation - Receiving and delivery of goods

Target Completion Date: 01/01/2026

Objective

Use the lowest impact transport method available

Target tbc

Action, Improvement or Control

To request environmental policies from delivery companies used. Encourage and incentivise customers to bulk buy and order efficiently Change to lower emissions transportation options eg couriers who use electric vehicles, use shipping not air freight

Generation of General Office Waste

Target Completion Date: 01/01/2027

Objective

To reduce total amount of waste

Target

Reduction of 10% in 2027

Action, Improvement or Control

Recycling posters Recycling bins/facilities available Eliminate single use items Reduce - reuse - recycle policy

Use of Water

Target Completion Date: 01/01/2026

Objective

To reduce water wastage

Target

To reduce water usage by 1-5% by 2026

Action, Improvement or Control

To ensure taps are always switched off Ensure the toilets are in good working order with water saving devices fitted Use of pressure button controlled water fountain, with immediate stop of flow

Business Mileage (private vehicle)

Target Completion Date: 01/01/2027

Objective

To calculate the business mileage done by employees and reduce

Target

To calculate the baseline for 12 months by 2023 To reduce average business mileage by field employee business mileage by 15% by 01/01/2027

Action, Improvement or Control

Increase number of virtual meetings Encourage car sharing Increase use of public transport Educate employees on maintenance of their vehicles and raise awareness on fuel efficiency. Review feasibility of a salary sacrifice scheme for electric vehicles Reduce area geographical size

Completed Actions

Declaration and Sign Off

This carbon reduction plan has been completed in accordance with PPN 06/21 and the 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 GHC Reporting Protocol corporate standard ¹ and uses the appropriate Government emission conversion factors for greenhouse gas company reporting ².

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) Standard³.

This Carbon Reduction Plan has been reviewed and signed off by the board of directors (or equivalent management body).

Ben Greaves

General Manager

Job Title

Signed on behalf of the Supplier Date

24/10/24

The methodology used to calculate the organisation's greenhouse gas emissions in this report is based on: https://www.gov.uk/government/collections/government-conversion-factors-for-company-reporting

1. https://ghgprotocol.org/corporate-standard

2. https://www.gov.uk/government/collections/government-conversion-factors-for-company-reporting

3. https://ghgprotocol.org/standards/scope-3-standard