# Annex to TUP report – EU common text

The terms of the **agreement to fulfil jointly the commitments of the European Union, its Member States[[1]](#footnote-1) and Iceland (‘the members’) under Article 3 of the Kyoto Protocol for the second commitment period of the Kyoto Protocol**, as adopted by the Conference of the Parties to the United Nations Framework Convention on Climate Change (‘UNFCCC’) serving as the meeting of the Parties to the Kyoto Protocol in Doha, by Decision 1/CMP.8, in accordance with Article 4 of the Kyoto Protocol provides that **the members will fulfil their commitments by ensuring that,** in accordance with Article 4(5) and (6) of the Kyoto Protocol, **the combined sum of the aggregate anthropogenic carbon dioxide equivalent emissions** of the greenhouse gases listed in Annex A to the Kyoto Protocol in the Member States and Iceland**does not exceed their joint assigned amount.**

The joint assigned amount of the EU, its Member States and Iceland for the period 2013-2020, as established in the initial review report, is 37 604 433 280 t CO2 eq[[2]](#footnote-2).

The assigned amounts of the individual Member States and Iceland cover the emissions from sectors and gases listed in Annex A to the Kyoto Protocol not covered by the EU’s emissions trading system (ETS), i.e., emissions covered by the EU’s [Effort Sharing Decision](https://eur-lex.europa.eu/legal-content/EN/TXT/PDF/?uri=CELEX:32009D0406). The assigned amounts for the period 2013-2020 were calculated per each Member State after exclusion of LULUCF activities. However, 6 countries (NL, UK, DK, PT, IE and LU) were allowed to include net emissions from deforestation activities in the calculation of their assigned amounts. The total amount assigned to the individual Member States and Iceland is 21 791 343 942 t CO2 eq. A breakdown of the assigned amounts per country is presented in Table A.1.

The assigned amount of the Union for the period 2013-2020 amounts to the difference between the joint assigned amount and the sum of the individual assigned amounts of the Member States and Iceland, and is, as established in the UNFCCC initial review report, 15 813 089 338 t CO2 eq. It covers emissions under the EU ETS. The sectors covered by the EU Emissions Trading System are those specified in Annex I of the [EU ETS Directive](https://eur-lex.europa.eu/legal-content/EN/TXT/PDF/?uri=CELEX:32003L0087) and taking into account the application of its Articles 24 and 27.

Based on the above, for the purpose of compliance with the second commitment period of the Kyoto protocol, the **assigned amounts of the individual Member States and Iceland should not be compared with the sum of the anthropogenic carbon dioxide equivalent emissions of the greenhouse gases listed in Annex A to the Kyoto Protocol in these individual countries** as the calculation of the assigned amounts of these countries excludes ETS emissions on their territory.

**Table A–1 - Assigned amount per member to the agreement**

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| **Country** | **Assigned amount in tonnes CO2 eq. considering Article 3 (7bis)** |
| Austria | 405.712.317 |
| Belgium | 584.228.513 |
| Bulgaria | 222.945.983 |
| Croatia | 162.271.086 |
| Cyprus | 47.450.128 |
| Czech Republic | 520.515.203 |
| Denmark | 269.377.890 |
| Estonia | 51.056.976 |
| Finland | 240.544.599 |
| France | 3.014.714.832 |
| Germany | 3.592.699.888 |
| Greece | 480.791.166 |
| Hungary | 434.486.280 |
| Ireland | 343.519.892 |
| Italy | 2.410.291.421 |
| Latvia | 76.633.439 |
| Lithuania | 113.600.821 |
| Luxembourg | 72.454.473 |
| Malta | 9.299.769 |
| Netherlands | 924.777.902 |
| Poland | 1.583.938.824 |
| Portugal | 429.581.969 |
| Romania | 656.059.490 |
| Slovakia | 202.268.939 |
| Slovenia | 99.425.782 |
| Spain | 1.766.877.232 |
| Sweden | 315.554.578 |
| United Kingdom | 2.744.937.332 |
| Iceland | 15.327.217 |
| Total | 21 791 343 942 |

1. In this Annex, ‘Member States’ should be understood as the current 27 EU Member States and the United Kingdom. [↑](#footnote-ref-1)
2. <https://unfccc.int/process/transparency-and-reporting/reporting-and-review-under-the-kyoto-protocol/second-commitment-period/initial-reports> [↑](#footnote-ref-2)