



Sustainable Financing

Enable the transition to a low-carbon economy

From Sustainability to Business Growth

At HSBC, sustainability means building businesses for the long term, forging growth and fostering sustainable development. We hope to partner with you in the transition to a low-carbon economy for a sustainable future.

Call us on

400 821 8878

Or contact your Relationship Manager

Sustainable Financing Programme

China is issuing significant policies in multiple sectors for a transition to a low-carbon economy. Our Sustainable Financing Programme provides financial support and recognition for clients investing in eco-friendly projects and adopting a sustainable way of doing business. You may apply for facilities under Sustainable Financing Programme if your projects can contribute to reducing carbon emission.

Features for Sustainable Financing Programme

- Fixed Asset Loan - Support your investing on the projects deriving carbon emission reduction
- Carbon Saving¹ - An extra offer in form of cash rebate
- Green Loan Principles - Aligning with the *Green Loan Principles* issued by the Loan Market Association (LMA)
- A Free Environmental Merit Certification - A report assessed and certificated by our technical partner

Eligibility Criteria

Realizing Carbon Emission Reduction 15% or above, in LMA's indicative categories of Green Projects, including but not limited to:

- Renewable Energy - including production, transmission, appliances and products;
- Energy Efficiency - such as in new and refurbished buildings, energy storage, more energy-efficient machine or equipment;
- Green Buildings - which meet regional, national or internationally recognised standards or certifications;
- Clean Transportation - such as electric, hybrid, public, rail, non-motorised transportation, infrastructure for clean energy vehicles and reduction of carbon emissions, and etc.

Environmental Merit Assessment

Each application will go through an environmental merit assessment conducted by our technical partner



Apply Now

We are always here to support businesses towards a sustainable future. Please do not hesitate to contact your Relationship Manager or call 400 821 8878 for more details.

¹ During the Facility tenor, the Applicant may be eligible for an annual cash rebate payable by the Bank. The cash rebate will be the lower of:

- 0.1% of original drawn facility amount of the Facility (first year), 0.1% of the outstanding facility amount at the beginning of each annual anniversary of the Facility (subsequent years) ;
- Carbon credit conversion factor multiplied by the expected carbon emission reduction in tonnes per year stipulated in the EM Report. The carbon credit conversion factor is determined by HSBC from time to time at its sole discretion. The carbon credit conversion factor is currently CNY132per ton of carbon emission reduced per year, and;
- Subject to the cap of CNY180,000 by each Applicant per annum.

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