



# Climate Change Action Plan

Addressing climate change is the biggest challenge of the 21st century and businesses, society and government all have a significant part to play.

We have set an ambition to lead UK infrastructure into a zero carbon future by 2035 at the latest, supporting the Government in meeting their 2050 target.

Our aim is to be a clean growth leader, enabling the uptake of low carbon solutions such as hydrogen and connected & autonomous mobility, areas we are currently actively working within.

We recognise that the response required to tackle climate change is more complex than carbon reduction alone and we have structured our strategy to reflect this. Notwithstanding this, addressing carbon reduction is fundamental to ensure we help shape UK infrastructure to mitigate and adapt to this global challenge.

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CEO Costain Group

We will achieve our ambition by ensuring:

**Net 0** All our operations, including our supply chain will be net zero carbon by 2035 at the latest against our 2020 baseline

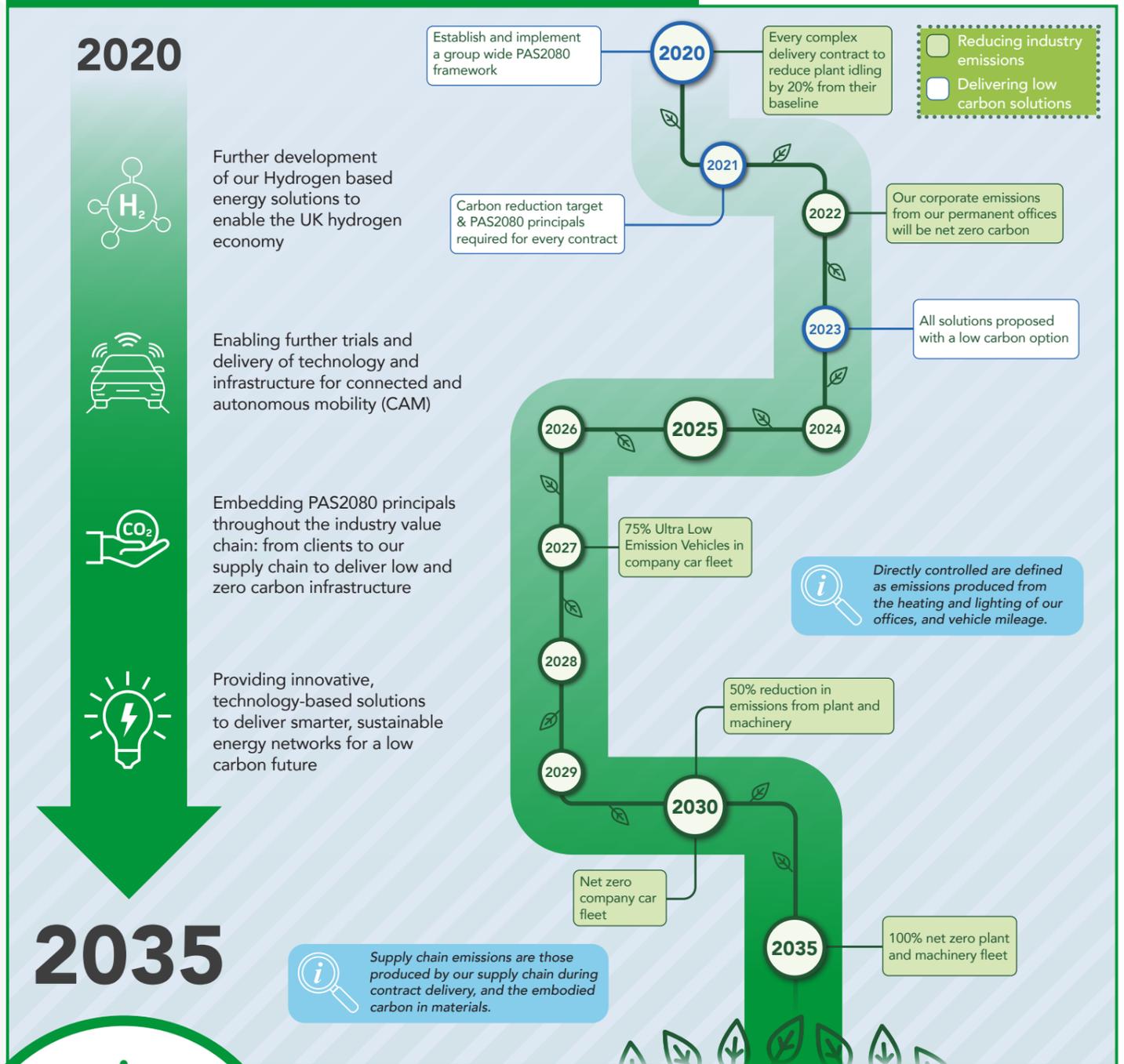
By 2023, every solution delivered by Costain for our clients will propose low carbon options

Our corporate emissions from our vehicles will be net zero carbon by 2030

Our corporate emissions from our permanent offices will be net zero carbon by 2022

Our climate change objectives are clearly linked and contribute to the United Nations Sustainable Development Goals (UN SDGs) both strategically and operationally. We already directly contribute to several of the SDGs through our core purpose of improving people's lives through smart and sustainable energy, water, defense and transportation infrastructure. Our climate change action plan strengthens and enhances our contribution to several goals, specifically Goal 13 Climate Action.

## Our plan to achieve net zero



Our targets and objectives are clearly ambitious and achieving net zero emissions by at the latest 2035 will require considerable effort from our people and many others within our value chain, from clients to our supply chain. We are however confident that with effective support from government, close collaboration and industry knowledge sharing with our value chain, we can achieve these goals.