# **Ecofleet**

## Guide to signing up and uploading data





## **Frequently Asked Questions**

#### What is EcoFleet?

Ecofleet is a system whereby a company who is demonstrating fuel savings can receive a financial support to contribute to those savings. Typically for every 10,000 litres a company saves on fuel usage they receive a payment of €1,000.

FTA Ireland recommend that all TruckSafe members report their energy savings.

#### How much does EcoFleet cost?

100% of the cost of EcoFleet is paid by Enprova when you sign-up, the service typically costs €4,000–€6,000 or €150 per month for approximately three years.

#### What are my commitments?

- 1 To implement a fuel saving programme by allocating time to saving fuel.
- 2 To provide fuel and energy savings figures to Enprova and if requested to SEAI on a quarterly basis – litres used and km driven.

#### What are the rules around uploading of data?

- 1 You must upload your data quarterly and completely ie, litres, km, comment and evidence file.
  - Any missing or unapproved quarters mean no payment for that year.
- 2 Historic payments no longer qualify. You can only be paid for the last year's savings ie, 2021 in Q1'22.
- 3 If you miss a quarter, you have one quarter's grace to upload the missing data ie, if you miss two quarters in a row your payment for the year is no longer payable.

  Each quarter is 90 days long, so it is essential you allocate time within these 90 days to upload your data. Do email us if you have a particular issue eg technical or otherwise.

#### What are the evidence requirements?

From Q2'22 onwards only Excel and .CSV files are acceptable.

## How to provide your evidence

- Download your evidence file, open, and save as Excel before upload.
- Include a summary or tab labelled Q1'22', for example, so we can find your totals easily.
- The comment box can no longer be left blank.
- Add a comment on what fuel saving actions worked and did not work, now you must tell us what actions were taken (we may introduce drop down choices if demand is there).

Please note these comments are read by the regulator (SEAI) so tell the story where possible. Don't assume we or they know your business.

Also, this is a good opportunity to make the regulator aware of the challenges you face even when you are not showing savings, so please keep these comments up to date eg business volumes, weights up or down, challenges with Brexit etc.

#### Other energy saving data

If you have Tonne-Km or similar data to go with your Litres and Km we'd like to hear from you, the system will be upgraded to collect this data and we are keen to include you in the scheme. To date 10 out of over 120, have some sort of load factor data and two have been paid on this basis.

If you have electric (kWh) gas or hydrogen (kg) data, we are also keen to hear from you as we will be allowing you to upload this data shortly.

#### Note

The EEOS does not pay out for carbon savings only energy efficiency.

Some fleets have already been paid for savings from battery electric vehicles replacing diesel. If you have some please put the calculations in your evidence file upload, whilst we build the code to accept other units.

## Verification and auditing

- 1 Your approved and complete results are sent to Quality Assurance checks in Enprova.
- 2 The application for whole programme is prepped and sent to SEAI who check all data.
- 3 SEAI send 20% to inspections team for additional cross checks.
- 4 A number usually less than five are selected for site visit.
- 5 Site visit may be online or on-site, expect it to last about an hour.

## In 2021 FTA Ireland Members...



- At 3.17kg  $\rm CO_2$  WTW per litre that's 5,466 tonnes of  $\rm CO_{2e}$  avoided.
- This is on top of past improvements ie vs 2020.
- Average improvement in L/100km 2021 vs 2020 ws c.4%.



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