

# THE PLANET MARK: PROLOGIS UK

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## PROLOGIS' CHALLENGE

Prologis UK is a leading developer and owner of industrial, warehouse, distribution and logistics property in the UK and worldwide. 20 years ago, when Prologis UK was founded, industrial logistics buildings were regarded as little more than places to protect the goods inside.

At that time, conversations about sustainability within the commercial property industry were still in their infancy; however [Prologis UK](#) couldn't help thinking that its buildings could be delivering better environmental and cost saving benefits for its customers and the local community.

## THE SOLUTION

This idea became a reality back in 2008 when The Planet Mark certified the first building at Prologis Park Pineham and Prologis became the first UK property company to measure, reduce and mitigate the carbon emissions embodied in the structure and fabric of its new buildings.

Today, more than 55 Prologis UK developments have been certified by The Planet Mark, amounting to an overall carbon reduction of almost 300,000 tons of CO<sub>2</sub>: The equivalent of over 675 million miles driven by an average family vehicle.

Prologis UK's certification to the programme also helps local schools achieve The Planet Mark: this catalyses staff and student-led carbon reductions and helps local schools save money from reduced energy, carbon, water and waste. This programme also funds education officers from the Eden Project to go into local schools and colleges close to Prologis developments and talk to young people about sustainability and how they can play their part in protecting the planet. Over the past decade 7,484 children from 79 schools and colleges have taken part.

“We feel passionately that, as a property company, we should play our part in reducing average lifetime carbon in our buildings and bring the benefits of sustainability to our customers, the local community and beyond.”  
Simon Cox, Head of Sustainability, Prologis UK

