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## Executive Summary

The purpose of a Whole Life Cycle Carbon Emissions (WLCCE) assessment is to gain a better understanding of the environmental impact of the proposed Wootton Street development, in the London Borough of Lambeth, in accordance with relevant benchmarks whilst also determining recommendations to reduce WLCCE, where possible.

WLCCE are the carbon emissions resulting from the construction and the use of a building over its entire life, through four stages described as life-cycle modules; module A1 – A5 (product sourcing and construction), module B1 – B7 (use), module C1 – C4 (end of life) and module D (benefits and loads beyond the system boundary).

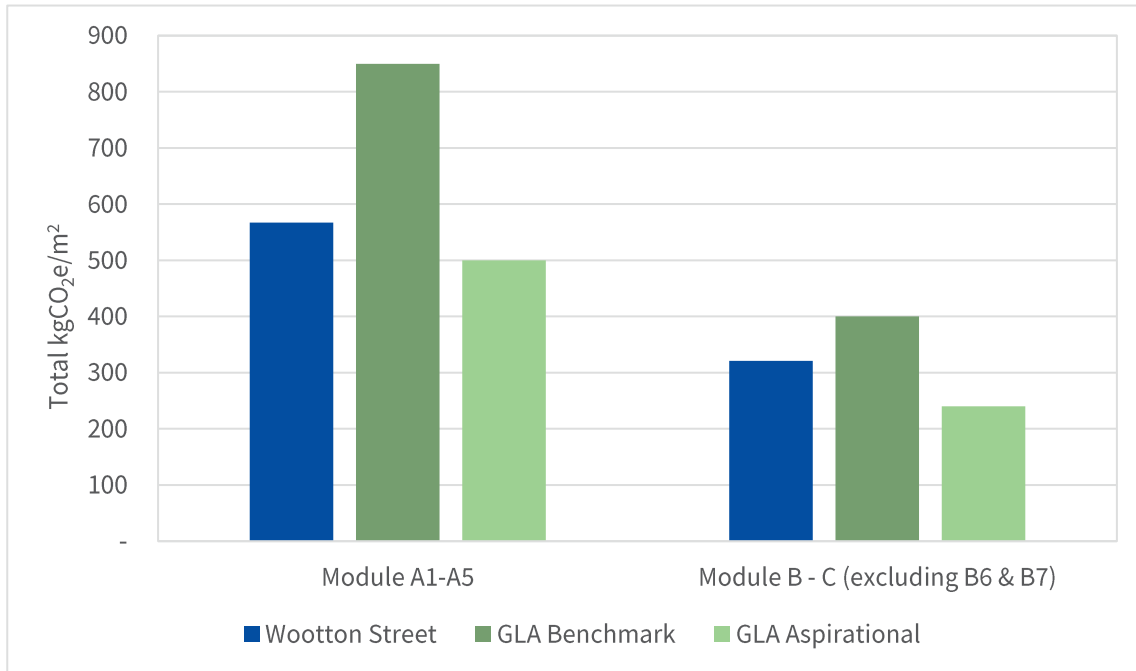
They capture a building's operational carbon emissions from both regulated and unregulated energy use, as well as its embodied carbon emissions. Embodied emissions are those associated with raw material extraction, manufacture and transport of building materials, construction and the emissions associated with maintenance, repair, and replacement as well as dismantling, demolition, and eventual material disposal. The assessment provides a picture of a building's carbon impact on the environment.

The following table outlines the assumptions made within this WLCCE assessment:

Table i: WLCCE assumptions

Module	Assumption
Material types	See Appendix A for an overview of assumed materials
Calculation period	60 years
Building areas	3,743m <sup>2</sup>
Number of occupants	130

Based on the information provided to date, the total carbon emissions are expected to be **888 kgCO<sub>2</sub>/m<sup>2</sup> GIA over 60 years**. The expected WLLCE at Wootton Street are lower than the GLA WLC Benchmark for all modules, as shown in Figure i.



**Figure i: Total kgCO<sub>2</sub>/m<sup>2</sup> Gross Internal Floor Area (GIA) performance compared to GLA Benchmarks**

By accounting for decarbonisation of UK grid electricity, the operational energy is reduced from 47.63% of the overall emissions to just 19.23% (as a proportion of Whole Life Carbon). This is significant and confirms the importance of considering grid decarbonisation when completing carbon emissions assessments on a whole life basis. As operational energy is not included in the GLA benchmarks these decarbonisation figures have not been included in the above graph.

A series of high-level recommendations have also been made. These should be considered as the design progresses to ensure that WLCCE are reduced as much as possible.

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## 1. INTRODUCTION

- 1.1 This Whole Life Cycle Carbon Emissions (WLCCE) Assessment has been prepared by Hodkinson Consultancy, a specialist energy and environmental consultancy for planning and development, appointed by Homes for Lambeth.
- 1.2 Lambeth is facing a housing crisis with a shortage of homes for the 21,000 people on their waiting list. In response to this, Homes for Lambeth have a significant project pipeline covering development of approximately 4,700 residential units across six estates. Wootton Street (formal Coral Day Nursery) forms part of one of these regeneration estates.
- 1.3 The purpose of a WLCCE assessment is to gain a better understanding of the environmental impact of the proposed development in accordance with relevant benchmarks whilst also determining recommendations to reduce WLCCE where possible.
- 1.4 This is an initial assessment based on the information available to date which will need to be updated as the project progresses, in line with the latest guidance.
- 1.5 The assessment of the proposed development will aim to help the design team understand, at concept design stage, the lifetime consequences of their design decisions. This report should be read in conjunction with the 'GLA Whole Life Carbon Assessment Template' within Appendix A.

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## 2. DEVELOPMENT OVERVIEW

### Site Location

- 2.1 The proposed development at the site currently occupied by the former Coral Day Nursery, Wootton Street in the London Borough of Lambeth is bound by Wootton Street to the north, Great Street to the east, Ethelm Street to the south and Windmill Walk House to the west. The site location is shown in Figure 1.



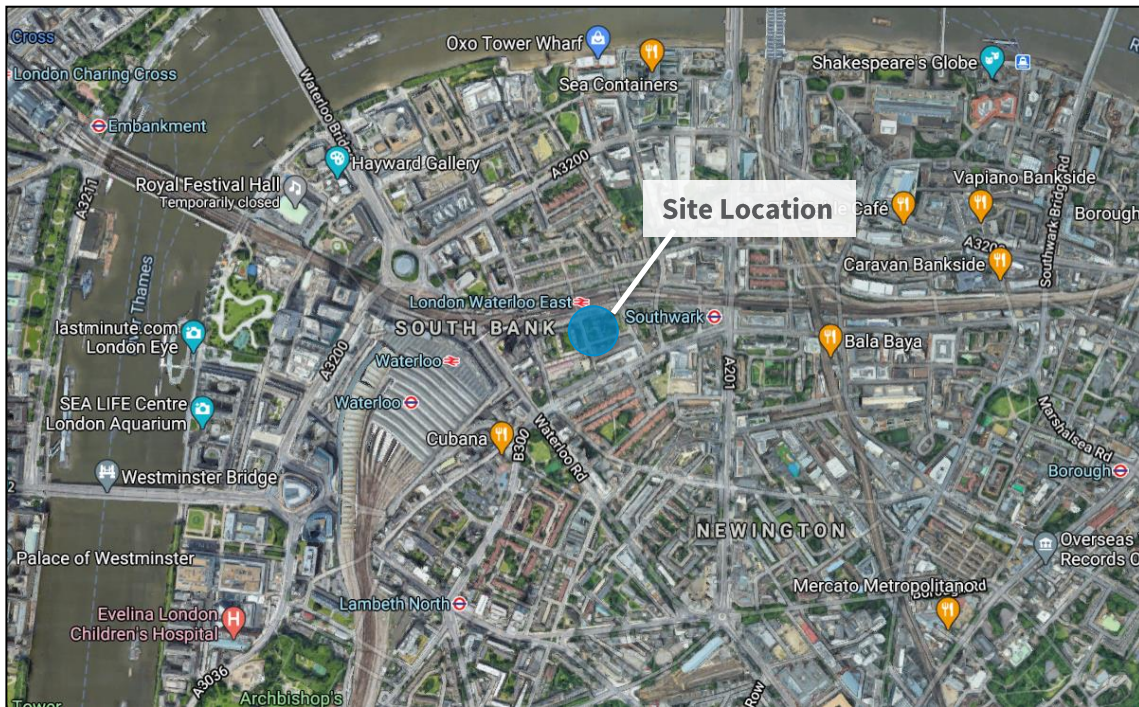


Figure 1: Site Location – Map data © 2020 Google

- 2.2 The site currently comprises of a single storey block which has previously been a special education needs school (Use Class D1), a play area and a car park are also located within the site boundary.

## Proposed Development

- 2.3 The proposed development is described as follows:

*“Demolition and clearance of existing structures and redevelopment comprising construction of a part 5/8/10 storey mixed use building comprising replacement community floorspace on ground floor, 36 no. residential units (Class C3) above with associated residents’ amenities, cycle parking, car parking and public realm enhancement.”*

- 2.4 Figure 2 illustrates the proposed site layout.



**Figure 2: Proposed Site Layout – Stockwool Architects (December 2020)**

**2.5** The Gross Internal Floor Area (GIA) is provided in Table 1, as required by the GLA guidance. The figures below have been used for calculations within this WLCCE assessment.

**Table 1: GIA of Wootton Street**

Floor Number	Area (m <sup>2</sup> )
Residential	3,360
Non residential	383
<b>Total</b>	<b>3,743</b>



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## 3. POLICY AND REGULATIONS

### Regional Policy: Adopted London Plan (2021)

**3.1** The London Plan sets out an integrated economic, environmental, transport and social framework for the development of London. The following policies are considered relevant to the proposed development and this Statement:

**3.2 Policy SI2 Minimising Greenhouse Gas Emissions, states:**

*‘Development proposals referable to the Mayor should calculate whole life-cycle carbon emissions through a nationally recognised Whole Life-Cycle Carbon Assessment and demonstrate actions taken to reduce life-cycle carbon emissions:*

*Operational carbon emissions will make up a declining proportion of a development’s whole life-cycle carbon emissions as operational carbon targets become more stringent. To fully capture a development’s carbon impact, a whole life-cycle approach is needed to capture its unregulated emissions (i.e. those associated with cooking and small appliances), its embodied emissions (i.e. those associated with raw material extraction, manufacture and transport of building materials and construction) and emissions associated with maintenance, repair and replacement as well as dismantling, demolition and eventual material disposal). Whole life-cycle carbon emission assessments are therefore required for development proposals referable to the Mayor. Major non-referable development should calculate unregulated emissions and are encouraged to undertake whole life-cycle carbon assessments. The approach to whole life-cycle carbon emissions assessments, including when they should take place, what they should contain and how information should be reported, will be set out in guidance’.*

### Local Policy: London Borough of Lambeth Draft Revised Local Plan (2020)

**3.3** Consultation on the Draft Revised Lambeth Local Plan and Proposed Changes to the Policies Map took place between October and December 2018. The revised local plan has been the subject of an ongoing sustainability appraisal during its preparation, which includes assessment of equalities and health and wellbeing impacts and was published for consultation at each stage of the plan preparation process. The proposed submission version was published in January 2020 and the plan will be adopted by September 2020. The following policies are considered relevant to this Statement:

**3.4 Policy EN4: Sustainable design and construction** – Lambeth will follow the approach set out in London Plan policies SI1 Improving air quality, SI2 Minimising greenhouse gas emissions, SI4 Managing heat risk, SI5 C and E Water Infrastructure. Development will be required to be resilient to climate change by including appropriate climate change adaptation measures. The council

encourages all development to achieve 20% reduction in CO<sub>2</sub> emissions from on-site renewable energy generation.

## Guidance Documents

- 3.5** Preliminary guidance has been released by the Greater London Authority “*Whole Life-Cycle Carbon Assessments guidance – April 2020*”. It outlines how to prepare a WLCCE assessment which should accompany all referable planning applications in line with London Plan Policy SI2. This document is currently out for consultation but has been used and referenced throughout this assessment.
- 3.6** In addition, the following guidance is available to conduct assessments:
- > **BS EN 15978:2011** - *Sustainability of construction works. Assessment of environmental performance of buildings. Calculation method.*
  - > **ISO 14040:2006** - *Environmental management – Life cycle assessment – Principles and framework.*
  - > **RICS Professional Statement Whole life carbon assessment: 2017** - *Whole life carbon assessment for the built environment.*

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## 4. WHOLE LIFE CYCLE CARBON EMISSIONS ASSESSMENT

- 4.1** Undertaking WLCCE assessments is a way to fully understand and minimise the carbon emissions associated with building designs over the entire life cycle of the building. This will be done at Wootton Street to quantify the WLCCE that will be released from the proposed development, considering not only operational and embodied emissions but also demolition, construction, and refurbishment/replacement cycles.
- 4.2** The London Plan has introduced a requirement for all new referable developments to calculate and reduce WLCCE, this is both embodied and operational carbon:
- > **Operational carbon** is the energy required to heat and power a building;
  - > **Embodied carbon** is the carbon that is released in the manufacturing, production, and transportation of the building materials used.
- 4.3** In addition to the two metrics above there are additional life cycle stages that are considered during WLCCE assessments, these include demolition, end of life and refurbishment/replacement cycles.

- 4.4 The two metrics (operational and embodied) and the additional life cycle stages, as noted above, have been included in this WLCCE assessment as per GLA guidance.
- 4.5 Undertaking a WLCCE assessment provides a full overview of the material and building environmental impacts of a building using science-based metrics whilst also identifying the overall best combined opportunities for reducing lifetime emissions, and also helps to avoid any unintended consequences of focusing on operational emissions alone.

## Methodology

- 4.6 WLCCE assessments are sensitive to changes in design and specification and therefore detailed design will impact the results as the schemes progress. As noted in the GLA guidance, planning applicants are required to complete and submit an assessment at the following stages:
- > Pre application;
  - > Stage 1 submission (RIBA 2/3);
  - > Post construction (RIBA 6).
- 4.7 Two sets of emission figures are required for both the Stage 1 submission and the post construction submission, the first set based on the current status of the electricity grid and the second set based on the expected decarbonisation of the electricity grid.
- 4.8 The Stage 1 submission of the assessment has been completed for the proposed development using the building model provided by Stockwool Architects and energy calculations from Hodkinson Consultancy (December 2020).

## Operational Carbon

- 4.9 Operational energy is the inputted energy required for all heating and power needs. It can be split into two variants:
- > **Regulated Emissions** - which are assessed using the Government's approved methodology for Building Regulations Part L compliance, the Simplified Building Energy Model (SBEM) for commercial buildings and the Standard Assessment Procedure (SAP) for residential units; and
  - > **Unregulated Emissions** – energy use as a direct result of user behaviour. This includes cooking, white goods (fridges, washing machines, etc), and plug-in electrical loads (televisions, laptops, lamps, etc).

- 4.10** Both of the above elements have been accounted for in this WLCCE assessment, these were provided by Hodkinson Consultancy. For clarity, as unregulated energy demands are largely reliant on the behaviour of occupants, they have been considered a fixed entity in the calculations.

## **Residential**

- 4.11** The estimated energy demand for the residential portion of the development has been calculated using the SAP 2012 methodology. SAP calculates the regulated energy demand for residential dwellings. SAP calculations have been carried out for representative dwelling types.
- 4.12** These encompass first floor, mid, and top floor flats and represent a fair aggregation of the expected unit mix of the development. In order to calculate the energy demands across the entire scheme, the current accommodation schedule has been used to extrapolate the results from the sample of modelled units.
- 4.13** The unregulated energy demands for the residential units have been calculated using the methodology outlined in the SAP 2012 document. This calculates the CO<sub>2</sub> emissions associated with appliances and cooking.

## **Non-Residential**

- 4.14** The estimated energy demand for the non-residential elements of the development has been calculated using SBEM software, using the National Calculation Method (NCM 2015 Edition). SBEM calculates the Regulated energy demands associated with hot water, space heating and fixed electrical items, as well as unregulated energy demands.

# **Embodied Carbon**

## **One Click LCA**

- 4.15** OneClick LCA is the software that has been used to conduct the WLCCE assessment. This is a web based approved LCA and design software for buildings and infrastructure.
- 4.16** OneClick LCA consists of a large database of generic and average Life Cycle Indicator (LCI) data, and global Environmental Product Declaration (EPDs). The most suitable option for each material (where available) was chosen from the database in OneClick. The material LCI data has been chosen to be representative of the typical UK supply chain.
- 4.17** The following life cycle stages (or modules as they are referred to) are included within the WLCCE assessment as standard:
- > **A1 - A3** – This includes all construction materials;

- > **A4** – This includes all transportation to site;
- > **A5** – This includes all construction site impacts;
- > **B3 – B5** – This includes the repair, refurbishment, and replacement of building elements;
- > **B6 - B7** – This includes use the energy, and water;
- > **C1 - C4** – This includes the end-of-life scenarios for building elements;
- > **D** – This includes benefits and loads beyond the system boundary.

**4.18** In addition to the building information provided by Stockwool Architects, the OneClick Carbon Designer tool has been used to determine the volumes of materials where these were not available. As the design develops, we will update and refine the tool to reflect the quantity and types of materials being used.

## Construction Impacts

**4.19** In addition to embodied carbon in the materials used for construction, Green House Gas (GHG) emissions will be created by transportation of materials to site and operation of onsite plant and machinery. These emissions are typically materially smaller than embedded GHG emissions. Guidance from the BRE indicates 1.4 tonnes of CO<sub>2</sub>e per £100,000 of project value, this is further referenced within the RICS guidance document.

**4.20** The project value has been provided by the Applicant, which would result in construction transport GHG emissions of **172 tonnes of CO<sub>2</sub>e**.

## Water Use

**4.21** The carbon impacts associated with water use during the operation of the proposed development is also required to be reported, in accordance with the RICS guidance. Water consumption is based on Building Regulations Part G 'Enhanced Consumption' of 110 litres/per person/per day (including external water use) and multiplied by the intended full occupancy of the development annually.

**4.22** 130 occupants have been estimated using the number of staff/visitors in the commercial unit and inhabitants of the dwellings e.g., 2B4P would be a 2-bedroom dwelling with 4 expected occupants. This gives an estimated **annual water consumption of 5,220 m<sup>3</sup>** for the entire development for 60 years.

## Study Period

**4.23** The reference study period (RSP) is 60 years, this is based on the principles outlined in BS EN 15978: 2011, section 7.3 and the RICS guidance. RSPs are fixed to enable comparability between whole life



carbon results for different projects. It ensures that the assessment is representative of typical service life of different building elements.

## Data Sources

**4.24** The assessment has utilised multiple data sources described above and is based on the level of detail available at the current stage of design. The following data sources have been used:

**Table 2: Data Sources**

<b>Data</b>	<b>Data source</b>
<b>Material types and volumes (A1-A3)</b>	Building model (January 2021) and design and access statement (Stockwool Architects, December 2020)
<b>Transport data (A4)</b>	Default values provided by OneClick
<b>Construction site impacts (A5)</b>	Construction value provided by applicant and baseline target provided by BRE
<b>Repair and Replacement data (B3-B4)</b>	Default values provided by RICS and OneClick EPD database for products inputted into software
<b>Refurbishment (B5)</b>	At present OneClick does not have ways to consider B5 emissions. However, based on the information provided for B3 and B4 it is likely that these have emissions have been accounted for
<b>Operational energy (B6)</b>	Hodkinson Consultancy energy calculations for planning (Energy Statement, December 2020)
<b>Operational water (B7)</b>	Water consumption based on Building Regulations Part G 'Enhanced Consumption' of 110 l/pp/d and multiplied by the intended full occupancy of the development (residential and non-residential)
<b>End of life (C1-C4)</b>	Default values provided by OneClick based on the information within the EPD database. Note that OneClick reports all module C emissions as one figure, it is not yet able to split them across C1-C4.
<b>Building areas</b>	3,743 m <sup>2</sup> Accommodation Schedule produced by Stockwool Architects
<b>Number of occupants</b>	130 occupants within 36 dwellings and expected staff/visitors in the commercial space from Accommodation Schedule produced by Stockwool Architects

- 4.25** For clarity, all assumptions made within the WLCCE assessment have been noted within this report. The assessment and comments made throughout should be taken within the context of carbon and energy use only.
- 4.26** Liaison with OneClick has been undertaken who have confirmed that they are actively working on their software to ensure that it aligns with the requirements of the GLA. It is therefore expected that the post construction WLCCE assessment will include updated figures for modules B3-B5.

## 5. WHOLE LIFE CYCLE CARBON RESULTS

- 5.1** As noted above, this is an initial assessment based on the best available information which will need to be updated as the project progresses throughout the RIBA stages. The GLA spreadsheet required to accompany this report has been provided in Appendix A.

### Benchmark Comparison

- 5.2** The results when compared to the GLA benchmark values, as noted in the GLA guidance note “*Whole Life-Cycle Carbon Assessments guidance – April 2020*” are shown in Table 3 below:

**Table 3: Whole Life Carbon Baseline (GLA Guidance)**

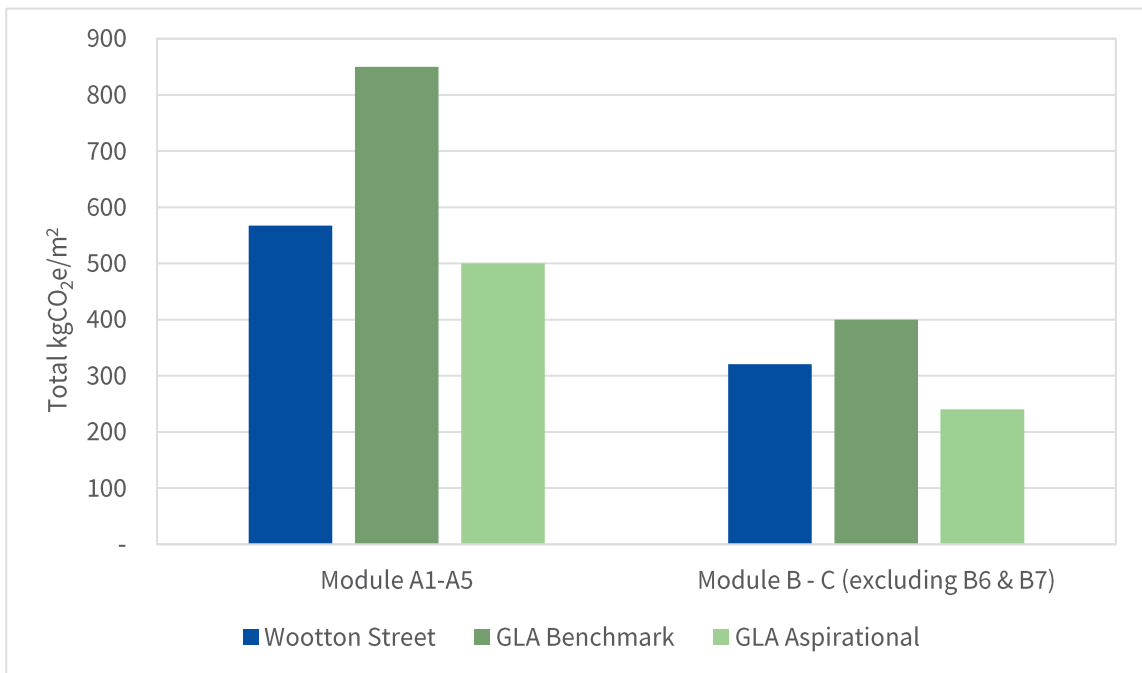
	Project kg CO <sub>2</sub> /m <sup>2</sup>	WLC Benchmark	Aspirational Benchmark
Modules A1 – A5	<b>567 kg CO<sub>2</sub>e/ m<sup>2</sup> GIA</b>	750 - 850 kg CO <sub>2</sub> e/ m <sup>2</sup> GIA	450 - 500 kg CO <sub>2</sub> e/ m <sup>2</sup> GIA
Modules B – C (excluding B6 and B7)	<b>321 kg CO<sub>2</sub>e/ m<sup>2</sup> GIA</b>	300 - 400 kg CO <sub>2</sub> e/ m <sup>2</sup> GIA	180 - 240 kg CO <sub>2</sub> e/ m <sup>2</sup> GIA

\*Carbon sequestering has been included within A1-A5 at 25 kgCO<sub>2</sub>/m<sup>2</sup>

- 5.3** It must be noted that no benchmark has been set by the GLA for operational and energy use (life cycle stages B6-B7) due to insufficient data at present. The results for these have therefore been omitted from the totals above. The total emissions, as demonstrated above, based on the GLA guidance is therefore **888 kg CO<sub>2</sub>/m<sup>2</sup> GIA over 60 years**; 567 kg CO<sub>2</sub>/m<sup>2</sup> for modules A1-A5 and 321 kg CO<sub>2</sub>/m<sup>2</sup> for modules B – C.
- 5.4** When operational energy and water emissions are included in the calculation above the total emissions are expected to be **1,758 kg CO<sub>2</sub>/m<sup>2</sup> GIA over 60 years**.
- 5.5** The benchmarks noted above, as set by the GLA, are used as a guide, and provide a range to work too rather than a set value. If ‘benchmark’ targets are not met the intent is that the design team will

seek to reduce their emissions, and this is then reflected in the post construction submission of the WLCCE assessment.

- 5.6** A further set of ‘aspirational benchmarks’ have been developed which are based on a 40% reduction in WLCCE emissions on the first set of benchmarks. This is based on the World Green Building Council’s target to achieve a 40% reduction in carbon emissions by 2030. Applicants who wish to go further are encouraged to consider how they can achieve reductions in line with these.
- 5.7** The WLCCE for the proposed developments are lower than those set by the GLA for all modules.



**Figure 3: Total kgCO<sub>2</sub> performance compared to GLA Benchmarks**

- 5.8** These benchmarks will be subject to change as the WLCCE assessment gets updated in future. The full results are as follows:

**Table 4: Full WLCCE Results**

Category	Global warming potential	Total kgCO <sub>2</sub> e over 60 years
<b>A1-A3</b>	Construction Materials	1,700,066
<b>A4</b>	Transport	23,931
<b>A5</b>	Site operations	304,207
<b>B3</b>	Repair	387,217

<b>B4</b>	Replacement	739,195
<b>B6</b>	Operational energy use	3,134,204
<b>B7</b>	Operational water use	216,833
<b>C1-C4</b>	Re-use, recycling, or disposal	74,235
<b>Total</b>		<b>6,579,888</b>

**5.9** The above results demonstrate that **6,580 tonnes** are expected to be emitted over a 60-year period. The operational energy (B6) makes up **47.63%** of the overall emissions for the proposed development whilst materials (A1 – A3) make up **25.84%** of the overall emissions, as demonstrated in Figure 4 below.

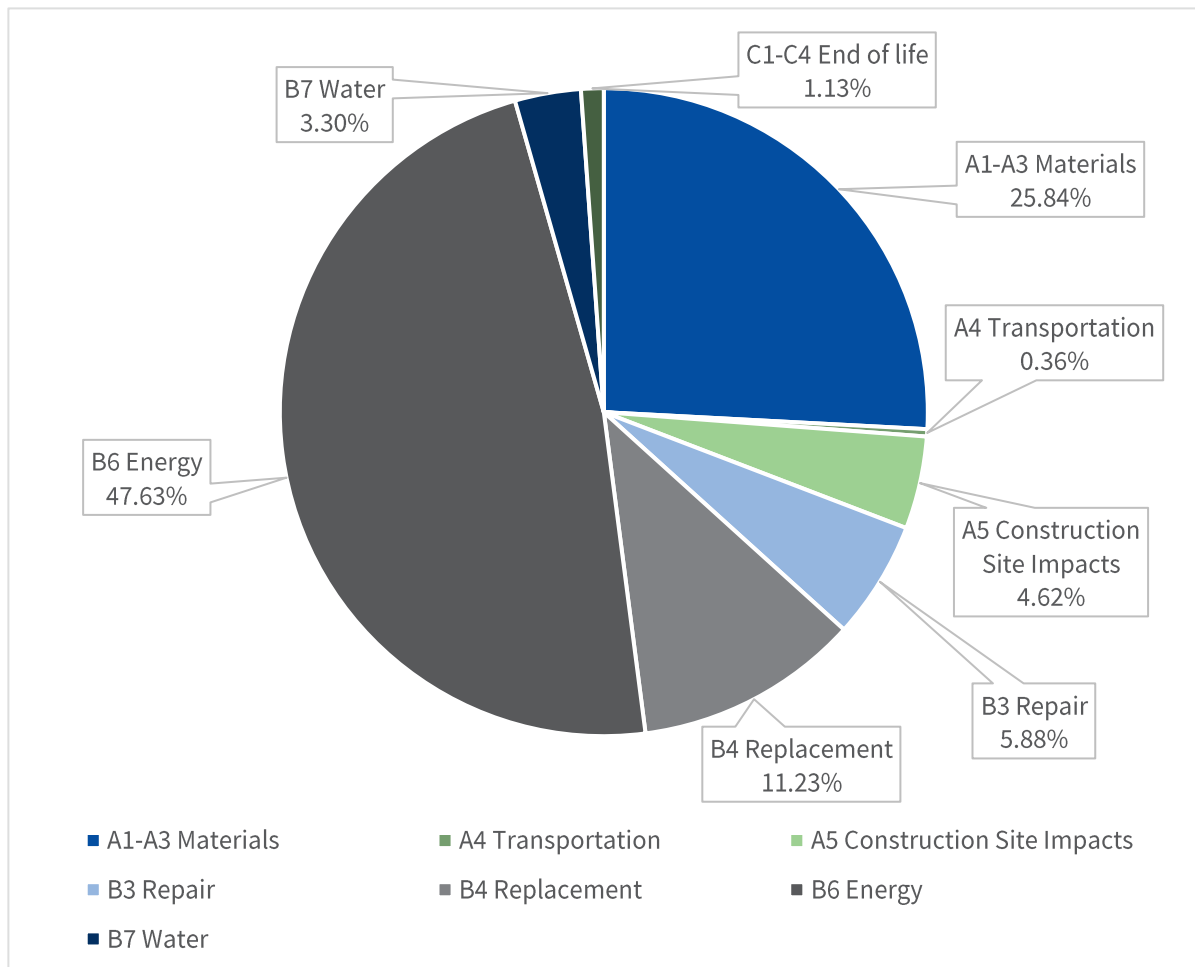


Figure 4: Total kgCO<sub>2</sub>e - Life-cycle stages

## Result analysis

- 5.10 The GLA require commentary on the results of the WLCCE assessment where the benchmarks are met. This commentary has been provided in the relevant areas within Appendix A and outlined below.
- 5.11 At present, the mechanical and electrical design is not developed enough for accurate volumes and types of services to be specified, assumptions have therefore been made. These are likely to change as the design develops and will be updated during the post construction assessment.
- 5.12 Energy efficient design and renewable technologies will enable a reduction in Regulated CO<sub>2</sub> of 56% which is well above the minimum 35% site target, this goes along way in reducing the emissions in module B6.

## Grid Decarbonisation

- 5.13 It is also important to consider the potential longer-term decarbonisation of the electricity grid and how this may impact on design decisions. The RICS WLCCE guidance and the GLA WLCCE assessment guidance documents refers to use of the “slow progression” scenario from the latest Future Energy Scenarios (FES) developed by the National Grid and refers to the 2015 edition of FES.
- 5.14 Table 5 below outlines how this changes the results for Operational Energy (Module B6 only).

**Table 5: Decarbonisation of the grid**

Data	Total kgCO <sub>2</sub> e	Regulated Energy (kgCO <sub>2</sub> e)	Unregulated Energy (kgCO <sub>2</sub> e)
Current Building Regulations	3,134,204	1,394,994	1,739,210
Future Energy Scenarios	820,543	365,213	455,330

- 5.15 By accounting for decarbonisation of UK grid electricity the emissions from module B6 Operational energy is reduced from 47.63% of the overall emissions to just 19.23% (as a proportion of Whole Life Carbon).
- 5.16 This is significant and confirms the importance of considering grid decarbonisation when completing carbon emission assessments on a whole life basis.



## Future Carbon Scenarios

- 5.17 Guidance issued by the GLA on WLCCE assessments requests that future climate scenarios are considered within the assessment and reported under 'assessment 2' within the excel document (Appendix A).
- 5.18 One Click LCA does not yet have the capacity to take future CO<sub>2</sub> factors into account (except for B6). It must be noted that the factors that influence modules B1-7 (e.g., replacement products) are dependent on the future residents of the development as they will be responsible for these.
- 5.19 Therefore, the design team at Wootton Street will be making their decisions on the design based on Assessment 1 within Appendix A.

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## 6. RECOMMENDATIONS

- 6.1 A set of recommendations are set out below that could be considered as a part of the detail design post planning to further reduce WLCCE. These are presented from the perspective of carbon only and must be considered alongside other design considerations by other members of the design team but have not yet been accounted for in the design.

### Reduce material use

- 6.2 Using **concrete as a finish** can reduce the need for other finishing materials. In addition, exposed areas of concrete can optimise the thermal mass performance. Thermal mass, with adequate ventilation, can be used to control daytime peak temperatures of a space and therefore reduce or minimise the need for air-conditioning. The areas where this can be done would need to be carefully considered and ensure that other aspects such as acoustics are taken into consideration. The durability of concrete also offers further potential savings through a reduction in the need for maintenance and repair (compared to a painted finish for example).
- 6.3 The **future demolition and deconstruction** of the development could be considered at the design stage. Consideration to be given to ways to facilitate dismantling, such as keeping the use of welding to a minimum (although it is acknowledged this may not always be possible).
- 6.4 Similarly, **an extensive maintenance and repair schedule** could also be produced during the design life of the development to ensure that specific materials and pieces of equipment are able to remain in situ during their expected lifespan. This will minimise the need to replace and refurbish and reduce emissions under life cycle stages C1-C4.

## Recycled materials

**6.5 Innovative cement mixes** are now increasingly available, using a mixture that is 95% ground granulated furnace slag (GGBS) and 5% as the activator can save up to 90% in emissions. This cement mixture could be investigated further for use at the appropriate stage, and if suitable could be used for building elements such as piles, floors, walls, and reinforced foundations. If implemented this could facilitate the reduction of life cycle stages A1-A3 (materials) quite significantly.

## Sustainable procurement

**6.6** The transportation of materials from the manufacturing facility to the building site adds to the carbon of the development. Buying from **local sources or utilising off-site manufacturing processes** could help reduce the emissions produced during transportation. There is a balance to be struck between material transport and processes deployed in their manufacture. As such details on this cannot be known until the detailed design phase. This review would have impacts under life cycle A4, emissions from transportation to site.

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## 7. CONCLUSION

- 7.1** This Whole Life Cycle Carbon Emissions (WLCCE) Assessment has been prepared by Hodkinson Consultancy, a specialist energy and environmental consultancy for planning and development, appointed by Homes for Lambeth.
- 7.2** The purpose of this WLCCE assessment is to gain a better understanding of the environmental impact of the proposed development in accordance with relevant benchmarks whilst also determining recommendations to reduce WLCCE where possible.
- 7.3** At this stage of the design the total carbon emissions are estimated to be **888 kg CO<sub>2</sub>e/ m<sup>2</sup>** over 60 years. The emissions from the proposed development are expected to be lower than the GLA WLC Benchmark for all modules.
- 7.4** By accounting for decarbonisation of the UK grid electricity the Operational energy is reduced from 47.63% of the overall emissions to just 19.23% (as a proportion of Whole Life Carbon), demonstrating the importance of considering grid decarbonisation.

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## **8. APPENDICES**

### **APPENDIX A: GLA WLC ASSESSMENT TEMPLATE**



