

# Transitioning to a Net Zero future

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### **Net Zero 2040 Ambition**

Aviva's plan is to become a Net Zero carbon emissions company by 2040\* – the first of any major insurance company to target this ambitious goal Aviva is targeting Net Zero on carbon emissions we produce by 2030, from our suppliers by 2030 and from customer and shareholder investments by 2040

#### Today

- First major UK financial services company to target Net Zero carbon by 2040
- Operational emissions cut by 76% since 2010
   New 'Climate Engagement Escalation Programme' to drive change in companies with a large carbon footprint
- Climate targets submitted to the Science Based Targets initiative for validation
- Offering customers Climate Transition Funds and Net Zero-aligned default pensions
- Annual reporting on progress and first insurer to commit to putting our climate disclosures (TCFD) to an AGM vote

#### By the end of 2021

• Aviva will stop underwriting insurance for companies making more than 5% of their revenue from coal or unconventional fossil fuels, unless they have signed up to Science Based Targets

#### By the end of 2022

- Divest from companies which make more than 5% of their revenue from coal unless they have signed up to Science Based Targets.
- Invest a further £10bn of assets from its autoenrolment default funds and other policyholder funds into low carbon strategies (of which £5bn has already been announced)

#### By 2025

### • Aviva will cut 25% of the carbon intensity in our investments

- Source 100% renewable electricity for all offices, which total 230,231 square metres
  Use 100% electric/hybrid new vehicle leases
- for our 1,540-strong motor fleet • We'll invest £6bn in green assets, including
- £1.5bn of policyholder money into climate transition funds
- Aviva Investors will invest £2.5bn in low carbon and renewable energy infrastructure and deliver £1bn of carbon transition loans

#### By 2030

### • We'll cut 60% of the carbon intensity in our investments

 Run Net Zero operations and have a Net Zero supply chain
 £100m committed to

 £100m committed to nature-based solutions

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### By 2040

• We'll be a Net Zero company with Net Zero carbon investments



#### Read more about our climate goals at www.aviva.com/climate-goals.

\*This will cover shareholder and policyholder assets where we have control and data; and the main asset classes of Aviva's core markets (credit, equities, direct real estate and sovereign debt). We will be able to expand this further as new data and methodologies become available. For more details please see www.aviva.com/climate-goals.

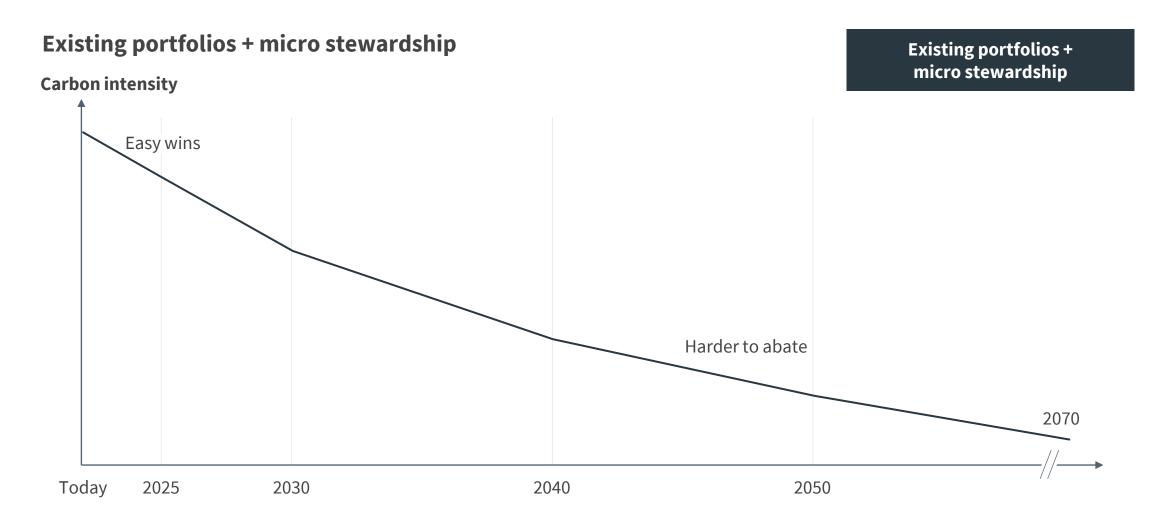


## Investment portfolio measurement challenge

**Carbon Intensity (Scope 1&2)** 

	Asset class	<b>Backward looking</b>	Forward looking
Data availability	Equity		
	Corp. bonds		
	Direct property		
	Sovereign bonds		
Methodology availability	Infrastructure		
	Other (eg. Structured Finance)		
	Cash, derivatives,		
	In scope of 25% carbon reduction by 2025		Data / methodology available Methodology under developme Gaps to close





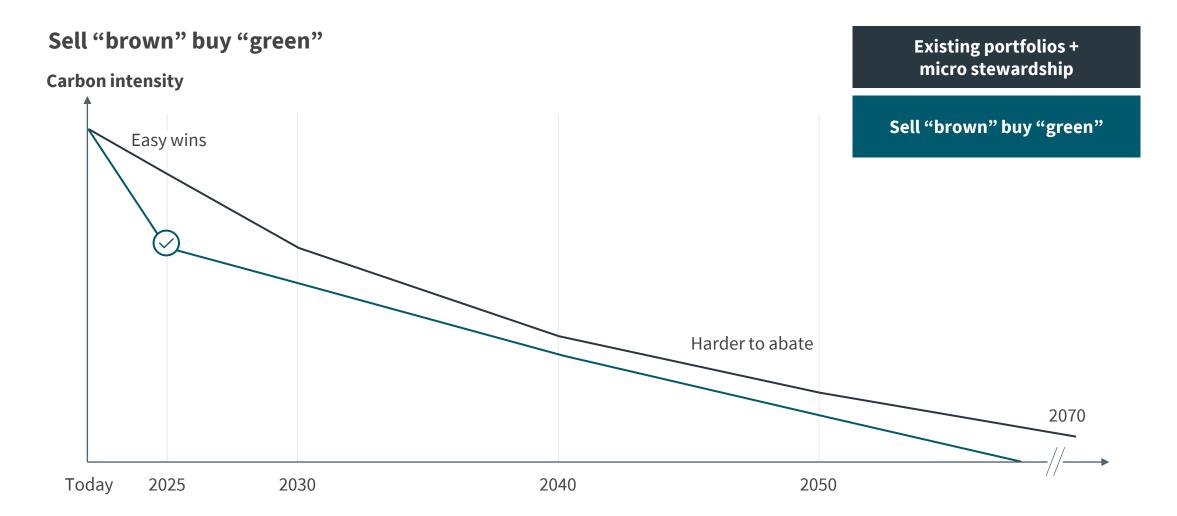


### **Targeted escalation**

A robust escalation approach to track and drive progress through life of programme









### Today's financial system is undermined by market failures



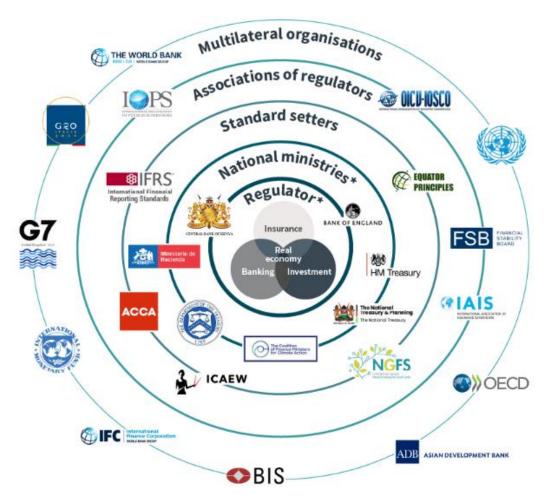


### Five decades at the forefront





### **International Financial Architecture**

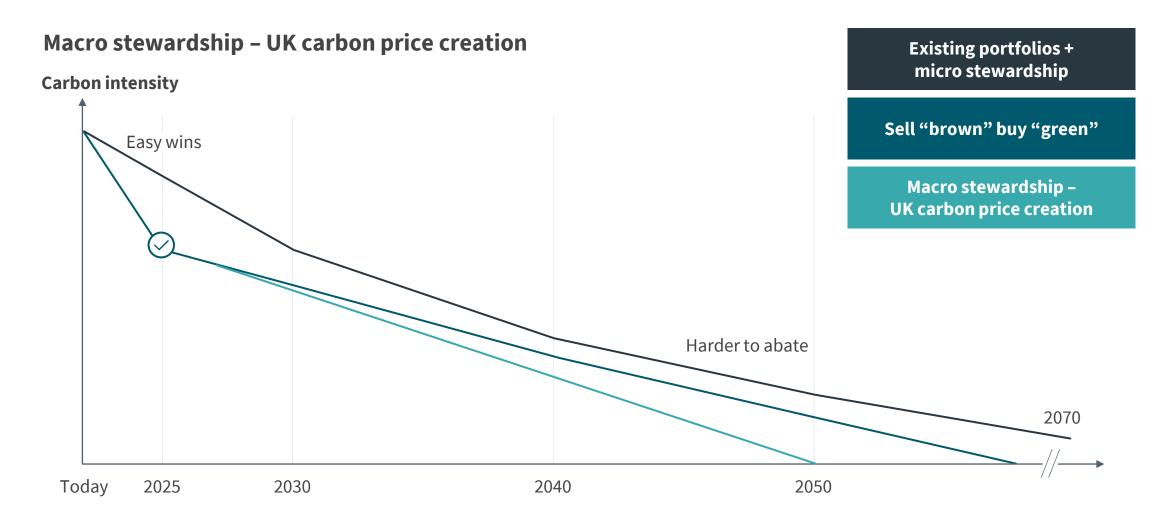


Note: This is not a completely exhaustive view – but highlights key global organisations due to their mandate.

\*Illustrative examples.

Source: Aviva Investors, September 2022.



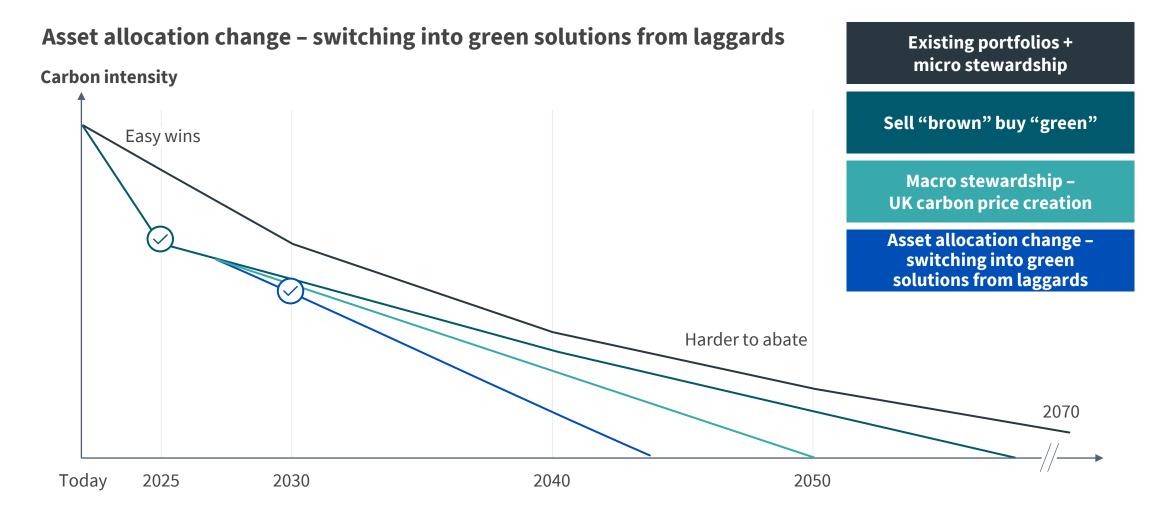




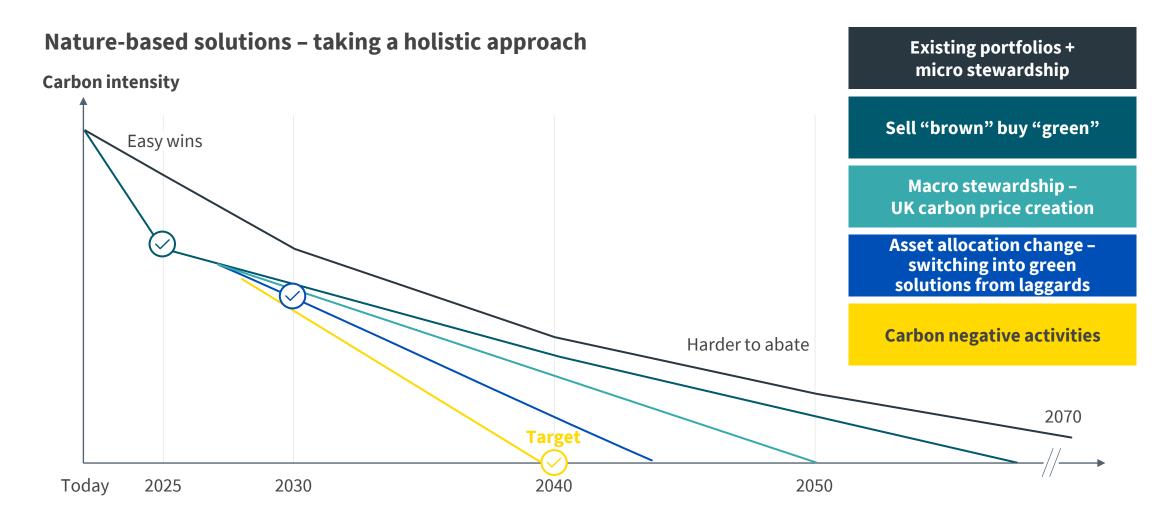
# "the greatest commercial opportunity of our time "K Carney

Source: Net zero goal 'greatest commercial opportunity of our time,' says Mark Carney (climatechangenews.com)











### Asset managers: a multi-levered approach







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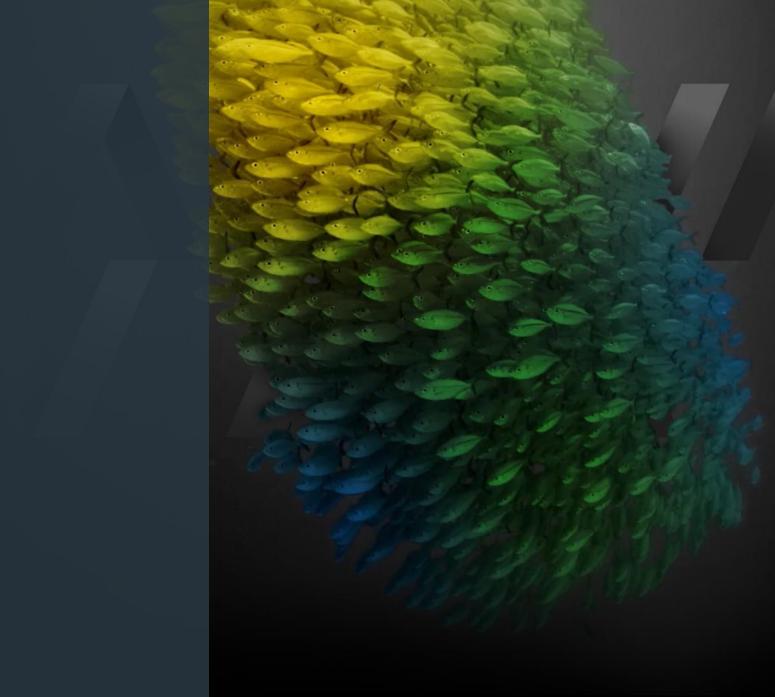


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# Thank you



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