



APNIC



eco APNIC

Working sustainably

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What is eco-APNIC?

- A staff-driven project aimed at reducing the “ecological footprint” of APNIC work practices
 - Examining day-to-day operations of the Secretariat
 - Identifying ways which we can be more environmentally friendly without compromising the services we provide

Why is APNIC embarking on this?

- Raised awareness of environmental concerns by the scientific community
- We are all responsible for working in a sustainable manner

How?



Travel



Energy efficiency



Recycling & wastage

Travel



- Investigating offsetting carbon emissions for air travel
 - Greenhouse gases offset by investing in projects to save or re-absorb CO₂
 - Such as renewable energy production or reforestation
- Encouraging car pooling, cycling & public transport
 - Saves costs and reduces pollution



Recycling & Wastage



- Recycling & re-using
 - Recycle used paper in the office
 - Use recycled paper for publications, documents etc
 - Facilitate recycling of meeting materials
 - Check out our recycling bins!
 - Recycle computers and other electronic equipment
- Reducing wastage
 - Paper
 - Double-sided printing
 - Toners
 - Recycle / re-fill toners
 - Minimise wrapping
 - Purchase products with little wrapping

Energy efficiency



- Turning off equipment when not in use
 - Computers, monitors, room light etc
- Using fluorescent light bulbs
 - Lasts longer, saves energy
- Investigating energy efficient office set-ups
 - Use of natural light and airflow
 - Review air conditioning etc
 - Consult an eco architect
 - When / if moving to new premises



Things You can do

- Transportation
 - Car pool
 - Ride your bike, walk, use public transport
 - Investigate carbon offsetting programs
- Around the office
 - Double-sided printing
 - Recycle paper, cardboard etc
 - Buy recycled paper
 - Recycle / refill printer cartridges
 - Use compact fluorescent bulbs
 - Reduce water waste
 - Turn off equipment when not in use!

Stay tuned!

- Information & recycling stations at APNIC meetings
- Regular eco section in Apster
 - Read the first article on the notice board (outside the meeting room)
- More information to come on the website
- We'll keep you updated at APNIC meetings



Thank You



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