

climate change support for local authorities

a directory of the national and regional support
available to support the work of local authorities
in responding to climate change

Do you need support for your work on climate change? This directory will guide you through the wide range of support available at the national and regional levels on mitigation and adaptation. The directory includes links to policy, guidance, tools, training, networks, research, data and funding.

introduction

Climate change is a pressing consideration for all local authorities. Particularly since the introduction of climate change indicators in the performance framework for local government, local authorities have been playing an increasingly significant role in responding to the challenges presented by climate change. In turn, the level of support which local authorities need on climate change issues has also increased.

A wide range of bodies are involved in providing support to local authorities on climate change at national and regional levels. The purpose of this directory is to signpost the support which is available in order to enable local authorities to make best use of it.

The directory categorises the support available in three main ways.

Firstly, by the type of support, using the following categories:

- policy / guidance;
- tools;
- training / intensive support;
- networks / partnerships;
- research / data; and
- funding.

Secondly, by the topic addressed, using the following categories:

- mitigation of council emissions (national indicator 185);
- mitigation of community-wide emissions (national indicator 186);
- adaptation to climate change (national indicator 188); and
- both mitigation and adaptation.

Thirdly, by the level at which the support is offered. The directory includes support available at the national level as well as the support available in each of the nine English regions.

The directory provides a snapshot of the support available at a

particular point in time. Because the support available to local authorities on climate change is rapidly evolving, the information will go out of date. In addition, whilst we have made every effort to make the directory as comprehensive as possible, inevitably some support activity will not have been included.

The information about support available at the national level has been compiled by the IDeA with the assistance of representatives

from Energy Saving Trust, Carbon Trust, Environment Agency, Local Government Association, UK Climate Impacts Programme and the Nottingham Declaration Partnership. The regional-level information has been compiled with the assistance of the regional climate change co-ordinators in each of the nine English regions.

Any comments or information on additional support should be sent to tim.maiden@idea.gov.uk.

how to use this directory

This is a directory and not a report. It has not been designed to be read from front to back.

Instead, use the grid on the following page to find the support you need in two easy steps:

1. Decide on the type of support you need from those listed in the rows
2. Decide on the topic you are interested in from those listed in the columns

Then simply click on the button that matches your selections.

This will take you to a page listing all of the relevant support available nationally. Links at the end of the page will take you to any further support available in your region.

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Click on the button below which best matches your support needs.

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Policy / guidance > Mitigation & adaptation

- [Nottingham Declaration website](#) (Nottingham Declaration Partnership). Extensive guidance covering both adaptation and mitigation covering: why sign; establishing a climate change action plan and associated implementation; advice for council services; news & developments; funding opportunities; case studies and links to other toolkits & guidance.
- [‘Small Change, Big Difference’ campaign](#) (Local Government Association). A campaign to encourage local government to do more to address climate change, seek greater powers for councils and influence public opinion and behaviour. Includes various reports, case studies and guidance.
- [IDeA Knowledge](#) (IDeA). ‘Environmental Sustainability and Climate Change’ section is a significant part of the IDeA Knowledge website providing information, guidance and case studies and an extensive 'links and resources' section for councils on adaptation and mitigation.
- [Joint environmental prospectus](#) (Local Government Association and Defra). Constitutes a commitment from the LGA and Defra and its agencies to work together to instill a strategic approach to the environment. Identifies three shared environmental aims: tackling climate change; protecting the natural environment and resources; and improving the local environment. Highlights the importance of the local authority role in meeting these objectives and sets out how councils can take leadership in addressing these priorities.
- [Greening Communities Campaign](#) (Local Government Association). Resource for local authorities for leadership on local environment issues, including ideas for action on climate change and energy.
- [Cutting through the green tape: The powers local authorities have to tackle climate change](#) (Local Government Association and Nabarro LLP). There are numerous powers in existence which enable local authorities to effectively tackle climate change but there is a lot of environmental legislation for local authorities to understand. This document aims to highlight these powers, signpost the tools and resources councils can draw upon and offer some practical examples of those councils that have successfully utilised them.
- [Volatile times: Transport, climate change and the price of oil](#) (Local Government Association). This report looks at the theory and evidence behind the volatility of oil prices and makes key recommendations to councils on how to adapt as well as what central government can do to help local government.
- [Showcase](#) (Homes and Communities Academy). Case study library for sustainable communities, including section on climate change with national and international examples.
- [Practice guidance to support the Planning Policy Statement: Planning and Climate Change](#) (Homes and Communities Academy). This practice guide supports the implementation of the Planning Policy Statement: Planning and Climate Change.
- [Demystifying Climate Change](#) (Homes and Communities Academy). Microsite providing practical solutions to climate change for people who create and maintain communities.
- [Planning Policy Statement: Planning and Climate Change - Supplement to Planning Policy Statement 1](#) (Department for Communities and Local Government). Sets out how planning, in providing for the new homes, jobs and infrastructure needed by communities, should help shape places with lower carbon emissions and resilient to climate change.
- [Strong and Prosperous Communities: The Local Government White Paper](#) (Department for Communities and Local Government). Includes an annex on climate change.
- [Code for Sustainable Homes](#) (Department for Communities and Local Government). The code measures the sustainability of a new home against nine categories of sustainable design, rating the 'whole home' as a complete package and sets minimum standards for energy and water use at each level of performance. Various guidance documents are provided by CLG.
- [Draft Planning Policy Statement on Eco-Towns](#) (Department for Communities and Local Government). Precisely defines what constitutes an eco-town; what environmental, social, and economic standards these developments should achieve; and how eco-towns relate to the planning system.
- [Natural England website](#) (Natural England). Section on climate change provides information and guidance on climate change and the natural environment, including details of Natural England's [Character Area Climate Change project](#),

which aims to identify the local responses required to safeguard our natural environment and our enjoyment of it, and details of their [review](#) of how land and marine managers can protect carbon stores and enhance carbon sequestration.

- [Climate change and the historic environment](#) (English Heritage). A report setting out current thinking on the implications of climate change for the historic environment.

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- [North East Declaration on Climate Change](#). Extension of the Nottingham Declaration, signed by Association of North East Councils, Business in The Community, Confederation of British Industry, Environment Agency, Federation of Small Businesses, Government Office for the North East, Groundwork, North East Assembly, North East Chamber of Commerce, Natural England, One North East, Voluntary Organisations' Network North East (VONNE).
- [Climate Change Action Plan for North East England](#) (North East Climate Change Partnership). Regional level action plan being developed by partners.
- [Tees Valley Climate Change Strategy](#) (Tees Valley Climate Change Partnership). Sub-regional climate change strategy for the Tees Valley, including targets and broad actions that will be taken to achieve emission reductions, adapt to existing climate change and raise awareness amongst the community.

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- [Climate Change Local Area Support Programme](#) (4NW). The CLASP programme is central to the provision of advice to local authorities on climate change issues.
- [Ad hoc planning advice](#) (4NW). 4NW provide general advice on planning issues, and respond to consultations on Supplementary Planning Documents, on climate change adaptation, low carbon transport and energy generation.
- [Green Infrastructure Regional Action Plan](#) (Community Forests Northwest). A range of work is being undertaken across the region to explore and promote the role of green infrastructure in relation to mitigation, and to explore the potential impacts of adaptation on green infrastructure.
- [Educational resource pack](#) (4NW). An educational resource pack on climate change.

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- [Climate Change Plan for Yorkshire and Humber](#) (Yorkshire and Humber Climate Change Partnership). Sets a strategic direction for managing and combating climate change in the Yorkshire and Humber region for the period 2009-2014. The plan's purpose is to demonstrate the principles for regional and local leaders, and for decision makers in all sectors, of what is required to help the region adapt to climate change, and to reduce the region's contribution to its causes. It covers seven key priorities of: Strategy and Monitoring, The Built Environment, Transport, Health Services, Business, Land Management, and Citizen Engagement. Additionally there are three cross cutting themes of Energy, Waste and Water. The plan is driven by the Yorkshire and Humber Climate Change Partnership, which monitors implementation and helps join up activities across the region.

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- [Acting on CO2 in the East Midlands](#) (Government Office East Midlands). Booklets designed to help raise regional awareness of climate change.
- [Tackling Climate Change in the East Midlands](#) (East Midlands Climate Change Partnership) A Regional Programme of Action 2009-11.
- [Integrated Regional Strategy Framework](#) (East Midlands Regional Assembly). The Framework highlights climate change as a cross cutting challenge.
- [Climate Action Support Programme](#). This Portal will bring together all emerging best practice, tools & guidance in a single integrated information resource. Not yet available at time of publication.
- [Sustainable Design & Construction Guide](#) (East Midlands Regional Assembly).
- [Success Stories](#) (East Midlands Regional Assembly). This database of case studies showcases examples of sustainable development good practice from across the East Midlands, including those which use natural resources more efficiently and reduce the impact of climate change.

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- [West Midlands Regional Climate Change Action Plan](#) (West Midlands Regional Assembly, Government Office West Midlands, Advantage West Midlands, Environment Agency, Natural England). Action plan addressing mitigation and adaptation across the region.
- [West Midlands Climate Change Declaration](#) (West Midlands Regional Assembly) Developed by the regional assembly, who advocated sign up by all West Midlands local authorities.
- [West Midlands Climate Change Office](#) (Government Office for the West Midlands). A body comprising representatives from five key regional partners - the Government Office for the West Midlands, Advantage West Midlands, the West Midlands Regional Assembly, the Environment Agency and Natural England – who are responsible for the delivery of the regional climate change action plan. The delivery of the Action Plan is overseen by a Climate Change Panel comprising Chief Executives and Directors of the five key partner organisations, who report to the Regional Minister.
- [West Midlands Economic Strategy](#) (West Midlands Regional Assembly, Advantage West Midlands, Government Office for the West Midlands). This strategy contains baselines & targets for emissions reductions by sector and guidance for local authorities and provides a strong focus on low carbon economic growth.
- [Regional Sustainable Development Framework](#) (West Midlands Regional Assembly, Sustainability West Midlands). Contains actions on climate change applicable to local authorities.

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- [Climate Change Action Plan](#) (East of England Climate Change Partnership). Region-wide action plan which will address both mitigation and adaptation priorities.
- [Integrated Sustainability Framework](#) (East of England Regional Assembly).
- [Environment Strategy](#) (East of England Regional Assembly).

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- [Making Your Plans Sustainable: A London Guide](#) (London Sustainable Development Commission). A guide for helping organisations, including local authorities, to consider the sustainability of their proposals. It encourages organisations to think about the wider implications, such as climate change, of their plans, and provides practical ways in which they can improve them.

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- [South West Climate Change Action Plan](#) (South West Regional Assembly, South West Regional Development Agency, Environment Agency, Natural England, Government Office for the South West). Draws together issues from across the region to ensure that there is a shared vision on tackling climate change, access to a common evidence base and a jointly agreed set of priorities for taking the issues forward.

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- [Local Authority Carbon Management Programme](#) (Carbon Trust). An intensive support programme providing technical and change management support and guidance to help local authorities realise carbon emissions savings.
- [The Carbon Trust Standard \(Carbon Trust\)](#). Provides an objective benchmark against which to assess an organisation's commitment and success in addressing its climate change impact.
- [Carbon Trust Customer Centre](#) (Carbon Trust). A free advice service on saving energy, renewable energy and other low carbon issues.
- [Partnerships for Renewables](#) (Carbon Trust Enterprises Ltd). Works in partnership with public sector bodies to develop, construct & operate onsite renewable energy projects.
- [Introducing Local Authority Carbon Management](#) (Carbon Trust). An introductory guide to Carbon Trust's Carbon Management support.
- [Local Authorities sector overview](#) (Carbon Trust). An overview of the best energy saving opportunities available in many local authority buildings focussing on low and no-cost measures and actions with the quickest payback.
- [Creating a low carbon future with the public sector](#) (Carbon Trust). A guide demonstrating how reducing carbon emissions can go hand-in-hand with increased operational efficiency.
- [Schools sector overview](#) (Carbon Trust). An overview covering the main energy saving opportunities for schools, including low and no-cost measures to reduce costs and release funds without compromising teaching conditions.
- [Energy Technology List](#) (Carbon Trust). An online database of energy efficient products and manufacturer details to enable energy efficiency to be embedded across procurement decisions.
- [Carbon Trust website](#) (Carbon Trust). Wide range of additional advice and guidance for local authorities including fact sheets, case studies and examples of local authority action plans.
- [Supplementary guidance for NI 185: Percentage CO2 reduction from LA operations](#) (Defra). Technical guidance for local authorities on NI 185.
- [Energy Measures Report](#) (Department for Business Enterprise and Regulatory Reform). Sets out the measures that could help local authorities tackle climate change and fuel poverty. All local authorities must have regard to the report in exercising their functions.
- [One-to-one support programme](#) (Energy Saving Trust). A free service which aims to help local authorities reduce area-wide carbon emissions and demonstrate local leadership in addressing climate change.
- [Practical Help](#) (Energy Saving Trust). A one-stop-shop support service for local authorities to help drive forward sustainable energy initiatives. Includes advice and information, helpline, newsletter, training & workshops etc.
- [Energy Services Packages](#) (Energy Saving Trust). Free in-house consultancy for local authorities that are considering establishing an energy services scheme, as well as the Energy Services Directory and several briefing notes.
- [Energy Saving Trust website](#) (Energy Saving Trust). Wide range of additional advice and guidance for local authorities including policy updates and frequently asked questions.
- [Cutting through the Green Tape II: Preparing for the Carbon Reduction Commitment](#) (Local Government Association and Nabarro LLP). A short introductory guidance on the CRC to help raise awareness amongst senior managers and politicians.
- [Carbon Trading Councils](#) (Local Government Information Unit). A voluntary scheme for councils to reduce their greenhouse gas emissions by observing annual carbon budgets and trading in carbon permits, as a precursor to the Carbon Reduction Commitment.
- [Carbon Zero Councils](#) (Local Government Information Unit). Charts a pathway to a zero-carbon future for the council as a corporate body and as community leader. Includes wallcharts and factsheets.
- [Consultation on the Draft Order to Implement the Carbon Reduction Commitment](#) (Department of Energy and Climate Change). A cap and trade scheme which seeks to reduce carbon dioxide emissions from large non-energy intensive organisations in both the public and the private sector. It is scheduled to come into effect in April 2010.

- [Carbon Reduction Commitment User Guide](#) (Department of Energy and Climate Change). Complete guidance on how to prepare for the scheme and what actions organisations will have to take during the scheme.

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- [North East greenhouse gas emissions baselines and trajectories study](#) (North East Climate Change Partnership). Provides detailed information on the emissions from different sectors both now and in the future. Provides recommendations for measures which should be adopted at the regional level.
- [Energy North East](#). Portal with information, resources and links relating to the energy sector in North East England, aimed at policy makers, the energy sector, industry, teachers, students and community groups.

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- Regional Transport work on climate change (4NW). A climate change-focused sub-group has been formed, under the Regional Transport Advisory Group. 4NW leads on transport-related projects, including a 3-year project to promote best practice on travel planning (for businesses & public sector). Contact: Alec.curley@4nw.org.uk
- [Transport advice](#) (Energy Savings Trust). Advice is provided by the NWDA-funded Transport Coordinator.

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- [The East Midlands Energy Challenge: Regional Energy Strategy Part 1](#) and [Part 2](#) (East Midlands Regional Assembly). As a part of the Integrated Regional Strategy, the Regional Energy Strategy provides a framework for a sustainable approach to energy across the region. A revised Regional Energy Strategy and Action Plans are due out in 2009.

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- [Implementing Delivery Mechanisms for Financing London's Low Carbon Future](#) (London Energy Partnership). Aims to promote three delivery mechanisms in which various individuals and organizations could participate and assist in overcoming some of the barriers to financing local carbon projects in London.
- [Making ESCOs Work: Guidance and Advice on Setting Up & Delivering and ESCO](#) (London Energy Partnership). Provides guidance and advice to those considering setting up and delivering an Energy Services Company.
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- [Low carbon best practice case studies in London](#) (London Climate Change Agency, now part of LDA). A series of case-studies featuring best-practice low-carbon projects developed in London.

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- [Renewable Energy Case Studies and Factsheets](#) (Regen SW, University of Exeter and Devon County Council). A series of case studies and factsheets designed specifically for local authority decision makers.
- [The South West Bioheat Programme](#) (Regen SW). Aims to stimulate the bioheat industry through increasing the number of woodfuel systems on the ground, supporting fuel suppliers and providing recognised training programmes across the region. Includes local authority-specific advice and support.
- [South West Energy and Environment Group](#) (University of Exeter). Provides technical advice to its member authorities, including local authorities, in the fields of sustainable building, waste and water management, building acoustics, noise pollution and other environmental issues.

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- [The Carbon Trust Standard \(Carbon Trust\)](#). Provides an objective benchmark against which to assess an organisation's commitment and success in addressing its climate change impact.
- [Carbon Trust Customer Centre](#) (Carbon Trust). A free advice service on saving energy, renewable energy and other low carbon issues.
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- [Energy Measures Report](#) (Department for Business Enterprise and Regulatory Reform). Sets out the measures that could help local authorities tackle climate change and fuel poverty. All local authorities must have regard to the report in exercising their functions.
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- [Practical Help](#) (Energy Saving Trust). A one-stop-shop support service for local authorities to help drive forward sustainable energy initiatives. Includes advice and information, helpline, newsletter, training & workshops etc.
- [Community Action for Energy](#) (Energy Saving Trust). Help and advice in implementing community level energy projects. Includes resources and information, support, funding advice and training.
- [Reducing carbon dioxide emissions in your local authority area - the guide](#) (Energy Saving Trust). An online resource developed to help local authorities to address National Indicator 186 - Per capita carbon dioxide emissions in the local authority area.
- [Environment Agency](#). Advice on small scale hydropower and any renewable energies covered by the Waste Incineration directive & Environmental Permitting Regulations.
- [Planners support pack – England](#) (Energy Saving Trust). Briefing notes, information, and case studies that outline how to develop and implement sustainable planning policies.
- [Planners support pack – Scotland](#) (Energy Saving Trust). As above.
- [Climate Change Planning Guidance](#) (Planning Advisory Service). A practice guide supporting the implementation of the Planning Policy Statement: Planning and Climate Change.
- [Low Carbon Leadership Workbook](#) (Energy Saving Trust and Marches Energy Agency). A workbook designed as the basis for creating bespoke carbon reduction plans. Seeks to enable an elected member, officer, LSP partner or interested community member to understand and create a low carbon route map for their community.
- [Carbon Trust website](#) (Carbon Trust). Wide range of additional advice and guidance for local authorities including fact sheets, case studies and examples of local authority action plans.
- [Energy Saving Trust website](#) (Energy Saving Trust). Wide range of additional advice and guidance for local authorities including policy updates and frequently asked questions.
- [ACT ON CO2](#) (Defra). Online resource for local authorities wishing to run public facing communications in relation to climate change. Contains a number of tools including guidance on running events, advertising, writing press releases and also collateral from the campaign that is available to use on a local level.
- [Smarter choices – changing the way we travel](#) (Department for Transport). Report exploring the potential impacts of 'soft' transport policy measures, i.e. measures which seek to give better information and opportunities, aimed at helping people to choose to reduce their car use while enhancing the attractiveness of alternatives.
- [Wind energy and the historic environment](#) (English Heritage). Provides guidance on the impacts of wind energy generation on the historic environment.

- [Low Carbon Development Guide](#) (Homes and Communities Academy). A jointly-funded publication with Inspire East and the Government Office for the East of England that provides advice for planners and councillors on low carbon development.
- [Carbon Zero Councils](#) (Local Government Information Unit). Charts a pathway to a zero-carbon future for the council as a corporate body and as community leader. Includes wallcharts and factsheets.
- [‘Carbon Footprints, Local Steps’](#) (New Local Government Network) A report exploring the role of local authorities in carbon reduction. It identifies a number of viable actions that councils could take to reduce their area’s carbon emissions.

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- [Low Carbon Housing and Fuel Poverty Activity Plan \(2007-2009\)](#) (North West Domestic Energy Alliance). A regional strategy and action plan for promoting low carbon housing and reducing fuel poverty. See also the [update Jan 08](#).
- [Advice on energy efficiency, fuel poverty and renewable energy](#) (North West Domestic Energy Alliance). NWDEA is supporting the implementation of the Energy Efficiency and Fuel Poverty Action Plan (see above), including the promotion of renewable technology.
- [Support for renewable energy](#) (Envirolink Northwest). Environlink will support the development and planning of low carbon energy generation schemes, replacing Renewables Northwest and CLAREN.
- [Resource packs for NI186](#) (CLASP). Materials have been developed on 11 key themes and will shortly be disseminated to support local authority work on NI 186.
- [North West Sustainable Energy Strategy](#) (4NW/Regional Planning Board). Prepared in 2006, this document presents the way forward towards a more sustainable energy future in the region, covering energy efficiency and renewable energy initiatives.
- Regional Transport work on climate change (4NW). A climate change-focused sub-group has been formed, under the Regional Transport Advisory Group. 4NW leads on transport-related projects, including a 3-year project to promote best practice on travel planning (for businesses & public sector). Contact: Alec.curley@4nw.org.uk
- [Transport advice](#) (Energy Savings Trust). Advice is provided by the NWDA-funded Transport Coordinator.
- [Environmental support for businesses](#) (ENWORKS). A resource efficiency programme aimed at creating a 'one-stop shop' for environmental support to SMEs. Local authorities can use this as part of their delivery programme on NI 186.

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- [Low Carbon Transport study](#) (Yorkshire and Humber Assembly). A study into what measures would be needed to achieve reductions in CO2 emissions from transport. The study concentrates on what could be practically delivered through transport interventions by organisations within the Yorkshire and Humber Region.

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- [The East Midlands Energy Challenge: Regional Energy Strategy Part 1](#) and [Part 2](#) (East Midlands Regional Assembly).
As a part of the Integrated Regional Strategy, the Regional Energy Strategy provides a framework for a sustainable approach to energy across the region. A revised Regional Energy Strategy and Action Plans are due out in 2009.

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- [West Midlands Regional Energy Strategy](#) (West Midlands Regional Assembly).
- Sustainable Housing Action Programme ([Sustainability West Midlands](#)). Identifies best practice in sustainable energy technology for housebuilding & refurbishment schemes.
- Planning Best Practice Guide ([Sustainability West Midlands](#)). Contains advice on achieving reductions in carbon emissions in new homes & case studies. Aimed at local authority planners.
- [Low Carbon – Evidence of success](#) (Advantage West Midlands). This summary document explains the process that Advantage West Midlands embarked upon with its partners to produce a low-carbon economic strategy Connecting to Success.

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- [Low Carbon Development – An introductory guide for planners and councillors](#) (Government Office for the East of England, Inspire East, Academy for Sustainable Communities and the Buildings Research Establishment). This guide focuses on future development and is intended to assist local authority planners and councillors in the region by providing an introduction to spatial planning policy, Building Regulations, national targets and how these can be used to deliver low carbon development.
- [A Renewable Energy Operational Plan For The East Of England](#) (East of England Development Agency). This report, published in January 2004 contains the position statement (part one), strategic framework (part two) and operational plan (part three) for renewable energy in the East of England.

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- [Action Today to Protect Tomorrow: The Mayor's Climate Change Action Plan](#) (Greater London Assembly). Published in 2007, sets out a path for London to tackle climate change and to deliver London's CO2 targets.
- [Green Light to Clean Power: The Mayor's Energy Strategy](#) (Greater London Assembly). Aims to reduce London's contribution to global climate change, tackle the problem of fuel poverty and at the same time promote London's economic development through renewable and energy efficient technologies.
- [Planning policy: making it work](#) (London Energy Partnership). A resource for planners, engineers and developers and aims to increase understanding of and receptiveness to energy related planning policy.
- [Implementing Delivery Mechanisms for Financing London's Low Carbon Future](#) (London Energy Partnership). Aims to promote three delivery mechanisms in which various individuals and organizations could participate and assist in overcoming some of the barriers to financing local carbon projects in London.
- [Guide to Developing an Energy Action Area: A Beginner's Guide](#) (London Renewables and London Energy Partnership). Guidance to parties interested in developing Energy Action Areas in London.
- [Making ESCOs Work: Guidance and Advice on Setting Up & Delivering an ESCO](#) (London Energy Partnership). Provides guidance and advice to those considering setting up and delivering an Energy Services Company.
- [Towards Zero Carbon Developments: Supportive Information for Boroughs](#) (London Renewables and London Energy Partnership). The main project aims were to develop a robust, broadly accepted working definition of zero carbon developments and, if possible, low carbon developments and to produce supportive information for London boroughs to aid them in the identification of suitable sites.
- [Biomass for London: Wood Fuel Guide](#) (London Energy Partnership). Covers the state of the current wood fuel market, fuels and technology. It outlines the processes for assessing the feasibility of a wood fuel project, looking at technical, economic and logistical issues.
- [Green Homes](#) (London Development Agency). Initiative aimed mainly at landlords, tenants and homeowners. Includes information useful to housing departments in local authorities. The Green Homes Programme has an advice service, skills training for planners, guidance & other measures to increase energy efficiency of homes.
- [Low carbon best practice case studies in London](#) (London Climate Change Agency, now part of LDA). A series of case-studies featuring best-practice low-carbon projects developed in London.

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- [Regional Renewable Energy Strategy for the South West of England 2003-2010](#) (Regional partners, delivered by Regen SW).
- [South West Regional Wood Fuel Framework 2005](#) (Forestry Commission). Provides a focus for all those interested in developing the potential of woodfuel in the South West.
- [Support on Wind Power for Planners](#) (Regen SW). Regen SW provides advice on planning aspects of renewable energy.
- [South West Public Engagement Protocol on Wind Energy](#) (Regen SW). A protocol and guidance on community engagement for wind energy to encourage wind energy developers to undertake pre-application consultation with local people about schemes they are proposing in the region. Local planning authorities and wind energy developers are invited to sign up to the protocol to ensure local consultation and benefit result from wind energy schemes proposals in the region.
- [Climate Change in the South West: Dealing with the Impacts of Climate Change - Mitigation](#) (South West Protected Landscapes Forum). Paper to inform the review of Protected Landscapes Management Plans.
- [The South West Renewable Energy Atlas](#) (Regen SW). A DVD that highlights both the wind and some biomass resources and constraints in the region, giving local authorities a clearer picture of how these technologies can contribute to the achievement of renewable energy targets.
- [Renewable Energy Case Studies and Factsheets](#) (Regen SW, University of Exeter and Devon County Council). A series of case studies and factsheets designed specifically for local authority decision makers.
- [The South West Bioheat Programme](#) (Regen SW). Aims to stimulate the bioheat industry through increasing the number of woodfuel systems on the ground, supporting fuel suppliers and providing recognised training programmes across the region. Includes local authority-specific advice and support.
- [South West Energy and Environment Group](#) (University of Exeter). Provides technical advice to its member authorities, including local authorities, in the fields of sustainable building, waste and water management, building acoustics, noise pollution and other environmental issues.

Policy / guidance > Mitigation only > Community-wide emissions > South East

- DCREASE (SEast of England Development Agency). Delivering Carbon Reduction Across the South East is a networking group of organisations, chaired by SEast of England Development Agency, with the common purpose of reducing carbon emissions in the region, focusing primarily on the domestic sector. The mission of the group is to provide regional co-ordination and engagement for the implementation of carbon reduction measures and to help the region meet its climate change and fuel poverty targets. For further information contact: Barbara.hammond@seeda.co.uk.
- [Energy Efficiency and Renewable Energy Strategy](#) (South East England Regional Assembly). A regional framework to encourage greater energy efficiency and the development of renewable energy sources over the short, medium and longer term.
- [RPG9 Amended Chapters 10 & 14: Energy Efficiency and Renewable Energy; Tourism and Related Sport and Recreation](#) (Government Office for the South East). Regional policies on energy efficiency and renewable energy.
- [Retrofitting the existing housing stock in the South East](#) (South East England Regional Assembly). A study to research the potential for retrofitting the existing housing stock in the South East. The resulting strategy includes an action plan and guidance on value for money, trends, responsibilities & social/economic impacts.

Policy / guidance > Adaptation only

- [Adapting to Climate Change: Guidance notes for NI188](#) (Local and Regional Adaptation Partnership). Guidance notes designed to help manage the process of delivering against performance indicator NI 188 as part of the Local Area Agreement process.
- [Self Assessment guidance and matrix for National Indicator NI 188 - Planning to adapt to climate change](#) (Defra). The data for National Indicator 188 is provided through self assessment by the local authority and local strategic partnerships (LSP). This document sets out the process for submitting this data.
- [Local Climate Impacts Profile \(LCLIP\) methodology & guidance](#) (UK Climate Impacts Programme). Resource to enable local authorities to better understand their own vulnerability based on evidence of recent severe weather events in the locality.
- [The BRAIN](#) (UK Climate Impacts Programme). An online database of activities, adaptation actions, impacts of climate/ weather and news of general climate change activities.
- [Climate Digest & E-news](#) (UK Climate Impacts Programme). Monthly digest of climate change adaptation research from the academic literature.
- [Environment Agency website](#). Source of guidance and other resources for local planning authorities & developers including advice and guidance on Strategic Environmental Assessment, Local Development Frameworks, monitoring work and practical steps to prevent, or reduce the impact of, flooding in the future.
- [Be aware, be prepared, take action](#). Guidance on how to integrate climate change adaptation strategies into local government, produced by the Local Government Association (LGA), Environment Agency and United Kingdom Climate Impacts Programme (UKCIP).
- [Water Resources - current state and future pressures](#) (Environment Agency). Report illustrating the state of the water resources in England and Wales and highlighting the pressures affecting the water environment and water supplies in the future, including the impacts of climate change.
- [Sustainable Drainage Systems](#) (Environment Agency). Section of the Environment Agency website containing a summary of techniques, research, policy and guidance on Sustainable Drainage Systems.

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- [North East Climate Change Adaptation Study](#) (North East Climate Change Partnership). Online resource providing information on the climate changes that the region will face, how these changes will impact on the region's society, buildings, infrastructure and key economic assets, and what needs to be done now to adapt to the predicted impacts. Includes sub-regional assessments.
- [Climate change adaptation on the Wear](#) (Environment Agency and Northumbria Regional Flood Defence Committee). An investigation of the projected climate changes across the River Wear catchment by the 2050s, and an assessment of their impact on buildings, infrastructure and vulnerable members of society. Adaptation approaches to counter the impacts are also identified.
- [Climate-proofing the Cheviots: Scoping Study](#) (Environment Agency). An investigation of the projected climate changes across the Cheviot Hills by the 2050s, and an assessment of their impact on rural land management. Adaptation approaches to counter the impacts are also identified.
- [Urban flood risk and integrated drainage project: Ouseburn and North Gosforth](#) (Environment Agency, Newcastle City Council, Ouseburn Catchment Steering Group). Detailed examination of complex flooding issues and responses.
- [Urban flood risk and integrated drainage project: Hartlepool](#) (Northumbrian Water Limited, Hartlepool Borough Council, Environment Agency). Assimilation of all available data impacting on urban drainage issues in the Hartlepool catchment to allow easy access to review this data and make more informed development decisions.

Policy / guidance > Adaptation only > North West

- [Advice on NI188](#) (North West Climate Change Adaptation Group). Guidance notes from UKCIP and LRAP are shared through the NWCCAG, and ad hoc advice is shared between local authorities.

Policy / guidance > Adaptation only > Yorkshire & Humber

- [Regional Adaptation Study](#) (Yorkshire Futures). An online resource providing information on the climate changes that the region will face, how these changes will impact on the region's society, buildings, infrastructure and key economic assets, and what needs to be done now to adapt to the predicted impacts. Includes sub-regional assessments and local area reports.
- [Shoreline Management Plan for the Humber Estuary](#) (Environment Agency). A study looking at how to manage sea-level rise in the Humber Estuary.

Policy / guidance > Adaptation only > East Midlands

- [Adaptation Case Studies](#) (Government Office East Midlands). Not yet available at time of publication.

Policy / guidance > Adaptation only > West Midlands

- Climate Change Adaptation Framework for the West Midlands: A Framework for progress (West Midlands Climate Change office). Not available at time of publication.

Policy / guidance > Adaptation only > East of England

- [Living with climate change in the East of England: Guidance on spatial issues](#) (Sustainability East). Guidance on spatial issues relating to climate change impacts.
- [Living with climate change and its effect on trees and woodland in the East of England: Guidance for tree and woodland managers](#) (Sustainability East and Forestry Commission).
- [Living with climate change in the East of England: Local authorities](#) (Sustainability East and UK Climate Impacts Programme). A short guide summarising the case for ensuring that local authority services are resilient to climate change.
- [Living with climate change in the East of England: Businesses](#) (Sustainability East and UK Climate Impacts Programme). This short guide summarises the business case for adapting to climate change.
- [Your home in a changing climate](#) (Three Regions Group). This document provides an in-depth guide to retrofitting adaptation measures.

Policy / guidance > Adaptation only > London

- [The London Climate Change Adaptation Strategy: Draft](#) (Greater London Authority). The draft identifies the key climate change risks to London and Londoners and prioritises the actions necessary to manage those risks.
- [Adapting to Climate Change Impacts - A Good Practice Guide for Sustainable Communities](#) (Three Regions Climate Change Group). Sets out the climate change adaptation issues that planners and developers should consider at each stage of the development process, and ways to respond to them.
- [Adapting to Climate Change: A Checklist for Development](#) (Three Regions Climate Change Group). The guidance covers water re-use and efficiency, reducing flood risk, avoiding overheating and minimising damage from subsidence and heave.
- [Adapting to Climate Change: A Case Study Companion to the Checklist for Development](#) (Three Regions Climate Change Group). To be read in conjunction with the Checklist for Development, above.
- [Lessons for London](#) (London Climate Change Partnership). A 2006 review of how 18 major international cities are managing climate risks.
- [Helping London to Prepare for the Impacts of Climate Change](#) (London Climate Change Partnership). Provides a simple summary about what the Partnership is, what London's major climate risks are and what publications have been developed to help Londoners prepare for climate change impacts.
- [Three Regions Climate Change Group Website](#) (Three Regions Climate Change Group). Contains advice on flooding, water scarcity and overheating.
- [Your Home in a Changing Climate: Retrofitting Existing Homes for Climate Change Impact](#) (Three Regions Climate Change Group). The report's focus is to inform and promote the adaptation of the existing residential building stock for a future climate. The study covers dwellings from private individuals to housing associations, with an emphasis on water conservation, drainage, flood risk and ventilation.
- [London's Urban Heat Island: A Summary for Decision-Makers](#) (Greater London Assembly). A summary of a technical study into London's Urban Heat Island – why it exists, how it affects London and how it can be managed.

Policy / guidance > Adaptation only > South West

- [Local Area Agreement and Adapting to Climate Change](#) (South West Climate Change Impacts Partnership). A special feature page to assist Local Area Agreements in the South West deliver on the national performance indicator 188 "Planning to adapt to climate change".
- [Climate Change in the South West: Dealing with the Impacts of Climate Change - Adaptation](#) (South West Protected Landscapes Forum). Paper to inform the review of Protected Landscapes Management Plans.
- [Planning to adapt to climate change \(NI188\): prioritised risk-based assessments and the Civil Contingencies Act 2004](#) (South West Climate Change Impacts Partnership). Looks at how the existing requirements under the Civil Contingencies Act 2004 supports the actions required under NI 188 so that local authorities and local strategic partnerships can avoid duplication of effort.
- [Our Climate Is Changing: Impacts for the South West](#) (South West Climate Change Impacts Partnership). Introductory leaflet to climate change impacts in the South West.
- [SWCCIP Adaptation Case Studies](#) (South West Climate Change Impacts Partnership). A set of case studies on climate change adaptation in the South West, including one on Somerset Council.
- [Warning to the idea: meeting the challenge of climate change in the South West](#) (South West Climate Change Impacts Partnership). Scoping study that summarises the likely impacts of climate change on the South West, and sets out what needs to be done to adapt to the impacts.
- [Climate Change and Tourism in the South of England: What can your tourism business do to adapt?](#) (Climate South East, South West Climate Change Impacts Partnership and Devon County Council). A guidance leaflet for tourism businesses.

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- [Adapting to Climate Change: A Checklist for Development](#) (Three Regions Climate Change Group).
- [Adapting to Climate Change: A case study companion to the checklist for development](#) (Three Regions Climate Change Group).
- [Adapting to Climate Change: A Good Practice Guide for Sustainable Communities](#) (Three Regions Climate Change Group).
- Ad hoc policy advice ([Climate South East](#)). CSE is a membership-based organisation which provides policy advice and guidance to both public and private sector members.
- [Climate Change Booklet](#) (South East England Regional Assembly). A short booklet for planners, local councils, developers, regulators and service providers. The guide explains how new housing can be designed to make it more resilient to a changing climate.
- Climate Change Guide for LDF Planners (South East England Regional Assembly). The Assembly is working with the Planning Group of Climate South East to prepare a guide for LDF planners. Not available at time of publication.
- [Planners' Adaptation Guide](#) (South East England Regional Assembly). A guide for local authority planners on adapting to climate change impacts on water management.
- [Climate Change and Tourism in the South of England: What can your tourism business do to adapt?](#) (Climate South East, South West Climate Change Impacts Partnership and Devon County Council). A guidance leaflet for tourism businesses.
- Adaptation Messages for SMEs in the Food and Drink Sector ([Climate South East](#)). A project aimed at providing simple messages about climate change adaptation, tailored to small businesses in the food and drink area of the hospitality sector, which could be incorporated into existing sources of support and guidance for SMEs. For further information contact: info@climatesoutheast.org.uk
- [Your Home in a Changing Climate: Retrofitting Existing Homes for Climate Change Impacts](#) (Three Regions Climate Change Group).
- [Summary of the Climate Change Act](#) (Climate South East). A summary of the adaptation implications of the Climate Change Act.
- [Climate Proofing the South East Biodiversity Strategy](#) (Climate South East). Climate South East's Biodiversity Working Group is looking at ways of supporting local authorities in addressing the requirements of NI 197 and also addressing adaptation elements of the Biodiversity Strategy for the South East.
- [Weathering the Changes](#) (Sussex Wildlife Trust). A report presenting a strategy to combat the effects of climate change in Sussex.

Tools > Mitigation & adaptation

- [Local Sustainable Development Lens](#) (IDeA, Sustainable Development Commission). A tool in development, designed for local authorities and their Local Strategic Partnership (LSP) partners, the Lens is a voluntary basket of local indicators that provides a starting point – based around the national indicator set – for tracking progress towards sustainable development at the local area level.
- Locality Self-Evaluation Tool ([Nottingham Declaration Partnership](#)). This tool guides local partnerships through a self-evaluation of their progress on climate change adaptation and mitigation. Although there is no formal requirement for a self-evaluation of this kind, the findings can be used as a discussion document with inspectorates as part of Comprehensive Area Assessment (CAA). Not available at time of publication.
- Climate Change Benchmark ([IDeA/Nottingham Declaration Partnership](#)). A corporate level benchmark currently being developed to help local authorities assess their current performance and future level of ambition for mitigation of and adaptation to climate change. Not available at time of publication.
- [Climate Change Tools Review Community](#) (Nottingham Declaration Partnership). This forum lists the available tools for councils on climate change adaptation and mitigation and invites reviews of their useability and value.
- Public Reporting Template ([Nottingham Declaration Partnership](#)). A resource currently being developed which is aimed at Nottingham Declaration signatories, who can use the tool to report publicly on how they have implemented their commitments. Not available at time of publication.

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Tools > Mitigation & adaptation > North East

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Tools > Mitigation & adaptation > North West

- [Sustainable Development checklist](#) (North West Regional Development Agency). The checklist provides an easy-to-use web-based tool for improving the sustainability of developments in the North West.
- [Integrated appraisal toolkit](#) (4NW). Provides an interactive and dynamic web-based decision support tool, whilst also providing a valuable information source, and a transparent and coherent audit record for those producing policies, programmes and other proposals.

Tools > Mitigation & adaptation > Yorkshire & Humber

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Tools > Mitigation & adaptation > East Midlands

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Tools > Mitigation & adaptation > West Midlands

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Tools > Mitigation & adaptation > East of England

- [East of England Toolkit](#) (East of England Regional Assembly, East of England Development Agency and Sustainability East). A toolkit which helps appraise the economic, environmental and social impacts of policies, including the impacts on, and of, climate change.
- [Inspire East Excellence Framework](#) (EEDA and Inspire East). An online toolkit to help projects achieve excellence by considering the components of a sustainable community.

Tools > Mitigation & adaptation > London

- [Hounslow Green Standard & Green Toolkit](#) (London Sustainability Exchange / Hounslow). Hounslow's Green Standard is designed to measure the green credentials of all the boroughs targets, policies and projects. To support this process the council has devised a sustainability toolkit know as the Green Toolkit, to ensure that sustainability is embedded in all of the council's projects, plans and policies particularly the new Local Area Agreement (LAA).

Tools > Mitigation & adaptation > South West

- [South West Sustainability Checklist](#) (Future Foundations and BRE). An online tool for sustainable design at the master planning stages of new housing and mixed use developments. It is free to use and could help with planning applications.
- [Sustainability Shaper](#) (Developed by Sustainability South West on behalf of regional partners). The Sustainability Shaper (the Sustainable Development Framework for the South West of England) is an evolving tool for everyone in the region - from public agencies and voluntary organisations to businesses and individuals –designed to raise awareness, inform decision-making and facilitate action on sustainability.

Tools > Mitigation & adaptation > South East

No further support has been identified in this category in this region.

Tools > Mitigation only > Council emissions

- [Carbon Trust Carbon Management Tools](#) (Carbon Trust). Available via the Carbon Trust's Local Authority Network.
- [Baseline and Value at Stake Tool](#) (Carbon Trust). Used during the Carbon Management programme to enable climate change officers to collate emissions data across a range of local authority activity. It also enables the user to produce a financial case for action, illustrating the business-as-usual risks versus the benefits (financial & carbon) of a reduced emissions scenario.
- [Carbon Management Projects Register \(Carbon Trust\)](#). Allows users to take quantified cost and energy savings from each project, convert to carbon savings, and produce a range of financial and carbon metrics to help them assess and prioritise carbon saving opportunities. Accessed through the LA Network online community.
- [Carbon Management Toolkit](#) (Carbon Trust). Consists of a range of templates for Action plans, presentations and guidance notes. Introducing the technical and change management aspects of the Carbon Management process.
- [NI 185 spreadsheet tool](#) (Defra). Spreadsheet to help local authorities capture information on CO2 emissions from buildings and transport. The output sheet in the tool allows local authorities to assess progress against the indicator. This tool must be used to report information to Defra.
- [Sustainable Energy Benchmark & Toolkit](#) (IDeA). Online tool enabling local authorities to score and improve their energy performance in relation to their roles as 'estate manager', 'service provider' and 'community leader'.
- [Carbon Management Matrix](#) (Centre for Sustainable Energy). A self-assessment tool enabling local authorities to assess and improve their performance in managing carbon emissions.
- [Local authority webtool](#) (Energy Saving Trust). Interactive web-based guide to the support services offered to local authorities by the Energy Saving Trust.

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Tools > Mitigation only > Council emissions > Yorkshire & Humber

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Tools > Mitigation only > Council emissions > East Midlands

- [East Midlands Integrated Toolkit](#) (East Midlands Regional Assembly). A toolkit which helps to ensure that all new policies & strategies are climate change-proofed.
- [21-Day Melton Low Carbon Challenge Tool](#) (East Midlands Regional Assembly). A tool being developed to help behaviour change through a 3-week low carbon diet. It can be applied at individual & organisational level and is being trialled with East Midlands Regional Assembly officers & members but will also be promoted to and through local authorities.

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No further support has been identified in this category in this region.

Tools > Mitigation only > Council emissions > East of England

No further support has been identified in this category in this region.

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- [Short-Haul Aviation for Business Travel](#) (Greater London Assembly). A tool that employers, including local authorities, can use to make decisions about travelling by air for European journeys.

Tools > Mitigation only > Council emissions > South West

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Tools > Mitigation only > Community-wide emissions

- [Sustainable Energy Benchmark & Toolkit](#) (IDeA). Online tool enabling local authorities to score and improve their energy performance in relation to their roles as 'estate manager', 'service provider' and 'community leader'.
- [REAP](#) (Stockholm Environment Institute). Three software tools are available: [REAP](#) can be used to access data for a whole local authority or region, develop policy scenarios and model changes in the footprint of residents; [REAP Petite](#) can be used to calculate the footprint of a community, compare individual footprints in that community and make pledges to reduce the footprint; [REAP Tourism](#) can be used to find out the impact of tourists in an area and model different scenarios to reduce their footprints.
- [Climate change toolkit for regulatory services](#) (LACORS). Guidance on climate change mitigation produced specifically for regulatory services. Aimed at local authority elected members and officers involved in regulatory services, it will help anyone interested in taking action to mitigate climate change, whilst also benefiting the local community in other ways by improving the local environment, increasing levels of health and fitness, reducing waste or tackling fuel poverty.
- [Best practice house](#) (Energy Saving Trust). Online tool enabling users to see at a glance what the components of an energy efficient house look like, including new build and refurbishment projects.
- [Hard to treat homes](#) (Energy Saving Trust). Online tool providing information so that users can prioritise the range of refurbishment options available and develop an effective plan.
- TRACE tool (Energy Saving Trust). A reporting tool for local authorities to collect data on the actions they take to reduce carbon emissions and meet their NI 186 targets. The TrACE (Tracking Action on Carbon Emissions) tool will provide not a data collection mechanism and a structured guide to planning for, monitoring and reporting on various types of local measures. Expected to be available in Summer 2009. For more information contact Practical Help on 0844 84 888 30.
- [Local authority webtool](#) (Energy Saving Trust). Interactive web-based guide to the support services offered to local authorities by the Energy Saving Trust.

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- [Micro-renewables toolkit](#) (Association of North East Councils). Tool for use by local authorities and developers to assess new build schemes. It calculates the energy requirements for different types of buildings and determines carbon dioxide reductions and the contribution of renewable energy as different technologies are added. It was developed to help achieve the 10% renewables requirement in the Regional Spatial Strategy.

Tools > Mitigation only > Community-wide emissions > North West

No further support has been identified in this category in this region.

Tools > Mitigation only > Community-wide emissions > Yorkshire & Humber

- [Funding Decision Tree](#) (Future Energy Yorkshire). Allows users to identify the right source of funding for renewable energy projects, whether it be technology research, development, demonstration or deployment.
- [Heat Network Tool](#) (Future Energy Yorkshire). A tool to assist in the development process, providing the user with a quick means of establishing the scale of heat demand, required plant size, capital cost and potential CO2 emissions savings.

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- [East Midlands Integrated Toolkit](#) (East Midlands Regional Assembly). A toolkit which helps to ensure that all new policies & strategies are climate change-proofed.
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Tools > Mitigation only > Community-wide emissions > West Midlands

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Tools > Mitigation only > Community-wide emissions > East of England

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Tools > Mitigation only > Community-wide emissions > London

- [Low Carbon Designer](#) (London Energy Partnership). Can be used to help assess options for meeting the London Plan energy requirements for new developments.
- [Short-Haul Aviation for Business Travel](#) (Greater London Assembly). A tool that employers, including local authorities, can use to make decisions about travelling by air for European journeys.
- [London's Community Heating Database](#) (London Energy Partnership). Provides information of existing Community Heating schemes across London.
- [Integrating renewable energy into new developments: Toolkit for planners, developers and consultants](#) (London Energy Partnership and London Renewables). The toolkit aims to provide planners and developers with: (i) an overview of the renewable energy technologies and their costs; (ii) an understanding of planning requirements and methods for meeting them; and (iii) information on policy formation for London Borough planners. A series of [summary documents](#) has also been produced.

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- [Fair Shares, Fair Choice](#) (Sustainability South West). A behaviour change campaign based on the principle of 'a globally fair and safe carbon share for everyone'. Includes a carbon footprinting tool & 'coaching' aimed at individuals, community groups & organizations.

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Tools > Adaptation only

- [Self Assessment guidance and matrix for National Indicator NI 188 - Planning to adapt to climate change](#) (Defra). The data for National Indicator 188 is provided through self assessment by the local authority and local strategic partnerships (LSP). This document sets out the process for submitting this data.
- [Adaptation Wizard](#) (UK Climate Impacts Programme). A tool to help in developing an adaptation strategy based on a 5-step process similar to the guidance offered on the Nottingham Declaration website.
- [The BRAIN](#) (UK Climate Impacts Programme). An online database of activities, adaptation actions, impacts of climate/ weather and news of general climate change activities.
- [Local Climate Impacts Profile \(LCLIP\) methodology & guidance](#) (UK Climate Impacts Programme). Resource to enable local authorities to better understand their own vulnerability based on evidence of recent severe weather events in the locality.
- [What's in your backyard?](#) (Environment Agency). Online interactive facility providing local environmental information, including flood risk, water quality etc.

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- [North East Climate Change Adaptation Study](#) (North East Climate Change Partnership). Online resource providing information on the climate changes that the region will face, how these changes will impact on the region's society, buildings, infrastructure and key economic assets, and what needs to be done now to adapt to the predicted impacts. Includes sub-regional assessments.

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Tools > Adaptation only > East of England

- [Adapting to climate change: a checklist](#) (Three Regions' Partnership including the East of England Regional Assembly, the Greater London Authority and the South East of England Regional Assembly). A checklist for developers, designers and planners for taking account of climate change in new development.

Tools > Adaptation only > London

- [Adapting to Climate Change: A Checklist for Development](#) (Three Regions Climate Change Group). The guidance covers water re-use and efficiency, reducing flood risk, avoiding overheating and minimising damage from subsidence and heave.
- [Adapting to Climate Change: A Case Study Companion to the Checklist for Development](#) (Three Regions Climate Change Group). To be read in conjunction with the Checklist for Development, above.

Tools > Adaptation only > South West

- [Changing Climate, Changing Business Video](#) (South West Climate Change Impacts Partnership and South West Tourism). A video to help tourism businesses adapt to climate change. The video shows how tourism businesses in the South West are being affected by climate change and highlights the practical actions that are already being taken to adapt. Both a full 20 minute version, and a 6 minute summary version, of the the dvd are available.
- [SW Local Authority Climate Change Action Study - updated version](#) (South West Climate Change Impacts Partnership). A tool designed to highlight what all Local Authorities in the South West are doing to both mitigate and adapt to climate change. The study provides an overview of climate change action across the entire South West region, referencing climate change related reports, strategies, plans and general action. The study is accompanied by a map displaying which local authorities and counties in the region have signed the Nottingham Declaration and/or Devon, Plymouth and Torbay Declaration.

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- [Adapting to Climate Change: A Checklist for Development](#) (Three Regions Climate Change Group).
- [Adapting to Climate Change: A case study companion to the checklist for development](#) (Three Regions Climate Change Group).
- [Adapting to Climate Change: A Good Practice Guide for Sustainable Communities](#) (Three Regions Climate Change Group).
- Resilient Organisations Project ([Climate South East](#)). CSE is working with Climate Sense trialling a peer-to-peer review process between partners using the PACT organisational capacity building tool (Performance Acceleration Capacity-building tool). The National Energy Foundation and Crawley Borough Council are currently participating in the trial, which seeks to determine the feasibility of having CSE partners use the tool to review each other. A detailed guide to PACT, formerly known as the Adaptive Capacity Benchmarking Tool, can be found on the [ESPACE project website](#).

Training / intensive support > Mitigation & adaptation

- [‘Positive Future’ conference](#) (IDeA, Sustainable Development Commission, WWF). Bi-annual conference for sustainability practitioners. Conference write up from most recent event in Liverpool in May 09 available.
- [Beacon Scheme](#) (IDeA). Scheme for identifying best practice and sharing learning. Beacon themes include [Sustainable Energy](#) and [Tackling Climate Change](#).
- [The i-team](#) (Forum for the Future). Helping three local authorities incorporate innovative design processes into their fight against climate change. Currently seeking funding for national roll-out.
- [New Local Government Network](#). Hold Events & workshops on climate change. Innovation network has sessions on climate change.

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Training / intensive support > Mitigation & adaptation > North East

- [North East Climate Change Partnership and Climate Change Coordinator](#). Providing presentations and support to individual local authorities and their partners.
- [Middlesbrough Climate Change Beacon Authority activities](#) (Middlesbrough Council). Events and resources provided to other local authorities following the award of Beacon Authority status for their work on climate change.
- [Climate Change Schools Project](#) (Environment Agency, Science Learning Centre North East, SustainNE, One World Network North East and the NE Strategic Partnership for Sustainable Schools). Project promoting awareness and responsibility about climate change, in addition to providing direct teaching support for Key Stages 2 and 3.

Training / intensive support > Mitigation & adaptation > North West

- [Training for LSP members](#) (Climate Change Local Area Support Programme – CLASP). Free training sessions on climate change issues are available to the 22 LSPs in the region during 2009.

Training / intensive support > Mitigation & adaptation > Yorkshire & Humber

- [West Yorkshire Leadership Academy on Climate Change](#). A series of training sessions for members in leadership on climate change issues held in 2008. A report on the sessions is available. This programme is being developed for roll out to all sub-regions in Yorkshire and Humber.

Training / intensive support > Mitigation & adaptation > East Midlands

- [East Midlands Improvement & Efficiency Partnership](#). The East Midlands RIEP provides support to local authorities on a range of issues, including climate change, and organises workshops on mitigation and adaptation.
- [Everybody's Talking About Climate Change](#) (Nottingham & Derbyshire Local Authority Energy Partnership). A Defra-supported local government communications campaign working with local authority staff, community groups, households and schools throughout Nottingham and Derbyshire.
- [East Midlands Expo](#) (East Midlands Centre for constructing the Built Environment, Government Office East Midlands, East Midlands Regional Assembly, East Midlands Development Agency). An annual event focusing on sustainability in the region.

Training / intensive support > Mitigation & adaptation > West Midlands

- [West Midlands Climate Change Partnership](#) (Severn Trent plc). Produces reports and holds seminars for local authorities and LSPs as part of Sustainability West Midlands.
- [Improvement and Efficiency West Midlands](#). The Partnership acts as a hub to support local authorities and their partners access co-ordinated support and capacity from a range of programmes and organises events around a range of work programmes including Local Area Agreements and Partnership Working, and organises events. They are responsible for delivering the climate change best practice programme for local authorities in the region.
- [Climate Change - the leadership challenge](#) (Government Office West Midlands). An event on climate change leadership for local government on 12th January 2009. Aimed at LA Chief Executives, Corporate Directors, Finance and Performance Managers; LSP Managers and Environment Leads; Councillors and Environment Portfolio Holders. The presentations are available.

Training / intensive support > Mitigation & adaptation > East of England

- [Improvement East](#). The regional improvement and efficiency partnership, which offers basic level support to all local authorities and Local Strategic Partnerships in the region across a range of themes including climate change.
- [Inspire East](#). The regional centre of excellence for sustainable communities in the East of England whose aim is to deliver the knowledge, skills and advice to help create sustainable communities. This includes training and support on a range of themes, including climate change.

Training / intensive support > Mitigation & adaptation > London

No further support has been identified in this category in this region.

Training / intensive support > Mitigation & adaptation > South West

No further support has been identified in this category in this region.

Training / intensive support > Mitigation & adaptation > South East

- Workshops on climate change indicators ([Government Office for the South East](#)). The Government office runs periodic workshops for local authorities on climate change indicators, as part of its support for action on climate change. For more information contact: faith.charnock-wilson@gose.gsi.gov.uk.
- Climate Action Support Programme ([Government Office for the South East](#)) The Government office also works to influence local authority members and encourage their support for action on climate change. For more information contact: faith.charnock-wilson@gose.gsi.gov.uk.
- [Sustainable Futures Group Masterclass - Helping you Deliver NI 185 & 186](#) (Sustainable Futures Group). Presentations from this masterclass held in December 2008.

Training / intensive support > Mitigation only > Council emissions

- [Local Authority Carbon Management Programme](#) (Carbon Trust). An intensive support programme providing technical and change management support and guidance to help local authorities realise carbon emissions savings.
- [Carbon Surveys](#) (Carbon Trust). Free surveys offered to organisations with an energy bill of over £50,000 a year. Experts will visit the premises to identify energy saving opportunities and offer practical advice on how to achieve them.
- [Carbon Trust Customer Centre](#) (Carbon Trust). A free advice service on saving energy, renewable energy and other low carbon issues.
- [Partnerships for Renewables](#) (Carbon Trust Enterprises Ltd). Works in partnership with public sector bodies to develop, construct & operate onsite renewable energy projects.
- [Energy Management Workshops](#) (Carbon Trust). One-day workshops on practical energy saving measures held around the country.
- [One-to-one support programme](#) (Energy Saving Trust). A free service which aims to help local authorities reduce area-wide carbon emissions and demonstrate local leadership in addressing climate change.
- [Practical Help](#) (Energy Saving Trust). A one-stop-shop support service for local authorities to help drive forward sustainable energy initiatives. Includes advice and information, helpline, newsletter, training & workshops etc.
- [Community Action for Energy](#) (Energy Saving Trust). Help and advice in implementing community level energy projects. Includes resources and information, support, funding advice and training.
- [Energy Services Packages](#) (Energy Saving Trust). Free in-house consultancy for local authorities that are considering establishing an energy services scheme, as well as the Energy Services Directory and several briefing notes.
- [Green Fleet reviews](#) (Energy Saving Trust). Free reviews available for any organisation with more than 50 vehicles. Reviews usually take 3-4 days and look at how to run fleets efficiently as well as providing training and seminars. A free telephone consultation and advice service is available for smaller fleets.
- [Energy Awareness Training Resource](#) (Energy Saving Trust Scotland). A training resource for local authorities that aims to change attitudes and behaviour towards energy use. Uses a wide variety of training methods to help local authorities use their influence to reduce energy use, both within their own building and the wider community. Free to all councils in Scotland and designed so that the training programme can be run in-house without the need for external support.

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Training / intensive support > Mitigation only > Council emissions > North East

- [Regional workshop on national indicators 185 and 186](#) (Government Office for the North East). The papers are available from this workshop held in 2008 for key officers working on developing delivery plans for indicators 185 and 186. The purpose of the workshop was to help participants think through how they can deliver these indicators and hear about the support that the Energy Saving Trust, the Carbon Trust and others can offer them.
- [Climate Change Best Practice Programme](#) (North East Improvement and Efficiency Partnership). Support programme being developed for local authorities. It is envisaged that programme may include support around peer reviews; self assessment; learning sets; Beacon themes and leadership training.

Training / intensive support > Mitigation only > Council emissions > North West

- [Events on the Carbon Reduction Commitment](#) (CLASP). CLASP will be providing a workshop and user guide on the CRC in 2009.

Training / intensive support > Mitigation only > Council emissions > Yorkshire & Humber

No further support has been identified in this category in this region.

Training / intensive support > Mitigation only > Council emissions > East Midlands

- [Regional conference on behaviour change and climate change](#) (East Midlands Regional Assembly). This conference for regional stakeholders aimed to explore the potential for behavioural change in delivering a lower carbon, better adapted and more sustainable East Midlands. The outcomes report is available online and the resulting action is now being delivered to Climate Friendly Communities across the East Midlands, coordinated by the Energy Saving Trust Advice Centre.

Training / intensive support > Mitigation only > Council emissions > West Midlands

- [Marches Energy Agency](#). Have worked in partnership with a number of LAs on carbon reduction/ energy efficiency initiatives.
- [Bioenergy West Midlands](#). Provides guidance to local authorities as well as businesses on bioenergy supply chain issues. Their website includes regional case studies & document resources. It also holds seminars & networking opportunities.

Training / intensive support > Mitigation only > Council emissions > East of England

No further support has been identified in this category in this region.

Training / intensive support > Mitigation only > Council emissions > London

- [London Collaborative](#) (Capital Ambition). A programme designed to improve the capacity of London's public sector to work across boundaries of place, profession and organisation in order to meet future challenges facing the capital. The climate change workstream is looking to develop large scale retrofitting projects (insulation, energy efficient appliances etc.) in areas across London.

Training / intensive support > Mitigation only > Council emissions > South West

- [Climate change workstream](#) (South West Regional Improvement and Efficiency Partnership). Launched in September 08, this is a three year programme covering support and capacity needs for local authorities in addressing their leadership, strategic and delivery roles in tackling climate change.
- [Regen SW](#). Supports delivery of renewable energy in SW, including some training programmes for both members & planning officers on renewable energy.
- [Energy and Environmental Management Groups network](#) (coordinated by Government Office for the South West). These operate across the region providing a focus for energy efficiency and environmental management activity within the public and private sectors. These are independent organisations providing networking and professional training for energy and environmental managers.

Training / intensive support > Mitigation only > Council emissions > South East

- Ad hoc training courses ([South East England Development Agency](#)). SEast of England Development Agency runs ad hoc training courses (e.g. for installers of micro-generation systems) as part of its efforts to increase the supply of renewable & zero carbon technologies).

Training / intensive support > Mitigation only > Community-wide emissions

- [Carbon Surveys](#) (Carbon Trust). Free surveys offered to organisations with an energy bill of over £50,000 a year. Experts will visit the premises to identify energy saving opportunities and offer practical advice on how to achieve them.
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- [Climate Change Best Practice Programme](#) (North East Improvement and Efficiency Partnership). Support programme being developed for local authorities. It is envisaged that programme may include support around peer reviews; self assessment; learning sets; Beacon themes and leadership training.

Training / intensive support > Mitigation only > Community-wide emissions > North West

- [Workshops on NI 186](#) (Climate Change Local Area Support Programme – CLASP). 4NW leads the delivery of local authority workshops on the challenges of NI 186, on behalf of the North West Regional Improvement and Efficiency Partnership and the Northwest Climate Change Partnership.

Training / intensive support > Mitigation only > Community-wide emissions > Yorkshire & Humber

- [Carbon Action Yorkshire](#) (Yorkshire Forward). Programme working with the region's top companies and organisations to maximise the region's potential within the global lower carbon economy. Partners have access to support from business leaders and expert practitioners.
- [Resource Efficiency Yorkshire](#) (Yorkshire Forward). An arms-length initiative by Yorkshire Forward, working with local authorities and others to look at resource efficiency and procurement issues.

Training / intensive support > Mitigation only > Community-wide emissions > East Midlands

- [Regional conference on behaviour change and climate change](#) (East Midlands Regional Assembly). This conference for regional stakeholders aimed to explore the potential for behavioural change in delivering a lower carbon, better adapted and more sustainable East Midlands. The outcomes report is available online and the resulting action is now being delivered to Climate Friendly Communities across the East Midlands, coordinated by the Energy Saving Trust Advice Centre.

Training / intensive support > Mitigation only > Community-wide emissions > West Midlands

- [Advantage West Midlands](#). Often work in partnership with local authorities, for example in developing an eco park with South Shropshire District Council with BREEAM excellent rating & very low carbon emissions.
- [Marches Energy Agency](#). Have worked in partnership with a number of LAs on carbon reduction/ energy efficiency initiatives.
- [Bioenergy West Midlands](#). Provides guidance to local authorities as well as businesses on bioenergy supply chain issues. Their website includes regional case studies & document resources. It also holds seminars & networking opportunities.

Training / intensive support > Mitigation only > Community-wide emissions > East of England

No further support has been identified in this category in this region.

Training / intensive support > Mitigation only > Community-wide emissions > London

- [Pilot Energy Action Areas](#) and [Low Carbon Zones](#) (Greater London Authority and London Energy Partnership). Four areas - Merton, Barking, New Wembley & Southwark – set up to act as exemplar low carbon developments in London. Six new Low Carbon Zones will join the four existing Energy Action Areas, with work beginning in 2009.
- [Energy and the Built Environment: Education and Training for Planners](#) (London Energy Partnership). A set of modules and materials for planners to be used at the graduate level and for providers of Continuing Personal Development (CPD).
- [Sustainable energy training and pilot support programme for local authorities](#) (London Energy Partnership). A report on a project which provided training and pilot support to London borough planners, councillors and housing associations and developers.
- [London Collaborative](#) (Capital Ambition). A programme designed to improve the capacity of London's public sector to work across boundaries of place, profession and organisation in order to meet future challenges facing the capital. The climate change workstream is looking to develop large scale retrofitting projects (insulation, energy efficient appliances etc.) in areas across London.

Training / intensive support > Mitigation only > Community-wide emissions > South West

- [Climate change workstream](#) (South West Regional Improvement and Efficiency Partnership). Launched in September 08, this is a three year programme covering support and capacity needs for local authorities in addressing their leadership, strategic and delivery roles in tackling climate change.
- [Regen SW](#). Supports delivery of renewable energy in SW, including some training programmes for both members & planning officers on renewable energy.
- [Energy and Environmental Management Groups network](#) (coordinated by Government Office for the South West). These operate across the region providing a focus for energy efficiency and environmental management activity within the public and private sectors. These are independent organisations providing networking and professional training for energy and environmental managers.

Training / intensive support > Mitigation only > Community-wide emissions > South East

- Ad hoc training courses ([South East England Development Agency](#)). SEast of England Development Agency runs ad hoc training courses (e.g. for installers of micro-generation systems) as part of its efforts to increase the supply of renewable & zero carbon technologies).

Training / intensive support > Adaptation only

No support identified in this category

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Training / intensive support > Adaptation only > North East

- [Regional workshop on national indicator 188](#) (Government Office for the North East). The papers are available from this workshop held in 2008 in partnership with the UK Climate Impacts Programme (UKCIP), the Association of North East Councils, the North East Climate Change Partnership and the Environment Agency on Delivering National Indicator 188 – Planning to Adapt to Climate Change.

Training / intensive support > Adaptation only > North West

- [Workshops on NI 188](#) (Northwest Climate Change Adaptation Group). With support from the UK Climate Impacts Programme, the NWCCAG runs periodic workshops to support local authority action on NI188.
- [Support for data submission on NI188](#) (CLASP). CLASP is supporting local authorities on submission of data on NI188.

Training / intensive support > Adaptation only > Yorkshire & Humber

No further support has been identified in this category in this region.

Training / intensive support > Adaptation only > East Midlands

No further support has been identified in this category in this region.

Training / intensive support > Adaptation only > West Midlands

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Training / intensive support > Adaptation only > East of England

No further support has been identified in this category in this region.

Training / intensive support > Adaptation only > London

- [Local and Regional Climate Change Adaptation Partnership Board](#) (hosted by Government Office for London). Includes representatives from bodies at both the regional and local level. Delivering a support programme to local authorities including workshops, cluster groups and mentoring.

Training / intensive support > Adaptation only > South West

No further support has been identified in this category in this region.

Training / intensive support > Adaptation only > South East

- Regional adaptation workshop ([Government Office for the South East](#)). Local authority workshops have already been held in the South East, the last in Reading in March 2009, and more are likely to be held as part of ongoing support on NI 188.
- [Case studies](#) (Climate South East). CSE's website presents examples of good practice on adaptation by businesses and local authorities in the South East.
- [Presentations](#) (Climate South East). CD-based presentations on climate change issues are available for use by CSE members.

Networks / partnerships > Mitigation & adaptation

- [Communities of Practice](#) (IDeA). Online forums to enable interaction between like-minded professionals in shaping the development their work. Includes the Environmental Sustainability & Climate Change Community.
- [Environmental Advisory Service](#) (Local Government Association). Online information resource which includes a section on climate change and energy. Includes opportunity for members to interact via an online forum and web events.
- [SDC Forum](#) (Sustainable Development Commission). An online forum not exclusive to climate change or local authorities but which includes some relevant content.

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- [Climate NE](#) (North East Climate Change Partnership). The North East Climate Change Partnership's e-zine, providing the latest information on climate change issues, plus news and views and events from the partnership and other climate change projects across the region.

Networks / partnerships > Mitigation & adaptation > North West

- [The Northwest Climate Change Partnership](#). This partnership, together with an advisory board, oversee the implementation of the Northwest Climate Change Action Plan.
- [Climate Change Local Area Support Programme](#). The CLASP network now has 250 members across the North West. Members can access regular newsletters, events and resources on the CLASP website, primarily covering mitigation issues but also adaptation.
- [North West Sustainable Development Group](#). The champion body for Sustainable Development in the North West, this group has a website presenting news and resources in support of sustainable development in the North West, including links to CLASP and other regional and national resources.
- [Sub-regional partnerships](#). There are a number of sub-regional partnerships which share good practice and coordinate local activity on both mitigation and adaptation issues (e.g. Lancashire, Greater Manchester, Cumbria). Many of these are listed under the relevant sub-region on the North West Climate Change Partnership website.
- [Communications Strategy](#) (Northwest Regional Development Agency). A communications strategy on climate change has been agreed with the Northwest Climate Change partnership and is now being delivered. This includes the Climate Change Northwest website, newsletters, conferences and so on.

Networks / partnerships > Mitigation & adaptation > Yorkshire & Humber

- [Yorkshire & Humber Regional Environment Forum](#). Seeks to coordinate and represent the views of a wide range of organisations, including local authorities, for whom a key interest is in the enhancement of environmental conditions in the region. The Forum's purpose is to develop a shared environmental agenda for the region and a co-ordinated voice to promote and lobby on environmental issues at regional level. Provides a directory of information, annual conference, workshops and seminars.
- Yorkshire and Humber local authority climate change network (Government Office for Yorkshire and the Humber). Chaired by the Government Office, the network meets quarterly to share best practice, covering both mitigation and adaptation, across the full range of LAA indicators and activity. The network involves local authority and LSP climate change officers. Contact: [Paul Cocks](#)

Networks / partnerships > Mitigation & adaptation > East Midlands

- [Regional Climate Change Partnership](#). A partnership of regional bodies co-ordinating action on climate change.

Networks / partnerships > Mitigation & adaptation > West Midlands

- [Regional Environment Partnership](#) (West Midlands Regional Assembly). The partnership includes local authority representation and seeks to integrate environmental sustainability across all Assembly strategies, plans and initiatives and contribute to the implementation of sustainable development in the Region.
- [Sustainable Development Officers Network](#) (Government Office for the West Midlands). This network meets 4 times a year with 20-25 out of 38 local authorities represented.

Networks / partnerships > Mitigation & adaptation > East of England

- [The East of England Climate Change Partnership](#). The Partnership coordinates action on climate change in the region through support from the East of England Regional Assembly, the East of England Development Agency and the Environment Agency, and works with Government Offices and Climate Change Partnerships in London and the South East, and across England.

Networks / partnerships > Mitigation & adaptation > London

- [London Borough Climate Change Group](#). Network made up of officers from the 32 London Boroughs, the City of London, and various regional and central Government stakeholders, and selected NGOs working in climate change and related areas in London.
- [London Environmental Coordinators Forum](#). A London Borough network that meets quarterly - has a broader agenda across all sustainable development issues.

Networks / partnerships > Mitigation & adaptation > South West

- [Annual Environment and Energy Conference](#) (Government Office for the South West). Includes expert briefings, networking and specialist advice.

Networks / partnerships > Mitigation & adaptation > South East

- [Climate South East](#). A partnership of organisations from public, private and voluntary sectors that are committed to tackling the causes and effects of climate change in South East England. Activities include sector working groups, workshops, guidance, sharing good practice and linking local, regional and national climate action. Climate South East represent the other regional partnerships on the Local and Regional Adaptation Partnership Board and consults regularly with them at Climate UK meetings. It publishes a regular [news bulletin](#) on what is happening in the region.

Networks / partnerships > Mitigation only > Council emissions

- [Community Action for Energy](#) (Energy Saving Trust). Help and advice in implementing community level energy projects. Includes a membership network with 3,500 members including local authorities, community groups and individuals.
- [LA Network](#) (Carbon Trust). An online community for local authority members, who have an interest in non-domestic energy and environmental issues.

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Networks / partnerships > Mitigation only > Council emissions > North West

- [Low carbon map](#) (Northwest Climate Change Partnership). A user-friendly map of low-carbon initiatives across the North West, with links to additional information (e.g. sustainable transport projects, sustainable buildings, campaigns, commitments etc).
- [Sustainable Energy Network](#) (Energy Savings Trust). The Sustainable Energy Network for the North West links regional bodies involved in supporting sustainable energy initiatives.

Networks / partnerships > Mitigation only > Council emissions > Yorkshire & Humber

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Networks / partnerships > Mitigation only > Council emissions > East of England

- [Regional Transport Forum](#) (East of England Regional Assembly). A network which involves directors of top-tier authorities.

Networks / partnerships > Mitigation only > Council emissions > London

- [London Boroughs Energy Group](#). Set up to facilitate effective working on energy related issues between public sector bodies in London, focusing primarily on the 33 London Boroughs. Its core membership is London Borough Energy Managers.
- [London Collaborative](#) (Capital Ambition). A programme commissioned through Capital Ambition designed to improve the capacity of London's public sector to work across boundaries of place, profession and organisation in order to meet future challenges facing the capital. Climate change is one of its four key workstreams.

Networks / partnerships > Mitigation only > Council emissions > South West

- [Energy and Environmental Management Groups network](#) (coordinated by Government Office for the South West). These operate across the region providing a focus for energy efficiency and environmental management activity within the public and private sectors. These are independent organisations providing networking and professional training for energy and environmental managers.
- [County Champions](#) (Regen SW). A network of county level organisations who are champions of sustainable energy in their respective counties.
- [South West Energy and Environment Group](#) (University of Exeter). Provides technical advice to its member authorities, including local authorities, in the fields of sustainable building, waste and water management, building acoustics, noise pollution and other environmental issues.

Networks / partnerships > Mitigation only > Council emissions > South East

- [Emissions Monitoring Working Group](#) (Climate South East). The group is currently looking for ways to support local authorities and others in monitoring and reporting their greenhouse gas emissions as part of their obligations under NI 185 and 186. They are scoping existing monitoring tools available and surveying partners on what support they require.

Networks / partnerships > Mitigation only > Community-wide emissions

- [Community Action for Energy](#) (Energy Saving Trust). Help and advice in implementing community level energy projects. Includes a membership network with 3,500 members including local authorities, community groups and individuals.
- [Carbon Action Network](#). Formerly known as HECA, CAN provides a network of local government officers with a remit for reducing all aspects of the UK's domestic-sector carbon footprint and tackling fuel poverty. Core activities offer members an annual conference, free quarterly magazine and website, dissemination of information and a voice to government through consultations and representation.

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- [North East Carbon Action Network](#) (Carbon Action Network, formerly HECA UK). Regional network supporting local government officers with a remit for reducing domestic-sector carbon footprint and tackling fuel poverty created from the UK Home Energy Conservation Association.

Networks / partnerships > Mitigation only > Community-wide emissions > North West

- [North West Home Energy Officers' Network](#) (Carbon Action Network, formerly HECA UK). A network of local authority home energy officers.
- [Low carbon map](#) (Northwest Climate Change Partnership). A user-friendly map of low-carbon initiatives across the North West, with links to additional information (e.g. sustainable transport projects, sustainable buildings, campaigns, commitments etc).
- [Sustainable Energy Network](#) (Energy Savings Trust). The Sustainable Energy Network for the North West links regional bodies involved in supporting sustainable energy initiatives.
- [Northwest Biomass Forum](#) (Government Office North West/EnviroLink Northwest). Established as part of a project to develop a regional market and supply chain for biomass and biofuels.

Networks / partnerships > Mitigation only > Community-wide emissions > Yorkshire & Humber

- [East Pennine Carbon Action Network](#) (Carbon Action Network, formerly HECA UK). A network of local authority home energy officers.
- [Yorkshire and Humber Regional Energy Forum](#). Forum involving local authorities and other stakeholders which aims to ensure that a strategic approach to energy is developed and implemented in Yorkshire and Humber as required by the Energy White Paper.
- [Sustainable Procurement Network](#) (Resource Efficiency Yorkshire). Provides a regional platform for experts, buyers and suppliers to network and share best practice in sustainable procurement.

Networks / partnerships > Mitigation only > Community-wide emissions > East Midlands

No further support has been identified in this category in this region.

Networks / partnerships > Mitigation only > Community-wide emissions > West Midlands

- [West Midlands Carbon Action Network](#) (Carbon Action Network, formerly HECA UK). A network of local authority home energy officers.

Networks / partnerships > Mitigation only > Community-wide emissions > East of England

- [Eastern Carbon Action Network](#) (Carbon Action Network, formerly HECA UK). A network of local authority Home Energy officers.
- [Regional Transport Forum](#) (East of England Regional Assembly). A network which involves directors of top-tier authorities.

Networks / partnerships > Mitigation only > Community-wide emissions > London

- [London Carbon Action Network](#) (Carbon Action Network, formerly HECA UK). Has over 60 local authority members from across the 33 London Boroughs and over 20 associate members from partner organisations involved in promoting energy efficiency within the capital. The Network meets three times a year and its activities and meetings are developed and co-ordinated by an elected committee of 8 local authority members.
- [London Collaborative](#) (Capital Ambition). A programme commissioned through Capital Ambition designed to improve the capacity of London's public sector to work across boundaries of place, profession and organisation in order to meet future challenges facing the capital. Climate change is one of its four key workstreams.

Networks / partnerships > Mitigation only > Community-wide emissions > South West

- [South West Carbon Action Network](#) (Carbon Action Network, formerly HECA UK). For local government energy & climate change officers & partners throughout the South West.
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- [South East Carbon Action Network](#) (Carbon Action Network, formerly HECA UK). A network of local authority Home Energy Officers.
- [Emissions Monitoring Working Group](#) (Climate South East). The group is currently looking for ways to support local authorities and others in monitoring and reporting their greenhouse gas emissions as part of their obligations under NI 185 and 186. They are scoping existing monitoring tools available and surveying partners on what support they require.
- DCReASE (SEast of England Development Agency). Delivering Carbon Reduction Across the South East is a networking group of organisations, chaired by SEast of England Development Agency, with the common purpose of reducing carbon emissions in the region, focusing primarily on the domestic sector. The mission of the group is to provide regional co-ordination and engagement for the implementation of carbon reduction measures and to help the region meet its climate change and fuel poverty targets. For further information contact: Barbara.hammond@seeda.co.uk.
- [South East Diamonds for Investment and Growth](#) (South East of England Development Agency). A network of local authorities, identified as growth areas in the Regional Economic Strategy, which is working to promote low footprint/ low carbon growth, with support from the South East England Development Agency.

Networks / partnerships > Adaptation only

- UK Inter-Regional Climate Change Group (hosted by [UKCIP](#)). Network of regional and devolved administrations' climate change partnerships.

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Networks / partnerships > Adaptation only > North East

- [Regional Resilience Forum & local resilience fora](#) (Government Office for the North East). Fora for all those involved in emergency planning, response and recovery, with strengthening links to North East Climate Change Partnership.

Networks / partnerships > Adaptation only > North West

- [The Northwest Climate Change Adaptation Group](#) has been established, on behalf of the Northwest Climate Change Partnership, to oversee the delivery of adaptation actions in the Northwest Climate Change Action Plan and provide a regional focus for adaptation activity. A local authority sub-group acts as the regional team for the Local and Regional Adaptation Partnership Board.

Networks / partnerships > Adaptation only > Yorkshire & Humber

- Flood Task and Finish Group (Local Government Yorkshire & Humber, Environment Agency, Yorkshire Water, Yorkshire Regional Flood Defence Committee, Government Office Yorkshire and The Humber, local authorities). A partnership body leading on key aspects of flood management in the region.

Networks / partnerships > Adaptation only > East Midlands

No further support has been identified in this category in this region.

Networks / partnerships > Adaptation only > West Midlands

- [West Midlands Climate Change Adaptation Partnership](#). The Partnership had its first meeting in April 2009 and is setting its work programme. It has identified 7 projects including an adaptation strategy, work on land management, schools, health, business opportunities, communications & regionally appropriate indicators on adaptation.

Networks / partnerships > Adaptation only > East of England

No further support has been identified in this category in this region.

Networks / partnerships > Adaptation only > London

- [London Climate Change Partnership](#) (Greater London Assembly). Created to help London better understand and prepare for the impacts of climate change. Holds occasional [Forums](#) for a wider audience of those interested in adapting to climate change.
- [Local and Regional Climate Change Adaptation Partnership Board](#) (hosted by Government Office for London). Includes representatives from bodies at both the regional and local level. Delivering a support programme to local authorities including workshops, cluster groups and mentoring.

Networks / partnerships > Adaptation only > South West

- [NI 188 Support Network](#) (South West Climate Change Impacts Partnership, GO South West and Environment Agency). Support network formed for top-tier authorities committed to NI 188.
- [Local authority sector group on climate change adaptation](#) (South West Climate Change Impacts Partnership). The Network meets 3 times a year to share best practice and learning on how they are working towards the levels of NI188.

Networks / partnerships > Adaptation only > South East

- [Climate South East – Working Groups](#). Topics include Communications, Business & Economy, Communities, Planning, Biodiversity, Emissions Monitoring and Tourism. These groups are open to all partners of Climate South East including local authorities.

Research / data > Mitigation & adaptation

No support identified in this category

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Research / data > Mitigation & adaptation > North East

- [North East Regional Information Partnership](#). The regional observatory for the North East region providing access to a broad range of research and data, including reports and indicator data covering agriculture, environment and natural resources.

Research / data > Mitigation & adaptation > North West

- [Climate Change perception study](#) (Northwest Climate Change Partnership). This study was undertaken in 2006 to inform the partnership's communications strategy. It will shortly be refreshed.
- [Environmental Considerations of Sustainable Economic Growth – ECOSEG](#) (Northwest Regional Leaders/Northwest Regional Development Agency). Aims to provide a common evidence base to support development of the single Regional Strategy by 2010. It will pull together research from a number of other studies. The first stage of the study covered four main themes (energy (climate change); water; transport; waste) plus natural systems, including adaptation issues. [Stage 2](#) looked at the four infrastructure themes in more detail and was more focused on mitigation issues.

Research / data > Mitigation & adaptation > Yorkshire & Humber

- [Top Ten Interventions to cut Regional Carbon Emissions \(Yorkshire Futures\)](#). A research project to establish the Yorkshire & Humber regional carbon baseline, identify key emission sources and look at a wide range of options for reducing carbon within the region. Includes the application of multi-criteria analysis using a variety of assessment and management tools to prioritise the Top Ten options for the region in terms of impact, cost, broader benefits and ability to implement by 2020 and 2050. Not available at time of publication.
- [Centre for Low Carbon Futures](#) (Yorkshire Forward). The Centre will draw together expertise from all the universities in Yorkshire and will encourage involvement from interested businesses. It will seek to deliver knowledge and solutions designed to optimize carbon efficiency within businesses, organisations and communities. It will address issues relating to life-cycle carbon management and climate change impacts and adaptation.

Research / data > Mitigation & adaptation > East Midlands

- [East Midlands Regional Observatory](#). Brings together the Region's [research](#) and [data](#), including the [State of the Region](#) reports
- Environmental limits and capacity research (EMDA). Contact: chloenicholson@emd.org.uk
- [Influencing Behavioural Change and Public Engagement in Sustainable Development and Living Sustainably](#) (East Midlands Regional Assembly). This report brings together key messages and approaches for engaging people and encouraging them to act more sustainably.

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Research / data > Mitigation & adaptation > East of England

- [Insight East](#) (East of England Development Agency). The Regional Observatory for the East of England, which provides an intelligence centre for the region and data, including the State of the Region reports.
- [Review of current position and activity on climate change mitigation and adaptation in the East of England](#) (ECCCP). This report reviews the greenhouse gas emissions and quantified impacts of climate change in the East Midlands, and the most significant climate change mitigation and adaptation activity in the region.
- [Climate Change and the East of England](#) (East of England Development Agency). This paper brings together all the issues involved, facts and figures, future scenarios reports and the efforts made internationally, nationally and regionally to address the problems by government and other bodies.

Research / data > Mitigation & adaptation > London

No further support has been identified in this category in this region.

Research / data > Mitigation & adaptation > South West

- [Low Carbon South West](#) (Our South West). A web resource that provides key information and guidance about climate change in the South West.
- [The South West Regional Observatory](#) holds a wide range of environmental [information](#) and [data](#) for the South West region, including carbon dioxide levels, flooding information, renewable energy figures, eco-footprint and so on.
- [Climate Change Action for South West Local Authorities: Report](#) (South West Climate Change Impacts Partnership). Provides an overview of local authority climate change action across the entire South West region, referencing climate change related reports, strategies, plans and general action. Accompanied by a map of Nottingham Declaration signatories ([Climate Change Action for South West Local Authorities: Map](#)).

Research / data > Mitigation & adaptation > South East

- [State of the Environment Report](#) (Environment Agency). A report identifying pressures on the South East, including flooding and climate change-related pressures.

Research / data > Mitigation only > Council emissions

- [Analysis of methods to measure the carbon footprint and NOx and PM10 emissions of local authorities and other public sector bodies](#) (Defra). Final report of the research project which informed the development of NI 185.

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- [North East greenhouse gas emissions baselines and trajectories study](#) (North East Climate Change Partnership). Provides detailed information on the emissions from different sectors both now and in the future. Provides recommendations for measures which should be adopted at the regional level.

Research / data > Mitigation only > Council emissions > North West

- [ESCO feasibility study](#) (Manchester Knowledge Capital and Northwest Regional Development Agency). Identifies opportunities for the use of Energy Service Companies within public sector developments in Greater Manchester and the North West.

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- [Biomass for London: Wood Fuel Demand and Supply Chains](#) (London Energy Partnership). This report assesses the number and capacity of planned wood fuel plants in London and their potential fuel demand. Makes recommendations for enabling the growth in fuel production from London's own resources.
- [London Wind & Biomass Study Summary Report](#) (London Renewables and London Energy Partnership). Summary report of a study that considered how London could reduce emissions by using more wind energy and by using biomass in combined heat and power units (CHP). Other reports from the study can be found [here](#).
- [Review of the Potential Impact on Air Quality from Increased Wood Fuelled Biomass Use in London](#) (London Councils). The study assesses the potential impact of widespread wood-fuelled biomass use across London and to provide guidance for dealing with applications from developers etc to install biomass burners.

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Research / data > Mitigation only > Community-wide emissions

- [Local and Regional CO2 Emissions Estimates for 2005-2006](#) (Defra). Definitive data representing Emissions of carbon dioxide for local authority areas during 2006 for every Local Authority (NUTS4) and Government Office (NUTS1).
- [Analysis to support climate change indicators for local authorities](#) (Defra). Final report of the research project which informed the development of NI 186. The project examined the sources of emissions that could be included in the indicator and the levels of uncertainties in the current statistics on local authority emission estimates. It provided estimates of CO2 savings which local authorities could expect to achieve by 2010 and 2020.
- [REAP](#) (Stockholm Environment Institute). Can be used to access carbon emissions and ecological footprint data for a whole local authority or region.
- [Electricity and Gas Consumption Data](#) (Department for Business, Enterprise and Regulatory Reform). Electricity and gas consumption data down to Middle Layer Super Output Area (MLSOA) level for each region in England and Wales and down to intermediate geography zones for Scotland.
- [Framework for pro-environmental behaviours](#) (Defra). Summarises Defra's understanding of the evidence on consumer behaviour, designed to support policy development and implementation in Defra, other Government departments and externally.
- [Home Energy Efficiency Database](#) (Energy Saving Trust). Online resource that provides detailed information on the energy efficiency of UK housing stock.
- [CERT scheme spreadsheet and carbon reduction matrix](#) (Ofgem). Detailed information on carbon emissions savings of different measures aimed at project managers from CERT suppliers.
- [SCPnet](#) (Regional Development Agencies, WWF-UK and Environment Agency). A partnership network dedicated to promoting the philosophy of sustainable consumption and production (SCP) at a sub-national level. Provides evidence, analysis and forecasts on the links between the economy and the environment for each of the English regions, including the impacts of different policies. Also provides objective, independent advice to members on sustainability issues.

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- [North West Greenhouse Gas Inventory](#) (4NW). Commissioned in 2007, including 1990-2020 projections & sub-regional data. The final version is nearing completion.
- [Assessment of Potential Carbon Savings Achievable in the North West Region by 2020](#) (4NW). This study identifies potential measures to reduce the North West's Carbon Emissions by 2020 and will inform the development of regional and sub-regional targets alongside the Climate Change Act.
- [Life cycle costs and impacts of energy-from-waste technologies](#) (Northwest Energy Council). Optimat have recently completed a study researching the life cycle costs & impacts of energy-from-waste. Further work may be undertaken on other energy generation technologies.
- [Coordinated Sustainable Procurement](#) (Northwest Regional Development Agency) A study was undertaken in 2007 to research sustainable procurement in commercial supply chains. A further feasibility study is underway with a view towards developing a region-wide programme through the Northwest Operational Programme (European Regional Development Fund).
- [Regional pledge and carbon offsetting scheme](#) (North West Regional Development Agency). Consultants have been commissioned to assess the feasibility of a regional carbon pledge system, to advise how best to provide education on carbon footprint reduction methods, and the potential for a regional carbon management fund.
- [Future aviation scenarios](#) (Northwest Regional Development Agency). Low carbon aviation pathways are being researched by the Joule Centre.
- [Towards broad areas for renewable energy development](#) (4NW). A study to develop the pattern for regionally and sub-regionally renewable energy developments. The study was originally completed to inform the Partial Review of the RSS however due to changes in the scope of the RSS Partial Review, the work will now form part of the evidence base for the new Single Regional Strategy.
- [ESCO feasibility study](#) (Manchester Knowledge Capital and Northwest Regional Development Agency). Identifies opportunities for the use of Energy Service Companies within public sector developments in Greater Manchester and the North West.

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- [Carbon footprints and trajectories study](#) (Yorkshire and Humber Assembly). Study in 2006/7 by Arup/SEI which looked at carbon emissions and footprints resulting from RES, RSS, transport strategies and developed projected carbon trajectories. This included projections of transport emissions within the region.

Research / data > Mitigation only > Community-wide emissions > East Midlands

- [East Midlands carbon footprint](#) (East Midlands Regional Assembly). A carbon footprint of the East Midlands produced by Best Foot Forward.
- Baseline energy consumption data (East Midlands Regional Assembly). Data published in June 2006. Contact: Helen.chadwick@emra.gov.uk
- Research in to regional GHG emissions inventory (East Midlands Development Agency). Contact: Mike.peverill@emra.gov.uk
- [Regional targets and scenarios for renewable energy](#) (East Midlands Regional Assembly). Review and update of regional renewable energy target by Best Foot Forward published in June 2006.
- [Viewpoints on sustainable energy in the East Midlands](#) (East Midlands Regional Assembly). A review of current energy projects and future prospects in March 2001.
- [Woodfuel - Clean Heat for the East Midlands](#) (Bio Energy Group East Midlands). A leaflet explaining wood fuel.
- [Wood fuel usage in the East Midlands Region](#) (Forestry Commission & East Midlands Regional Assembly). This study examines the real and perceived barriers of the widespread adoption of wood fuel as an energy source in the East Midlands and offers recommendations to address them.
- [East Midlands Regional Affordable Warmth Action Plan](#) (National Energy Action, Department of Health, East Midlands Development Agency, Government Office East Midlands, East Midlands Public Health Observatory, East Midlands Regional Assembly, NHS). This Action Plan sets out strategy and action for alleviating fuel poverty and delivering affordable warmth in the East Midlands.
- [Renewable energy capacity at a County level](#) (East Midlands Regional Assembly). This short analysis sets out the capacity for biomass, CHP, hydro, landfill gas, photovoltaic, biogas, incineration, coal and gas in the East Midlands' counties.

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No further support has been identified in this category in this region.

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- [Regional Spatial Strategy Monitoring Reports](#) (East of England Regional Assembly). Includes transport and resource use data.
- [Placing Renewables in the East of England](#) (East of England Regional Assembly). This report examines the potential for renewable energy generation in the East of England and was commissioned to inform the review of the East of England Plan to 2031.
- [Environmental capacity in the East of England: Applying an environmental limits approach to the Haven Gateway](#) (East of England Regional Assembly). This study investigates the practical application of an environmental capacity approach to the process of spatial planning in the East of England.
- [An Assessment of the Impacts of Household Growth Proposals On the Water Resources Supply Demand Balance for the East of England](#) (Environment Agency). This report was intended to inform the Environment Agency's Response to RSS 14 Consultations.
- [Carbon Map for the East of England](#) (Carbon Trust). The map shows two levels of information: colour coded shading illustrating carbon density per square kilometre and detailed information on the tonnes of carbon emitted by various towns and cities throughout the country.

Research / data > Mitigation only > Community-wide emissions > London

- [London Energy and Greenhouse Gas Emissions Inventory 2004/05](#) (Greater London Authority). Published in December 2008. Available on CD-ROM.
- [London Carbon Scenarios to 2026](#) (London Energy Partnership). The report modelled a variety of carbon scenarios that over the next 20 years would set London on the path to 60% carbon dioxide reductions by 2050.
- [Biomass for London: Wood Fuel Demand and Supply Chains](#) (London Energy Partnership). This report assesses the number and capacity of planned wood fuel plants in London and their potential fuel demand. Makes recommendations for enabling the growth in fuel production from London's own resources.
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- [Supporting and Delivering Zero Carbon Development in the South West](#) (South West Regional Assembly, South West Regional Development Agency and Government Office for the South West). Study to inform and support the review and development of a zero carbon policy within the South West Regional Spatial Strategy. It explores the viability of such a policy and the potential regional costs and benefits that would result.
- [Regen SW Survey of Renewable Energy Projects in South West England](#) (Regen SW). Annual survey which identifies and maps renewable heat and electricity projects in the South West.
- [A 10-year carbon budget for the South West](#) (Sustainability South West). Sets out a ten year carbon budget plan to stop the South West going 'into the red' on climate change.

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- [Reducing the South East's Ecological Footprint and carbon emissions: a route map \(executive summary\)](#) (South East England Regional Assembly, SEast of England Development Agency and WWF-UK). A 'route map' towards ecological footprint & carbon footprint reduction in the region.
- [Progressing Renewable Energy in the SE of England](#) (South East England Development Agency). A report on the potential for renewable energy in the South East.
- [Opportunities for Combined Heat and Power](#) (South East England Regional Assembly).

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- [Climate change scenarios for the UK](#) (modelled by the Met Office Hadley Centre and produced by the UK Climate Impacts Programme).
- [Information on the historic & current climate in the UK](#) (UKCIP). Summary of and links to freely available information on the historic and current climate of the UK, covering (i) information about average climate, (ii) information about national climate trends, (iii) information about climate trends for specific locations and (iv) gridded information on UK climate.
- [Socio-economic scenarios](#) (UKCIP). A report aiming to encourage the use of socio-economic scenarios in climate impacts and adaptation assessments studies by providing: an explanation of why socio-economic scenarios are important for climate change impact and adaptation assessments; four national level socio-economic scenarios; and guidance on their application at a regional level.
- [Costing the impacts of climate change](#) (UKCIP) Guidance describing a methodology for calculating the costs of climate impacts and how to compare these to the costs of adaptation measures.
- [What's in your backyard?](#) (Environment Agency). Online interactive facility providing local environmental information, including flood risk, water quality etc.
- [River Basin Management Plans](#) (Environment Agency). Plans for improving water and wetlands for catchments across England and Wales.
- [Catchment Flood Management Plans](#) (Environment Agency). Proposals for managing the risk of flooding in catchments across England and Wales over the next 50 to 100 years.

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- [Weather Data Analysis Summary](#) (Environment Agency). An assessment of long-term rainfall records from eight gauges across Northumberland, Tyne & Wear, County Durham and Tees Valley to determine long-term trends and compare the results against future model projections of the rainfall patterns by the 2050s as described in the North East Climate Change Adaptation Study.
- [North East Climate Change Adaptation Study](#) (North East Climate Change Partnership).. Online resource providing information on the climate changes that the region will face, how these changes will impact on the region's society, buildings, infrastructure and key economic assets, and what needs to be done now to adapt to the predicted impacts. Includes sub-regional assessments.
- [Climate change adaptation on the Wear](#) (Environment Agency and Northumbria Regional Flood Defence Committee). An investigation of the projected climate changes across the River Wear catchment by the 2050s, and an assessment of their impact on buildings, infrastructure and vulnerable members of society. Adaptation approaches to counter the impacts are also identified.
- [Climate-proofing the Cheviots: Scoping Study](#) (Environment Agency). An investigation of the projected climate changes across the Cheviot Hills by the 2050s, and an assessment of their impact on rural land management. Adaptation approaches to counter the impacts are also identified.

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- [Climate change impact scenarios](#) (North West Climate Change Adaptation Group). Research will be undertaken to update the regional scenarios when UKCIP09 data becomes available.
- [Effects of climate change on key public and private sectors in the Northwest](#) (Northwest Regional Development Agency and Environment Agency) A study into the effects of climate change on the key public and private sectors of the Northwest.
- [Re-engaging with the Land](#) (Northwest Regional Development Agency). Development of a GIS model of the capacity of the agricultural sector in the region. The findings provide an in-depth understanding of the types of land use issues being faced by region and the potential impact on the Northwest agricultural sector.
- [Economic Impacts of Climate Change](#) (Northwest Regional Development Agency). Reports are available in the 'My Area' section of the Climate Change North West website for [Greater Manchester](#) and [Cheshire and Warrington](#). Further studies are nearing completion for the North West, Cumbria and Merseyside.
- [Flood risk management](#) (Environment Agency). A series of Catchment Flood Risk Management Plans and Shoreline Management Plans are being prepared across the North West.
- [Study of the economic implications of future flood risk](#) (Climate Change Unit and Northwest Climate Change Adaptation Group). A study examining the adequacy of current flood risk management systems and the economic impacts of flood risk.
- [Climate change impacts on the region's landscape and natural environment](#) (Natural England). A pilot project looking at the Northwest High Fells in Cumbria is being used by Natural England, and the Northwest Climate Change Adaptation Group to inform research across the region.
- [Climate impacts on health services](#) (NHS NorthWest). Preliminary scoping work is being undertaken with the Strategic Health Authority.
- [Multi-area LCLIP](#) (Manchester University, Met Office and others). Manchester local authorities in Greater Manchester are collaborating to develop a multi-area study of 'Local Climate Impacts', following UKCIP's approach. This will help local authorities to develop their responses on NI188.
- [Sustainable Cities – Options for Responding to Climate Change Impacts and Outcomes](#) (University of Manchester and others). The SCORCHIO research project, which involves a number of local authorities, is examining how future development can be adapted for future climate change.
- [Adaptation Strategies for Climate Change in the Urban Environment](#). (University of Manchester and others). The ASCUE research project is examining adaptation strategies in the North West and elsewhere.

Research / data > Adaptation only > Yorkshire & Humber

- [Green Infrastructure and the Regional Spatial Strategy for Yorkshire and the Humber: developing the evidence base](#) (Yorkshire and Humber Assembly). A study on green infrastructure, undertaken by ECOTEC, to provide an evidence base & support work on embedding strategic green infrastructure into the RSS review.

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- [Potential impacts of climate change on the East Midlands](#) (East Midlands Sustainable Development Round Table).
- Economic Impacts of Climate Change on the East Midlands (East Midlands Development Agency). Contact: Chloenicholson@emda.org.uk
- [Climate Resilience Programme](#) (East Midlands Development Agency). A pathfinder project undertaken in 2008.
- Local Climate Impact Profiles in the East Midlands (East Midlands Regional Assembly, Government Office East Midlands, UK Climate Impacts Programme and local authorities). A project in the 9 LAA areas in the region. Drawing on the findings of this work, lower tier local authorities are researching specific impacts on their areas. Contact: Mike.peverill@emra.gov.uk
- [Research on green infrastructure and its links with climate change](#) (East Midlands Regional Assembly). This project examines the impacts on biodiversity and its subsequent implementation has enabled some adaptation responses.
- [East Midlands Regional Landscape Scoping Study](#) (East Midlands Regional Assembly and Natural England). This study sets out to assess the current range of approaches to planning and managing landscapes in the East Midlands.

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- Report on ['the Potential Impacts of Climate Change in the West Midlands'](#) (West Midlands Climate Change Partnership).
- [The impact of climate change on the economy of the West Midlands: key risks and opportunities](#) (Advantage West Midlands).

Research / data > Adaptation only > East of England

- [The Impact of Climate Change on Trees and Woodland in the East of England](#) (Regional Woodland Strategy Steering Group). A report assessing the possible impacts of climate change on trees and woodlands in the East of England.
- [Regional Spatial Strategy Monitoring Reports](#) (East of England Regional Assembly). Includes flood risk information and data.
- [Regional Flood Risk Appraisal](#) (East of England Regional Assembly).
- [State of the Environment report](#) (Environment Agency).

Research / data > Adaptation only > London

- [London's Warming: The Impacts of Climate Change on London](#) (London Climate Change Partnership) 2002 study into the impacts of climate change in London.
- [Climate Change and London's Transport Systems](#) (London Climate Change Partnership). A report looking at the impact of climate change on London's transport systems.
- [Lessons for London](#) (London Climate Change Partnership). A review of how 18 major international cities are managing climate risks.
- [Adapting to Climate Change: Business as Usual?](#) (London Climate Change Partnership). A report focusing on adaptation and examining how London is financially exposed to global climatic events.
- [London Local Climate Impacts Profile](#) (London Climate Change Partnership). The Partnership commissioned a Climate Impact Profile for London, to complement work at the local level, and will be working with London boroughs and London Councils on co-ordinated LCLIPs across London.

Research / data > Adaptation only > South West

- [South West climate change data](#) (South West Observatory). Climate related data sets for the counties of Cornwall, Devon, Dorset, Gloucestershire, Somerset and Wiltshire. They include both directly related climate variables such as temperature and sea level along with more indirectly related information such as energy use, carbon/ecological footprints and the occurrence of skin cancer.
- [SWCCIP Adaptation Case Studies](#) (South West Climate Change Impacts Partnership). A set of case studies on climate change adaptation in the South West, including one on Somerset Council.
- [Warming to the idea: meeting the challenge of climate change in the South West](#) (South West Climate Change Impacts Partnership). Scoping study that summarises the likely impacts of climate change on the South West, and sets out what needs to be done to adapt to the impacts.
- South West Climate Change Vulnerability Mapping Study (South West Regional Assembly, South West Climate Change Impacts Partnership). This study included a literature review of what vulnerability means for the South West and should help local authorities to identify areas/groups particularly vulnerable to extreme weather events. A summary of this study, outlining the key issues of vulnerability for the south west and the vulnerability mapping methodology will be launched in June 2009.
- [SWCCIP PowerPoint slides, including graphs](#) (South West Climate Change Impacts Partnership).
- [Other climate change facts and science information slides](#) (South West Climate Change Impacts Partnership). Compiled by Dr Julian Wright, Environment Agency, for SWCCIP.
- [SW Local Authority Climate Change Action Study - updated version](#) (South West Climate Change Impacts Partnership). A tool designed to highlight what all Local Authorities in the South West are doing to both mitigate and adapt to climate change. The study provides an overview of climate change action across the entire South West region, referencing climate change related reports, strategies, plans and general action. The study is accompanied by a map displaying which local authorities and counties in the region have signed the Nottingham Declaration and/or Devon, Plymouth and Torbay Declaration.

Research / data > Adaptation only > South East

- [Climate Change Resilience Indicators](#) (South East England Regional Assembly) Identifies indicators that could be used to monitor resistance to impacts, ability to recover and ability to respond to opportunities presented by climate change.
- [Climate Change and Small Businesses](#) (Climate South East). Research on how directors are responding to the challenges of climate change.
- [Our Heritage and the Regional Climate](#) (English Heritage). The impacts of climate change on the historic environment in the South East.
- [Climate Proofing the South East Biodiversity Strategy](#) (Climate South East). Climate South East's Biodiversity Working Group is looking at ways of supporting local authorities in addressing the requirements of NI 197 and also addressing adaptation elements of the Biodiversity Strategy for the South East.
- Mapping community activity ([Climate South East](#)). CSE's Communities Working Group is preparing to map community climate change activity throughout the south east that addresses the causes and effects of climate change. This work will help support local authorities and community action by identifying and sharing good initiatives, sources of funding, gaps that Climate South East can address, and ways of capturing activity that are relevant to local authorities. For further information contact: info@climatesoutheast.org.uk
- [Regional Flood Risk Appraisal](#) (South East England Regional Assembly).
- [Rising to the challenge: The Impacts of Climate Change in the South East in the 21st Century](#) (Various). A stakeholder led scoping study of the impacts of climate change published in 1999.
- [Thames Estuary 2100](#) (Environment Agency). An introduction to the extensive work the Environment Agency is doing to reduce the risks and effects of flooding in London and the Thames Estuary now and over the next 100 years.
- [Tomorrow's Kent: The impacts of climate change on Kent and its countryside](#) (CPRE Kent).

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- [Financing Local Futures](#) (Sustainable Development Commission). Web-based resource designed to help those involved in local government financial decision-making to develop their own organisations' contributions to sustainable development.

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- [Grants for local authorities](#) (Climate Change Local Action Support Programme). Grant schemes open to local authorities are publicized in the CLASP newsletter.
- [Match funding](#) (European Regional Development Fund/Northwest Regional Development Agency). The Northwest Operational Programme is now aligned with the Climate Change Action Plan, so a potential total of £27million of ERDF match-funding will be available to support regional climate change, sustainable energy and waste activities by private and public sector (2007-2013). This will include the Low Carbon Demonstration fund and support for research and development of low carbon technologies and low carbon fuels.

Funding > Mitigation & adaptation > North West

No further support has been identified in this category in this region.

Funding > Mitigation & adaptation > Yorkshire & Humber

No further support has been identified in this category in this region.

Funding > Mitigation & adaptation > East Midlands

No further support has been identified in this category in this region.

Funding > Mitigation & adaptation > West Midlands

No further support has been identified in this category in this region.

Funding > Mitigation & adaptation > East of England

No further support has been identified in this category in this region.

Funding > Mitigation & adaptation > London

No further support has been identified in this category in this region.

Funding > Mitigation & adaptation > South West

No further support has been identified in this category in this region.

Funding > Mitigation & adaptation > South East

No further support has been identified in this category in this region.

Funding > Mitigation only > Council emissions

- [EST funding database](#) (Energy Saving Trust). A list of funding sources for energy efficiency and renewable energy measures from a variety of organisations. The database can be searched by key word, fund and region.
- [Salix Finance](#). Provides interest-free match funding to the public sector to invest in energy efficiency measures and technologies that will reduce carbon emissions.
- [The Low Carbon Buildings Programme](#) (Department for Business, Enterprise and Regulatory Reform). Provides 30-50% grants for installing low carbon (renewable) micro-generation technology in public sector properties.
- [Eco-schools Grants](#) (Foundation for Environmental Education). Scheme providing grants up to a maximum of £5,000 for schools for new or existing projects that create positive change and development on the themes of energy and water.
- [Bio-energy Capital Grants Scheme](#) (Department of Energy and Climate Change). A scheme awarding capital grants towards the cost of equipment in complete biomass installations, with the aim of promoting the efficient use of biomass for energy, by stimulating the early deployment of biomass fuelled heat and biomass combined heat and power projects.

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Funding > Mitigation only > Council emissions > North East

- [One North East](#). Some provision of gap funding in local authority development schemes to achieve improved environmental performance.

Funding > Mitigation only > Council emissions > North West

No further support has been identified in this category in this region.

Funding > Mitigation only > Council emissions > Yorkshire & Humber

No further support has been identified in this category in this region.

Funding > Mitigation only > Council emissions > East Midlands

No further support has been identified in this category in this region.

Funding > Mitigation only > Council emissions > West Midlands

No further support has been identified in this category in this region.

Funding > Mitigation only > Council emissions > East of England

No further support has been identified in this category in this region.

Funding > Mitigation only > Council emissions > London

- [Implementing Delivery Mechanisms for Financing London's Low Carbon Future](#) (London Energy Partnership). Aims to promote three delivery mechanisms in which various individuals and organizations could participate and assist in overcoming some of the barriers to financing local carbon projects in London.
- [Making ESCOs Work: Guidance and Advice on Setting Up & Delivering an ESCO](#) (London Energy Partnership). This report provides guidance and advice to those considering setting up and delivering an Energy Services Company. It compiles the knowledge of legislative, regulatory and commercial issues from early pioneers, considering models operating in London and elsewhere in the UK and internationally.

Funding > Mitigation only > Council emissions > South West

No further support has been identified in this category in this region.

Funding > Mitigation only > Council emissions > South East

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Funding > Mitigation only > Community-wide emissions

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- [Warm Front](#) (Department for Energy and Climate Change). A scheme working with local authorities to identify and support households in fuel poverty. Provides a package of energy efficiency and heating measures for households on benefits.
- [CROSS Funding Partnership](#) (Local Government Association). Established to provide an easy route for local authorities and Registered Social Landlords to access the highest possible funding available through the government's Carbon Emissions Reduction Target (CERT) to finance energy efficiency work in social housing.
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Funding > Mitigation only > Community-wide emissions > North East

- [Community Energy Solutions](#) (One North East). A scheme working with local authorities and other partners to deliver gas mains extensions, renewable energy and energy efficiency projects to low income off-gas communities.

Funding > Mitigation only > Community-wide emissions > North West

No further support has been identified in this category in this region.

Funding > Mitigation only > Community-wide emissions > Yorkshire & Humber

- [Future Energy Yorkshire](#). Establishes commercial partnerships with private and public sector organisations to fill knowledge gaps, bridge market failures and bring to fruition renewable energy projects.
- [Funding Decision Tree](#) (Future Energy Yorkshire). Allows users to identify the right source of funding for renewable energy projects, whether it be technology research, development, demonstration or deployment.

Funding > Mitigation only > Community-wide emissions > East Midlands

No further support has been identified in this category in this region.

Funding > Mitigation only > Community-wide emissions > West Midlands

No further support has been identified in this category in this region.

Funding > Mitigation only > Community-wide emissions > East of England

No further support has been identified in this category in this region.

Funding > Mitigation only > Community-wide emissions > London

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Funding > Mitigation only > Community-wide emissions > South East

No further support has been identified in this category in this region.

Funding > Adaptation only

No support has been identified in this category either at the national or regional levels.

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