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# Carbon Emission Reporting

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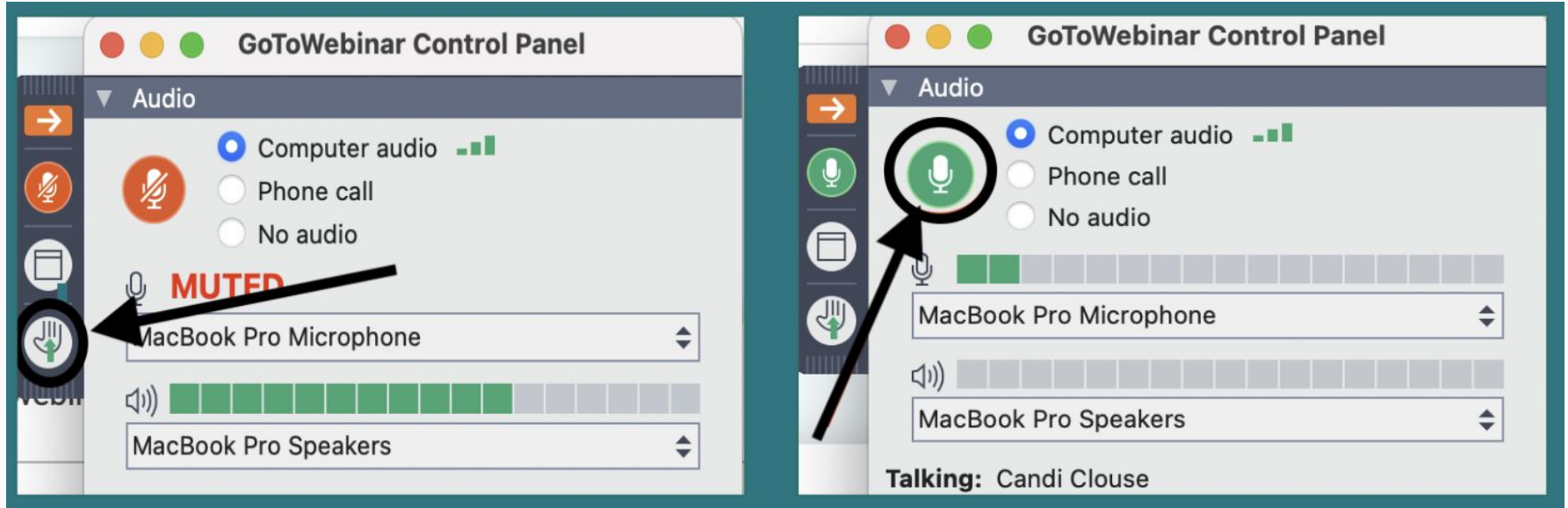


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# Have a question?



# Agenda

- Introduction
- Technical Methodology
- Use Case Demonstration

# Introduction

# Environmental Data in IMPLAN

Regional Environmental Data and Impact Results are available for the following categories:

- Criteria and Hazardous Air Emissions
- Commercial Non-Hazardous Waste Excluding Construction
- Commercial Non-Hazardous Waste From Construction Activities
- Commercial RCRA-Defined Hazardous Waste
- **Greenhouse Gases**
- Point Source Industrial Releases to Ground
- Land Use
- Mineral Extraction
- Nitrogen and Phosphorus Releases from Agriculture
- Pesticide Releases
- Water Withdrawals
- Point Source Releases to Water

# Global Warming Potential in IMPLAN

For US Projects, the base data for Greenhouse Gases are in kilograms of the GHG (such as methane or carbon dioxide).

Then, we use global warming potential data from ReCiPe to convert the various GHGs into carbon dioxide equivalents.

Today we'd like to introduce our latest improvement -

**Scope 1, 2, 3 Reporting!**

# Scope Based Emissions Reporting

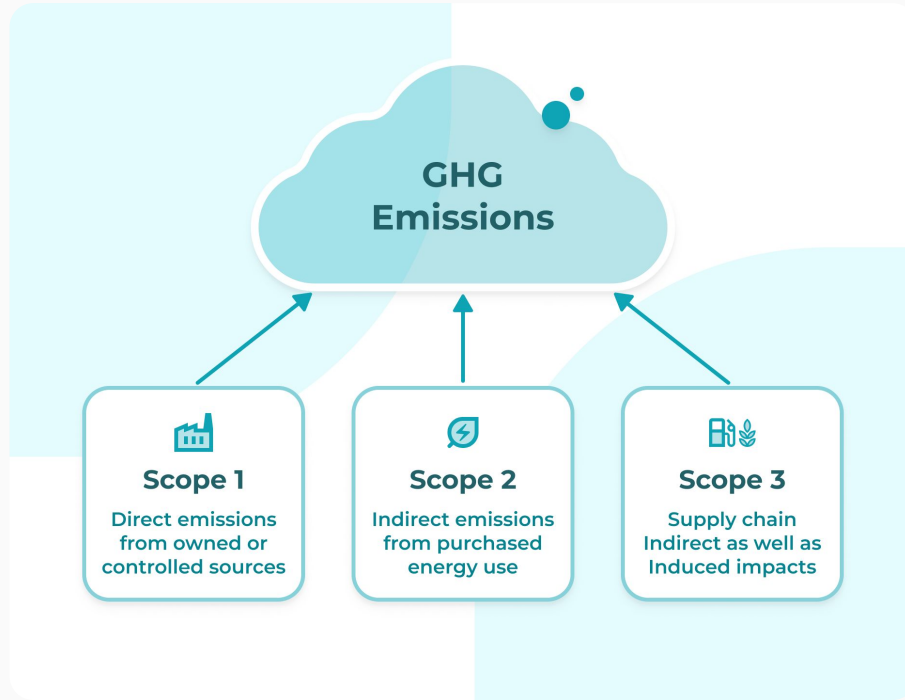
Government imposed mandates are growing more common around the world, requiring large businesses and corporations to report their scope 1, 2, and 3 emissions.

# Upcoming US-Based Mandate

Mandate	Region	Scope Requirement	Affected Companies	Status
California's Climate Corporate Data Accountability Act (SB 253)	California	Scope 1 & 2 (2026); Scope 3 (2027)  Requires third-party verification w/ limited assurance. Reasonable assurance by 2030.	corporations with over \$1 billion in annual revenues	Signed into law

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Greenhouse Gas Reporting Program by Environment and Climate Change Canada	Canada	Scope 1 & 2  Scope 3 is optional, but has been a proposed requirement.	all facilities that emit the equivalent of 10 000 tonnes (10 kilotonnes) or more of GHGs (in carbon dioxide equivalent units) per year	Active
Streamlined Energy and Carbon Reporting (SECR)	UK	Scope 1 and 2 emissions must be reported, with Scope 3 only if deemed financially material	public and private companies with over \$636 million in turnover and at least 500 employees. Smaller public and private companies that meet at least two of the following three criteria; turnover of \$45.8 million, gross assets of at least \$22.9 million, and/or at least 250 employees.	Implementation is expected to begin in 2026.
Corporate Sustainability Reporting Directive (CSRD)	EU	Scope 1, 2, 3	large companies	New rules apply in the 2024 financial year, mandated to begin reporting in 2028 at the latest.
PRC Sustainability Reporting Guidelines	China	Scope 1 and 2, with Scope 3 encouraged but not required	must be reported by companies listed on the Shanghai Stock Exchange 180 (SSE) or the Star 50 Index, or listed simultaneously in Chinese Mainland and overseas markets	Reporting begins in 2025.

# What Are Scope 1, 2, and 3 Emissions

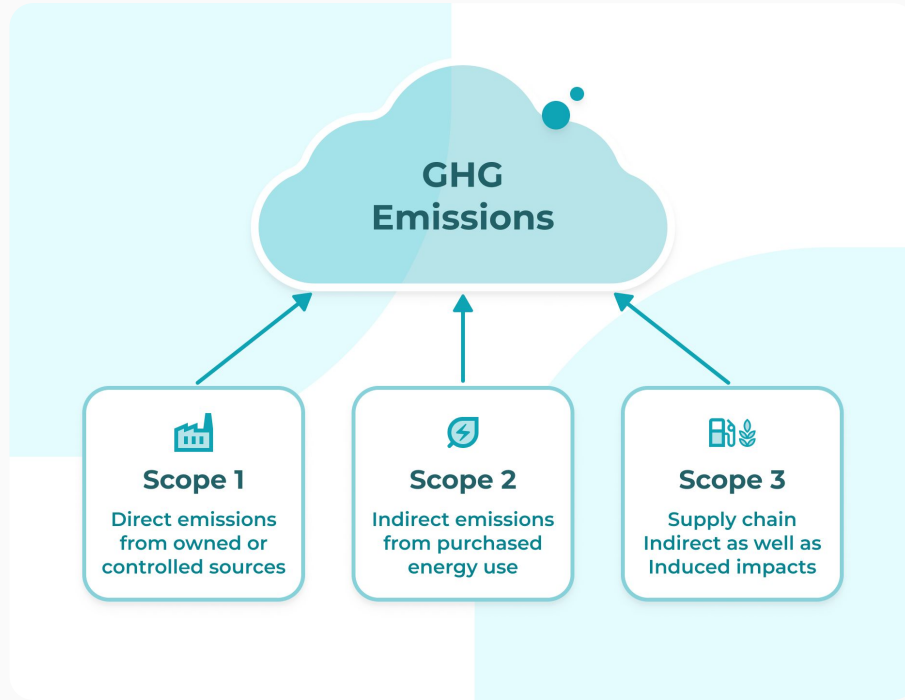


**Scope 1** — Direct emissions from owned or controlled sources

**Scope 2** — Indirect emissions from energy consumption by the direct business/company

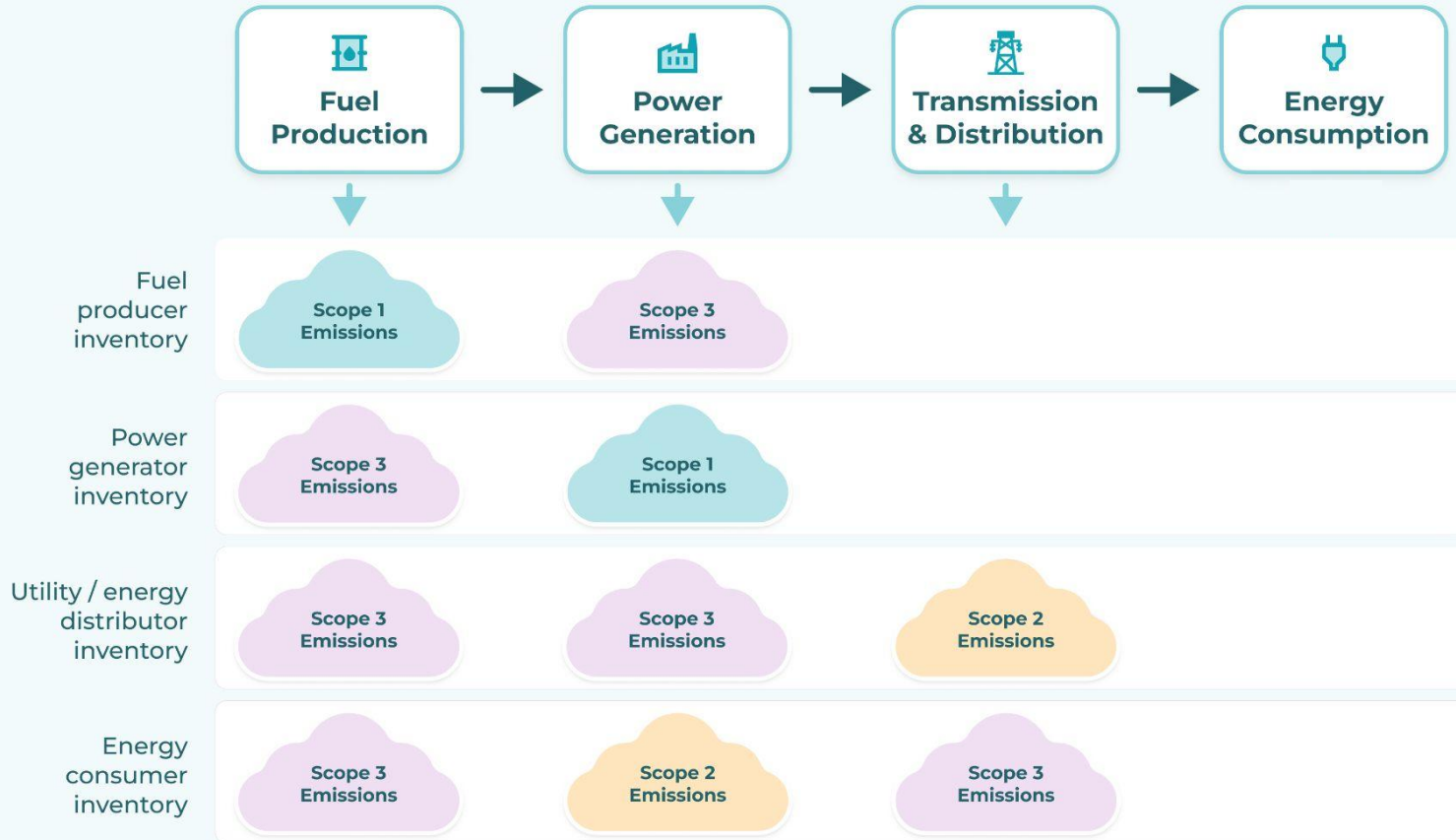
**Scope 3** — Other emissions due to activities from assets not owned or controlled by the reporting organization, such as supply chain impacts.

# What Are Scope 1, 2, and 3 Emissions



IMPLAN delivers Scope 1, 2, and 3 totals across **all industries**, measured in CO<sub>2</sub>e over **20, 100, and 1000-year horizons**. For deeper environmental benchmarking, industry-level data is available over a 100-year time span—most common time period for reporting according to the EPA.

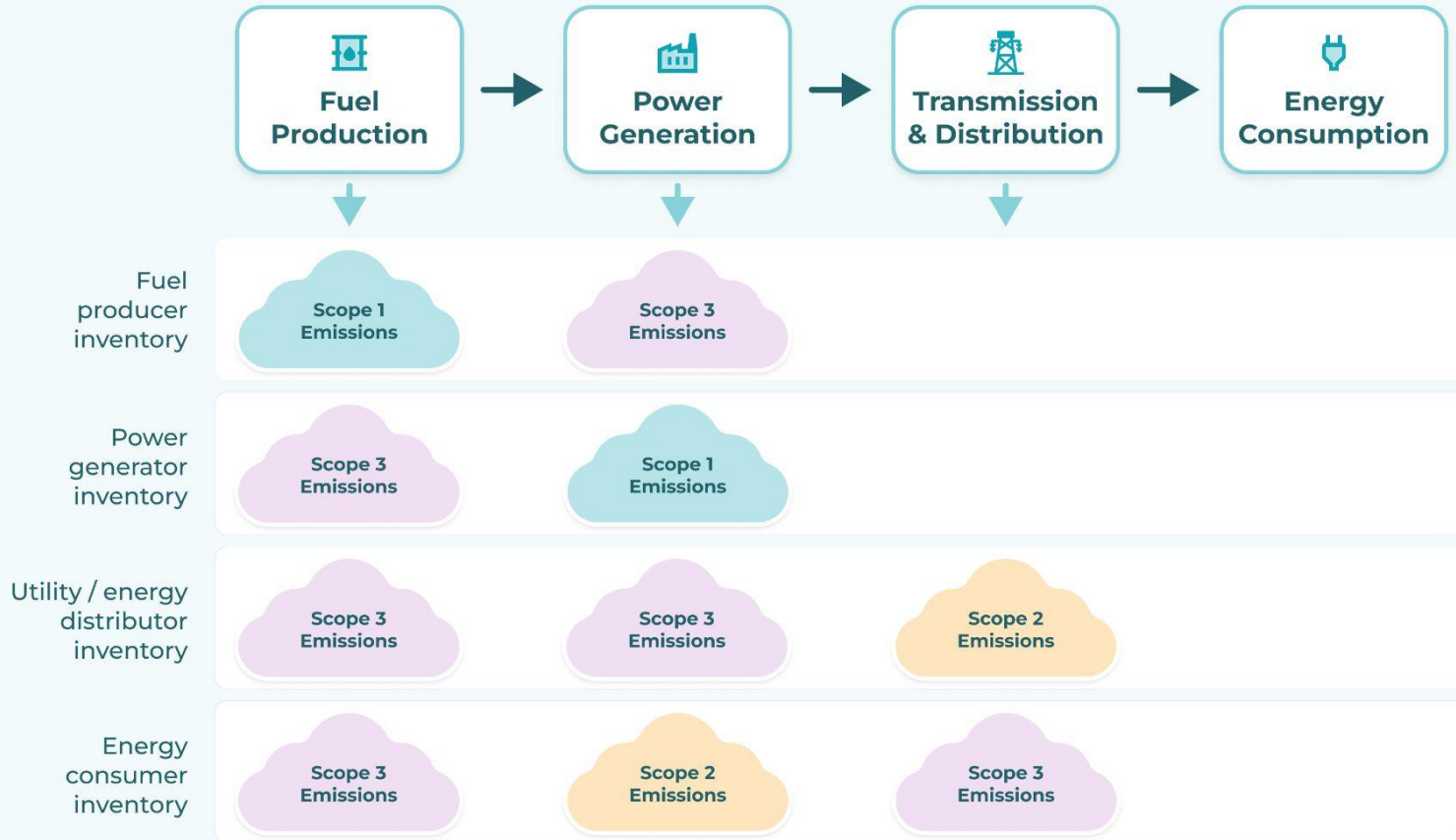
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# How It Works: Scope 2

- Scope 2 is captured as the Round 2 emissions in the analysis for the flagged energy industries (34-41 in the 528 unagg scheme).
- Scope 2 also includes direct emissions from utility industries (42-3, 509, 512, 515 in the 528 unagg scheme, or any industries that include one or more of these in an aggregated scheme)

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# How It Works: Scope 3

Scope 3 in the remaining emissions associated with the impact analysis

- Indirect emission other than Scope 2
- All Induced emission Impacts
- Commodity Output Events
  - Retail, Wholesale, and Transportation Margins (downstream impacts from factory floor to consumer)
  - Direct Output from Industries that produce an impacted Commodity as a secondary commodity/byproduct

# Scope 1, 2, 3 Recategorized Emissions

Environmental Impact Damages Greenhouse Gases

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Global Warming Potential by Impact

	Impact	GWP20	GWP100	GWP1000
1	1 - Direct	47,087,333.19	32,753,420.55	19,158,498.78
2	2 - Indirect	310,601,964.15	290,050,732.23	271,551,052.45
3	3 - Induced	550,686,726.02	518,840,978.26	488,953,240.63
Totals		908,376,023.35	841,645,131.04	779,662,791.86

Global Warming Potential (GWP) by Scope and Time Horizon

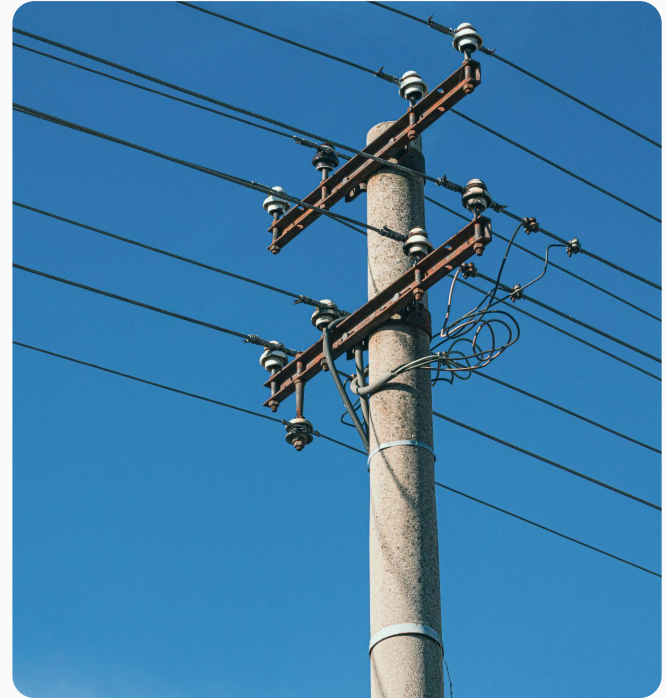
Scope	20-year GWP	100-year GWP	1000-year GWP
Scope 1	47,087,333.19	32,753,420.55	19,158,498.78
Scope 2	194,808.84	231,891.41	113,351.10
Scope 3	861,093,881.32	808,659,819.08	760,390,941.98
Total	908,376,023.35	841,645,131.04	779,662,791.86

Greenhouse gases emissions shown here are carbon dioxide equivalents in kilograms based on the given time horizon.

# Why It Matters

Whether driving sustainability strategy, supporting mandate compliance, or assessing climate impact at the community level, IMPLAN's enhanced environmental data allows users to:

- Align with global emissions reporting standards
- Quantify emissions tied directly to an economic activity
- Explore long-term climate impacts with future-facing metrics
- Instantly access industry-level insights for targeted analysis



# Use Case Demonstration

## Industry Standard Emissions

Running a basic impact using only output to provide a benchmark for the emissions in our target industry.

## Tailor Scope 2 & 3 Emissions

Industry Impact Analysis (Detailed) Events enables user production input edits to better tailor Scope 2 & 3 emissions.

## Regional Energy Mix Changes

Update the model your working with to include a new makeup of energy production in the region.

This may be a hypothetical or present-day reflection of the grid.

# Data Center Environmental Impacts

The environmental impact of data centers is a critical point for considering:

- The overall benefit of building more data center
- Where data centers should be located
- How data centers can operate more efficiently

Data centers are expanding in places like the Dakota's to take advantage of the cool weather, reducing demand on water and energy for keeping server components and the facility cool.

# Data Centers in the Dakotas

Let's look at the impact of opening a new data center in South Dakota producing \$1B of services annually.

The screenshot displays the IMPLAN software interface for configuring an event. The main workspace shows a table with the following columns: Title, Type, Specification, and Value. A row is visible with the title 'data center', Type 'Industry Impact A...', Specification '418 - Data processing, hosting, and related services', and Value 'Enter Value(s) Below'. Below this table is the 'Industry Impact Analysis (Detailed)' section, which includes fields for Wage & Salary Employment, Employee Compensation, Total Output, Proprietor Employment, Proprietor Income, and Total Employment. The 'Total Output' field is highlighted with a red box and contains the value '\$1,000,000,000'. The right-hand panel shows the configuration for the event, including the title 'South Dakota Group', the region 'South Dakota', and the 'MRIO' checkbox, which is checked and highlighted with a blue arrow. The bottom of the interface shows a 'PREVIEW' button and a 'RUN' button.

# Economic & Environmental Impacts

Economic Indicators by Impact						
Impact	^	Employment	: ↓	Labor Income	Value Added	Output
1 - Direct		3,453.56		\$304,968,666.61	\$439,223,956.78	\$1,000,000,000.00
2 - Indirect		4,151.68		\$306,388,756.06	\$505,599,932.33	\$916,497,288.10
3 - Induced		2,962.42		\$185,975,830.69	\$339,878,619.53	\$572,686,451.28
Totals		10,567.66		\$797,333,253.36	\$1,284,702,508.63	\$2,489,183,739.38

Global Warming Potential (GWP) by Scope and Time Horizon				
Scope	^	20-year GWP	100-year GWP	1000-year GWP
Scope 1		3,030,054.36	2,107,671.81	1,232,843.08
Scope 2		151,664.56	180,528.72	88,259.60
Scope 3		169,670,855.87	146,647,245.54	127,410,790.03
Total		172,852,574.79	148,935,446.08	128,731,892.70

# Data Centers in the Dakotas

IMPLAN's Industry Production Functions assume a fixed input structure

- Impacts based on regional availability of inputs
- Electricity impacts based on the distribution of energy production across types

Let's model the data centers with reduced water/cooling and electricity demand and compare the GWP impact.

- Modify Electricity from 1.58% of inputs to 1%
- Modify Water, Sewage and other Systems from 0.03% of inputs to 0.01%

# Data Centers in the Dakotas

Now we'll add our Spending Pattern edits to further tailor the Scope 2 and 3 Impacts.

The screenshot displays the IMPLAN software interface for configuring an event. The main window is titled "SD to ROUS MRIO". On the left, a sidebar contains navigation icons for home, location, currency, and document management. The top navigation bar includes "IMPLAN", "SD to ROUS MRIO", a notification bell, and a user profile icon labeled "MA".

The main content area is divided into several sections:

- Events:** A header with "Events 1" and a "+ ADD NEW EVENT" button. Below it is a table with columns: Title, Type, Specification, and Value. A row is visible with Title "data center", Type "Industry Impact A...", Specification "418 - Dat...", and Value "Enter Value(s) Below".
- Industry Impact Analysis (Detailed):** A section with various input fields and buttons. A blue arrow points to a button labeled "SPENDING PATTERN". Other fields include "Wage & Salary Employment", "Employee Compensation", "EC Commute Rate" (set to "SAM"), "Total Output" (\$1,000,000,000), "Proprietor Employment", "Proprietor Income", "Taxes on Production and Imports Ne...", "Other Property Income", "Total Employment", "Total Labor Income", and "Intermediate Inputs".
- Groups:** A sidebar on the right with "Groups 2" and a "+ ADD NEW GROUP" button. It lists "South Dakota Group" and "Rest of US less SD Group", each with configuration options for "Dollar Y...", "Data Ye...", "Scale", and "Region".

At the bottom of the interface, there are "PREVIEW" and "RUN" buttons, and a status bar indicating "528 Unaggregated".

# Tailoring Scope 2 & 3

2023 ▾	418 - Data processing, hosting, and related services Industr...	⋮
Search ▾		
<b>Commodities</b> +	<b>Percentage</b>	LPP SAM ▾
<input type="checkbox"/> 3042 Electricity transmission and distribution	1.58%	SAM ▾
<input type="checkbox"/> 3043 Natural gas distribution	0.01%	SAM ▾
<input type="checkbox"/> 3044 Water, sewage and other systems	0.03%	SAM ▾
<input type="checkbox"/> 3055 Maintained and repaired nonresidential ...	0.17%	SAM ▾
Number of Commodities: 217		Sum of Percentages: 100.00%

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# Comparing Emission Impacts

## Original Results

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## With Edits

Scope 2 ↓37%  
Scope 3 ↓5%

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Scope	^	20-year GWP	100-year GWP	1000-year GWP
Scope 1		3,030,054.36	2,107,671.81	1,232,843.08
Scope 2		96,219.05	114,531.06	55,993.67
Scope 3		160,641,825.72	138,124,059.59	119,275,188.21
Total		163,768,099.14	140,346,262.46	120,564,024.95

# Current Mix of Electricity Production

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Selected Regions 1

Regions Commodity Industry Institutional Production just now

Commodity 3034 - Electricity More • 1

### Industry-Institutional Production

	Code	Description	Institution Production	Regional Market Share	Coefficient
1	34	Electric power generation - Hydroelectric	\$21,352,063.52	3.560%	100.000%
2	35	Electric power generation - Fossil fuel	\$344,985,861.35	57.516%	100.000%
3	38	Electric power generation - Wind	\$184,838,540.44	30.816%	100.000%
4	515	Local government electric utilities	\$48,630,652.50	8.108%	27.600%
Totals			\$599,807,117.81	100.000%	327.600%

**South Dakota**

Employment: 657K  
Output: \$141B  
Value Added: \$75B  
Data Year: 2023

CLOSE REGION DETAILS

# Electric Power Mix Update

← **CUSTOMIZE INDUSTRY DETAILS** CUSTOMIZE PRODUCTION CUSTOMIZE MODEL RPC

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**34 - Electric power generation - Hydroelectric**  
Selected Industry

Dollars Per Worker  Percentage of Output

Employment: 29.46 **APPLY NATIONAL RATIOS**

**TOTALS** **PER WORKER**

Output: \$21,352,063.52	Output Per Worker: \$724,731.64
Employee Compensation: \$4,819,447.77	EC Per Worker: \$163,581.67

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Employment:   
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**APPLY NATIONAL RATIOS**

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**South Dakota**

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Data Year:	2023

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# Electric Power Mix Update

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## Enhanced Emissions Data in IMPLAN: Transforming Impact Analysis into Climate Intelligence

August 13, 2025 by [Chandler West](#) & [Maria Lucas](#)

Environmental responsibility is no longer optional – it's essential. Global mandates are rapidly reshaping the landscape of climate disclosure, and IMPLAN is uniquely positioned to help organizations navigate it with confidence. In the US and abroad, new regulations require scope-based reporting. IMPLAN now empowers climate-conscious decision makers with powerful environmental data for US-based data offerings, capturing greenhouse gas (GHG) emissions by industry and region, and connecting them directly to economic impact results.

### From Data to Carbon Insight

IMPLAN translates complex GHG data into carbon dioxide equivalents, expressed as Global Warming Potentials (GWPs), providing clarity and comparability. These emissions are now categorized using the globally recognized Scope 1, 2, and 3 framework:

**Scope 1:** Direct emissions from owned or controlled sources

**Scope 2:** Indirect emissions from purchased energy use

**Scope 3:** Other emissions due to activities from assets not owned or controlled by the reporting organization, such as supply chain impacts.

This categorization complements IMPLAN's traditional Direct, Indirect, and Induced framework, delivering identical total emission values across both formats and

### WHY IMPLAN?

Put simply, IMPLAN is built for everyone.

Together, our software and data give you a window into your region of study — like one gigantic transaction log for the local economy. Chances are that if your project or business has a financial component, then IMPLAN can reveal some sometimes surprising detail about how your project relates to the local, state, or national economy.

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