

3.D.1. Initiatives

CO2 Performance Ladder

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1 Introduction

As of 2012, we are certified at level 3 of the CO₂ Performance Ladder. The Ladder is managed by the Foundation for Climate Friendly Procurement and Business (SKAO) and is intended to encourage companies to gain insight into their own CO₂ emissions and those of their suppliers and to reduce emissions where possible. The Ladder is being used by more and more clients in tenders. Depending on the height on the ladder, clients give an advantage during the tender (Contract value in recent years: 5 billion) or the ladder is being used as exclusion criteria.

This document further discusses the CO₂ initiatives in which we participate.

2 Explanation of CO₂ initiatives

To draw up the overview of initiatives, we mainly looked at the initiatives in which fellow companies and clients participate. In many cases, these are initiatives that also may be of interest to us.

From the initiatives that fellow companies participate in, it is clear that they face the same challenge with regard to reducing the CO₂ Footprint. Nearly all initiatives concern the reduction of CO₂ caused by the logistical part of the organization. In addition, several fellow companies participate in the same initiative.

Allinq is actively involved in various initiatives. Below is an overview with a brief explanation. We were one of the founders of the initiative "Sustainability Business Parks Harderwijk".

Chain initiative: Sustainability Booster KPN

Allinq participated with 5 colleagues in KPN's Sustainability Booster. In addition, we have agreed to participate with KPN (time and money) in the Proof of Concept of the best idea: The neighborhood battery.

The Netherlands CO₂ Neutral

Allinq has become a member of the Netherlands CO₂ Neutral Foundation (Nederland CO₂ Neutraal) and actively participates in meetings and workshops. In this way, interpretation is given to the requirements 3.D.1 and 5.C.1 of the CO₂ Performance Ladder (SKAO).

Environmental initiative: "Sustainability Business Parks Harderwijk"

Allinq plays an active role in a working group, established in 2015, which aims to make the business parks in Harderwijk more sustainable under the name "Sustainability Business Parks Harderwijk". The action plan includes various measures, that companies in the fields can use to reduce their CO₂ emissions. We are also in discussion with the municipality of Harderwijk about how we can contribute to the environmental objectives of the municipality.

