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News from the Centre for Sustainability Accounting (CenSA)

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PRODUCT NEWS

TBL2 UK now available

TBL2 UK is the successor of our successful Bottomline3 UK tool and is now available for UK consultancies. TBL2 offers complete carbon footprint and triple bottom line accounting for companies and organisations, based on Nobel-Prize-winning, environmental input-output analysis. A full upstream scope 3 (supply chain) accounting of greenhouse gases of any organisation can easily be performed by using its financial accounts. The 2010 edition distinguishes 246 economic sectors. > See <http://www.censa.org.uk/tbl2.html> for further information.

SERVICE NEWS

Supply chain (scope 3) GHG emission factors from CenSA

CenSA calculates and supplies [scope 3 \(supply chain\) GHG emission factors](http://www.censa.org.uk/scope3.html) to the UK Department for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs (Defra). We constantly update these factors using the most recent national economic and environmental accounts data. The factors supplied to Defra have been aggregated to 76 sectors. Our calculations, however, allow us to calculate supply chain emission factors for over 500 product groups, depending on the requirements of the client. > Read more on <http://www.censa.org.uk/scope3.html>.

SERVICE NEWS

TBL2 features on Environment Tools Directory

The Environment Tools Directory has recently been created by Aether and ENDS, providing detailed information on over 300 tools for environmental accounting. Tools can be searched by a variety of keywords and categories. TBL2 is one of the featured tools and received highest ratings in a review. > [Read more](#).

PARTNER NEWS

BioRegional becomes CenSA partner

BioRegional Development Group with headquarters at the BedZED Centre, Surrey are the latest sustainability consultancy to become a partner of CenSA. BioRegional is an entrepreneurial charity which initiates and delivers practical sustainability solutions, and assists others to achieve sustainability through consultancy, education and informing policy. The Footprinting and Materials Team at BioRegional will use CenSA's tool TBL2 to produce sustainability assessments in a wide range of projects. > [visit BioRegional](#)

PROJECT NEWS

NHS London - Barts & the Royal London NHS Trust

CenSA partner ARUP have undertaken a full consumption-based footprint and intervention study as part of a regional London NHS carbon footprint research project. The first Trust-level study was carried out with Barts and the London NHS Trust (BLT) and was the first where interventions were linked to estimated costs and carbon savings, following hot-spots from the CF analysis undertaken with CenSA's TBL tool. > [download summary report](#)

REPORT NEWS

Northern Rail

The largest train operating company in the UK, Northern Rail, has worked with the Centre for Sustainable Accounting and Gutteridge, Haskins & Davey Ltd to measure its carbon footprint. The joint CenSA/GHD report, now published, provides an analysis of the total GHG footprint, and has helped Northern Rail understand the structure of its footprint and develop improvement measures. > see [Northern Rail](#) website for details > [download report](#)

REPORT NEWS

Frequently Asked Questions about IOA

This Special Report tries to answer some of the questions that have been posed repeatedly by practitioners and decision-makers who might have heard about IOA but are doubtful about its usefulness for environmental analysis. Triggered by the need to achieve consistency in carbon footprint standards, there has been much debate recently about the contributions that IOA can make to carbon footprint analysis. > [download report](#)

Companies on the Scale - 2nd Edition

The second edition of our popular report "Companies on the Scale" is about comparing and benchmarking the sustainability performance of businesses based on a consistent accounting and reporting scheme using environmental input-output analysis and data from all three dimensions of sustainability. > [download report](#)

PUBLICATION NEWS

ESR Special Issue

A Special Issue of the journal *Economic Systems Research* on 'Carbon Footprint and Input-Output Analysis' has been published, edited by CenSA director Dr Tommy Wiedmann. The Special Issue brings together state-of-the-art research in environmental-economic modelling with the practice of greenhouse gas accounting at various levels. The six articles range from product, corporate and sector carbon footprinting to national and multi-national carbon accounting. > [go to Special Issue website](#)

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