



Scope 3 Greenhouse Gas Verification Statement

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Scope 3 Greenhouse Gas Emissions

The inventory of Greenhouse Gas emissions from Scope 3 categories, for The Hershey Company, has been verified for the reporting year 2025, by Quantis according to ISO 14064-3, as detailed below:

| Year | Scope | Category | GHG Emissions (MT CO ₂ e) |
|------|--|---|--------------------------------------|
| 2025 | Scope 3 | Category 1 – Purchased goods and services | 4,650,715 |
| | | Category 2 – Capital Goods | 68,481 |
| | | Category 3 – Fuel and energy related activities | 111,930 |
| | | Category 4 – Upstream transportation | 291,530 |
| | | Category 5 – Waste generated in operations | 23,010 |
| | | Category 6 – Business travel | 14,195 |
| | | Category 7 – Employee commuting | 22,910 |
| | | Category 9 – Downstream transportation and distribution | 331,693 |
| | Category 12 – End of life of sold products | 66,757 | |
| | Total Scope 3 Footprint | 5,581,219 | |

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Brief description of the Verification Process

Quantis has been commissioned by The Hershey Company for verification of The Hershey Company greenhouse gas emissions, from selected Scope 3 categories for the 2025 reporting year, against the GHG Protocol. The verification was based on the verification scope, objectives, and criteria as agreed between The Hershey Company and Quantis.

Roles and Responsibilities

The management of The Hershey Company is responsible for supplying relevant activity data and emission factors, as well as the calculations of GHG emissions information and the reported GHG emissions.

It is Quantis' responsibility to express an independent verification opinion on the GHG emissions as provided by The Hershey Company for the period 1st January 2025 to 31st December 2025.

Objectives and Criteria

The purposes of this verification exercise are, by review of objective evidence, to independently review:

- Whether the GHG emissions are as declared by The Hershey Company.
- Whether the data reported are accurate, complete, consistent, transparent, relevant and free of material error or omission and compiled in accordance with The Hershey Company's described methodology.

Level of Assurance

Quantis undertook the verification assessment with the aim to provide a limited level of assurance for selected Scope 3 categories listed below for The Hershey Company operations.



Scope

Emission sources verified were from CO₂-e arising from The Hershey Company’s Scope 3 emissions from reporting year 2025. The following Scope 3 categories were included:

| Category | In/Out of Scope |
|---|-----------------|
| Purchased Goods & Services | In Scope |
| Capital Goods | In Scope |
| Fuel & Energy Related Activities | In Scope |
| Upstream Transportation & Distribution | In Scope |
| Waste Generated in Operations | In Scope |
| Business Travel | In Scope |
| Employee Commuting | In Scope |
| Downstream Transportation & Distribution | In Scope |
| End of Life Treatment of Products | In Scope |
| Upstream Leased Assets | Out of Scope |
| Processing of Sold Products | Out of Scope |
| Use of Sold Products | Out of Scope |
| Downstream Leased Assets | Out of Scope |
| Franchises | Out of Scope |
| Investments | Out of Scope |

Note: Scope 3 categories that are “Out of Scope” are excluded from Hershey’s GHG inventory because they’re not materially applicable to the footprint

Conclusion

Based on the data and information provided to Quantis and the processes and procedures conducted by Quantis, there is no evidence to suggest that the GHG emissions for the reported Scope 3 categories are not materially correct and are not a fair representation of provided data and information based on the calculation methodologies utilized.