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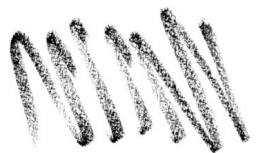
# We are Planet Mark Certified

Year 1.



**This is to certify that Bates Office Supplies has achieved the Planet Mark by reporting its carbon footprint and engaging its stakeholders.**

Valid to: 31 March 2021



**Empowering change for a brighter future.**

The Planet Mark is a sustainability certification for every type of organisation, for products and for real estate. Our certification recognises continuous improvement, encourages action and builds an empowered community of like-minded individuals who make a world of difference.



## Measure

**1,102.5 tCO<sub>2</sub>e**

Total carbon footprint.

**9.0 tCO<sub>2</sub>e**

Total carbon footprint per employee.

We are committed to reducing our carbon emissions yearly so that together, we can all halt climate change.

- Reporting Boundary: 3 UK Operational sites - Rochester, Crewe and Bridgend
- Emission Sources: Electricity, T&D losses, natural gas, water, waste and fleet travel
- Reporting Period: 01 Jan 2019 - 31 Dec 2019



## Engage

**123**

FTE employees.

We engage our employees and wider stakeholders to unlock their talent and knowledge to drive year on year progress in sustainability.



## Communicate

**4**

**Sustainable Development Goals.**

We recognise that transparent communication is essential for transformational change and we quantifiably contribute to 4 SDG's.