# Greenhouse Gas Inventory Results

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## TTAD's Objectives for the GHG Inventory

- 1. Demonstrate environmental leadership.
- 2. Prepare the District for future legislation at the Federal, State, and local level related to GHG and carbon emissions.
- 3. Look for fuel consumption related efficiencies
- 4. Look for ways to mitigate direct and indirect GHG by the Airport.
- 5. Use data to identify current and future trends and compare against other airport inventories to benchmark progress.
- 6. Assist Board and Staff in airport policy and decision making.
- 7. Complete the first critical step in preparation of an Environmental Sustainability Plan and Environmental Management System.





## Deliverables

- 2015 Greenhouse Gas Inventory Report
  - Identifies the inventory scope, presents emissions for 2015, identifies 2015 data sources, and references emissions quantification methodologies.
- Greenhouse Gas Inventory Management Plan
  - Defines inventory boundaries, identifies data collection methods, and details emission quantification methodologies and assumptions
- GHG Emissions Calculations Spreadsheets
  - Presents the calculations for the 2015 inventory
  - Provides a calculation tool for future inventories





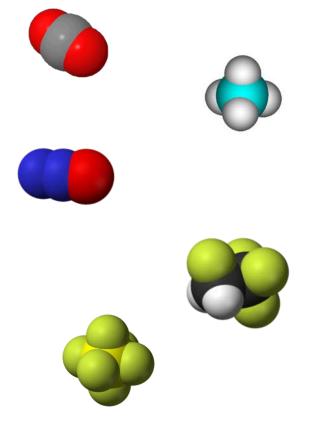
## **Inventory of Greenhouse Gases**

- Inventory quantified emissions of:
  - Carbon Dioxide
  - Methane

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- Nitrous Oxide
- Hydrofluorocarbons
- Perfluorocarbons\*
- Sulfur Hexafluoride\*





## Total GHG Emissions: Scope 1

- Scope 1: direct GHG emissions from activities that are owned or controlled by TTAD including
  - stationary combustion,
  - mobile combustion,
  - fugitive emissions.
- TTAD Scope 1 sources include:
  - Natural gas for heating
  - Diesel fuel in vehicles
  - Refrigerant leaks from AC units

- 158.60 metric tons carbon dioxide equivalents (CO2e)
- approximately equivalent
  to the GHG emissions
  produced by 33.5
  passenger vehicles driven
  for a year





#### Total GHG Emissions: Scope 2

- Scope 2: Indirect GHG emissions from the generation of purchased or acquired energy, such as electricity, which is consumed by TTAD.
- TTAD Scope 2 sources are limited to purchased electricity

138.07 metric tons
 CO<sub>2</sub>e

 equivalent to the CO<sub>2</sub> produced from electricity use by 20.4 homes for one year





## Total GHG Emissions: Scope 3

- Scope 3: All other indirect emissions not covered in Scope 2, including
  - <u>tenant activities</u>: stationary combustion, mobile combustion, electricity consumption, etc;
  - methane emissions resulting from airport <u>waste disposed</u> <u>in third-party landfills;</u>
  - <u>aircraft operations</u>: specifically from the LTO cycle to an altitude of 3,000 feet

 2099.22 metric tons CO2e

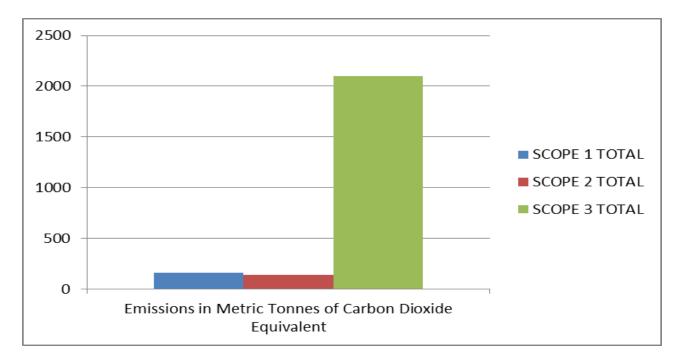
 equivalent to the CO<sub>2</sub> produced from 4,860 barrels of oil consumed





#### **Big Picture: Total GHG Emissions by Scope**

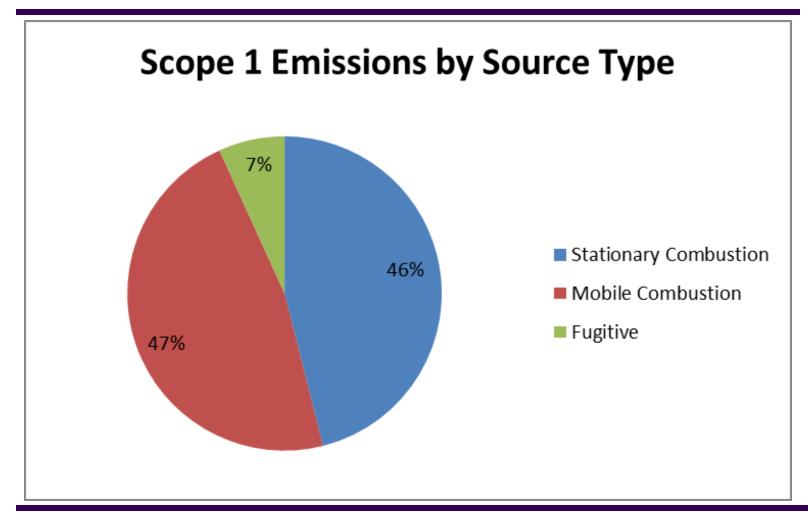
- Scope 1 GHG emissions 158.60 metric tons carbon dioxide equivalents (CO2e).
- Scope 2 GHG emissions 138.07 metric tons CO2e
- Scope 3 GHG emissions 2099.22 metric tons CO2e.







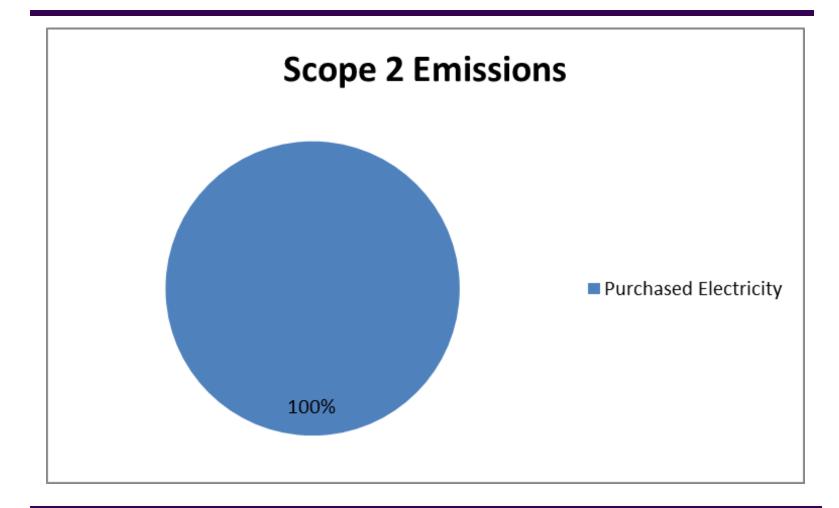
## Scope 1 Emissions by Source Type







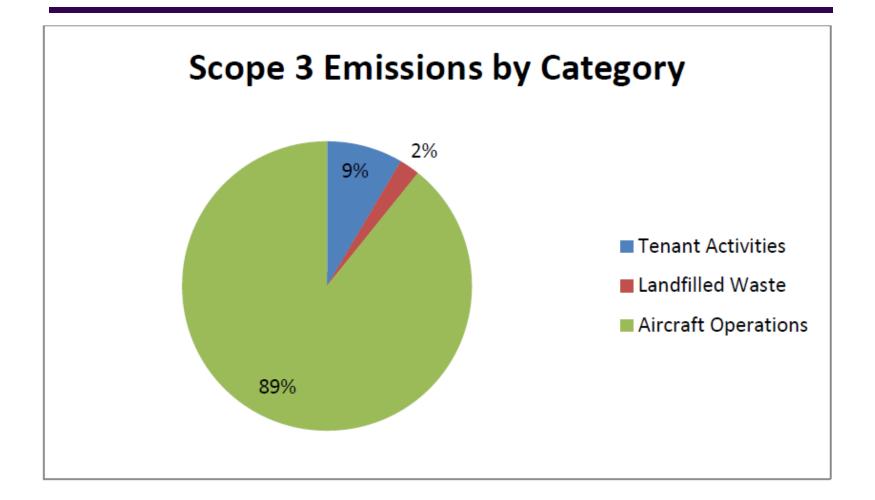
#### **Scope 2 Emissions**







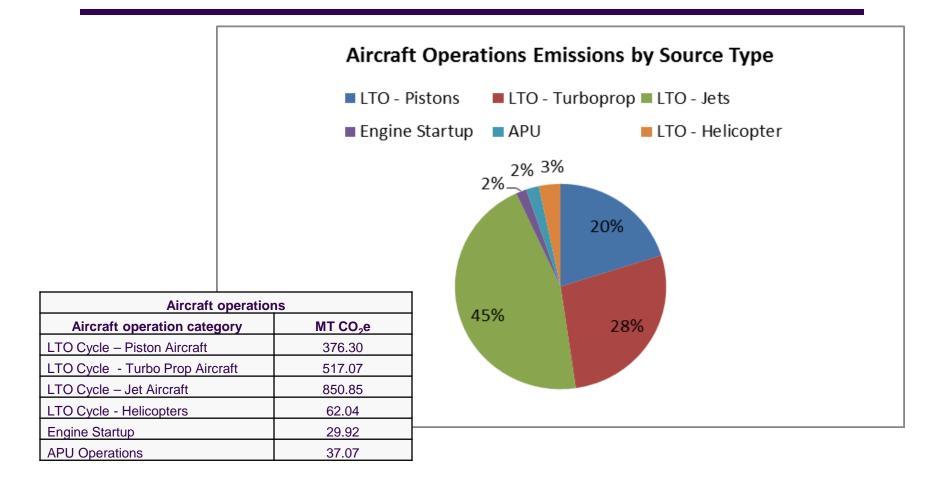
## **Scope 3 Emissions by Category**







#### **Scope 3 Emissions from Aircraft Operations**







## **TTAD Objectives and Results**

Inventory objective	Inventory project deliverable	
1. Demonstrate environmental leadership.	Inventory report	
2. Prepare the District for future legislation at the	Inventory report	
Federal, State, and local level related to GHG and		
carbon emissions.		
3. Look for fuel consumption related efficiencies	Inventory report, calculation tool,	
	inventory management plan	
4. Look for ways to mitigate direct and indirect	Inventory report, preliminary	
GHG by the Airport.	reduction list	
5. Use data to identify current and future trends	Calculation tool, Inventory	
and compare against other airport inventories to	management plan	
benchmark progress.		
6. Assist Board and Staff in airport policy and	Inventory report	
decision making.		
7. Complete the first critical step in preparation of	Inventory management plan	
an Environmental Sustainability Plan and		
Environmental Management System.		





## Post-inventory airport advantages

- Prepares airport to monitor GHG emissions in the future.
- Increases awareness of the climate impacts of airport activities and aircraft operations.
- Provides starting point and reference for emission reduction efforts through the development of airport policies, programs and projects.





## Potential reduction efforts

Dozens of potential ways to reduce airport's GHG emissions including but not limited to:

- Vehicle technology upgrades to hybrids or electric vehicles
- Vehicle fuel switches to biofuel blends
- Building lighting and insulation upgrades
- Aircraft taxi and APU policy development
- GHG offsets, RECs and renewable fuel attributes
- Forestry sequestration





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#### Preliminary List of Potential GHG Reduction Actions for Truckee Tahoe Airport District

	Scope	Emission Category	Reduction Action
Direct Actions in th	e Inventory Boundary		
	Scope	Emission Category	Reduction Action
	Scope 1	Stationary combustion	Energy Audits
			Insulation improvements
			Thermostat upgrades
			Fuel switch - gasoline - E10/E15
			Fuel switch - diesel - B5/B20
			Fuel switch - biogas/LFG direct access
			Fuel switch - RNG transfer by displacement
			Cogeneration system
			Central heating
			Geothermal heating
		Mobile Combustion	Fuel switch - gasoline - E10/E15
			Fuel switch - diesel - B5/B20
			Vehicle upgrade - Increased MPG
			Vehicle upgrade - hybrid technology
			Vehicle upgrade - electric vehicle
			Vehicle upgrade/fuel switch - gasoline -
			E85
			Vehicle upgrade/fuel switch - CNG
		Fugitive emissions	Leak detection & reduction program
			Refrigerant switch - Lower GWP
	Scope 2	Electricity	Energy Audits
	Scope 2	Electricity	Building lighting efficiency upgrades
			Runway lighting efficiency upgrades
			Other energy efficiency measures (e.g.
			pump upgrades, etc.)
			Self generation - Solar
			Self generation - Wind
			Self generation - Microturbine Green Power PPA
	Scope 3	Tenant Activities	Tenant Policy Development
			Tenant Sub-metering
		Landfilled Waste	Recycling program
			Composting program
			LF gas capture
		Aircraft LTO	Taxi policy and procedures
			Alternative fuels for aircraft
			Push back/taxi tugs
			Jet engine washing
		APU Emissions	APU usage policy and procedures GPU services
"Balance Sheet" ac	tions		
			Offset purchases
			REC purchases
			RNG transfer by renewable attributes
Actions outside the	e inventory boundary		Sequestration
interioris outside the	s mentory boundary		Priority parking areas for low carbon
			vehicles
			Public transit promotions
			Alternative fuel rental cars
			Alternative fuel limo and taxi
			Construction policy development
Other			
			Reporting or Accreditation Program