



AB1305 Compliance

Project Name: Australian Yarra Yarra Biodiversity Project

Project ID: GS3039

Project Standard: Gold Standard

Section: 44475 Specific Language		
a) Details regarding the applicable carbon offset project, including the following information:		
1)	Specific protocol used to estimate emissions reductions or removal benefits:	Methodology for afforestation/reforestation (a/r) GHGs emission reduction & sequestration, version 2
2)	The location of the offset project site	Australia
3)	The project timeline:	January 11, 2015 - June 11, 2058
4)	The date when the project started or will start:	11-Jan-15
5)	The date and quantities when a specified quantity of emissions reductions or removals started or will start:	Vintage 2020: 4,451
6)	Type of project, including whether the offsets from the project are derived from a carbon removal, an avoided emission, or the case of a project with both carbon removals and avoided emissions, the breakdown of offsets from each	Afforestation, Reforestation and Revegetation Removal
7)	Whether the project meets any standards established by law or by a nonprofit entity	Yes, Gold Standard for the Global Goals
8)	The durability period for any project that the seller knows or should know that the durability of the project's greenhouse gas reductions or greenhouse gas removal enhancements is less than the atmospheric lifetime of carbon dioxide emissions	The crediting period for the project is 50 Years from the year of establishment. The properties have been planted and are now under permanent maintenance programs. The properties have specifically been planted for long term carbon sequestration. Any new additions to the project area will be conducted on the same basis. The risk of reversal is protected by a 20% buffer pool.
9)	Whether there is independent expert or third-party validation or verification of the project attributes	Yes, validation and verification
10)	Emissions reduced or carbon removed on an annual basis	25,151 tCO2e/year estimate



b) Details regarding accountability measure if a project is not completed or does not meet the project emissions reductions or removal benefits, including but not limited to, details regarding what action the entity, either directly or by contractual obligation shall take under both of the following circumstances:		
1)	If carbon storage projects are reversed	Page 8 Survival level https://globalgoals.goldstandard.org/standards/403_V2.0_LUF_AR-Methodology-GHGs-emission-reduction-and-Sequestration-Methodology.pdf
2)	If future emissions reductions do not materialize	These credits are Ex-Post not Ex-Ante
c) Pertinent data and calculation methods needed to reproduce and verify the number of emissions reductions issued using the protocol		The data and calculation methods can be reproduced and verified by using the details outlined in the following document: https://globalgoals.goldstandard.org/standards/403_V2.0_LUF_AR-Methodology-GHGs-emission-reduction-and-Sequestration-Methodology.pdf Section 3.5 to 31 for removal calculations. The monitoring report - section E page 13 presents the Calculation of SDG - GS4GG Monitoring Report (Sustainability Monitoring Plan - Auscarbon - All Areas - 010618.pdf found on this page: https://platform.sustain-cert.com/public-luf-project/2792) & methodology quantification https://www.cooleffect.org/lib/content/wp-content/uploads/2023/12/INVENT1.DOC.pdf & ER calculation: https://www.cooleffect.org/lib/content/wp-content/uploads/2023/12/Project-GS-3039-Ex-Post-CO2-e-Fixation-Calculations-Gold-Standard.xlsx
Section: 44475.1 Specific Language		
a)	The Name of the business entity selling the offset	Cool Effect, Inc.
	& Offset Registry	Gold Standard for Global Goals
b)	Project Identification Number	GS 3039
c)	The project name as listed on the registry	Australian Yarra Yarra biodiversity project
d)	The offset project type, including whether the offsets purchased were derived from a carbon removal, an avoided emission, or a combination of both, and site location.	Carbon removal Site location noted above
e)	The specific protocol used to estimate emission reductions or removal benefits	Methodology for Afforestation/Reforestation (A/R) GHGs emission Reduction & Sequestration https://globalgoals.goldstandard.org/standards/403_V2.0_LUF_AR-Methodology-GHGs-emission-reduction-and-Sequestration-Methodology.pdf



f)	Whether there is independent third-party verification of company data and claims listed	Yes, all documentation of verification and validation can be found here: https://platform.sustain-cert.com/public-luf-project/2792
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