

ANNUAL REPORT



Thank you for participating in the Climate Neutral Now initiative. As committed in your pledge, you must report annually on your climate actions. To do so, please fill in this Report and send it back to us via email (climateneutralnow@unfccc.int). If you report to CDP, this report is not necessary and in this case, please advise us via email. Please fill this Report with [Adobe Acrobat Reader \(free download here\)](#).

GENERAL

1. What is the name of the reporting organization?

International Fund for Animal Welfare (IFAW)

2. Please indicate the reporting period correspondent to this Report

Starting date – dd/mm/yyyy

Ending date – dd/mm/yyyy

01/01/2022

31/12/2022

3. What are the challenges and opportunities to climate action that might affect the financial or strategic plans of your business? *Please describe here.*

IFAW recognizes that effective and measurable climate action is critical to the success of our strategic plans. We have outlined key challenges and opportunities to climate action below:

Challenges

- Coordinating sustainability initiatives across organizational operations that span 15 countries.
- Upholding sustainability initiatives in operations in remote locations.

Opportunities

- Conservation of individual animals, populations, and their habitats.
- Reduced annual energy consumption costs.
- Reduced annual costs and carbon impact of shipments by reducing and/or digitizing mailed communications.
- Participation in global networks for business leaders in climate action.
- Increased employee engagement and retention.

4. Have climate-related risks and opportunities been considered in your organization's strategy and/or financial planning? *Please describe here.*

Yes, climate-related risks and opportunities are central in IFAW's strategic planning. Climate change poses an existential risk to many of the animals and ecological systems IFAW is working to protect. Taking climate action directly alleviates pressures animals face due to climate change.

5. Did your organization's operations substantively change in the reporting period, affecting your GHG emissions?

- Yes
 No

6. Do you engage with your value chain on climate-related issues? Please advise who with. *Use control + click to select more than one entry*

Suppliers
Customers
Other partners
Do not engage

7. Please indicate any awareness raising or advocacy initiatives that were active within the reporting year. *Note that this can include those in the planning and/or implementation phases.*

IFAW educated and engaged staff across the world in the organization's GHG accounting and carbon offsets initiative. Through all-staff calls, email campaigns, and other education methods, IFAW helped staff learn more about what GHG inventories are, why they are important, and how the organization is working to lower its carbon footprint.

STEP 1. MEASURE

8.What standard or methodology are you using when measuring your GHG inventory

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GHG Protocol Corporate Reporting & Accounting Standard
GHG Protocol Product Life Cycle Accounting & Reporting Standard
ISO 14064, International Standard for GHG Emissions Inventories and Verification
PAS 2050 - Specification for the assessment of the life cycle greenhouse gas emissions of goods and services
Defra Guidance on how to measure and report
Bilan Carbone
Others

If you chose "Others", please describe below:

9.Is your GHG inventory publicly available?

- Yes
 No

If yes, please provide a web link here:

10.Which GHGs are included in your estimation?

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Carbon dioxide (CO₂)
Methane (CH₄)
Nitrous oxide (N₂O)
Hydrofluorocarbons (HFCs)
Perfluorocarbons (PFCs)
Sulphur hexafluoride (SF₆)
Hydrochlorofluorocarbons (HCFCs)
Chlorofluorocarbons (CFCs)

11. What were your GHG emissions in the reporting period (metric tons of CO2 equivalent)?

6,114

12. Which scopes are included in your GHG inventory?

Scope 1: includes direct emissions from sources owned or controlled by your organization.

Scope 2: includes indirect emissions from the purchase of electricity, steam, heating and cooling consumed by your organization.

Scope 3 - Partially: includes other indirect emissions (excluding scope 2) that occur in your organization's value chain. Scope 3 - Complete: includes all other indirect emissions (excluding scope 2) that occur in your organization's value chain.

Scope 1
Scope 2
Partial Scope 3
Complete Scope 3

13. Which categories are included in your estimation?

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Fuels
Refrigerants
Own vehicles
Electricity and Heat
Well to tank fuels
Transmission and distribution losses
Water

14. How have you developed your GHG inventory?

- Self-declared GHG inventory
- Third-party verified GHG inventory with partial scope 3
- Third-party verified GHG inventory including full scope 3

15. How much of the total emissions (metric tons of CO2 equivalent) correspond to Scope 1?

242

16. How much of the total emissions (tons of CO2 equivalent) are corresponding to Scope 2 using the Market Approach?

A market-based method reflects emissions from electricity that companies have purposefully chosen (or their lack of choice).

107

17. How much of the total emissions (tons of CO2 equivalent) are corresponding to Scope 2 using the Location Approach?

A location-based method reflects the average emissions intensity of grids on which energy consumption occurs (using mostly grid-average emission factor data).

304

18. How much of the total emissions (tons of CO2 equivalent) are corresponding to Scope 3?

Scope 3 includes indirect emissions that occur in your organization's value chain. If you are not measuring this scope, answer with "0", please.

5,765

19. Please select the categories included in your Scope 3, and their status

You can find a detailed description of the categories on the Corporate Value Chain (Scope 3) Accounting and Reporting Standard, p. 34 (<https://ghgprotocol.org/standards/scope-3-standard>)

	Relevant, calculated	Relevant, not yet calculated	Not relevant, calculated	Not relevant, not calculated
Purchased goods and services	<input type="radio"/>	<input checked="" type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Capital goods	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input checked="" type="radio"/>
Fuel-and-energy-related (non-Scopes 1 or 2)	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input checked="" type="radio"/>
Upstream transportation and distribution	<input checked="" type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Waste generated in operations	<input checked="" type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Business travel	<input checked="" type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Employee commuting	<input checked="" type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Upstream leased assets	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input checked="" type="radio"/>
Downstream transportation and distribution	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input checked="" type="radio"/>
Use of sold products	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input checked="" type="radio"/>
End of life treatment of sold products	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input checked="" type="radio"/>
Downstream leased assets	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input checked="" type="radio"/>
Franchises	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input checked="" type="radio"/>
Other (upstream)	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input checked="" type="radio"/>
Other (downstream)	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input checked="" type="radio"/>

STEP 2. REDUCE

20. Did you have a GHG emissions target that was active in the reporting year?

- Yes
- No

21. What was your GHG emissions target in the reporting year?

e.g. 5% reduction in 2021 (target year) compared to 2020 (base year)

22. What were your GHG emissions in the base year (metric tons of CO2 equivalent)?

23. Are your reductions and progress towards your targets third-party verified?

- Yes
- No

If yes, please provide a link to the verification opinion or report, or send us a copy of it (climateneutralnow@unfccc.int).

24. How developed is your plan to reduce GHG emissions?

- Target established, with incomplete or no reduction plan
- Target and reduction plan with tangible actions and intermediate reduction targets
- I have no GHG emissions reduction plan to achieve my targets

Please provide a link here or send your emissions reduction plan at climateneutralnow@unfccc.int

25. What emission reductions actions did you implement during the reporting period?

Note that this can include actions in the implementation phase.

Use control + click to select more than one entry

Energy efficiency in buildings
Waste reduction and material circularity
Low-carbon energy consumption
Low-carbon energy generation
Non-energy industrial process emissions reductions
'Green' Company policy or behavioral change
Transportation
No emissions reductions initiatives in place
Other

If you chose other, please specify here:

26. Please give details on the actions that you have implemented during this reporting period to reduce your GHG emissions.

You may want to keep in mind the GHG emissions management hierarchy (avoid, reduce, replace). e.g. for energy efficiency in buildings: change of light bulbs in the whole office

Utilized energy generated from on-site solar installations.
Sourced renewable energy for European operations.
Headquarters operating out of LEED building.
RECs purchased for US-based offices that do not utilize renewable energy from on-site production or through their utilities.
Formalized a hybrid working policy that enables many staff to work from home up to 3 days per week.

27. Has your organization achieved at least 5% reduction in your GHG inventory from the last reporting period to this one?

- Yes
- No

STEP 3. CONTRIBUTE

28. Are you contributing to encourage more emission reductions, avoidance or capture through the use of carbon credits (offsets)?

If you answer to this question is 'No' skip the last questions and save your Report

- Yes, all my emissions
- Yes, part of my emissions
- No contribution

29. Please indicate the types of offsets you are using in your climate strategy

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Reduction and avoidance (e.g. renewal energy, biomass waste, cookstoves, transport)
Short-term capture (e.g. forestry, peatland management, mangroves restoration)
Long term capture (e.g Carbon Capture & Storage, Biomass with Carbon Capture Storage.)

30. Please specify here your offsets according to the each standard

CDM	6,114.00
VCS	
Gold Standard	
CCBS	
Other	
Total	6,114.00

Please provide a link to a relevant public registry/website or send us the certificate to climateneutralnow@unfccc.int

Certificates to be emailed.

31. Which scopes did you offset?

Scope 1
Scope 2
Partial Scope 3
Complete Scope 3

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We will get back to you in up to one week