

# CLIMATE

|                                 | MEASURES / PROJECT                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                         | STATUS QUO                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                      | 2025 OBJECTIVES                                                                                                                                         |
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|                                 | <p><b>Overall Objective:</b><br/>To continue to identify and reduce our carbon footprint and offset any unavoidable CO2 emissions through carbon-positive projects. In doing so, we are contributing to the goals of the Paris Climate Agreement.</p>                                      |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                 |                                                                                                                                                         |
| Scope 3 Emissionen - Reduction  | <p><b>Participation in EOG's Supply Chain Decarbonization Project (SCDP)</b></p> <p>The SCDP is a collaborative initiative by ten outdoor brands, to reduce carbon emissions and/or increase renewable energy used in outdoor sector supply chains.</p>                                    | <p>Two of our tier 2 suppliers have been nominated for the project.</p> <p>This involves</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Reporting on baseline emissions</li> <li>• Defining individual reduction targets</li> <li>• Development and implementation of suitable CO2 reduction plans</li> </ul> <p>and is guided by a combination of on-site or online assessments, workshops and training modules adapted to the needs of the production site.</p> | <p>Project continuation and results evaluation.</p> <p><b>Follow-up:</b><br/>Support factories in the long-term implementation of planned measures.</p> |
|                                 | <p><b>GIZ- Renewable Energy Project</b></p> <p>Project to promote solar power at production facilities in Vietnam.</p>                                                                                                                                                                     | <p>We are taking part in this project together with our long-standing backpack manufacturer, Duke, in Vietnam.</p> <p>Further action is decided on the basis of a feasibility analysis.</p>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                     | <p>Project continuation within scope of possibility.</p>                                                                                                |
|                                 | <p><b>Higg Index</b></p> <p>deuter uses the Higg Index from the Sustainable Apparel Coalition. The Higg Index is a suite of tools for the standardized measurement of the sustainability of businesses, manufacturers, and suppliers, as well as products within the textile industry.</p> | <p>The Higg Materials Sustainability Index and the Higg Product Module guide us in the selection of materials with reduced environmental impact.</p> <p>Based on scientific data, they enable the greenhouse gas emissions to be measured for each material and therefore also for the finished product.</p>                                                                                                                                                    | <p>Calculation and evaluation of emissions data.</p> <p>Derive reduction targets.</p>                                                                   |
| Scope 3 Emissionen - Offsetting | <p><b>Carbon neutral products</b></p> <p>Working together with ClimatePartner, the CO2 footprint of select deuter products is calculated and then offset through certified climate action projects.</p>                                                                                    | <p>Approximately 13% of our SS 2023 and FW 2023/24 collection are carbon neutral.</p>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                           | <p>100% of the deuter collection is carbon neutral.</p>                                                                                                 |

Scope 1 & 2 Emissions -  
Reduction and Offsetting

**Carbon neutral headquarters**

Working together with ClimatePartner, the Company Carbon Footprint (CCF) for deuter headquarters in Gersthofen, Germany, is calculated and then offset through certified climate action projects.

The 2020 CCF was calculated and offset.

The 2021 CCF was calculated and offset.

2019 will be used as the baseline year for our reduction targets. The emissions for this financial year are currently being calculated.

Yearly calculation and offsetting of Company Carbon Footprint for deuter headquarters in Gersthofen, Germany.

Establishment of a climate protection strategy and defining of CO2 reduction targets compared to 2019 baseline.



Memberships / Affiliations

**Collaboration with the climate experts at the Partnership for Sustainable Textiles**

You can read more about their expert group on climate action [here](#).

**Expert group focus:**

- Carrying out joint measures/projects (training, product adaptations) to assess and reduce greenhouse gas emissions in the supply chain
- Preparing supporting information and materials
- Developing and implementing best practices
- Ongoing sharing of knowledge through dialogue and discussion

Continue to participate in working groups to leverage synergies and share best practices.