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# **Supply Chain Services**

While you may have your Scope 1 and Scope 2 emissions well documented, you may find it difficult to manage what you don't control yourself. Quantifying Scope 3 emissions is the most time-consuming yet uncertain part of a carbon footprint – and they most likely comprise over half of your organization's greenhouse gas (GHG) inventory. Many companies struggle to coordinate information from their supply chain, verify its accuracy, collate it with their own data, and continually manage it in one place. ADEC Innovations (ADEC) can help you apply data on Environmental, Social and Governance (ESG) performance to drive improvement along your extended supply chain and streamline your Scope 3 reporting.

Given the breadth and complexity of Scope 3 emissions, it's important to work with recognized standards when gathering data. ADEC has 30+ years' experience providing consulting services, creating software solutions and finding data collection and management opportunities that **get you out of basic tasks** like spreadsheets and follow-up, and into **saving resources** like fuel, energy, manpower and, of course, money across your value chain.

ADEC has the unique ability to combine:



# TECHNOLOGY

Reach improvement targets in your supply chain programs by collecting the necessary data and metrics, effectively engaging the supply chain and facilitating the exchange of knowledge

### PROCESS

Take advantage of large numbers of people collaborating at scale and large amounts of data being captured, analyzed and used to drive performance

# PEOPLE

Capitalize on 30+ years' experience and expertise to facilitate programs and deliver results

ADEC works with you to implement **transparent, measurable improvements** in climate change mitigation, resource efficiency, productivity, risk management and increased labor standards, enabling an environmentally and socially **responsible end-to-end supply chain**. We offer a number of solutions to help you gather and calculate your Scope 3 emissions more efficiently and effectively than ever.

**MetricsTrac** works with your extended supply chain, including those in developing countries, to capture, analyze, report, translate and share data to drive ESG performance. Increasingly adopted by major companies, **MetricsTrac empowers**:

- Suppliers to measurably improve environmental and social performance and operational efficiency
- **Companies** to work with their extended supply chain through a single platform and report performance against a defined set of business targets and key performance indicators (KPIs)
- NGOs and Program Managers to analyze large amounts of data from multiple suppliers and factories

**Supplier Communications** allows you to outsource the entire process of contacting your suppliers, whether it's to remind them to provide information or to recommend services that help with disclosures like CDP. Using a combination of methods, including email and telephone, **Supplier Communications helps**:

- Companies increase and improve supplier information
- Companies reduce the time and cost of contacting suppliers for data
- Suppliers get additional insights and help to ensure they are providing the information needed

**Supplier Collaboration** helps you and your suppliers save costs, reduce environmental, social and operations impacts, and grow business together. Combining an ability to facilitate large scale collaboration along with expertise in driving measurable performance improvement, ADEC makes it efficient for you to work closely with your Tier 1 suppliers in delivering scalable collaboration programs across your entire industry web or value chain.

# Supplier Collaboration enables:

- Suppliers to access insights on best practices from across the supply chain
- **Investors** to make decisions on business performance improvement, enabling the replication of best practice projects across the supply chain
- Companies to deliver supply chain programs aimed at specific targets

**Scope 3 Calculations** allow you to determine which Scope 3 categories are relevant to you. Then we use proven methodologies from the GHG Protocol to calculate those relevant sources. Our Scope 3 assessment can help you determine the contribution of Scope 3 to your overall emissions profiles. **Scope 3 Calculations allow**:

- Companies to affordably create an initial Scope 3 footprint using readily available financial ledger data
- Stakeholders to gain insights into the commercial and reputational risk associated with a supply chain

#### Working with ADEC helps you:

- Engage and influence your suppliers
- Enhance commercial relationships
- Stay ahead of your competitors by fully engaging with ESG management initiatives prior to regulations
- Save money by finding the most efficient suppliers
- Improve your performance on public disclosures, like CDP
- Achieve credible and comprehensive results that are 'report-ready' and aligned with the WRI's GHG protocol.

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