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Executive summary

This report assesses the impact of greenhouse gas (GHG) emissions associated with Viva Energy's Melbourne Airport Jet Pipeline Project (the Project), as part of its Pipeline Licence Application. The assessment compares the Project's construction and operation GHG emissions impact against the baseline scenario of jet fuel delivery via truck transportation. The assessment considers future changes to jet fuel demand.

Project overview

The Project is an approximately 6.7 km long buried jet fuel pipeline (DN 350 mm), connecting the existing Altona to Somerton jet fuel pipeline to the jet fuel storage infrastructure at Melbourne Airport. The Project aims to support Melbourne Airport's growing jet fuel needs over the next 20-30 years. In addition, the pipeline will increase the supply security of jet fuel for the airport and reduce the reliance on road transportation for jet fuel supply.

Existing conditions – GHG emissions baseline

The baseline GHG emissions scenario accounts for the current jet fuel delivery process, which includes the existing jet fuel pipeline system (Altona to Somerton pipeline, and Somerton to Tullamarine Airport pipeline) supplemented annually with substantial road deliveries of jet fuel from both Melbourne and Geelong.

The baseline scenario assumes that the existing fuel delivery system would continue for the project timeline of 2025 to 2065. The Melbourne Airport Preliminary Draft Master Plan (Melbourne Airport, 2022) has forecasted the demand until 2042 and the demand estimate beyond 2042 is based on assumptions. The baseline considers three fuel demand growth rates, namely reference, low and high scenarios to capture potential future uncertainties. The baseline GHG emissions are estimated to be 261, 106 and 492 kilo-tonnes of carbon dioxide equivalent (kt CO₂-e) for the reference, low and high scenarios respectively (Table 4-2). GHG emissions are about 95% Scope 1 and 5% Scope 3 emissions.

GHG impact assessment

The estimated GHG emissions for the Project are 45.3 kt CO₂-e with 5.7 kt CO₂-e associated with construction activities and 39.6 kt CO₂-e associated with operation of the jet fuel pipeline. Table E-1 shows a summary of the Project's GHG emissions.

Table E-1 Summary of the Project's GHG emissions¹

Total GHG emissions	Scope 1 (Direct) (t CO ₂ -e)	Scope 2 (Indirect) (t CO ₂ -e)	Scope 3 (Indirect) (t CO ₂ -e)	Total (t CO ₂ -e)
Construction	2,499	64	3,178	5,741
Operation	10,575	25,301	3,734	39,610

Although the extent of future road operations is currently unknown, by removing the need to transport jet fuel by road, the pipeline could lead to an overall greenhouse gas emissions reduction of 216.1 kt CO₂-e over the design life, with savings realised after approximately 6 years of operation.

Conclusions and recommendations

This impact assessment found that the Project can reduce GHG emissions by 83% over the design life of the pipeline, when compared to the current delivery system for jet fuel. It is expected that the Project is able to support the growing air traffic (and therefore jet fuel) demand associated with both an increasing number of

¹ Note: numbers may not add up exactly due to rounding.

passengers and tonnes of air freight forecasted in the Melbourne Airport Preliminary Draft Master Plan (Melbourne Airport, 2022). The assessment indicated the Project's GHG emissions would show savings in comparison with the baseline (reference) GHG emissions after approximately 6 years of operation.

Additionally, implementation of the Project will likely increase the resilience and security of jet fuel supply against the physical and transition risks of climate change, as well as increased safety by reducing the chance of spills related to road accidents.

The following potential initiatives can further reduce the Project's GHG emissions impact during the construction and operation stages. Assessing the feasibility of these initiatives is outside the scope of this report.

1. **Minimise the use of electricity** by selecting energy efficient pumps, plant and equipment during planning and design phases, employing energy efficient operation strategies and incorporating energy management systems for the operation life of the Project.
2. **Maximise the use of green electricity** in operation (up to 10.9% further reduction compared to the baseline). This can be achieved by installing renewable energy sources on-site (e.g., solar panels on terminal sheds/buildings) and/or by purchasing renewable electricity.
3. **Maximise the use of low emission and energy efficient vehicles, plant and equipment** (e.g., hybrid excavators, hybrid site vehicles) to reduce fuel use during construction (up to 0.9% further reduction compared to the baseline) and use of hybrid or electric vehicles during operation (up to 4.3% further reduction compared to the baseline).

Abbreviations

Term	Definition
CO ₂ -e	Carbon Dioxide equivalent
CSIRO	Commonwealth Scientific and Industrial Research Organisation
EES	Environmental Effects Statement
EP Act	Environmental Protection Act
GHG	Greenhouse gas
HDD	Horizontal Directional Drilling
ICCP	Impressed Current Cathodic Protection
ISO	International Organisation for Standardisation
JUHI	Joint User Hydrant Installation
NGAF	National Greenhouse Account Factors
NGER	National Greenhouse and Energy Reporting
RFI	Request for information
VIC	Victoria

1 Introduction and scope of works

Viva Energy Australia (Viva Energy) is proposing to construct and operate a new jet fuel pipeline, to support growing demand at Melbourne Airport.

Melbourne Airport is Australia's second largest airport. Annual passenger numbers are expected to almost double by 2042 – increasing from 37 million to more than 76 million passengers per year (Melbourne Airport, 2022). The freight tonnes are also expected to increase from 448kT to 980kT. In line with the projected increases in aircraft movements, jet fuel requirements are expected to increase significantly.

Currently, fuel is transported to the joint user hydrant installation (JUHI) facility via a combination of the pipeline system (Altona to Somerton pipeline, and Somerton to Tullamarine Airport pipeline) and trucks. The current pipeline system is supplemented annually with substantial road deliveries of jet fuel from both Melbourne and Geelong. The development of the new pipeline will provide faster replenishment of fuel stocks, reduce traffic on roads and provide a more robust fuel supply chain.

The proposed pipeline aims to:

- help meet the increasing demand for jet fuel and support future growth at Melbourne Airport
- increase the supply security of jet fuel, which will contribute to the Victorian state economy
- reduce the reliance on road transport for jet fuel supply with fewer trucks required to deliver fuel to the airport
- improve safety by reducing the potential for spills in case of road accidents or rollover.

1.1 Purpose of this document

This report assesses the impact to greenhouse gas (GHG) emissions associated with Viva Energy's Melbourne Airport Jet Pipeline Project (the Project), as part of the Pipeline Licence Application. The assessment compares the Project's construction and operation GHG emissions impact with the baseline scenario of jet fuel delivery to Melbourne Airport via road transportation. The report includes potential initiatives to further reduce GHG emissions associated to the Project.

1.2 Project description

The Project proposes the construction and operation of a new pipeline to form a direct connection between the jet fuel storage infrastructure at Melbourne Airport and the existing Altona to Somerton pipeline that follows the southern boundary of Tullamarine (located south of the Western Ring Road (M80)).

The pipeline would commence at a section of the Altona to Somerton pipeline located south of the Western Ring Road (M80) (near the Airport Drive exit) and link into the existing Melbourne Airport JUHI facility (located at Marker Road, Tullamarine). Figure 1-1 shows the proposed pipeline alignment.



Figure 1-1 Melbourne Airport Jet Pipeline location (Source: ESRI)

1.2.1 Project components

The project comprises of the following key operational components:

- A new pipeline to transport jet fuel. The pipeline will be approximately 6.7 km in length and fully buried for its entire length to a minimum depth of 1200 mm below ground level (bgl) with a 7 to 10 m permanent final easement.
- Pig launcher and receiver sites located at each end of the pipeline. These are made of steel and used to launch instruments during initial commissioning of the pipeline to clear any debris or water and during operation to record any defects in the pipe.
- An impressed current cathodic protection (ICCP) system to protect the pipe. The choice of ICCP system will most probably have negligible power consumption.
- Inlet and outlet metering stations which provides flow analysis for the leak detection system.

The pipeline

The proposed pipeline comprises approximately 6.7 km of buried jet fuel pipeline. It has been assumed that the pipe will be manufactured in overseas pipe mills from high grade steel plates. It will be buried for its entire length to a minimum depth of 1200 mm below ground level. Table 1-1 summarises the key information relating to the pipeline.

Table 1-1 Summary of key pipeline data

Key pipeline data	
Length	6.7 km
Material	High strength steel pipe - Manufacturing code API 5L, product specification level PSL 2 with an X56 grade.

Nominal diameter	DN 350 mm
Maximum target flow rate	~800 m3/h. The initial operating flow rate would be 400 m3/h.
Pipe wall thickness	11.8 mm
Design life	40 years

1.2.2 Indicative construction activities and duration

Pipeline construction is proposed to commence in Q3 of 2024 and the pipeline is proposed to be operational by Q3 of 2025. This is subject to Viva Energy Board approvals, land access, finalisation of design, award of Contracts and procurement timeframes and is subject to the grant of project approvals within certain timeframes.

Construction activities for the Project and indicative plant and equipment required are show in Table 1-2. It should be noted that the third column shows the approximate cumulative duration for each activity and does not represent the construction duration as some activities might occur simultaneously. There would be construction site offices and lighting in each construction section.

Table 1-2 Indicative construction activities and plant

Construction activity	Detail of activity	Approximate cumulative duration	Plant and Equipment Used
Setting up work areas	Before construction can commence, work areas must be set up appropriately. These include lay down areas for equipment, construction material stockpiles and setup areas.	4 weeks	35 ton Excavator x 2 14G Grader x 1 D7 Dozer x 1
Clear and grade	Clear and grade involves preparing the pipeline easement and extra workspaces for construction.		
Excavation	<p>A specialised rotary trenching machine or excavator is used to dig the trenches along the pipeline route. Any material removed is placed on the side of the trench (stockpiled), within the construction set up area.</p> <p>Trenchless construction is used in more complex or environmentally sensitive areas.</p> <p>Trenchless construction methods used for this Project include:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ HDD ▪ Thrust boring. 	<p>Trenching: 15 weeks</p> <p>Horizontal Directional Drilling (HDD): 36 weeks</p> <p>Thrust boring: 1 week</p>	<p><u>Trenching</u></p> <p>45 ton Excavator with Hammer x 2</p> <p>Rock Chain Trencher</p> <p><u>HDD</u></p> <p>HDD rig x 1</p> <p>35 ton Excavator x 1</p> <p>Mud tanks</p> <p>Generator (self-bunded or within container)</p> <p>Vacuum Truck x 2</p> <p><u>Thrust boring</u></p> <p>Rotary auger x 1</p> <p>35 ton Excavator x 1</p> <p>Mud tanks</p> <p>Generator (self bunded or within container)</p> <p>Vacuum Truck x 2</p>

Construction activity	Detail of activity	Approximate cumulative duration	Plant and Equipment Used
Pipe stringing and welding	Once the pipe lengths have been laid out or 'strung' along the construction set up area, qualified welders join the lengths of pipes together. Welds are inspected using x-ray or ultrasonic equipment to ensure their quality and are then coated, to reduce the likelihood of corrosion.	36 weeks	35 ton Excavator with vac lift x 1 572 side boom x 1 Bending machine Prime movers (stringing trucks) x 1 Skid truck x 2 Light Truck with Welding Machines x 2 Tack Rig x 1
Lowering In	After final quality assurance checks, each completed pipe section is lowered into the trench using specialist side boom tractors and excavators.	36 weeks	35 ton Excavator x 2 572 Side Booms x 2 Loader x 2
Backfill	When the pipe is in place, it is backfilled with suitable fill material (padding) to protect the pipeline coating from stones or other sharp objects. The topsoil is then re-instated over the disturbed trench area to the contour of the land so that groundcover can be rehabilitated.		350 Padding Machine x 1 Trucks to haul in bedding material x 3 Flowcon Truck x 1 Grader x 1 D7 Dozer x 1
Quality Assurance	Rigorous quality assurance, inspection and testing occurs during and after installation to confirm that the pipeline integrity meets or exceeds the design criteria. Using water, the pipe is pressure tested (hydrotested) to ensure it is fit for operational service.	8 weeks	Fill pump High pressure squeeze pump 750cfm Compressor 1200cfm Compressor for drying Vacuum drying unit
Demobilisation and initial rehabilitation	Disturbed areas will be reinstated and may include re-contouring to match existing landforms. Topsoil conserved during the construction process is re-spread over areas used for construction. Rehabilitation is undertaken in accordance with approval requirements and landowner considerations.	4 weeks	35 ton Excavator x 2 Graders 16G x 1 Grader 14G x 1 D7 Dozer Tractor - reseeded

1.2.3 Indicative operation activities

When commissioned, the pipeline would be owned, operated and maintained by Viva Energy. Following the reinstatement of land as part of the pipeline construction, the land would be generally returned to its previous use.

The Project has been designed with an operational life of 40 years. The entire pipeline will require scheduled patrol and monitoring using a utility vehicle to drive along the pipeline on a daily basis (5 days per week). When in operation, instruments (metal loss detection tool) will be used to record any defects in the pipe (wall thickness reduction or other defects such as dents caused by third party interference). This will occur initially every 10 years and then as the pipeline ages it may be necessary to run the metal loss detection tool every 5 years. Material use for maintenance would be negligible.

During operation the pipeline would require general lighting, flood lights and control devices at both ends. The existing Newport terminal pumping station will pump the jet fuel through the new pipeline to Melbourne Airport. The pump has a capacity of 400 m³/h currently and a potential for an upgrade if needed.

2 Methodology

The GHG emissions impact assessment was undertaken with reference to the following documents:

- *National Greenhouse Gas and Energy Reporting (NGER) (measurement) Determination 2008* under the NGER Act (Australian Government, 2008), and the data available from *National Greenhouse Account Factors (NGAF)* (Department of Industry, Science, Energy and Resour, 2021).
- *Greenhouse Gas Protocol (GHG Protocol)*, the World Business Council for Sustainable Development and the World Resources Institute
- *ISO14064: Greenhouse Gases – Part 1: Specification with guidance at the organisation level for quantification and reporting of greenhouse gas emissions and removals* (The British Standards Institution, 2019) and *Part 2: Specification with guidance at the project level for quantification, monitoring and reporting of greenhouse gas emission reductions or removal enhancements* (The British Standards Institution, 2019)

The GHG emissions were calculated for:

1. The baseline scenario (current situation), with consideration for projected future emissions, should the pipeline not be constructed.
2. The project, including embodied, construction and operation emissions.

The GHG emissions for the Project were then compared to the baseline scenario GHG emissions, for the three jet fuel demand growth scenarios (reference, low and high). Opportunities to reduce the Project's GHG emissions were identified and are discussed in Section 7 of the report.

The baseline GHG emissions considers existing conditions and includes emissions from fuel transportation from Melbourne and Geelong. The categories and scope of the Project's GHG emissions are presented in the next section.

A high-level qualitative comparison of the climate resilience of the baseline and pipeline options and potential resilience enhancement strategies are additionally provided based on the literature (refer to Section 6).

2.1 GHG emissions scopes

This report includes Scope 1, Scope 2 and Scope 3 GHG emissions associated with the construction and operation of the Project, that are described as follows.

- **Scope 1 emissions** – direct GHG emissions from sources that are owned or operated by a reporting organisation (examples include combustion of diesel in company-owned vehicles or used in on-site plant and equipment) (GHG Protocol, 2013)
- **Scope 2 emissions** – Indirect GHG emissions associated with the import of energy from another source (examples include import of electricity from the grid, or heat) (GHG Protocol, 2013)
- **Scope 3 emissions** – Other indirect emissions, other than energy imports (above) which are a direct result of the operations of the organisation, but from sources not owned or operated by them and due to upstream or downstream activities (examples include indirect upstream emissions associated with the extraction, production and transport of purchased construction materials; and business travel (by ship, air or rail)).

An illustration of these definitions is shown in Figure 2-1.

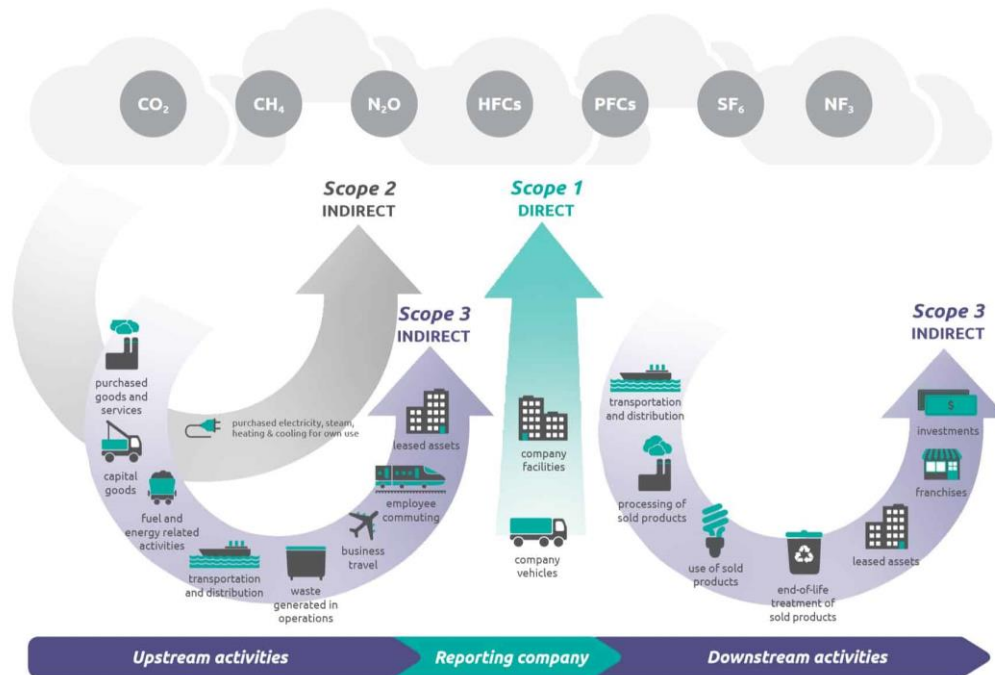


Figure 2-1 An illustration of the definitions of different emissions scopes (GHG Protocol, 2013)

The activities and GHG emission sources have been determined following consultation with the design team and based on past GHG impact assessments for similar infrastructure construction projects. Although Scope 3 emissions are not a mandatory reporting requirement, it is included herein for a holistic inclusion of all significant emissions sources related to the Project. In line with GHG Protocol, the criteria for including Scope 3 emissions within the Project’s operational boundary are outlined in Table 2-1.

Table 2-1 GHG protocol criteria for inclusion of Scope 3 emissions in the operational boundary

Criteria	Description
Size	They are large (or believed to be large) relative to the company’s scope 1 and scope 2 emissions.
Risk	They contribute to the company’s GHG risk exposure
Stakeholders	They are deemed critical by key stakeholders (e.g., customers, suppliers, investors, or civil society)
Influence	There are potential emissions reductions that could be undertaken or influenced by the company.

2.2 Project boundary

The project scope for the GHG emissions impact assessment includes the construction and operation activities related to the installation of the pipeline.

The organisational boundary of this assessment includes all Scope 1 (direct) and Scope 2 (indirect) emissions related to the project activities. Other indirect (Scope 3) emissions that are directly related to the project (for example, emissions associated with construction materials) are also considered.

Construction

The scope of the GHG emission assessment of the construction phase includes:

- construction of the new pipeline, including embodied emissions of materials and emissions related to the construction activities

- transportation of materials and project components to the site
- construction spoil and waste removal
- land use changes

Operation

The scope of the GHG emission assessment of the operation phase includes:

- existing road transport of jet fuel
- pumping jet fuel in the new pipeline
- maintenance of the new pipeline

It should be noted GHG emissions associated with the production of jet fuel and combustion of jet fuel are outside the boundary of this assessment.

A list of relevant GHG emissions sources associated with the Project construction and operation and the scope of the emissions is provide in Table 2-2.

Table 2-2 GHG emissions sources and scopes for relevant construction and operation activities

Emissions category	Emissions source	Activity	Scope 1 (Direct)	Scope 2 (Indirect)	Scope 3 (Indirect)
Construction					
Stationary energy	Fuel use	Stationary construction equipment	✓		✓
Transport fuel	Fuel use	Mobile construction equipment, plant and site vehicles	✓		✓
Transport fuel	Fuel use	Delivery of pipe, concrete and other project components to the site			✓
Waste	Waste	Spoil and waste removal			✓
Stationary energy	Electricity consumption	Electricity used to power construction plant (lighting towers etc) and site offices		✓	✓
Land use changes	Vegetation removal / plantation	Clearance of vegetation because of the project (loss of carbon sink) or planting vegetation	✓		
Embodied emissions	Materials	Embodied energy of construction materials			✓
Operation					
Stationary energy	Electricity consumption	Electricity used for pumping, control, lighting and maintenance		✓	✓
Transport fuel	Fuel use	Mobile construction equipment used for maintenance activities	✓		✓
Embodied emissions	Materials	Materials used for maintenance activities			✓
Transport fuel	Fuel use	Fuel consumption by trucks delivering the jet fuel	✓		✓

2.3 Key assumptions and limitations

This section provides a summary of the key assumptions and limitations related to this GHG emissions impact assessment report. The assessment of impacts, conclusions and potential GHG emissions reduction initiatives recommended in this report are based on the best information and assumptions available at the date of its preparation.

For this assessment, the best available data sources have been used via request for information (RFI) and consultation with the design team. Information that this assessment has been based on, including construction schedules and plant, may change, and works may differ throughout the construction and operation of the Project.

It is assumed that the electricity grid emissions factor will be zero from 2050, consistent with national and international zero emissions targets. Thus, grid emissions factors projections to 2030 are used (Department of Industry, Science, Energy and Resour, 2021) and extrapolated to 2050.

The projection of electrification and new generation of trucks (hydrogen, biodiesel and electric) is not in the scope of baseline estimation of this report. The projections of short distance heavy trucks availability in market (National Renewable Energy Laboratory, 2022) and the transition to zero emission transportation policy (Graham & Havas, 2021; Savvy, 2022) are considered in framing illustrative scenarios in Section 4. However, the capacity of existing infrastructure, roads, fuel system etc, and the availability of trucks to meet the increased jet fuel requirements for the baseline GHG emissions scenario has not been assessed.

Table 2-3 shows the rationale for exclusion of some GHG emission sources.

Table 2-3 Rationale for exclusion of some emission sources

Emission sources	Emissions description	Rationale for exclusion
Purchased electricity	Electricity emissions associated with pumping jet fuel in the existing pipeline system (from Altona to Somerton, and from Somerton to JUHI)	This has not been considered as this would remain almost the same as the existing case once the Project is commissioned.
Fugitive emissions	Fugitive emissions from the jet fuel pipeline	This is assumed to be negligible for a liquid jet fuel under high pressure in a fully welded pipeline with ICCP and frequent monitoring.
Transport fuel	Emissions associated with the transport of work force and construction equipment	The project is located in Melbourne and in the vicinity of several equipment rentals. The work force is assumed to be procured locally with minimal use of private transport as public transport options are available. Thus, emissions from this would be negligible.
Embodied and operation emissions	Emissions associated with the decommissioning, and unplanned replacement and relocation of the pipeline	It is assumed the pipeline does not need to be replaced or relocated during its 40 years life and would be left buried under the ground after decommissioning.
Purchased electricity and fuel	Emissions associated with other baseline components such as JUHI Bridger pumps and similar.	It is assumed that these components will be less than 1% of the GHG emissions in baseline scenario and thus immaterial.

It should be noted that these assumptions are based on the conservativeness principle of ISO14064-2 (The British Standards Institution, 2019). More detailed information on the data sources and assumptions are included in the calculation sheets in Appendix A.

3 Legislation and policy summary

The relevant policy and legislation that applies to the Project, in the context of this GHG emissions impact assessment, is summarised in Table 3-1 below.

Table 3-1 Summary of key relevant legislation and policy

Policy / legislation	Description
<i>National Greenhouse and Energy Reporting Act 2007</i> ('NGER Act'), and National Greenhouse and Energy Reporting (Measurement) Determination 2008	The NGER Act establishes the legislative framework for the NGER Scheme which is a national framework for reporting Scope 1 and 2 GHG emissions related to projects and corporations in Australia. The NGER Determination describes the methods and criteria for reporting Scope 1 and 2 GHG emissions, in accordance with the NGER Act.
National Greenhouse and Energy Reporting (Safeguard Mechanism) Rule 2015 (NGER Rule)	The NGER Rule provides a mechanism to prevent Australia's major GHG emitters to increase their operational Scope 1 annual GHG emissions beyond a threshold and applies to facilities that emit more than 100,000 tCO ₂ -e per year of Scope 1 emissions.
<i>Climate Change Act 2017</i> (Vic) ('Climate Change Act')	The Climate Change Act 2017 sets out legislative principles, targets and strategies to manage climate change risks and transition to a climate resilient and net zero emissions economy and community by 2050.
<i>Environment Protection Act 2017</i> (Vic) ('EP Act')	The Environment Protection Act provides a framework to protect Victoria's air, water and land. It imposes legal obligation on entities and individuals to prevent pollution and environmental damage. The Environment Protection Act establishes the EPA to administer the Act, and its regulations and orders.

4 Baseline GHG emissions impact assessment

The GHG emissions for the baseline scenario are related to the existing pipeline system fuel delivery and supplementary road transportation of jet fuel from both Melbourne and Geelong to Melbourne Airport. The baseline GHG emissions have been established assuming that the existing fuel delivery settings will continue for the operational lifespan from 2025 to 2065. It should be noted that the airport demand is estimated until 2042 in the Melbourne Airport Preliminary Draft Master Plan (Melbourne Airport, 2022). The demand forecast post 2042 to 2065 is assumed to follow the same trend and may be uncertain. The baseline is framed for three scenarios based on changes to the jet fuel demand growth rate (linked to number of flights) and the share of diesel use in trucks in future. These scenarios are posed for illustrative purposes to capture future uncertainties in use of diesel in trucks and variations in jet fuel demand. These scenarios are summarised in Table 4-1.

Table 4-1 Summary of the baseline emissions scenarios

Scenario name	Description	Changing variable
Baseline (reference)	Assumes the airport fuel demand growth rate would constantly increase by 2.45% per year. The jet fuel delivery through the existing pipeline system would be utilised at its maximum capacity and the remaining jet fuel demand would be supplied by truck transportation from Melbourne and Geelong (50:50 split). 50% of jet fuel road transport would be by diesel trucks by the end of the Project design life.	Fuel delivered to the airport Diesel emission factor (related to share of diesel trucks from total jet fuel road transport)

Scenario name	Description	Changing variable
Baseline (low)	Assumes the airport fuel demand growth rate would constantly increase by 1.96% per year (20% decrease compared to the reference case). The jet fuel delivery through the existing pipeline system would be utilised at its maximum capacity and the remaining jet fuel demand would be supplied by truck transportation from Melbourne and Geelong (50:50 split). Zero per cent of jet fuel road transport would be by diesel trucks by the end of the Project design life.	Fuel delivered to the airport Diesel emission factor (related to share of diesel trucks from total jet fuel road transport)
Baseline (high)	Assumes the airport fuel demand growth rate would constantly increase by 2.94% per year (20% increase compared to the reference case). The jet fuel delivery through the existing pipeline system would be utilised at its maximum capacity and the remaining jet fuel demand would be supplied by truck transportation from Melbourne and Geelong (50:50 split). 100% of jet fuel road transport would be by diesel trucks by the end of the Project design life.	Fuel delivered to the airport Diesel emission factor (related to share of diesel trucks from total jet fuel road transport)

The calculations of GHG emissions for the reference, low and high baseline scenarios indicated outputs of 261, 106 and 492 kt CO₂-e respectively (rounded to the nearest whole number), refer to Table 4-2. For the purposes of this assessment, it is assumed that all jet fuel deliveries are by Viva Energy trucks and hence the GHG emissions from these trucks are considered Scope 1 emissions. In reality, a proportion of the deliveries may be conducted by third parties, in which case they would fall under Scope 3 emissions. These scenarios are framed to capture the uncertainty range attributed to jet fuel demand projections.

Table 4-2 Baseline GHG emissions

Emissions category	Emissions source	Activity	Scope 1 (Direct) (t CO ₂ -e)	Scope 2 (Indirect) (t CO ₂ -e)	Scope 3 (Indirect) (t CO ₂ -e)	Total (t CO ₂ -e)
Reference	Fuel use	Fuel consumption by trucks delivering the jet fuel	248,755	-	12,719	261,474
Low	Fuel use	Fuel consumption by trucks delivering the jet fuel	100,696	-	5,148	105,844
High	Fuel use	Fuel consumption by trucks delivering the jet fuel	468,279	-	23,943	492,222

5 Construction and operation emissions impact assessment

GHG emissions associated with the construction and operation of the Project are 45.3 kt CO₂-e with 5.7 kt CO₂-e associated with construction and 39.6 kt CO₂-e associated with operation of the Project. It was found Scope 2 emissions contributed about 56% to the Project footprint, whilst Scope 1 and Scope 3 contributed 29% and 15% respectively to the footprint. A summary of the total GHG emissions of the Project is presented in Table 5-1.

Table 5-1 Summary of total GHG emissions associated with the construction and operation of the Project

Emissions category	Emissions source	Activity	Scope 1 (Direct) (t CO ₂ -e)	Scope 2 (Indirect) (t CO ₂ -e)	Scope 3 (Indirect) (t CO ₂ -e)	Total (t CO ₂ -e)
Construction						
Stationary energy	Fuel use	Stationary construction equipment	325	-	17	342
Transport fuel	Fuel use	Mobile construction equipment, plant and site vehicles	2,174	-	111	2,285
Transport fuel	Fuel use	Delivery of pipe, concrete and other project components to the site	-	-	239	239
Waste	Waste	Spoil and waste removal	-	-	52	52
Stationary energy	Electricity consumption	Electricity used to power construction plant (lighting towers etc) and site offices	-	64	7	71
Land use changes	Vegetation removal / plantation	Clearance of vegetation because of the project (loss of carbon sink) or planting vegetation	-	-	-	-
Embodied emissions	Materials	Embodied energy of construction materials	-	-	2,752	2,752
Operation						
Stationary energy	Electricity consumption	Electricity used for pumping, lighting and maintenance	-	25,301	3,194	28,495
Transport fuel	Fuel use	Mobile construction equipment used for maintenance activities	10,575	-	540	11,115
Embodied emissions	Materials	Materials used for maintenance activities	-	-	-	-
Transport fuel	Fuel use	Fuel consumption by trucks delivering the jet fuel	-	-	-	-

Note: numbers may not add up exactly due to rounding.

A large portion of construction emissions are related to embodied emissions (Scope 3) followed by emissions associated with the diesel consumption of plant and equipment and the followed by the delivery of project components and materials from overseas. Most of the Project's operational emissions are likely to be associated with the electricity consumption of pumps (approx. 28.5 kt CO₂-e over the Project design life) and the fuel use for maintenance and monitoring patrols (approx. 11.1 kt CO₂-e over the Project design life). Vegetation clearance seems to be negligible as most vegetation removed will likely be re-introduced following construction. Similarly, the embodied emissions of materials used for maintenance activities is assumed to be negligible. Assuming the Project's estimated supply capacity is met, it is expected that jet fuel delivery via road transportation would no longer be required

Figure 5-1 compares the total GHG emissions of the Project against three baseline scenarios, over the design life of the Project. The Project would reduce the GHG emissions associated with jet fuel delivery by 83%, from 261 to 45.2 kt CO₂-e by 2065, compared to the baseline reference emission scenario.

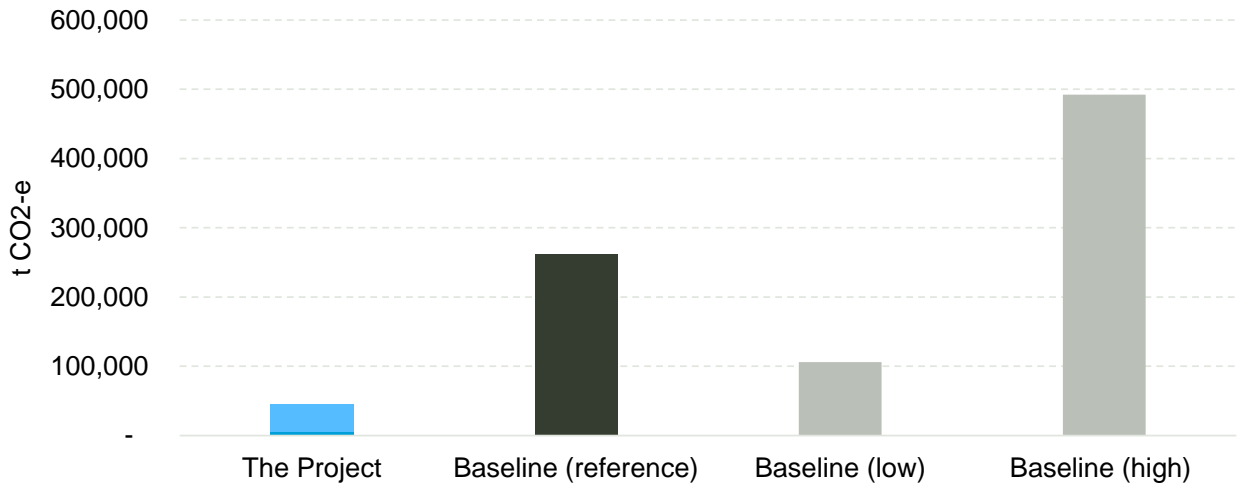


Figure 5-1 Comparison of the Project GHG emissions against the baseline emissions

Figure 5-2 compares the cumulative emissions of baseline (reference case is shown with a solid line while the low and high scenarios are shown in shades) and the Project overtime. The Project would offer emissions reduction against the baseline (reference) scenario after 6 years of operation. The reduction in GHG emissions increases throughout the Project design life.

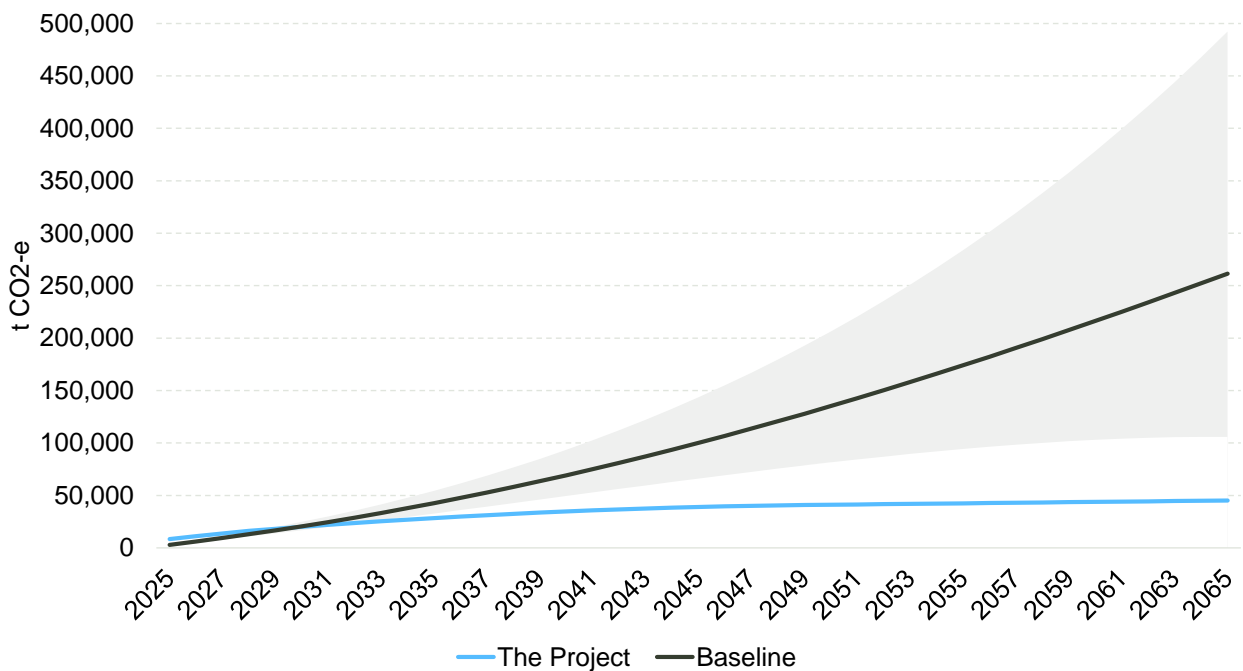


Figure 5-2 Comparison of the cumulative emissions of baseline and the Project over time

The Project's emissions can be further reduced by following a holistic environmental management framework that includes energy, resources and waste management plans. Some example measures are:

- Use of energy efficient and renewable energy technologies on site where possible, combined with purchasing of green power, can reduce GHG emissions associated with electricity use across the life of the Project.
- Use of zero emissions vehicles can reduce GHG emissions related to transportation.
- Operation of generators with bio diesel or a zero/low emission fuel source during construction can reduce diesel fuel usage and associated GHG emissions.
- Use of low carbon steel and concrete can reduce embodied materials GHG emissions.
- Offsetting residual GHG emissions by purchasing certified carbon offsets.

6 Qualitative climate change impact assessment

The following relevant events are expected to impact Melbourne due to climate change (Department of Environment, 2015; Clarke JM, 2019; Grose, 2015):

- Increase in temperature year round
- More hot days and warm spells
- More frequent and more intense downpours
- Harsher fire weather and longer fire seasons
- Rising sea level
- Less rainfall and more time in drought.

Jet fuel delivered via road transportation may face additional delays, disruptions and accidents as a result of changing climatic conditions. Climate change may increase the risks to fuel delivery due to increased intensity and frequency of flooding, increased severity of storms and increased extreme temperatures. Generally speaking, the underground pipeline offers a higher resilience and reliability of supply against the physical risks of climate change.

7 Potential GHG emissions reduction initiatives

Considering that the jet fuel needs to be delivered to the airport to support growing demand of the Melbourne airport (associated with both number of passengers and tonnes of freight) by 2065, the results of this assessment show that the Project can reduce the overall emissions related to the delivery of jet fuel.

The following potential initiatives can further reduce the Project's GHG emissions impact during the construction and operation stages. Assessing the feasibility of these initiatives is outside the scope of this report.

1. **Minimise the use of electricity** by selecting energy efficient pumps, plant and equipment during planning and design phases, employing energy efficient operation strategies and incorporating energy management systems for the operation life of the Project.
2. **Maximise the use of green electricity** in operation (up to 10.9% further reduction compared to the baseline). This can be achieved by installing renewable energy sources on-site (e.g., solar panels on terminal sheds/buildings) and/or by purchasing renewable electricity.
3. **Maximise the use of low emission and energy efficient vehicles, plant and equipment** (e.g., hybrid excavators, hybrid site vehicles) to reduce fuel use during construction (up to 0.9% further reduction compared to the baseline) and use of hybrid or electric vehicles during operation (up to 4.3% further reduction compared to the baseline).

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Appendix A - Calculation sheets

Document Control

Project Name	Melbourne Airport Jet Fuel Pipeline Project
Document Name	GHG emissions assessment

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Appendix A - Calculation sheets - Summary

Summary of total emissions of The Project and the baseline scenarios

Total emissions	Scope 1 (Direct) (t CO2-e)	Scope 2 (Indirect) (t CO2-e)	Scope 3 (Indirect) (t CO2-e)	Total (t CO2-e)
The Project	13,074	25,365	6,912	45,351
Baseline (reference scenario)	248,755	-	12,719	261,474
			Reduction	83%

216,123

The Project						
Emissions category	Emissions source	Activity	Scope 1 (t CO2-e)	Scope 2 (t CO2-e)	Scope 3 (t CO2-e)	Total (t CO2-e)
Construction						
Stationary energy	Fuel use	Stationary construction equipment	325	-	17	342
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Land use changes	Vegetation removal / plantation	Clearance of vegetation because of the project (loss of carbon sink) or planting vegetation	-	-	-	-
Embodied emissions	Materials	Embodied energy of construction materials	-	-	2,752	2,752
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Embodied emissions	Materials	Materials used for maintenance activities	-	-	-	-
Transport fuel	Fuel use	Fuel consumption by trucks delivering the jet fuel	-	-	-	-

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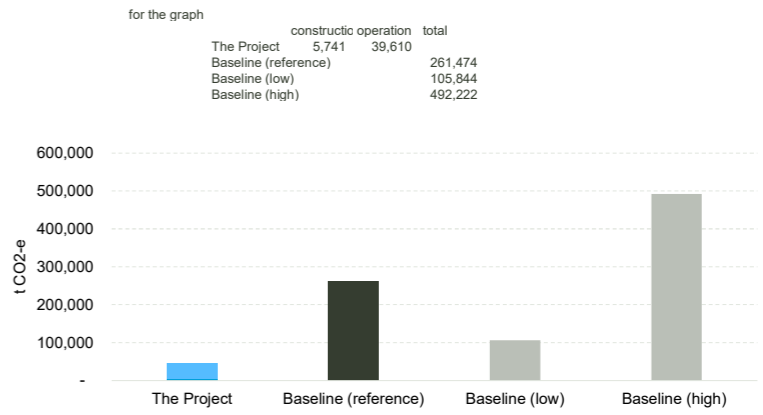
Total emissions of the Project	Scope 1 (Direct)	Scope 2 (Indirect)	Scope 3 (Indirect)	Total (t CO2-e)
Construction	2,499	64	3,178	5,741
Operation	10,575	25,301	3,734	39,610

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Baseline						
Emissions category	Emissions source	Activity	Scope 1 (Direct) (t CO2-e)	Scope 2 (Indirect) (t CO2-e)	Scope 3 (Indirect) (t CO2-e)	Total (t CO2-e)
Reference (Following the expected growth)	Fuel use	Fuel consumption by trucks delivering the jet fuel	248,755	-	12,719	261,474
Low (20% reduction in expected growth)	Fuel use	Fuel consumption by trucks delivering the jet fuel	100,696	-	5,148	105,844
High (20% increase in expected growth)	Fuel use	Fuel consumption by trucks delivering the jet fuel	468,279	-	23,943	492,222

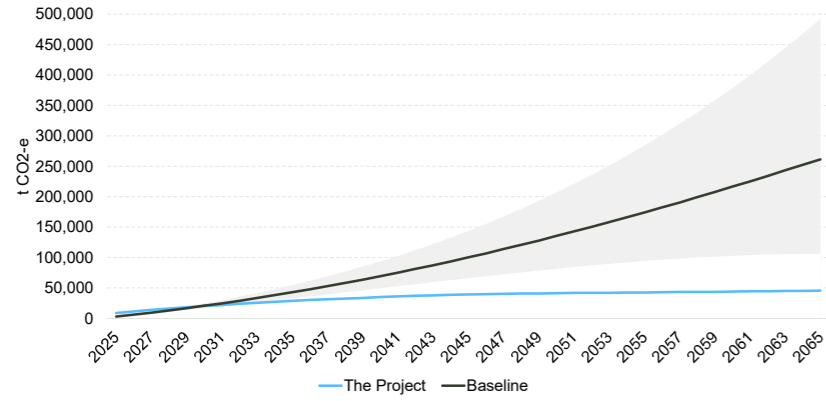
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Appendix A - Calculation sheets - Emissions timeline

	Cumulative emissions (t CO ₂ e)																														Total emissions										
	2025	2026	2027	2028	2029	2030	2031	2032	2033	2034	2035	2036	2037	2038	2039	2040	2041	2042	2043	2044	2045	2046	2047	2048	2049	2050	2051	2052	2053	2054		2055	2056	2057	2058	2059	2060	2061	2062	2063	2064
The Project	8960	11,300	13,894	16,311	18,307	20,224	22,059	23,812	25,482	27,070	28,576	29,999	31,340	32,599	33,776	34,870	35,882	36,812	37,659	38,424	39,107	39,707	40,225	40,661	41,014	41,285	41,556	41,827	42,098	42,369	42,640	42,911	43,182	43,453	43,724	43,995	44,266	44,537	44,808	45,079	45,350
Baseline	2,976	6,133	9,472	12,993	16,695	20,578	24,642	28,887	33,312	37,917	42,700	47,663	52,803	58,119	63,611	69,278	75,119	81,131	87,314	93,668	100,195	106,889	113,717	120,725	127,893	135,216	142,693	150,320	158,095	166,014	174,073	182,270	190,599	199,058	207,641	216,344	225,161	234,089	243,120	252,260	261,473
Baseline (low)	2,592	5,278	8,052	10,910	13,845	16,853	19,927	23,061	26,250	29,486	32,762	36,073	39,410	42,767	46,135	49,507	52,874	56,229	59,562	62,865	66,128	69,342	72,496	75,581	78,586	81,501	84,313	87,012	89,586	92,022	94,309	96,432	98,378	100,134	101,685	103,018	104,115	104,963	105,545	105,844	105,844
Baseline (high)	3,390	7,065	11,031	15,299	19,877	24,773	29,998	35,561	41,472	47,741	54,379	61,396	68,804	76,614	84,837	93,487	102,576	112,115	122,120	132,603	143,578	155,060	167,064	179,605	192,699	206,361	220,610	235,462	250,934	267,045	283,814	301,260	319,403	338,263	357,862	378,221	399,362	421,309	444,085	467,714	492,222



Summary of construction site electricity emissions

GHG emissions (Scope 2) [t CO2-e]	64
GHG emissions (Scope 3) [t CO2-e]	7
Total emissions [t CO2-e]	71

Key assumptions

Common Parameter

Common Parameter	Value	Notes
Internal Area (m2)	650	Assumed based on similar projects for offices at different sections of the construction site for about 105 workers and staff at peak
Baseline Energy Intensity (MJ/m2.a)	389	Baseline Energy Consumption and Greenhouse Gas Emissions in Commercial Buildings in Australia, November 2012 (Council of Australian Governments National Strategy of Energy Efficiency), weighted average intensity of standalone offices.
Construction duration (weeks)	52	from the construction plan. Assumes 38 per week, Monday to Friday based on consultation with the design team.
Total Electricity Consumption (MJ)	252,850	Calculation
Total Electricity Consumption site office (kWh)	70,236	Calculation
Average Monthly Electricity Consumption site office (kWh)	5,853	Calculation
total electricity per year (kWh)	70,236	Calculation

Summary of embodied emissions

GHG emissions (Scope 3) [t CO2-e]	2,752
Total emissions [t CO2-e]	2,752

Summary of transportation emissions

GHG emissions (Scope 3) [t CO2-e]	239
Total emissions [t CO2-e]	239

Key assumptions

Embodied carbon used in pipeline construction

Component	Volume (m3)	Mass (tonnes)	Embodied emissions (kgCO2e/unit)	GHG emissions (Scope 3) (tCO2-e)	Notes
concrete used for all components	250	600	442	110	Volume value received from the design team. Concrete global warming impact category from ISC material calculator. Density of concrete assumed 2.4 tonnes/m3 from ISC material calculator. Truck transport from the nearby supplier
pipeline steel		700	2935	2,054	Mass value received from the design team. Steel pipe and tube imported global warming impact category from ISC material calculator Sea transport from Europe
other components steel		200	2935	587	Mass value received from the design team. Steel pipe and tube imported global warming impact category from ISC material calculator Sea transport from Europe
		900			transport of steel from Port Melbourne to the construction site
		total		2,752	

Transportation emissions

number of vehicles	distance (km)	emission factor (kgCO2e/tkm)	GHG emissions (Scope 3) (tCO2-e)	Notes
36	2	0.128	6	Transported from Melbourne, 7m3 concrete agitator truck, ISC materials calculator used for emission factors
1	25000	0.009	156	Transported from Europe. Emission factor from ISC tool international shipping
1	25000	0.009	44	Transported from Europe. Emission factor from ISC tool international shipping
26	20	0.072	33	Transported from Melbourne, articulated truck, ISC materials calculator used for emission factors
	total		239	

Appendix A - Calculation sheets - Equipment and Plant

Summary of equipment and plant transportation emissions

GHG emissions (Scope 1) (t CO2-e)	2172.90
GHG emissions (Scope 3) (t CO2-e)	111.10
Total emissions (t CO2-e)	2283.99

Summary of stationary equipment emissions

GHG emissions (Scope 1) (t CO2-e)	324.65
GHG emissions (Scope 3) (t CO2-e)	16.60
Total emissions (t CO2-e)	341.25

Key assumptions

Mobile plant and equipment

Plant and equipment name	Equivalent plant assumed in the market	Number of Equipment	duration of Fuel used use (weeks)	hours per week	operation hours (hours)	fuel			emissions (Scope 1) (t CO2-e)	emissions (Scope 3) (t CO2-e)	total emissions (t CO2-e)	Notes	
						Fuel Burn Rate (L/hr)	consump tion (KL)	fuel energy (GJ)					
Excavator (35T)	CAT 330 - 30t	5	Diesel	22	38	836	31	130	5002	352	18	370	Plant/equipment name and hours of operation are obtained from the design team. The fuel burn rate is taken from similar projects.
Excavator (35T)	CAT 330 - 30t	2	Diesel	4	38	152	31	9	364	26	1	27	Plant/equipment name and hours of operation are obtained from the design team. The fuel burn rate is taken from similar projects.
Excavator (35T)	CAT 330 - 30t	1	Diesel	37	38	1406	31	44	1682	118	6	125	Plant/equipment name and hours of operation are obtained from the design team. The fuel burn rate is taken from similar projects.
Excavator (45T) with Hammer	CAT 349 - 45t	2	Diesel	15	38	570	61	69	2662	187	10	197	Plant/equipment name and hours of operation are obtained from the design team. The fuel burn rate is taken from similar projects.
Grader (14G)	CAT 140M - 17t	1	Diesel	4	38	152	26	4	151	11	1	11	Plant/equipment name and hours of operation are obtained from the design team. The fuel burn rate is taken from similar projects.
D7 Dozer	CAT D8R	1	Diesel	4	38	152	54	8	318	22	1	24	Plant/equipment name and hours of operation are obtained from the design team. The fuel burn rate is taken from similar projects.
D7 Dozer	CAT D8R	1	Diesel	36	38	1368	54	74	2862	202	10	212	Plant/equipment name and hours of operation are obtained from the design team. The fuel burn rate is taken from similar projects.
Rock chain trencher	CAT 320 - 21t	1	Diesel	15	38	570	27	15	583	41	2	43	Plant/equipment name and hours of operation are obtained from the design team. The fuel burn rate is taken from similar projects.
Vacuum truck	Water Cart 6 Wheel - 15kl (221kW)	2	Diesel	37	38	1406	17	49	1889	133	7	140	Plant/equipment name and hours of operation are obtained from the design team. The fuel burn rate is taken from similar projects.
572 side boom	Boom Lift 18m (37kW)	3	Diesel	36	38	1368	2	10	390	27	1	29	Plant/equipment name and hours of operation are obtained from the design team. The fuel burn rate is taken from similar projects.
Prime movers (stringing trucks)	Medium Truck 3.5tGVMs12t (L/hr)	1	Diesel	36	38	1368	22	31	1183	83	4	88	Plant/equipment name and hours of operation are obtained from the design team. The fuel burn rate is taken from similar projects.
Skid truck	Light Commercial ≤ 3.5t (L/hr)	2	Diesel	36	38	1368	10	27	1031	73	4	76	Plant/equipment name and hours of operation are obtained from the design team. The fuel burn rate is taken from similar projects.
Light Truck with Welding Machines	Light Commercial ≤ 3.5t (L/hr)	2	Diesel	36	38	1368	10	27	1031	73	4	76	Plant/equipment name and hours of operation are obtained from the design team. The fuel burn rate is taken from similar projects.
Tack rig	CAT 312 - 13t	1	Diesel	36	38	1368	15	21	803	57	3	59	Plant/equipment name and hours of operation are obtained from the design team. The fuel burn rate is taken from similar projects.
Loader	CAT 966M - 23t	2	Diesel	36	38	1368	21	57	2186	154	8	162	Plant/equipment name and hours of operation are obtained from the design team. The fuel burn rate is taken from similar projects.
350 padding machine	CAT 312 - 13t	1	Diesel	36	38	1368	15	21	803	57	3	59	Plant/equipment name and hours of operation are obtained from the design team. The fuel burn rate is taken from similar projects.
Trucks to haul in bedding material	Tipper 25t (180)	3	Diesel	36	38	1368	29	119	4594	323	17	340	Plant/equipment name and hours of operation are obtained from the design team. The fuel burn rate is taken from similar projects.
Flocon truck	Medium Truck 3.5tGVMs12t (L/hr)	1	Diesel	36	38	1368	22	31	1183	83	4	88	Plant/equipment name and hours of operation are obtained from the design team. The fuel burn rate is taken from similar projects.
Grader	CAT 140M - 17t	1	Diesel	36	38	1368	26	35	1362	96	5	101	Plant/equipment name and hours of operation are obtained from the design team. The fuel burn rate is taken from similar projects.
Grader (16G)	CAT 140M - 17t	1	Diesel	4	38	152	26	4	151	11	1	11	Plant/equipment name and hours of operation are obtained from the design team. The fuel burn rate is taken from similar projects.
D7 Dozer - easemen and property rehab	CAT D8R	1	Diesel	4	38	152	54	8	318	22	1	24	Plant/equipment name and hours of operation are obtained from the design team. The fuel burn rate is taken from similar projects.
Tractor - reseeded	Medium Truck 3.5tGVMs12t (L/hr)	1	Diesel	4	38	152	22	3	131	9	0	10	Plant/equipment name and hours of operation are obtained from the design team. The fuel burn rate is taken from similar projects.
Excavator (35T)	CAT 330 - 30t	1	Diesel	4	38	152	31	5	182	13	1	13	Plant/equipment name and hours of operation are obtained from the design team. The fuel burn rate is taken from similar projects.

Stationary plant and equipment

Generator (self banded or within container)	Generator (80kW)	1	Diesel	1	38	38	25.54	1	37.47	2.64	0.13	3	Plant/equipment name and hours of operation are obtained from the design team. The fuel burn rate is taken from similar projects.
Generator	Generator (24kW)	1	Diesel	52	38	1976	7.20	14	549.17	38.67	1.98	41	Plant/equipment name and hours of operation are obtained from the design team. The fuel burn rate is taken from similar projects.
Fill pump	TF400/40 High Flow Pump	1	Diesel	8	38	304	30	9	352	25	1	26	Plant/equipment name and hours of operation are obtained from the design team. The fuel burn rate is taken from similar projects.
750cfm compressor	Air Compressor 250 CFM (59kW)	1	Diesel	8	38	304	19	6	221	16	1	16	Plant/equipment name and hours of operation are obtained from the design team. The fuel burn rate is taken from similar projects.
1200 cfm compressor for drying	Air Compressor 250 CFM (59kW)	1	Diesel	8	38	304	19	6	221	16	1	16	Plant/equipment name and hours of operation are obtained from the design team. The fuel burn rate is taken from similar projects.
Vacuum drying unit	Welder 400A (44kW) Diesel	1	Diesel	8	38	304	4	1	47	3	0	3	Plant/equipment name and hours of operation are obtained from the design team. The fuel burn rate is taken from similar projects.
Bending machine	Welder 400A (44kW) Diesel	1	Diesel	36	38	1368	4	5	211	15	1	16	Plant/equipment name and hours of operation are obtained from the design team. The fuel burn rate is taken from similar projects.
Light towers	4 Light (8kW)	11	Diesel										Operation hour 5 days per week construction and 4 hours of lighting per day consultation with electrical team. 4 lights per construction section including portable LED and flood lighting. Plant/equipment name and hours of operation are obtained from the design team. The fuel burn rate is taken from similar projects.
Thrust boring activities (rotary auger and generator)				52	20	1040	2	23	883	62	3	65	
High pressure squeeze pump	TF400/40 High Flow Pump	1	Diesel	1	38	38	32	1	47	3	0	3	Plant/equipment name and hours of operation are obtained from the design team. The fuel burn rate is taken from similar projects.
HDD rig		1	Diesel	8	38	304	30	9	352	25	1	26	Plant/equipment name and hours of operation are obtained from the design team. The fuel burn rate is taken from similar projects.
		1	Diesel	36	38	1368	32	44	1690	119	6	125	Plant/equipment name and hours of operation are obtained from the design team. The fuel burn rate is assumed similar to thrust boring.



Summary of waste emissions

GHG emissions (Scope 3) [t CO2-e]	52
Total emissions [t CO2-e]	52

Summary of waste and spoil transportaion emissions

GHG emissions (Scope 1) [t CO2-e]	1
GHG emissions (Scope 3) [t CO2-e]	0
Total emissions [t CO2-e]	1

Key assumptions

	Value	Notes
Truck volume (kL)	14.84816	From trucks list, see Emission Factors sheet. Assuming soil density of 922 kg/m3 and 13.69 tonnes truck mass capacity
Truck fuel use (L/100km)	28	From trucks list, see Emission Factors sheet
Round trip distance to landfill (km)	20	Round trip estimated to the three nearest landfills
volume of contam soil (m3)	800	Consultation with the design team
number of trucks	53.9	Calculation
fuel used (kL)	0.3	Calculation
Scope 1 emissions (tCO2e)	0.82	Calculation
Scope 3 emissions (tCO2e)	0.04	Calculation
Total emissions (tCO2e)	0.86	Calculation

waste category	volume (m3)	density (t/m3)	Waste mass (tonnes)	emissions factor (tCO2e/t waste)	Scope 3 emissions (tCO2e)	Notes	
construction materials	18		1.2	22.0	0.2	4.4	https://www.dcceew.gov.au/sites/default/files/documents/hazardous-waste-unit-conversion-factors.pdf https://www.sustainabilityexchange.ac.uk/conversion-factors-for-calculation-of-weight-to-volume
waste from equipment and material delivery	18		0.7	12.8	1.3	16.7	
general waste from site office activities	18		1.05	19.3	1.6	30.8	
Total Scope 3 emissions (tCO2e)						51.9	

Appendix A - Calculation sheets - Maintenance

Summary of maintenance activities emissions

GHG emissions (Scope 1) [t CO2-e]	19576
GHG emissions (Scope 2) [t CO2-e]	541
Total emissions [t CO2-e]	11115

Key assumptions

Value	Notes
number of vehicles	1) One site consultation with the design team
times per year	260) Daily patrol of the pipeline (5 days per week) based on Viva Energy's input
round distance travelled per visit (km)	50) from Viva Energy office in Melbourne CBD
Use consumption (L/100km)	7.3) Claimed fuel economy for 2015 Toyota Hilux 4x4 twin cab ute

	2025	2026	2027	2028	2029	2030	2031	2032	2033	2034	2035	2036	2037	2038	2039	2040	2041	2042	2043	2044	2045	2046	2047	2048	2049	2050	2051	2052	2053	2054	2055	2056	2057	2058	2059	2060	2061	2062	2063	2064	2065
times per year	260	260	260	260	260	260	260	260	260	260	260	260	260	260	260	260	260	260	260	260	260	260	260	260	260	260	260	260	260	260	260	260	260	260	260	260	260	260	260	260	
number of Utes	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1		
distance (km)	50	50	50	50	50	50	50	50	50	50	50	50	50	50	50	50	50	50	50	50	50	50	50	50	50	50	50	50	50	50	50	50	50	50	50	50	50	50	50		
fuel consumption (L)	94.90	94.90	94.90	94.90	94.90	94.90	94.90	94.90	94.90	94.90	94.90	94.90	94.90	94.90	94.90	94.90	94.90	94.90	94.90	94.90	94.90	94.90	94.90	94.90	94.90	94.90	94.90	94.90	94.90	94.90	94.90	94.90	94.90	94.90	94.90	94.90	94.90	94.90	94.90		
fuel energy (MJ)	3663.14	3663.14	3663.14	3663.14	3663.14	3663.14	3663.14	3663.14	3663.14	3663.14	3663.14	3663.14	3663.14	3663.14	3663.14	3663.14	3663.14	3663.14	3663.14	3663.14	3663.14	3663.14	3663.14	3663.14	3663.14	3663.14	3663.14	3663.14	3663.14	3663.14	3663.14	3663.14	3663.14	3663.14	3663.14	3663.14	3663.14	3663.14	3663.14	3663.14	
emissions factor (Scope 1) [kg CO2-e/GJ]	70.4	70.4	70.4	70.4	70.4	70.4	70.4	70.4	70.4	70.4	70.4	70.4	70.4	70.4	70.4	70.4	70.4	70.4	70.4	70.4	70.4	70.4	70.4	70.4	70.4	70.4	70.4	70.4	70.4	70.4	70.4	70.4	70.4	70.4	70.4	70.4	70.4	70.4	70.4		
emissions factor (Scope 2) [kg CO2-e/GJ]	3.6	3.6	3.6	3.6	3.6	3.6	3.6	3.6	3.6	3.6	3.6	3.6	3.6	3.6	3.6	3.6	3.6	3.6	3.6	3.6	3.6	3.6	3.6	3.6	3.6	3.6	3.6	3.6	3.6	3.6	3.6	3.6	3.6	3.6	3.6	3.6	3.6	3.6	3.6		
emissions (Scope 1) [t CO2-e]	257.92	257.92	257.92	257.92	257.92	257.92	257.92	257.92	257.92	257.92	257.92	257.92	257.92	257.92	257.92	257.92	257.92	257.92	257.92	257.92	257.92	257.92	257.92	257.92	257.92	257.92	257.92	257.92	257.92	257.92	257.92	257.92	257.92	257.92	257.92	257.92	257.92	257.92	257.92		
emissions (Scope 2) [t CO2-e]	13.19	13.19	13.19	13.19	13.19	13.19	13.19	13.19	13.19	13.19	13.19	13.19	13.19	13.19	13.19	13.19	13.19	13.19	13.19	13.19	13.19	13.19	13.19	13.19	13.19	13.19	13.19	13.19	13.19	13.19	13.19	13.19	13.19	13.19	13.19	13.19	13.19	13.19	13.19		
total emissions [t CO2-e]	271.11	271.11	271.11	271.11	271.11	271.11	271.11	271.11	271.11	271.11	271.11	271.11	271.11	271.11	271.11	271.11	271.11	271.11	271.11	271.11	271.11	271.11	271.11	271.11	271.11	271.11	271.11	271.11	271.11	271.11	271.11	271.11	271.11	271.11	271.11	271.11	271.11	271.11	271.11		

Appendix A - Calculation sheets - Emission Factors

Emission Factors

2.1 Stationary Energy emissions (non-transport)

2.2 Transport fuel emissions (post-2004)

Table with columns: Fuel combusted, Energy content factor, Emission factor (kg CO2-e/GJ), Scope 1, Scope 2, Scope 3, Source, Date Checked / Updated. Rows include Gasoline, Diesel oil, Liquefied petroleum gas, Diesel oil - Euro IV or higher.

2.3 Indirect emissions from electricity

Table with columns: State or Territory, Emission factor (kg CO2-e/kWh), Source, Date Checked / Updated. Row for Victoria.

Appendix 4 - Emissions from waste disposal to landfill and wastewater treatment

Table with columns: Waste type, Emission factor (t CO2-e/t waste), Source, Date Checked / Updated. Rows include Municipal solid waste, Commercial and industrial waste, Construction and demolition waste.

Electricity grid emission factor projections

Table with columns: Emission factor, NGAF 2021 (Department of Industry, Science, Energy and Resources, 2021), Australia's emissions projection from (Department of Industry, Science, Energy and Resources, 2021), Linear interpolation from 2030 to 2050. Rows include Victoria's Scope 2 emissions factors, Victoria's Scope 2 and 3 combined emissions factors, Victoria's Scope 3 emissions factors.

Scenario projections

Table with columns: Diesel transport emission factor percentage change scenarios, Reference, Low, High. Rows include 100%, 99%, 98%, 95%, 93%, 91%, 89%, 86%, 84%, 82%, 80%, 77%, 75%, 73%, 70%, 68%, 66%, 64%, 63%, 61%, 60%, 59%, 58%, 57%, 56%, 55%, 54%, 53%, 32%, 30%, 27%, 25%, 23%, 20%, 18%, 16%, 14%, 11%, 9%, 7%, 5%, 2%, 0%.

Sources: National Greenhouse Account Factors (NGAF) - (Department of Industry, Science, Energy and Resources, 2021) Australia's emissions projection from (Department of Industry, Science, Energy and Resources, 2021)

Table 37: Indirect Scope 2 and 3 combined emissions factors, tonnes CO2-e per MWh

Table with columns: Year (2020-2030) and rows for Australia, all grid connected, NEM, NSW/ACT, QLD, SA, VIC, TAS, SWIS, NWIS, DKIS.

Table 36: Indirect Scope 2 emissions factors, tonnes CO2-e per MWh

Table with columns: Year (2020-2030) and rows for Australia, all grid connected, NEM, NSW/ACT, QLD, SA, VIC, TAS, SWIS, NWIS, DKIS.

Table 3: Fuel combustion emission factors - liquid fuels including certain petroleum based products for stationary energy purposes

Table with columns: Fuel combusted, Energy content factor (GJ/L unless otherwise indicated), Emission factor (kg CO2-e/GJ), CO2, CH4, N2O. Rows include Petroleum based oils, Crude oil, Gasoline, Kerosene, Heating oil, Diesel oil, Fuel oil, Liquefied aromatic hydrocarbons, Solvents, Liquefied petroleum gas, Napthalene, Petroleum coke, Refinery gas and liquids, Refinery coke, Petroleum based products other than mentioned in the items above, Biodiesel, Ethanol for use as a fuel in an internal combustion engine, Biomethane other than those mentioned in the items above.

Sources: National Greenhouse and Energy Reporting (Measurement) Determination 2008 (Schedule 1) Notes: All emission factors incorporate relevant oxidation factors (sourced from the Department of Industry, Science, Energy and Resources National Inventory Report).

Table 45: Scope 3 emission factors - liquid fuels including certain petroleum based products

Table with columns: Liquid Fuels combusted, Emission factor (kg CO2-e/GJ), EF for scope 3. Rows include Petroleum based oils, Petroleum based greases, Crude oil, Other natural gas liquids, Gasoline, Kerosene, Heating oil, Diesel oil, Fuel oil, Liquefied aromatic hydrocarbons, Solvents, Petroleum coke, Refinery gas and liquids, Refinery coke, Petroleum based products other than mentioned in the items above, Biodiesel, Ethanol for use as a fuel in an internal combustion engine, Biomethane other than those mentioned in the items above.

Note: NE = Not estimated. Note: Scope 3 factors for biofuels such as biodiesel and ethanol are highly dependent on individual plant and project characteristics, and therefore have not been estimated.

Table with columns: Year (1989/90-2018/17) and rows for Victoria. Rows include 1989/90, 1994/95, 1999/2000, 2004/05, 2009/06, 2006/07, 2007/08, 2009/09, 2009/10, 2010/11, 2011/12, 2012/13, 2013/14, 2014/15, 2015/16, 2016/17.

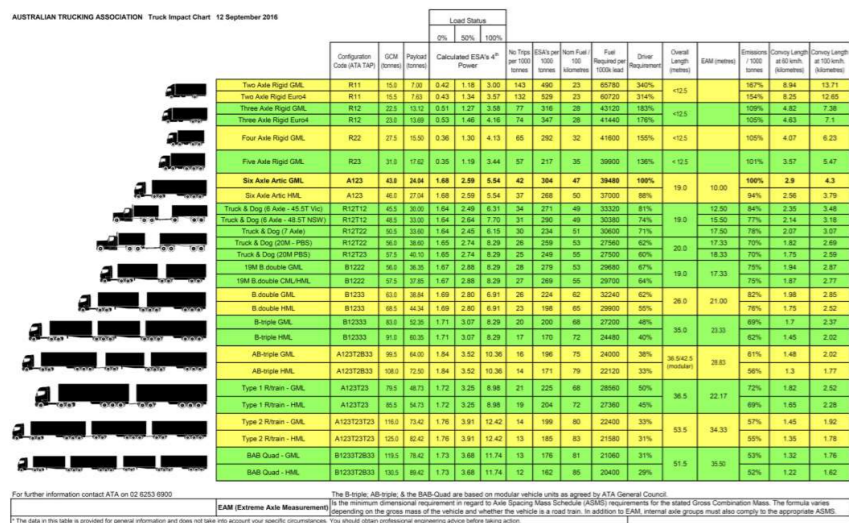
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Table 49: Waste emission factors for total waste disposed to landfill by broad waste stream category

Table with columns: Waste types, Municipal solid waste, Commercial and industrial waste, Construction and demolition waste. Row for Emission factor (t CO2-e/t waste).

https://www.truck.net.au/system/files/industry-resources/TAPs%20-%20Truck%20Impact%20Chart%20March%202018.pdf

Table 3: Truck impact chart



The Truck Impact Chart

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