



Digital Carbon Footprint

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M.Sc. Electrical & Telecom Eng.

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INSEAD Digital Transformation Leadership,



Leading ESG
by example
in our ecosystem



Be the digital partner
for Sustainability
and Efficiency for
our customers

Strong recognition of our commitment

#1

the 2021 world's most
sustainable corporation



GLOBAL100
The Voice for Clean Capitalism
Corporate Knights

11 years in a row



MSCI
ESG RATINGS

A List

(Climate) 12 years in a row

AAA

11 years in a row



From 2018

Included since inception



Top 100 Most Ethical Company

11 years in a row

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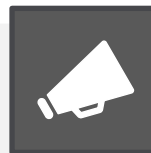


About the ITAM Forum



MISSION:

To promote the business practice of ITAM.



VISION:

All organizations investing in technology have an appropriate ITAM capability delivering business value.

GUIDING PRINCIPLES:

Not-for-profit – We are independent and impartial, serving the best interests of the entire ITAM industry.

End-user led – A volunteer Board of Trustees ensures we are realistic, relevant and deliver value to ITAM practitioners.

Collaborative – We are constructive and collaborative, bringing together all ITAM industry stakeholders to push the ITAM industry forward.



OBJECTIVES:

Certification – To create (and be the caretakers of) the new ISO/IEC 19770-1 certification scheme so organisations can demonstrate the quality of their ITAM practices.

Enablement – To elevate ITAM by sharing knowledge and best practices that focus on business value and aid to grow the profession.



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1,000+ members



42 nationalities



10 Country Chapters

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Germany, India, Poland, SP
Speaking, Türkiye, UK, USA



5 Special Interest
Groups

Infosecurity, Mgmt. Systems,
Sustainability, Optimisation, New
Generation ITAMers



ISO 19770-1 Certification scheme



Committee of Experts

100+ individuals, 20 countries, 30+
industries



Discussion Board



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FinOps, Sustainability, Infosecurity,
Certification...

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Agenda



Digital World Overview

Digital Carbon Footprint

The Paradox of Digital Sustainability

GHG Emissions vs IT

Global Digital Energy Demand

Enterprise IT vs Carbon Footprint

5 key areas to enhance IT Sustainability

Q&A

Digital Enterprise

Digital World

Digital Consumer

About 20% of Internet Traffic

Up to 75% of Internet Traffic

Digital Industry

Digital Science

Between 6-12% energy savings

Digital Technology Decarbonization Capacity is upto 7 times higher than the CO2 emissions caused by its deployment

Up to 25% energy savings

About 5% of Internet Traffic

About 10 % energy savings

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Schneider Electric

True or False?

1. Video Streaming for 30 Minutes Generates the Same Carbon Emissions as Driving 4 Miles

Media publications: "The Shift Project", New York Post, CBC, Yahoo!, The Guardian, and Thomson Reuters

2. Bitcoin Emissions Alone Could Push Global Warming Above 2°C

Media Publication: Forbes, ScienceDaily, The Independent (U.K.), CBC, Thomson Reuters, MIT Technology Review

3. Downloads of "Despacito," the first song to surpass 5 billion YouTube views, consumed as much electricity as the countries of Chad, Guinea-Bissau, Somalia, Sierra Leone, and the Central African Republic put together in a single year

Media Publication: Financial Times, BBC, Fortune, The Guardian, Al Jazeera.

4. Training One Natural Language Processing (NLP) Model Is Equivalent to 300 Round-Trip Flights Between New York and San Francisco

Media publications: MIT Technology Review, Vice, S&P Global, Forbes, NewScientist and AI Now Institute

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Baseline vs current state



IT sector baseline :

In 2015 ICT sector electricity demand reached almost 1800 TWh and represented around 3% global CO2 emissions

Current state:

In 2020 the ICT electricity demand reached 1935 TWh (ca. 2.8 % of global CO2 emissions)

Factors:

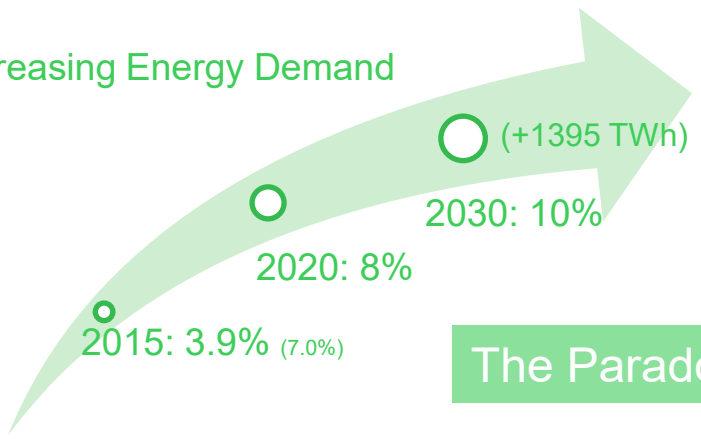
- Increased number of ICT users
- Social networks & Streaming
- New ICT trends behind the growth:
 - big data and AI,
 - the Internet of Things
 - blockchain and cryptocurrencies

sources:
Patterns/ Lancaster University
Schneider Electric Research Institute
International Telecommunication Union (ITU)

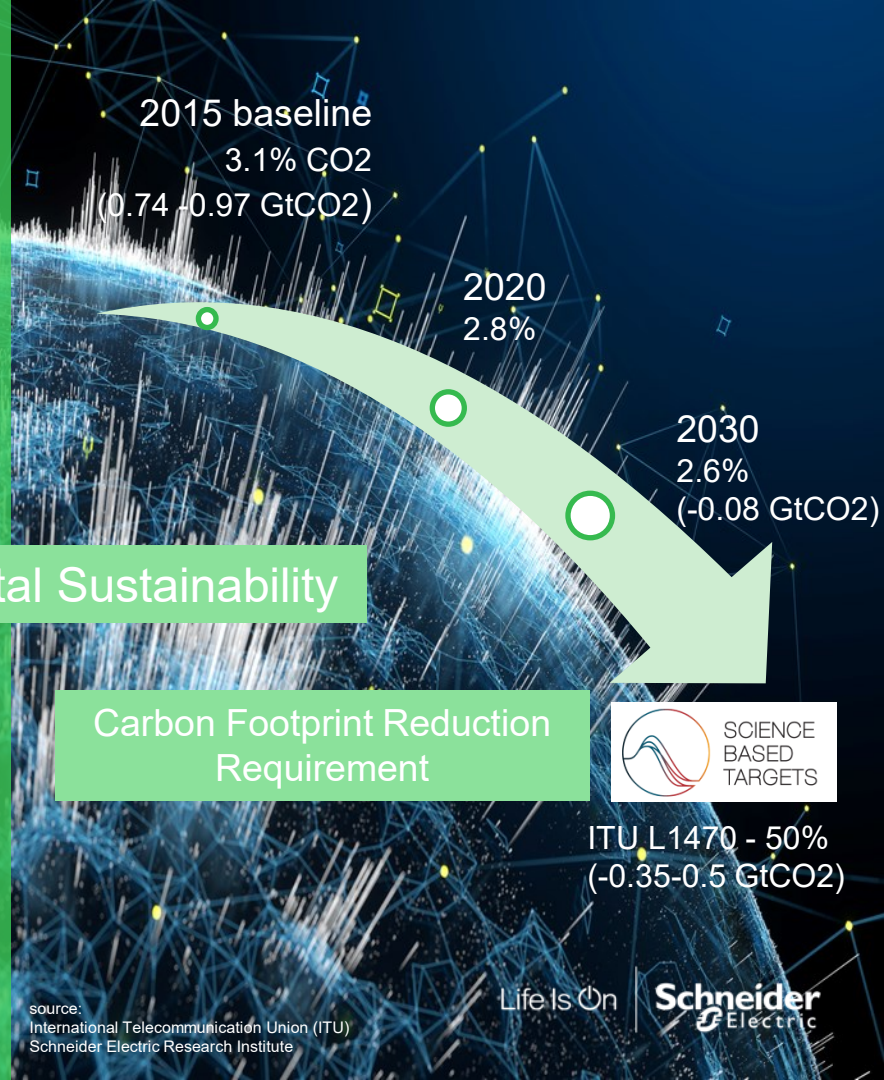
Digital Sustainability

IT Carbon Footprint & global electricity demand

Increasing Energy Demand



The Paradox of Digital Sustainability



Carbon Footprint Reduction Requirement



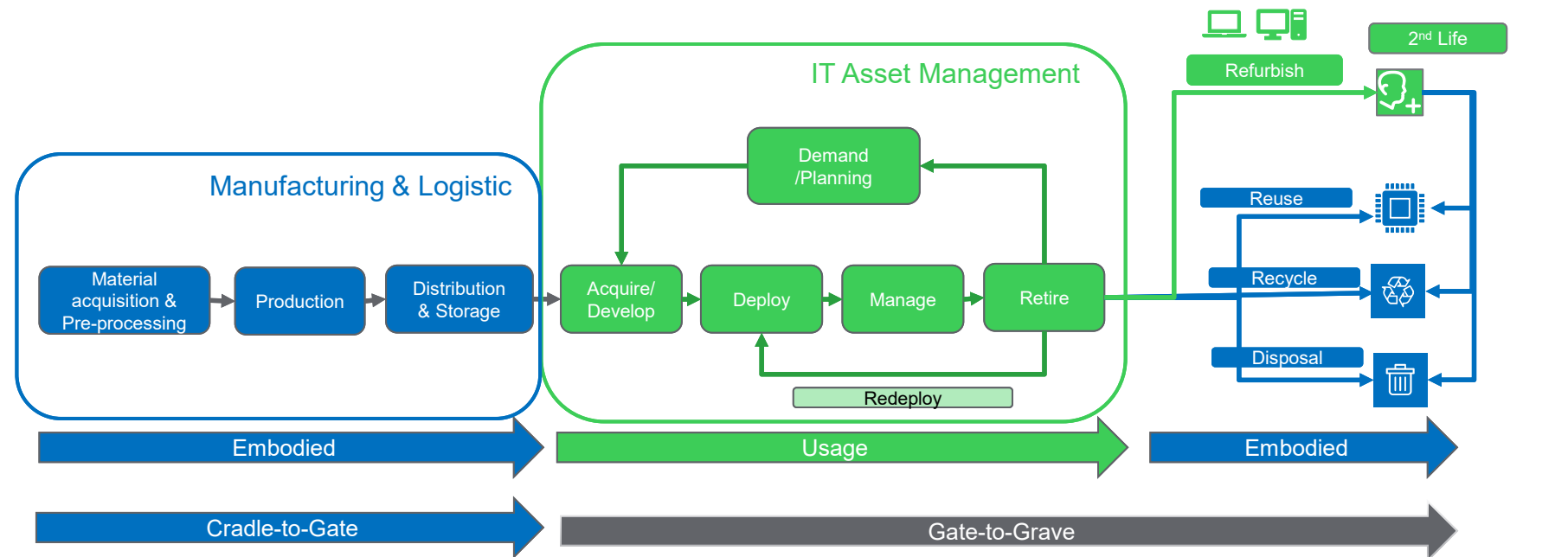
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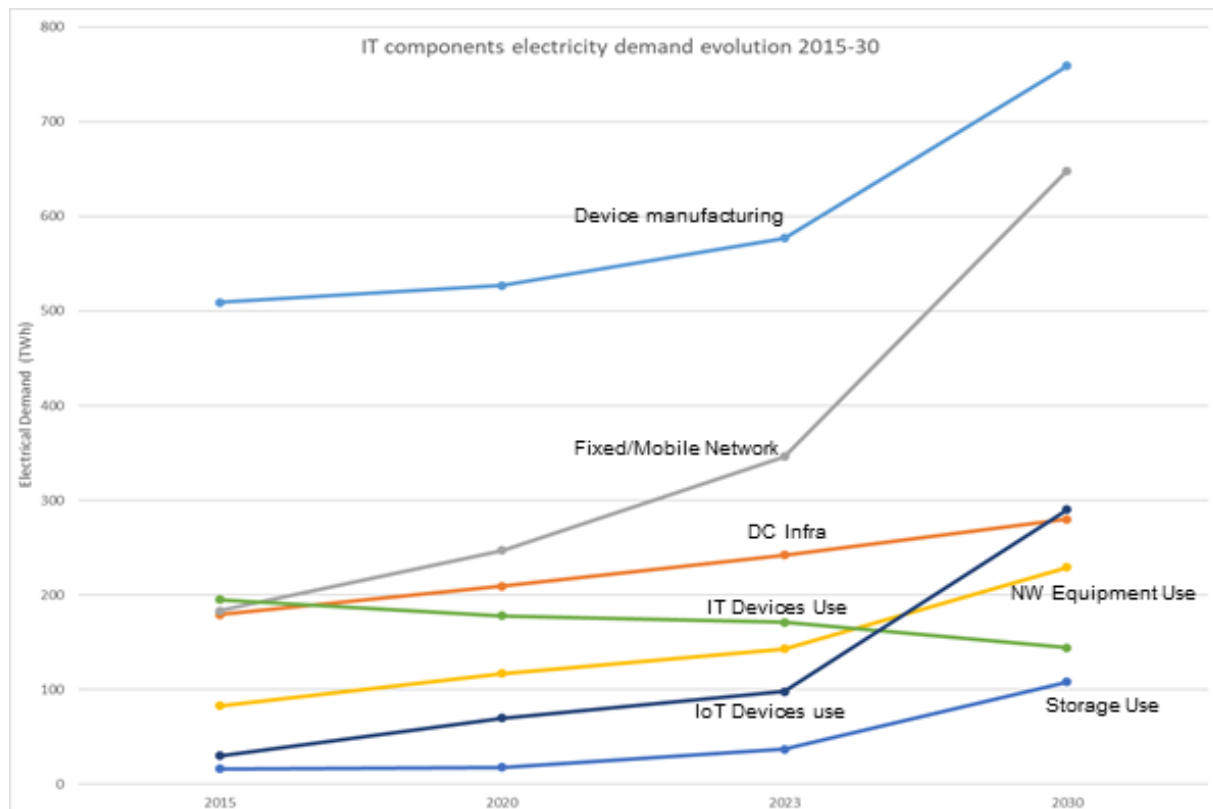
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Product Lifecycle vs IT Asset Lifecycle vs Carbon Footprint



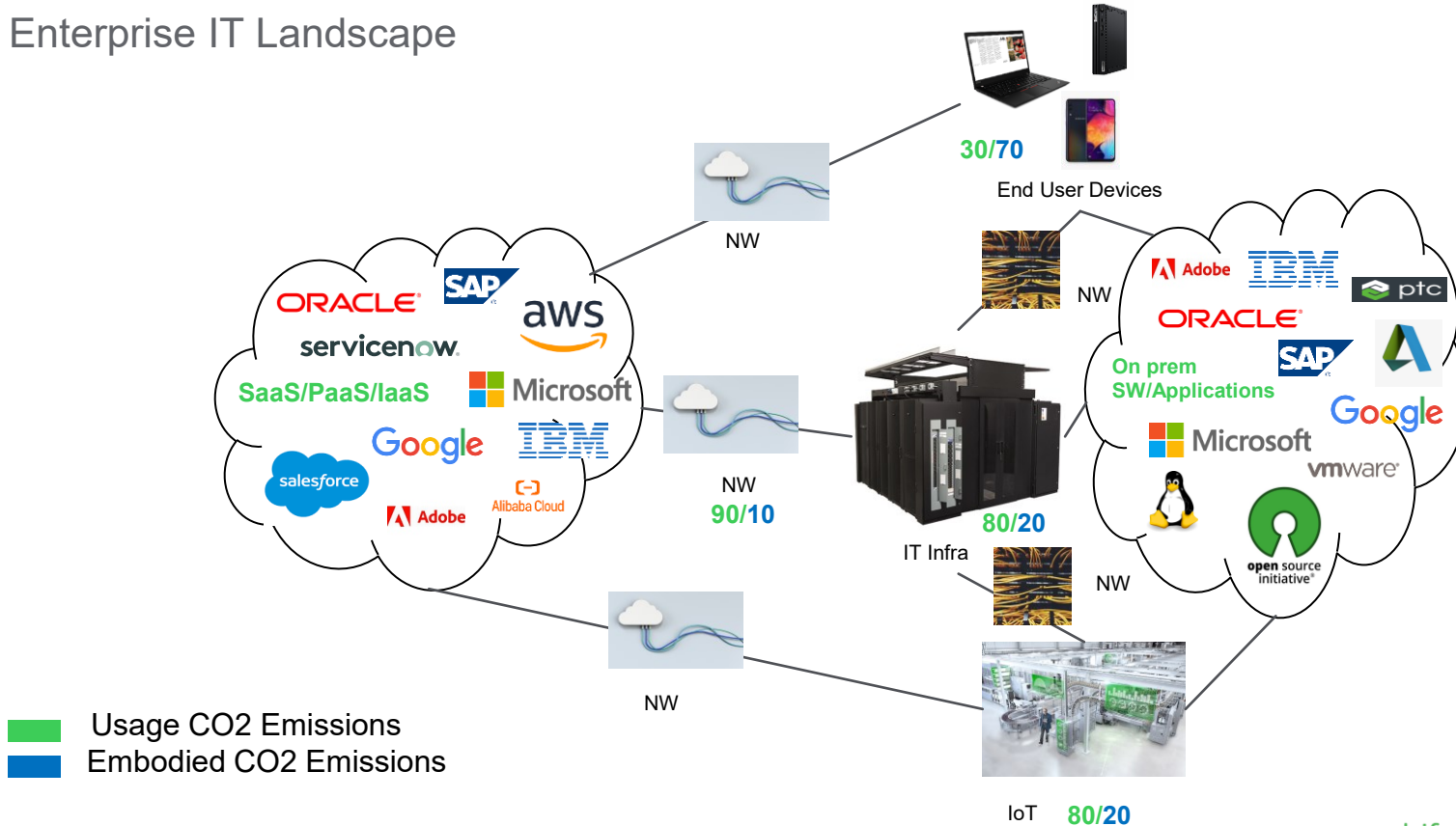
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ICT Global Energy demand 2015-2030





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Enterprise IT Landscape



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5 keys areas to enhance Sustainable IT

 Usage CO2 Emissions
 Embodied CO2 Emissions

-  Purchase “Green”
-  “Green” Design & Architecture
-  Operationalize Circular Economy
-  Use Renewable Energy
-  Increase Awareness on Green Digital Habits

Q&A