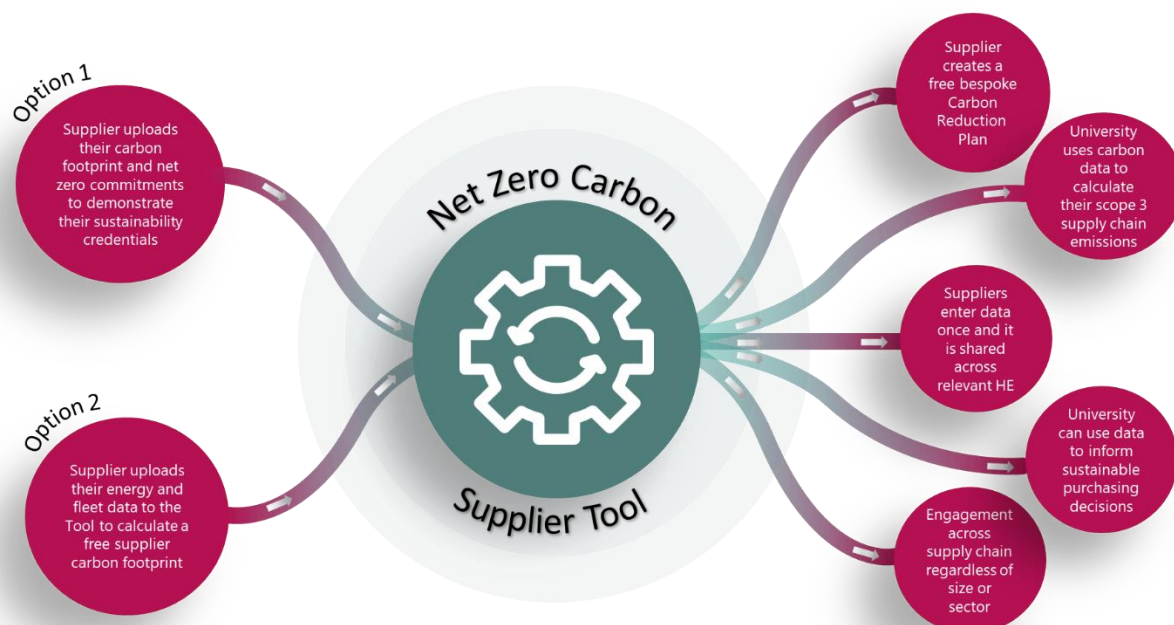


Building sustainable supply chains with the Net Zero Carbon Supplier Tool

The Net Zero Carbon Supplier Tool (Tool) has been developed by Nottingham Trent University (NTU) and NETpositive Futures to allow universities to engage with their suppliers helping them to **calculate and understand their own carbon footprint and develop carbon reduction action plans for free**, whilst at the same time enabling universities to progress to net zero by developing robust supply chain carbon footprints, based on actual carbon data.



With many universities deploying the Tool across shared supply chains and suppliers only needing one account (selecting which universities they supply), the 'supplier and sector' collaboration is providing an innovative and efficient way for sustainability and carbon data to be shared by suppliers across the Higher Education (HE) sector.

Benefits to suppliers	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Simple and efficient to use regardless of size, sector, location or sustainability maturity • A free tool to help businesses understand their own carbon impact • Bespoke carbon reduction plans allow suppliers to publicly demonstrate their commitment to net zero, lowering overheads, reducing costs and building reputation and business on sustainability • Allows businesses to start on their own net zero journey, showing their willingness to align with the sustainability ambitions of the sector • Offers suppliers the opportunity to demonstrate their sustainability credentials • One single account is needed to share data across all applicable HE institutions
Benefits to the HE sector	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Universal and efficient way to engage with a vast and broad supply chain on sustainability • Provides supplier carbon emissions to support university supply chain emissions reporting • Confirms a suppliers commitment to sustainability • Enables informed sustainable procurement decision making • Informs decisions on where to focus effort on supporting suppliers • Working as a sector to share best practice and resources delivers greater outcomes • Demonstrates a contribution to civic responsibility, social value, supporting supply chains (including local SMEs) and the SDGs

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