

The Definitive Cookstove Offset Benchmark with Vital Co-Benefits

Introducing the Sustainable Development Global Emissions Offset™ (SD-GEO™), part of the GEO® product suite from Xpansiv market CBL, the world's leading spot exchange for environmental commodities. The SD-GEO contract is essential to liquidity and price discovery in the emerging household device market, simplifying the selection process for buyers who can purchase high-quality offsets with assured integrity and validation.

To qualify for SD-GEO status, cookstove projects must meet at least five of the United Nation's Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs). This ensures that SD-GEO credits have substantial co-benefits in addition to mitigating carbon emissions. Cookstove projects focus on positive impacts to local communities and often include SDGs like No Poverty, Good Health and Well-Being, Gender Equality, Affordable and Clean Energy, Responsible Consumption and Production, and Climate Action.

The SD-GEO provides the market with a standardised contract that streamlines cookstove-credit transactions from the Verra Registry and Gold Standard registry, without the need to evaluate the vast universe of individual projects. Like the GEO suite, SD-GEO contracts are traded on the CBL exchange and provide liquidity, transparent price discovery, and a reliable benchmark for a key segment of voluntary carbon markets.





A Simplified Way to Transact Premium Cookstove Credits

The SD-GEO contracts trade alongside the GEO, N-GEO™, and C-GEO™ on Xpansiv market CBL, the world's leading environmental commodity exchange. CBL offers access to a broad range of individual carbon-offset projects from leading registries, enabling unrivaled choice. But for those who don't want to choose — or don't have the resources to navigate myriad project types — the SD-GEO provides a streamlined solution. When you buy an SD-GEO contract, you purchase a specific underlying project that meets rigorous quality standards set out by CBL in its Standard Instruments Program.

Join CBL and Simplify Your Carbon-Offset Solutions

Xpansiv company CBL provides access to the world's energy and environmental commodity markets, facilitating the secure and seamless trading of commodities including carbon, renewable energy, water, and gas.

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Sustainable Development Global Emissions Offset (SD-GEO)

| PRODUCT DESCRIPTION | The Sustainable Development Global Emissions Offset Standard Spot Product represents a standardized, cleared contract for immediate ("spot") physical delivery of voluntary emissions meeting a defined criterion ("SD-GEOs"). SD-GEOs acceptable for delivery meet the Defining Criteria and other requirements identified and described in the CBL Standard Instruments Program. |
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| ELIGIBLE UNITS | See Schedule 7 of CBL's Standard Instruments Program. Cookstove projects with 5 Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs). |
| ELIGIBLE VINTAGES | 2017-2022, rolls annually |
| PRODUCT CODE | SD-GEO |
| CLEARING & SETTLEMENT | Units associated with Products that are the subject of Transactions are pre-cleared and physically settled through the Market Operator's Payment versus Delivery Clearing and Settlement Structure. Units are delivered on a spot basis (intra-day based on netted end of day positions) into the Participant's Market Registry Account, an account exclusively dedicated for use in connection with the Market. |
| LOT SIZE | 1 SD-GEO—one metric ton of CO2 equivalent (1 mtCO2e) |
| CURRENCY | USD |
| MINIMUM PRICE FLUCTUATION | The price convention shall be \$0.01 per SD-GEO |
| REGISTRY | Verra Registry, Gold Standard Registry |
| MARKET(S) | CBL |
| TRADING HOURS | 24 hours per day, 365 days per year |