



Climate Policy

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APA

Policy

1. Purpose

The Climate Policy establishes APA's strategic position and commitments that informs our approach to addressing the global challenge of climate change and the transition to a Net Zero economy. Application of this Policy is key to ensuring our activities are conducted in line with our group purpose and strategy and that risks and opportunities are appropriately managed and realised.

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2. Scope

This Policy applies to APA, its directors, employees, contractors and all other people when they represent APA.

3. APA Position / Strategic intent

APA acknowledges the impact of human-induced climate change.

Climate change presents both opportunities and risks not only to our business, but also to the long-term prosperity of the economy and local communities. We are committed to being part of the successful transition to a Net Zero economy and are taking the necessary steps to understand how we can best respond to the challenges and opportunities inherent in this transition.

Our purpose, *Securing Australia's energy future*, defines the unique role APA plays as an energy infrastructure partner. For us, that means working with customers to deliver reliable, affordable and lower emissions energy. It also means innovating for a sustainable future by investing in technology and new ways of generating energy, guided by our customers. These are key tenets of the way we do business and are reflected in our principles-based approach to climate change.

Our position:

- The science of climate change as assessed by the Intergovernmental Panel on Climate Change is unequivocal. The Paris Agreement goal to limit global temperature increase to 2°C and to pursue efforts to limit this increase to 1.5 °C is fundamental to reducing the adverse impacts of climate change.
- Natural gas and natural gas infrastructure will play a critical role in the transition to Net Zero by 2050, through firming in the electricity market and the provision of decarbonised gases. Technology is a key enabler in delivering Net Zero including through renewable gases, renewable electricity, energy storage and carbon capture and storage.
- The transition to a Net Zero economy presents APA with risks to manage and opportunities to realise, and in doing so, we will play our role in facilitating this transition.
- Effective planning, policy certainty and well-designed market-based mechanisms provide for the most orderly, efficient and least cost transition in support of the Paris Agreement.
- Emissions reductions should be prioritised where reasonable to do so. If costs or technology are prohibitive, we support the use of carbon offsets consistent with our Offset Criteria.
- A just transition means that the transition to a lower-carbon economy is fair, inclusive, and considers impacts and opportunities for communities.

Our commitments:

- Pursue our ambition to achieve net zero operational (Scope 1 and 2) emissions by 2050 and as part of our role in the energy transition, we are working towards a Scope 3 Net Zero ambition.
- Develop and maintain a Climate Transition Plan (CTP), set interim targets and goals, and integrate our CTP and climate risks and opportunities into our business strategy, processes and decision-making, in support of the Paris Agreement.
- Disclose progress against our CTP with the aim of aligning with the Taskforce for Climate Related Financial Disclosures and preparing for mandatory reporting under the Australian Sustainability Reporting Standards commencing in FY26.
- Ensure the appropriate resources and capability are in place to enable our transition, including to collaborate, partner with and support our value chain to achieve emissions reductions.
- Enhance the resilience of our asset portfolio by periodically undertaking scenario analysis and resilience testing and adapting to the physical impacts of climate change.
- Advocate consistent with this Climate Policy including with Industry Associations we are members of.
- Align executive remuneration to ensure consistency with our CTP.
- Support measures to ensure communities adapt to and benefit from the transition to Net Zero.

4. Objectives

The objectives of this policy are to:

- Communicate our position on climate change.
- Set out guiding principles to ensure we appropriately manage the risks and opportunities associated with climate change and the transition to a Net Zero economy.
- Articulate commitments that guide our actions now and into the future.
- Ensure alignment with our Group purpose, strategy and CTP.

Additional information

5. Key roles and responsibilities

For the purposes of the Climate Policy across APA, the following specific responsibilities apply:

	Responsibility
APA Safety and Sustainability Committee	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Approve APA's Climate Policy
Sustainability Management Committee / Executive Leadership Team	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Promote the Climate Policy across APA• Monitor adherence to the Climate Policy including the established principles and commitments
Group Executive Sustainability and Corporate Affairs	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Ownership of the Climate Policy• Accountability for the implementation of the Climate Policy and associated frameworks, systems and procedures which support adherence to the Climate Policy principles and commitments across APA
General Manager Sustainability	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Review the Climate Policy as per the review dates• Development of related climate frameworks, standards, systems and procedures which support the APA Climate Policy
APA Employees All other people when they represent APA	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Compliance with this policy• Adhering to related climate frameworks, standards, systems and procedures which support the APA Climate Policy

6. Glossary

Net Zero	'Net Zero Emissions' refers to achieving an overall balance between greenhouse gas emissions produced and greenhouse gas emissions taken out of the atmosphere.
Paris Agreement	An international agreement adopted under the United Nations Framework Convention on Climate Change in 2015. Under the Paris Agreement, the global temperature goal is to keep warming to 'well below' 2 degrees Celsius compared with pre-industrial levels, and to 'pursue efforts to limit the temperature rise to 1.5 degrees Celsius'.
Renewable gas	Carbon-neutral gas substitutes that do not generate additional greenhouse gas emissions when burnt.

7. Related Documents

- Climate Change Standard



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