



NZ Sustainable Steel Certification Programme

Applicant Guide and Technical Requirements

for

Sustainable Practices Certification

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Please note

This Sustainable Practices Certification (SPC) is recognised by the 'expiring' NZ Green Building Council - Green Star **As-Built** certification scheme

It is not recognised by the new **Green Star Buildings NZ** - Green Star Responsible Products Programme (RPP) certification.

The SSC RPP technical guide can be found on your audit portal.

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Please note:

this document is updated occasionally as a result of user feedback – especially during this first year of operation.

Always refer to the current version available through the SSC audit portal

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About the SSC Sustainable Practices Certification

The **SSC Sustainable Practices Certification** is a response to the ever-present and increasing global focus on the sustainable performance and decarbonisation of the construction industry, including the exponential growth in demand for lower embodied carbon, more sustainable construction materials and high quality socially responsible business practices.

Our industry and our members are facing increased demands from their clients for evidence of environmental certification.

The programme engages the steel value chain by certifying steel manufacturers, importers, fabricators, roll formers, recyclers, and reinforcing processors and verifying the steel supply from upstream steel manufacturers, and their own businesses, against best practice environmental, social and governance (ESG) sustainability indicators.

This document outlines the underpinning principles and technical requirements for achieving compliance under each level of the Sustainable Steel Council's **Sustainable Practices certification** programmes.

Audit applicants are assessed against the Programme's principles and supporting criteria in terms of their:

- Corporate governance and management systems to ensure business integrity, good operations and governance.
- Implementation of appropriate management and control systems at the manufacturing/processing site level.
- Systems to manage environmental, social and health impacts of steel products in their site-specific steel manufacturing or processing operations, and across their supply chain.

The SSC Sustainable Practices Certification requirements are scored on a scale of 1 -3 and Level 3/Level 2/Level 1 certification is awarded based on the total score.

We recognise that as businesses grow, they become more complex with more moving parts, therefore a small business is not expected to have the same level of resources as a large business to effect similar performance outcomes. So, the SSC Sustainable Practices scoring regime recognises a small business for being excellent in terms of what a small business should have, and the same principle applies for medium and large businesses. Business size is assessed as the SSC membership level of the business.

The Certification Framework

The Sustainable Practices framework is an assessment methodology developed by SSC to evaluate how product supply chains must evolve to meet the environmental and social challenges of the coming decade. The framework recognises meaningful sustainability initiatives that align with five core principles:



Principle 1: Governance

The objective of this principle is to provide a foundation, ensuring that all necessary systems and processes are in place so that SSC members can meet the requirements of good governance and management.



Principle 2: Responsible

The objective of this principle is that the impacts and contents of steel sourced and processed by SSC certified members are transparently disclosed and meet high standards.



Principle 3: Healthy

The objective of this principle is that the steel used by SSC certified companies is low or non-toxic and drives valuable social outcomes



Principle 4: Positive

The objective of this principle is to minimise the environmental impact from the operational processes of SSC certified companies and to deliver circular outcomes.



Principle 5: Circular

The objective of this principle is to avoid significant environmental impact from the manufacturing processes of SSC certified companies and to deliver circular outcomes.

The framework is intentionally flexible, allowing suppliers to have their existing sustainability initiatives recognised within the certification, provided these initiatives align with the above principles.

Governance

- 1.1 Business Integrity
- 1.2a Management Systems: Governance
- 1.2b Management Systems: Health and Safety
- 1.3 Stakeholder Engagement
- NZ5 Corporate Social Responsibility

Responsible

- 2.1 Environmental Management System
- 2.2 Environmental Product Declarations (EPDs)
- 2.3 Health Impacts Declaration

Healthy

- 3.1 Paints and Coatings
- 3.2 Manufacturing OH&S Assessment
- 3.3 *No longer required*
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Positive

- 4.1 Steel Supply Sourcing
- 4.2 Carbon Emissions Reduction
- NZ6 Electricity Supply and Consumption

Circular

- 5.1 Resource Management
- NZ7 Scope 3 Carbon Footprint

Certification Levels

The SSC Sustainable Practices Certification (SPC) programme has three levels of achievement, Level 3, Level 2, Level 1.

Each level of achievement for each question is scored of 0, 1,2 or 3 depending on the level of achievement

Each Credit section in this guide will tell you what is required to achieve the credit, and the alternative pathways to compliance.

Where a question in this document has multiple levels displayed in a single row – it indicates that the same evidence criteria apply for all the indicated levels.

Evidence	Level 1	Level 2	Level 3
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Preparing Your Audit Submission

Let us know when you are ready to start your audit process so we can send you an invitation to the on-line audit submission portal.

Be sure to read the audit portal user guide before you log into the portal the first time.

Please be sure to seek advice from your SSC Audit Support Specialist before you commence your review and planning for your audit submission.

Some quick notes once you have your audit portal invitation:

- The on-line audit app is set up to open a new browser tab when you are working on your submission – the home page tab will always be open for you to go back to – so you can access links and templates
- The audit resources will become active when you select ‘ **Edit All** ’ at the top left of the audit form.
- Remember to **click SAVE** before you finish a session in the portal.
- The **file name** for ALL evidence documents uploaded must begin with the Credit number it belongs to (i.e. 4.1 [*my file name*]). The Auditor may refuse to accept your submission if this requirement is not followed.
- We recommend you ask your SSC Audit Support Specialist to review your submission before you submit for the auditor for evaluation.

1.1 Business Integrity – Code of Conduct		
The Applicant promotes ethical and responsible decision-making and complies with all relevant policies, laws, regulations, and codes of best business practice.		
About	<p>A Code of Conduct is a set of rules or standards of conduct for employees of an organisation to follow, including the relationship between employees and with their customers.</p> <p>They can guard against misconduct and opportunistic behaviour, while fostering long-term changes to business culture.</p> <p>Records of communication and training of employees in the Code of Conduct must be provided. If there is an external or internal complaint about breaches of the Code of Conduct, evidence that the Applicant has addressed the complaint must be provided</p>	
Evidence	Level 1 (1point)	
		<p>The applicant provides evidence that it is developing and/or implementing a formalised code of conduct including evidence they have policies for at least three of the matters listed in the criteria for Level 2.</p> <p>Evidence to include</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • minutes of meetings to discuss development and or implementation • evidence that someone is designated to lead the project.
	Level 2 (2 points)	
		<p>The Applicant’s ethics and operating principles are formalised in a written Code of Conduct under development with at least four of the Level 3 level requirements completed and implemented.</p>
	Level 3 (3 points)	
	Either	Provide evidence of current certification to ISO:9001
	or	<p>The Applicant’s ethics and operating principles are formalised in a written Code of Conduct addressing the following matters:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Inclusion and Diversity • Conflicts of interest • Anti-bribery and corruption • Whistleblower mechanism • Confidentiality • Engaging with communities

		<p>Management and employees must be aware of and trained in the Code of Conduct, and the policy should be periodically reviewed.</p> <p>Evidence to include</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Supply copy of the Code • Supply evidence of training • Evidence of dissemination and periodic review
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1.2a Business Governance

The Applicant ensures that the company operates with good operational governance.

Evidence	Level 1 (1point)	
		There is evidence that work is scheduled and under way to implement processes required to meet criteria for Level 2.
	Level 2 (2 points)	
		Provide evidence that at least five of the bullet point requirements for Level 3 are completed or substantively completed
	Level 3 (3 points)	
	Either	The applicant to provide evidence of current certification to ISO:9001
	or	<p>The Applicant has a business management system that includes:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Values, Mission or Purpose, and Vision. • above prominently displayed around workplaces and company electronic portal. • Supplier Code of Conduct • policies, procedures, and processes. • roles and responsibilities. • policies/procedures available to employees –appropriate format and languages. • a risk register identifying significant risks

1.2b Safety Management System		
The Applicant ensures that the wellbeing, safety and health of employees, contractors, and visitors are of the highest priority		
Evidence	Level 1 (1point)	
		Evidence that work is under way to develop the requirements for Level 2- at least four of the Level 2 requirements are met.
	Level 2 (2 points)	
		<p>The H&S Policy is:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • kept current with workplace changes and legislation. • signed by senior management and communicated to all employees. • clearly displayed around the workplace. <p>AND</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Survey and list of Hazardous Chemicals • Hazard analysis conducted and documented for all activities or operations. • SDS and procedures for handling of hazardous chemicals available to staff. • Evidence that workers are trained for high hazard areas they are exposed to • Near misses (near hits) and incidents are recorded, analysed, and findings implemented. • Annual internal safety audits are carried out and records kept • H&S meeting minutes available to all staff • Evidence of follow through on meeting minutes/actions
	Level 3 (3 points)	
	Either	Applicant can provide evidence of current Site Safe SiteWise or Tōtika or ISO45001 certification
	or	<p>All Level 2 requirements are met</p> <p>AND</p> <p>The H&S policy is signed by each member of the Board of Directors -or- The Board of Directors has a Board H&S Charter signed by all Directors</p> <p>AND</p> <p>The Health and Safety system is managed by or audited by a person or entity with formal WHS qualification or certification.</p>

1.3 Stakeholder Engagement	
The Applicant demonstrates two-way communication with relevant stakeholders and provides suitable opportunities for communication.	
About	<p>Applicants can choose to complete the SSC template provided or provide evidence in another form.</p> <p>Applicants are to determine who their relevant stakeholders are, including suppliers, customers, and employees and identify these and provide evidence of communication in any form including but not limited to emails, memos, website content, or meeting minutes.</p>
Evidence	Level 1 (1point)
	<p>Either Applicant can demonstrate active engagement in the development of stakeholder communications. Including local stakeholders potentially affected by the applicant's operations.</p>
	<p>or Provide evidence of TOITU Enviromark certification</p>
	Level 2 (2 points)
	<p>Either The Applicant meets the criteria for SSC Level 1 PLUS provides evidence of;</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • proactive outreach or communication*, supporting the Applicant’s sustainability goals and/or requirements and/or promoting membership of the Sustainable Steel Council to clients, suppliers, other stakeholders, attending industry meetings or contributing to SSC activities <p>* any form including but not limited to emails, memos, website content, meeting minutes.</p>
	Level 3 (3 points)
	<p>Either Applicant provides evidence of current ISO14001</p>
	<p>or The Applicant meets the criteria for Level 2 PLUS has a relevant stakeholder list with communications plan including stating the purpose and value proposition for the stakeholder relationship.</p>

2.1. Environmental Management System

The Applicant has an environmental management system in place to manage the environmental impacts from the manufacturing of the product.

Evidence	Level 1 (1point)	
		The applicant demonstrates processes for ensuring compliance with environmental risks arising from operations. Processes are documented in some form and staff are aware of them. Evidence of compliance
	Level 2 (2 points)	
		<p>The Applicant can provide documented evidence of</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> monthly audits of key environmental risk areas such as chemical storage and handling, water runoff, emissions to the air, availability and use of personal protective equipment, expiry dates. an Impacts and Aspects Risk Register detailing actual and potential environmental impacts including likelihood and severity, and controls for key risks.
	Level 3 (3 points)	
	Either	Provide evidence of current certification to ISO14001 or TOITU Level 3 or Diamond certification.
	or	Has an environmental management system with a third party audited environmental management system that is currently compliant or certified.
	or	<p>Has a bespoke environmental management system that</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> meets the requirements for SSC's Environmental Pathways Guide provides processes for document control. assigns accountability for policy implementation to senior management.

2.2 Environmental Product Declaration

The Applicant can provide a product-specific environmental product declaration/s (EPD) for the steel product/s they manufacture, on request. EPDs must be provided for at least the minimum threshold value (MTV) - 70% - of the finished steel product/s manufactured.

Exemption	<i>Applicants that manufacture custom, made-to-order steel products, rather than a defined steel product range, are exempt from verifying their contribution of additional manufacturing GWP (Global Warming Potential)</i>	
Mandatory	Applicants must use the SSC 2.1 Steel Supply Sourcing Form	
Evidence	Level 1 (1 point)	
		<p>The Applicant can provide a product-specific environmental product declaration/s (EPDs) for the steel product/s they manufacture, on request. EPDs must be provided for at least the MTV - 45% - of the finished steel product/s manufactured.</p> <p><u>The product-specific EPD/s provided must:</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Comply with EN 15804. • Include all required environmental impact categories, including disclosure of carbon emissions. • Specifically apply to the product/s supplied. • Cover at least the MTV (by weight) of the finished steel product/s manufactured.
	Level 2 (2 points)	
		As per Level 1 – but requires EPDs for- 60% - of the finished steel product/s manufactured.
	Level 3 (3 points)	
		As per Level 1 – but requires EPDs for- 70% - of the finished steel product/s manufactured.

2.3 Health Impacts Declaration

The Applicant has published a Health Impacts Declaration(s) for the steel products processed.

Definition	<p>The Health Impacts Declaration(s) must include:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Relevant lifecycle phases – transport, installation, use, maintenance, end of life • Physical and chemical health impacts • Normal SDS (Safety Data Sheet) content related to health impacts • Expansion of hazard and risk phase implications to explain the health impacts clearly for users • Required safeguards for health and wellbeing during life cycle of product from point of sale through to end of life <p>The Health Impacts Declaration must be publicly available on the Applicant’s website, and the content must be written at an accessible level by all who need to understand the safety precautions related to using the product. It must address all known hazards, both those included in the SDS (if one exists) and any other known physical and chemical hazards.</p>	
Evidence	Level 1 (1 point)	
		Work is underway to meet this requirement, at least 50% of required declarations are substantively complete. Requires list of products requiring declaration – list matches SDS listing
	Level 2 (2 points)	
		<p>Health impacts declaration(s) provided that contain full disclosure of any potential physical and chemical health impacts</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • hazards and actions explained in everyday language • ensure that required safeguards are clearly explained <p>The applicant can demonstrate they have the following available to staff – and staff are trained to use them.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • SDS (Safety Data Sheet) content related to health impacts • Clearly explanations of the health impacts for users • Required safeguards for health and wellbeing while the product is in the applicant’s control
	Level 3 (3 points)	
	Either	Provide evidence of TOITU Enviromark Gold or Diamond certification - PLUS – Health Impacts Declaration (s) that meet the Definition.
	or	All elements for Level 2 are met BUT the mandatory SSC 2.3 Health Impacts Declaration is not used template is not used

3.1. Paints and Coatings

Any paints and coatings applied to steel products, by the applicant or its subcontractors, assessed under SSC certification are applied in a way that is safe for workers and occupants of buildings.

Evidence	Level 1	Level 2	Level 3
	Either	The following specifications are required when applying paints and coatings: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. All paints and coatings applied to steel products, applied both on-site and off-site, must be applied in accordance with the paint manufacturer specifications, including WHS requirements and drying time of paint. 2. Paints and coatings applied on steel at a building site, where the building occupant is not exposed to painted elements will be exempt from requirements 3. Paints and coatings applied by the applicant on steel at a building site, or applied by subcontractors under its control, in regularly occupied areas must be applied according to the manufacturer's directions. 4. Galvanised coatings applied to steel products are exempt from Credit 3.1 	
	or	Current certification to the Painting Contractor Certification Programme (PCCP) is deemed to comply.	
	or	If applicant does not apply coatings, complete and submit the Mandatory Letter of Assurance using the SSC Template.	

3.2 Manufacturing OH&S Assessment

Workers are protected from physical, chemical, and biological risks of harm.

About	<p>Health and wellbeing risks/hazards include but are not limited to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • physical (noise, slips, trips and falls; abrasions, burns, strains and sprains; manual handling injuries; and inhalation of fumes, dust or fibres), • chemical (toxic, corrosive, carcinogenic, mutagenic and reprotoxic substances) • biological (viruses, bacteria, protozoa and other microorganisms as well as animals, plants and animal or plant products that can create a hazard to human health). 	
Evidence	Level 1 (1 point)	
		Evidence of commitment and progress towards Level 2
	Level 2 (2 points)	
		Evidence of a health and safety system and periodic internal review and or external audit of the system.
	Level 3 (3 points)	
	Either	Provide evidence of current certification to ISO:45001:2008.
	or	Site Safe SiteWise or Tōtika certification
	or	ACC Accredited Employer Scheme
	or	<p>Provide evidence that the Applicant's OH&S Management System:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Identifies any potential physical, chemical, and biological hazards to personnel during operations. • Assesses hazards and risks and implement controls to eliminate risks to health and safety so far as is reasonably practicable. • Provides personnel with the skills and knowledge to identify hazards within the workplace, conduct risk assessments of those hazards and implement appropriate control measures to remedy them. • Is audited internally or by third party for compliance to safety management system.

3.4 Modern Slavery

Applicants do not engage in modern slavery and seek assurance that it is not present in its supply chain. Where modern slavery is found in the supply chain, there is an implemented plan to remove it.

Evidence	Level 1 (1point)	Level 2 (2 points)	Level 3
	Either	Applicants to provide evidence that at least 70% of steel purchases (excluding fixings) are sourced from suppliers that are currently certified to the ASI or SSC Responsible Products Level 3 or Level 2 level and/or sourced from SSC or ASI verified steel suppliers.	
	or	<p>Applicants do not engage in modern slavery and seek assurances from primary suppliers, that it is not present in their supply chain.</p> <p>The Applicant must:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Conduct a risk assessment and provide a modern slavery statement. • The risk assessment and statement must account for 80% of materials being sourced from direct suppliers, including international suppliers. <p>All actions being taken to eliminate modern slavery in the supply chain must be documented.</p>	

4.1 Steel Supply Sourcing

The Applicant sources steel from manufacturers that meet best practice responsible manufacturing requirements.

Evidence	Level 1 (1 point)	
		The applicant has achieved Level 1 criteria for Credit 2.2
	Level 2 (2 points)	
		The applicant has achieved Level 2 criteria for Credit 2.2
	Level 3 (3 points)	
	Either	Applicants to provide evidence that at least 70% of steel purchases (excluding fixings) are sourced from suppliers that are currently <u>certified</u> to the ASI or SSC Responsible Products Level 2a or 2b, or Level 3 Mandatory SSC 4.1 Steel Supply Sourcing template must be used.
	or	Applicants to provide evidence that at least 70% of steel purchases (excluding fixings) are sourced from SSC or ASI <u>verified</u> steel suppliers, or from Responsible Steel™ certified mills. Mandatory SSC 4.1 Steel Supply Sourcing template must be used.
	or	The Applicant has achieved Level 3 criteria for Credit 2.2
	or	The Applicant must: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Maintain records to demonstrate that the steel feedstock for the steel products assessed, is sourced from SSA, Responsible Steel™, or EcoChoice Aotearoa verified steel mills.

4.2 Carbon Emissions Reduction (manufacturing)

The carbon emissions generated by the Applicant’s manufacturing/operational processes and transportation have been reduced on a year-on-year basis when averaged over at least 3 years.

Evidence	Level 1 (1point)	
		The applicant can describe and or provide evidence of having proactively taken initiatives to reduce carbon emissions.
	Level 2 (2 points)	
		<p>The applicant can provide evidence of carbon emissions over the past 2 years.</p> <p>The SSC 4.2 Mandatory Carbon Emissions template must be used.</p> <p>If production volumes and size of the business have increased – then <u>also</u> provide as a percentage of outputs.</p>
	Level 3 (3 points)	
		<p>The applicant can provide evidence of tracking carbon emissions over the past 3 years – with reductions</p> <p>The SSC 4.2 Mandatory Carbon Emissions template must be used.</p> <p>If production volumes and size of the business have increased – then <u>also</u> provide as a percentage of outputs.</p>
Note	<p>This credit only is required for CO₂ generated by the <u>applicant’s own activities</u> or activities under the applicant’s direct control including subcontractors.</p> <p>Reportable energy data can be any energy consumed for manufacturing or fabrication processes, including the optional inclusion of energy consumed for transportation to and from the site. Records must be provided to verify a representative sample of the energy data provided in the template.</p>	

5.1 Resource Management	
The Applicant is measuring waste generated through operations and can demonstrate that at least 80% of waste is reused, recycled, or sold	
About	A waste management plan is a documented strategy and related procedures for identifying, measuring and reducing waste streams.
Evidence	Level 1
	Record of steel scrap for recycling Separation of non-ferrous waste
	Level 2
	The Applicant must provide accurate reporting of all waste being removed from the site, including waste directed to landfill, and other recycling/reuse streams. A waste management is in place to find ways to avoid, reduce, reuse, and recycle waste.
	Level 3
	Accurate reporting of all waste being removed from the site, waste directed to landfill, and other recycling/reuse streams. NZGBC waste tool for audit for landfill criteria; dockets must be produced for all waste/recycling. Essentially a download of all invoices from organisation’s financial reporting system. (if under 50 loads over total year of audit; each docket/invoice to be provided), if over 50; all invoices, but only a sample set of dockets required) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • A waste management plan is in place to find ways to avoid, reduce, reuse, recycle waste. • Record of steel scrap for recycling
Notes	The mandatory template is to be completed with 12 months’ worth of waste data including any waste generated through manufacturing processes at the facility. Records must be provided to verify a representative sample of the waste data provided in the template. The documented waste management plan provided can be in any format but must document ways to avoid, reduce, reuse, and/or recycle waste generated through the manufacturing process.

NZ5 Social Responsibility	
About	<p>A business engaging with its corporate social responsibilities (CSR) will be thinking about how it impacts aspects of society.</p> <p>Businesses can contribute to society through the way they treat, support, and grow their employees, knowing those employees go out into society at the end of their working day or week and have an impact on their communities.</p> <p>Ethical business practices play a big part in Corporate Social Responsibility, and philanthropy can also make a significant contribution.</p>
Evidence	Level 1 (1point)
	The Applicant demonstrates an understanding of CSR and its importance and provides evidence of supporting staff, individually or collectively, beyond the minimum employment requirements.
	Level 2 (2 points)
	<p>The Applicant demonstrates an understanding of CSR and its importance and provides evidence of compliance with at least two of the following:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - staff training and development beyond the technical requirements of their roles. - paying a minimum of the living wage, and this extends to their supplier code of conduct. - an employee assistance Programme is available to all staff. - the applicant supports its migrant workers, beyond minimum legal requirements [if applicable]
	Level 3 (3 points)
Either	<p>The Applicant demonstrates an understanding of Corporate Social Responsibility (CSR) and its importance and provides evidence of compliance with all of the criteria for L2, plus at least three of the following:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - staff engagement surveys are conducted at least annually. - evidence of action taken to address issues arising from the surveys. - the Applicant has clearly stated organisational values that are socialised in the business. - the applicant supports its migrant workers, beyond minimum legal requirements [if applicable] <p>The applicant allows paid time off for staff engaging in representative sports, or occasional community activities. (for example; Sponsorship of company sports teams; Support of schools; Community engagement)</p>

NZ6 Renewable Energy Supply

The business is committed to scope 2 carbon emission reductions through using renewable energy, either self-generated or purchased from certified carbon zero electricity suppliers.

Evidence	Level 1 (1point)
	The Applicant purchases electricity from an electricity supplier who happens to supply renewable energy, but there is no formal policy in place.
	Level 2 (2 points)
	The Applicant uses renewable energy for more than 50% of manufacturing, operational and administrative activities. And has a formal policy to maximize use of renewable energy
	Level 3 (3 points)
	The Applicant has a formal policy to use, as much as reasonably practicable, renewable energy for operational and administrative activities and is compliant with the policy to the extent that they can be.

NZ7 Scope 3 Carbon Footprint

This question is about understanding the overall carbon footprint of your business and the impact your operations have on the environment.

Transport, either by truck and delivery vans, technical and sales reps and executive vehicles, and yard vehicles such as forklifts.

Evidence	Level 1 (1point)
	n.a.
	Level 2 (2 points)
	<p>The Applicant can provide evidence of the following.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - proactively managing overall fuel usage to reduce consumption. - a policy of not allowing vehicles to sit idling while the driver is out of the vehicle (for more than 3 minutes for truck drivers) - all vehicles are serviced regularly, and fuel systems checked and running efficiently. <p>The Applicant</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - tracks and analyses transport costs to find efficiencies. - avoids transport operator waiting times through scheduling. - wherever practicable, schedules deliveries at non-peak traffic times. <p>ensures transport providers it directly engages have an environmental management system.</p> <p>Planning travel and deliveries servicing, diesel ordering, time of deliveries review vehicles fit for purpose, replacement policy</p>
	Level 3 (3 points)
	<p>The Applicant meets all the criteria for L2, plus at least two of the following.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - a scheme to reward driving behaviours, including mobile plant, that reduce fuel consumption. - vehicle telematics data used to identify opportunities to reduce fuel consumption. - executive and technical and sales representative vehicles are selected in part based on manufacturer emissions ratings.
	<p>Also included:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Waste – Category 5 - disposal and treatment of waste • Energy – Category 3 • Business Travel – Category 6 - Employees travel i.e.– Flights, rental cars <p>For more details view - https://www.thinkstep-anz.com/resrc/blogs/scope-3-focus/</p>

