

Nasdaq's Science-Based Targets

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Nasdaq near- and long-term science-based greenhouse gas (GHG) emissions reduction targets (SBTs) are validated and approved by The Science Based Targets initiative (SBTi). SBTi validated that Nasdaq's long-term emissions reductions targets are in line with climate science and a 1.5°C pathway, conforming with the SBTi Corporate Net Zero Standards and Guidance. Nasdaq's SBTs were originally set and validated by SBTi in 2022 and updated and validated in 2025 to reflect Nasdaq's 2023 acquisition of Adenza and the integration of Adenza's operations into Nasdaq's environmental program and climate strategy.

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- **Overall Net-Zero Target**

Nasdaq commits to reach net-zero greenhouse gas emissions across the value chain by 2050.

- **Near-Term Targets**

Nasdaq commits:

- to reduce absolute Scope 1 and 2 GHG emissions **90%¹ by 2032²** from a 2023³ base year.
- to increase active annual sourcing of renewable electricity from 97% in 2023 to **100% by 2030**.
- to reduce absolute Scope 3 GHG emissions **50% by 2032²** from a 2023³ base year.
- that **70% of suppliers by spend**, covering purchased goods and services and capital goods, will set science-based targets **by 2029⁴**.

- **Long-Term Targets**

Nasdaq commits:

- to maintain a minimum **90%¹ absolute Scope 1 and Scope 2 GHG emissions reduction from 2032² through 2050** from a 2023³ base year.
- to reduce absolute Scope 3 GHG emissions **95% within the same timeframe**.

Nasdaq's SBTi-Validated SBTs



1 Formerly 100%

2 Formerly 2030

3 Formerly 2022

4 Formerly 2027

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