

Our targets

Our science-based target

Achieve our science-based carbon reduction target:

- Reduce operational carbon emissions intensity by 36% by 2025.
- Reduce carbon emissions intensity from our supply chain and customer homes by 24% by 2030.

By adopting a science-based carbon reduction target we will reduce our footprint in line with the Paris Climate Agreement. Our targets have been approved by the Science Based Targets initiative which has confirmed that our operational target is consistent with reductions required to keep warming to 1.5°C. Our scope 3 goal meets the SBTi's criteria for ambitious value chain goals, in line with current best practice.

We will track our progress using an intensity metric, enabling us to reduce emissions as our business grows and we deliver homes to more customers.

Reducing energy use and switching to renewable sources

Reduce operational energy intensity by 32% for UK building sites by 2025.

Purchase 100% REGO backed green electricity for all new sites.

We will reduce some emissions at source by improving our energy efficiency as well as switching to renewable electricity.

Reducing emissions from our supply chain and customer homes

Reduce embodied carbon per home by 21% by 2030.

Reduce emissions from customer homes in use by 75% by 2030.

Our increased focus on scope three emissions will see us cut greenhouse gas emissions associated with materials and the products we buy (embodied carbon) and make our homes more energy efficient for customers.

Tackling emissions from transport

Reduce car and grey fleet emissions by 50% by 2025.

Make it easier for 40,000 customers to work from home and enable more sustainable transport choices through 36,000 EV charging points and 3,000 additional bike stands by the mid 2020s.

We'll tackle our own emissions from transport and also help customers to reduce their impact.

Adapt our business to a changing climate

Update our policies and processes to reflect the risks and opportunities from a changing climate by 2022.

We'll make sure our business is prepared for the impacts of climate change and do what we can to mitigate the impact on our customers.

Progress so far

- 30% reduction in carbon emissions intensity since 2013.
- 39% reduction in absolute carbon emissions since 2013.
- 58% green electricity purchased.
- 'B' rating in CDP Climate Change.

