

Húsasmiðjan ehf. Sustainability Statement

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Sustainability Statement

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Húsasmiðjan's 2021 sustainability statement reflects the ESG guidelines issued by Nasdaq Iceland and the Nordic countries in 2019. These guidelines are based on recommendations made in 2015 by the United Nations, the Sustainable Stock Exchange Initiative, and the World Federation of Exchange. Reference is also made to the GRI Standard (Global Reporting Initiative, GRI100-400) and its Reporting Principles (P1-10) of the United Nations Global Compact (UNGC).

Klappir has assisted with the sustainability statement. The statement is based on information which the Klappir sustainability platform has gathered throughout the year.

The sustainability statement contains key information on environmental, social, and governance aspects in Húsasmiðjan'ss operations. Klappir planned and conducted the work in accordance with the principles of the Greenhouse Gas Protocol standards (Relevance, Accuracy, Completeness, Consistency, Transparency).

Klappir has reviewed and assessed Húsasmiðjan's data with accuracy and the best available information at this time, excluding the social and governance data. Klappir is not responsible for any investment decisions based on the information presented in this statement.

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Organizational and Operational Boundaries

About Húsasmiðjan

Húsasmiðjan is a leading building materials and home improvement chain in Iceland and a large supplier for the construction industry. It was founded in 1956, making it one of the oldest operating hardware stores in Iceland. Húsasmiðjan operates 14 hardware stores and holds a leading market share and a strong corporate identity. Furthermore, Húsasmiðjan runs 7 garden centers under the brand name Blómaval associated with Húsasmiðjan, as well as 4 wholesale Ískraft branches (B2B stores for electrical professionals and power companies). Since 2012 Húsasmiðjan has been a part of BYGMA Gruppen, one of the leading suppliers of construction and DIY products in Scandinavia (see further: www.bygma.dk)

Húsasmiðjan's goal is to provide excellent service, right product mix and competitive prices in good harmony with the environment and the society.

Húsasmiðjan provides it's customers with complete solutions for the construction industry and operates it's own warehouses and distribution centers designed to serve the whole country.

Húsasmiðjan concentrates on effective use of professional skills and know-how through a unified team of able employees to deliver value added services to it's customers.

Organizational Boundaries

The "Operational Control" methodology has been chosen to report on Húsasmiðjan's emissions. According to the "Operational Control" methodology, companies should account for 100 percent of greenhouse gas emissions from operations under their control. They should not account for greenhouse gas emissions from operations that it has no control over, even though it has a vested interest in their operations.

Húsasmiðjan's statement covers the following entity:

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Operational Boundaries

Scope 1

Mobile combustion Stationary combustion

Scope 2

Electricity Heating

Scope 3

3.5. Waste generated in operations

Waste data was collected for all stores except one where data was not available.

3.6. Business travel

Including all flights with Icelandair for 2019-2021 as well as all flights with Air Iceland Connect from March 2021.

Highlights

Greenhouse Gas Emissions: Húsasmiðjan's total emissions were 880 tCO₂e in 2021. Scope 1 and 2 emissions amounted to 513 tCO₂e. Húsasmiðjan's total emissions have decreased by 16% since 2019.

Energy Usage: Húsasmiðjan's total energy usage was 21,557,810 kwh in 2021. Energy usage includes electricity, hot water and fuel usage. Thereof, indirect energy usage from hot water and electricity consumption amounted to 20,271,967 kWh.

Largest emission source: The largest emission source of Húsasmiðjan in the year 2021 was emissions from waste generated in operations, totaling 367 tCO₂e. The emissions from waste have decreased by 18% since the base year 2019.

Additions since last statement: Húsasmiðjan accounted for emissions from flights for the first time this year, updating the numbers for 2019 and 2020 as well.

Carbon offset: Húsasmiðjan has offset their scope 1 and scope 2 emissions with compensatory measures of afforestation and wetland restoration through The Icelandic Carbon Fund and The Icelandic Wetland Fund. Húsasmiðjan 's total carbon offset measures amounted to 513 tCO₂e.

Statement

Operational Parameters

Operational Parameters	Unit	2019	2020	2021
Total Revenue	ISK m	18.75	20.14	23.96
Total Assets	ISK m	6.46	7.07	
Total Equity	ISK m	2.99	3.72	4.93
Number of full time equivalent employee	FTEs	389.0	380.0	402.0
Total space for own operation	m²	92,551.0	92,551.0	92,551.0

GhG emission intensity	Unit	2019	2020	2021	
GhG emissions per megawatt-hour consumed	kgCO₂e/MWh	47.47	41.85	40.82	
GhG emissions per full-time equivalent (FTEe) employee	kgCO₂e/FTEs	2,681.6	2,423.4	2,189.2	
GhG emissions per unit of revenue	kgCO₂e/ISK m	55,627.4	45,723.8	36,735.4	
GhG emissions per unit of equity	kgCO₂e/ISK m	348,584	247,377	178,381	
GhG emissions per unit of space (m²)	kgCO₂e/m²	11.27	9.95	9.51	
Nasdaq: E2 UNGC: P7, P8 GRI: 305-4 SDG: 13 SASB: General Issue / GHG Emissions, Energy Management					

Energy intensity	Unit	2019	2020	2021
Energy per full-time equivalent (FTEe) employee	kWh/FTEs	56,486.3	57,908.4	53,626.4
Energy per unit of revenue	kWh/ISK m	1,171,766	1,092,610	899,881
Energy per square meter	kWh/m²	237.4	237.8	232.9
Nasdaq: E4 UNGC: P7, P8 GRI: 302-3 SDG: 12 SASB: General Issue / Energy Management				

Waste intensity	Unit	2019	2020	2021
Total waste per full-time equivalent (FTEe) employee	kg/FTEs	2,805.8	2,628.9	2,400.9
Total waste per unit of revenue	kg/ISK m	58,204.7	49,601.4	40,288.2

Emissions

Carbon offset	Unit	2019	2020	2021
Total emissions offset	tCO₂e	0.0	514.0	513.0
Emissions offset by afforestation	tCO₂e	0.0	257.0	256.5
Emissions offset by wetland restoration	tCO₂e	0.0	257.0	256.5
Emissions offset by other means	tCO₂e	0.0	0.0	0.0

Greenhouse Gas Emissions	Unit	2019	2020	2021	
Scope 1	tCO ₂ e	401.4	326.8	324.8	
Scope 2 (location-based)	tCO ₂ e	186.1	192.4	187.9	
Scope 1 and 2	tCO ₂ e	587.5	519.2	512.7	
Scope 3	tCO ₂ e	455.6	401.7	367.4	
Total operational GhG emissions	tCO ₂ e	1,043.1	920.9	880.0	
Nasdaq: E1 UNGC: P7 GRI: 305-1,305-2,305-3 SASB: General Issue / GHG Emissions TCFD: Metrics & Targets					

Scope 1 - Details	Unit	2019	2020	2021
Total emissions	tCO ₂ e	401.4	326.8	324.8

Scope 2 - Details	Unit	2019	2020	2021
Total emissions	tCO₂e	186.1	192.4	187.9
Electricity	tCO ₂ e	55.7	57.8	53.9
Heating	tCO₂e	130.4	134.5	134.0

Scope 3 - Upstream emissions	Unit	2019	2020	2021
Category 5: Waste generated in operations				_
Total emissions	tCO ₂ e	445.4	397.3	366.9
Transport, disposal and treatment of waste	tCO ₂ e	445.4	397.3	366.9
Category 6: Business travel				
Total emissions	tCO ₂ e	10.2	4.3	0.5
Air travel	tCO₂e	10.2	4.3	0.5

Emission Sources

Energy consumption	Unit	2019	2020	2021	
Total energy consumption	kWh	21,973,173	22,005,208	21,557,810	
Fossil fuels	kWh	1,558,529	1,299,157	1,285,843	
Electricity	kWh	5,685,080	5,507,987	5,128,633	
Heating	kWh	14,729,564	15,198,064	15,143,335	
Direct energy consumption	kWh	1,558,529	1,299,157	1,285,843	
Indirect energy consumption	kWh	20,414,643	20,706,051	20,271,967	
Nasdag: E3 UNGC: P7, P8 GRI: 302-1, 302-2 SDG: 12 SASB: General Issue / Energy Management					

Energy mix	Unit	2019	2020	2021
Total energy consumption	kWh	21,973,173	22,005,208	21,557,810
Fossil fuel	%	7.1%	5.9%	6.0%
Renewables	%	92.9%	94.1%	94.0%
Nuclear	%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
Nasdaq: E5 GRI: 302-1 SDG: 7 SASB: Gener	al Issue / Energy Managem	ent		

Fuel consumption	Unit	2019	2020	2021
Total fuel consumption	kg	130,916	109,146	108,026
Diesel	kg	120,751	101,311	100,226
Petrol	kg	10,164	7,835	7,799

Water consumption	Unit	2019	2020	2021	
Total water consumption	m³	284,462	291,700	285,708	
Cold water	m³	30,504.5	29,664.8	24,616.2	
Hot water	m³	253,958	262,036	261,092	
Nasdaq: E6 GRI: 303-5 SDG: 6 SASB: General Issue / Water & Wastewater Management					

Electricity mix	Unit	2019	2020	2021
Total electricity consumption	kWh	5,685,080	5,507,987	5,128,633
Fossil fuels	%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
Renewables	%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%
Nuclear	%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%

Waste treatment	Unit	2019	2020	2021
Total waste generation	kg	1,091,465	998,974	965,156
Sorted waste	kg	669,064	632,467	620,390
Unsorted waste	kg	422,328	366,507	344,766
Recycled waste	kg	407,926	403,101	350,092
Disposed waste	kg	683,466	595,873	615,064
Percentage of waste sorted	%	61.3%	63.3%	64.3%
Percentage of waste recycled	%	37.4%	40.4%	36.3%

Business travel	Unit	2019	2020	2021
Total distance travelled	km	115,621	49,312.0	5,804.0
Air travel	km	115,621	49,312.0	5,804.0

Environmental management

Environmental management	Unit	2019	2020	2021
Does your company follow a formal Environmental Policy?	yes/no	Yes	Yes	Yes
Does your company follow specific waste, water, energy, and/or recycling policies?	yes/no	No	No	No
Does your company use a recognized energy management system?	yes/no	No	No	No
Nasdaq: E7 GRI: 103-2 SASB: General Issue / Waste & Hazardous Materials Management				

Climate oversight	Unit	2019	2020	2021
Does your Senior Management Team oversee and/or manage climate-related risks?	yes/no	No	No	No
Does your Board of Directors oversee and/or manage climate-related risk?	yes/no	No	No	No
Nasdaq: E8, E9 GRI: 102-19, 102-20, 102-29, 102-3 Management TCFD: Governance (Disclosure A/B)	0, 102-31 SASB: Ge	neral Issue / Business Model Ro	esilience, Systematic Risk	

Climate risk mitigation	Unit	2019	2020	2021
Total annual investment in climate-related infrastructure, resilience, and product development	ISK m			

Nasdaq: E10 UNGC: P9 SASB: General Issue / Physical Impacts of Climate Change, Business Model Resilience TCFD: Strategy (Disclosure A)

Social

CEO Pay Ratio	Unit	2019	2020	2021
CEO Salary & Bonus (X) to median FTE Salary	X:1			
Does your company report this metric in regulatory filings?	yes/no	No	No	No
S1 UNGC: P6 GRI 102-38				

Gender Pay Ratio	Unit	2019	2020	2021
Median total compensation for men (X) to median total compensation for women	X:1		1.04	1.03
Outcome of equal pay certification	%	3.00%	2.30%	1.30%
S2 UNGC: P6 GRI: 405-2 SASB: General Issue / Employee Engagement, Diversity & Inclusion				

Employee Turnover	Unit	2019	2020	2021
Full-time Employees				
Year-over-year change for full-time employees	%		18.0%	20.0%
Dismissal	%			4.3%
Retirement	%			4.0%
Job transition	%			7.0%
Death	%			0.0%
Part-time Employees				
Year-over-year change for part-time employees	%		28.0%	44.0%
Dismissal	%			3.7%
Retirement	%			0.0%
Job transition	%			4.3%
Death	%			0.0%
Contractors and/or consultants				
Year-over-year change for contractors and/or consultants	%			0.0%
Dismissal	%			0.0%
Retirement	%			0.0%
Job transition	%			0.0%
Death	%			0.0%
Gender				
Men	%			30.9%
Women	%			53.0%
Age				
<20	%			
20-29	%			
30-39	%			
40-49	%			
50-59	%			
60-69	%			
70+	%			
S3 UNGC: P6 GRI: 401-1b SDG: 12 SASB: General Iss	sue / Labor Practices			

Gender Diversity	Unit	2019	2020	2021		
Enterprise Headcount						
Percentage of women in enterprise	%	27%	30%	32%		
Women	no.	156	163	185		
Men	no.	390	388	398		
Entry- and Mid-level Positions						
Percentage of women in entry- and mid-level position	%			32.0%		
Women	no.			185		
Men	no.			398		
Senior- and Executive-level Positions						
Percentage of women in senior- and executive-level positions	%	28.0%	24.0%	30.0%		
Women	no.	18	16	17		
Men	no.	46	41	39		
S4 UNGC: P6 GRI: 102-8, 405-1 SASB: General Issue	64 UNGC: P6 GRI: 102-8, 405-1 SASB: General Issue / Employee Engagement, Diversity & Inclusion					

Temporary Worker Ratio	Unit	2019	2020	2021
Full-time positions	no.		64.0	71.0
Total enterprise headcount held by part-time employees	%	29.0%	30.0%	33.0%
Total enterprise headcount held by contractors and/or consultants	%		0.0%	0.0%
S5 GRI: 102-8 UNGC: P6				

Non-Discrimination	Unit	2019	2020	2021
Does your company follow a sexual harrassment and/or non-discriminatory policy?	yes/no	Yes	Yes	Yes
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S6|UNGC: P6|GRI: 103-2 (see also: GRI 406: Non-Discrimination 2016)|SASB: General Issue / Employee Engagement, Diversity & Inclusion

Injury Rate	Unit	2019	2020	2021
Total number of injuries and fatalities, relative to the total workforce	%	2.3%	1.4%	1.3%
S7 GRI: 403-9 SDG: 3 SASB: General Issue / Employe	ee Health & Safety			

Global Health & Safety	Unit	2019	2020	2021
Does your Company publish and follow an occupational health and/or global health & safety policy	yes/no	Yes	Yes	Yes
Total absence from work (X) to total working hours of all employees	X:1	0.042	0.058	0.046
Absence from work due to long-term illness (X) to total working hours of all employees	X:1			0.008
Absence from work due to short-term illness (X) to total working hours of all employees	X:1			0.038
S8 GRI: 103-2 (See also: GRI 403: Occupational He	alth & Safety 2018) SI	DG: 3 SASB: General Issue	/ Employee Health & Safety	

Child & Forced Labor	Unit	2019	2020	2021
Does your company follow a child labor policy?	yes/no	No	No	No
Does your company follow a forced labor policy?	yes/no	No	No	No
If yes, do your child and/or forced labor policy cover suppliers and vendors?	yes/no	No	No	No
S9 GRI: 103-2 (See also: GRI 408: Child Labor 2016, UNGC: P4, P5 SDG: 8 SASB: General Issue / Labor I		Compulsory Labor, and GRI 4	14: Supplier Social Assess	ment 2016)

Human Rights	Unit	2019	2020	2021
Does your company publish and follow a human rights policy?	yes/no	No	No	No
If yes, does your human rights policy cover suppliers and vendors?	yes/no	No	No	No

S10|GRI: 103-2 (See also: GRI 412: Human Rights Assessment 2016 & GRI 414: Supplier Social Assessment 2016)|UNGC: P1, P2|SDG: 4, 10, 16| SASB: General Issue / Human Rights & Community Relations

Governance

Board Diversity	Unit	2019	2020	2021
Total board seats occupied by women (as compared to men)	%	33.0%	33.0%	33.0%
Committee chairs occupied by women (as compared to men)	%			

G1|GRI 405-1|SDG: 10|SASB: General Issue / Employee Engagement, Diversity & Inclusion (See also: SASB Industry Standards)

Board Independence	Unit	2019	2020	2021
Does the company prohibit CEO from serving as board chair?	yes/no	No	No	No
Total board seats occupied by independents	%	33%	33%	33%
G2 GRI: 102-23, 102-22				

Incentivized Pay	Unit	2019	2020	2021
Are executives formally incentivized to perform on sustainability	yes/no	No	No	No
G3 GRI: 102-35				

Collective Bargaining	Unit	2019	2020	2021
Total enterprise headcount covered by collective bargaining agreements (X) to the total employee population	%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%

G4|UNGC: P3|SDG: 8|GRI: 102-41|SASB: General Issue / Labor Practices (See also: SASB Industry Standards)

Supplier Code of Conduct	Unit	2019	2020	2021
Are your vendors or suppliers required to follow a Code of Conduct	yes/no	No	No	No
If yes, what percentage of your suppliers have formally certified their compliance with the code	%			

G5|UNGC: P2, P3, P4, P8|GRI: 102-16, 103-2 (See also: GRI 308: Supplier Environmental Assessment 2016 & GRI 414: Supplier Social Assessment 2016|SDG: 12|SASB General Issue / Supply Chain Management (See also: SASB Industry Standards)

Ethics & Anti-Corruption	Unit	2019	2020	2021
Does your company follow an Ethics and/or Anti-Corruption policy?	yes/no	Yes	Yes	Yes
If yes, what percentage of your workforce has formally certified its compliance with the policy?	%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%
G6 UNGC: P10 SDG: 16 GRI: 102-16, 103-2 (See also: GRI 205: Anti-Corruption 2016)				

Data Privacy	Unit	2019	2020	2021
Does your company follow a Data Privacy policy?	yes/no	Yes	Yes	Yes
Has your company taken steps to comply with GDPR rules?	yes/no	Yes	Yes	Yes
G7 GRI: 418 Customer Privacy 2016 SASB: General	Issue / Customer Priv	acy Data Security (See also	o: SASB Industry Standards)	

ESG Reporting	Unit	2019	2020	2021
Does your company publish a sustainability report?	yes/no	No	Yes	Yes
Is sustainability data included in your regulatory filings?	yes/no	No	No	No
G8 UNGC: P8				

Disclosure Practices	Unit	2019	2020	2021
Does your company provide sustainability data to sustainability reporting frameworks?	yes/no	No	No	No
Does your company focus on specific UN Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs)?	yes/no	No	No	No
Does your company set targets and report progress on the UN SDGs?	yes/no	No	No	No
G9 UNGC: P8				

External Assurance	Unit	2019	2020	2021
Are your sustainability disclosures assured or validated by a third party?	yes/no	No	No	No
G10 UNGC: P8 GRI: 102-56				

Methodology

The calculation methods, constants, and the statement are based on the Greenhouse Gas (GHG) Protocol, which is a standardized methodology used to calculate the environmental footprint of both companies and organizations.

Direct & Indirect GHG Emissions

The GHG Protocol divides emissions into three scopes to effectively set boundaries between direct and indirect emissions:

- Scope 1 accounts for direct GHG emissions from a company's operations. Direct emissions occur
 from sources that are owned or controlled by the company.
- Scope 2 accounts for indirect GHG emissions relating to electricity consumption, heating, and cooling. Emissions of this type do not occur within organizational boundaries of the company and are therefore considered to be indirect.
- Scope 3 accounts for indirect GHG emissions from Húsasmiðjan's value chain.

The GHG emissions are reported in tonnes CO_2 equivalents (tCO_2e). CO_2 equivalents is a quantity that describes, for a given mixture and amount of GHG, the amount of CO_2 that would have the same global warming potential (GWP), i.e. the ability of a gas to trap heat in the atmosphere when measured over the timescale of 100 years. Methane (CH_4) does for example have a global warming potential of about 25 CO_2e and nitrous oxide (N_2O) of around 298 CO_2e . The statement therefore reports all greenhouse gas emissions in tonnes CO_2e .

Definitions

Emission Intensity

Emission intensity figures are based on combined Scope 1, Scope 2, and Scope 3. Emission intensity is calculated by dividing GHG emissions by a selected operational parameter unit, and is reported as tCO₂e per unit (such as tCO₂e per revenue unit). Emission intensity indicators are used to measure and compare the company's emissions relative to its operational scale.

Direct & Indirect Energy Consumption

The total energy consumption measures all energy consumed by the company, including fuels for the company's vehicles (Scope 1) and energy from electricity and hot water (Scope 2). The energy consumption is reported by source in kilowatt-hours (kWh).

Energy Intensity

Energy intensity is calculated by dividing the total energy consumption by a selected operational parameter unit, and is reported as kWh per unit (such as kWh per full-time equivalent employee (FTEe)). Energy intensity indicators are used to measure the efficiency of energy usage and compare the company's energy consumption relative to its operational scale.

Waste Intensity

Waste intensity indicates how much waste (in kilograms) is generated in relation to a selected operational parameter. This metric can help the company estimate whether waste increases or decreases according to the changes in operational parameters.

Scope 2 (location-based)

Scope 2 includes the emissions from electricity and water purchased from the grid.

Waste Generated in Operations

Emissions from third-party disposal and treatment of waste in the reporting year.

Business Travel

Emissions from the transportation of employees for business related activities in the reporting year.

Notes

- [1] Electricity usage is based on data from meter readings. 3% of the electricity usage is estimated based on last year's usage as data was not available at the time of the report.
- [2] Heating usage is based on data from meter readings. 30% of the heating usage is estimated based on last year's usage as data was not available at the time of the report.