



ANNEX 1

IMPACT ASSESSMENT METHODOLOGY

This annex covers the detailed methodology applied to quantify the impact indicators: the assumptions, the relevant data sources and the computational steps followed.

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METHODOLOGY OVERVIEW

The approach followed in order to derive the impact indicators is based on the comparison between:

- the emissions and energy consumption of the green assets, and
- the emissions and energy consumption of the alternative means of transportation (i.e., those that would be used, in case the rolling stock were not financed).

Therefore, the “baseline” for the impact assessment is the assumed “alternative means of transportation”.

As the impact indicators represent in fact “estimated” impacts (ex-ante) and not on actual impact (ex-post), a number of assumptions are made in the framework.

The following paragraphs explain the assumptions made and define and quantify the baseline.

MAIN ASSUMPTIONS

The estimate of the emission savings generated by EUROFIMA green projects relies on the following assumptions:

- The reported impact is the expected environmental impact, based on ex-ante estimates¹, as opposed to the actual² ex-post data.
- The reported impact is defined as “Avoided” or “Reduced”. In the former case, the green assets financed do not generate any direct savings versus the historical data, but, if the project had not been financed, the related emissions or the energy consumption would be higher³. In the latter case, the green assets financed reduce emissions or energy consumption compared to the historical and actual data.

These cases are described in Table 1.

- The benefits are estimated as savings to be generated on an annual basis and not as total cumulative benefits over the entire project lifetime and they rely on the following assumptions:
 - the operations are steady and stable and all the financed rolling stock runs at the normal and planned operating schedule; and
 - all passengers would move to a different means of transportation, in the case such rolling stock had not been financed⁴.
- The emissions considered for the financed rolling stock are assessed based on the standards of the Greenhouse Gas Protocol Scope 1, which considers only the “Tank-to-Wheel” (TtW) values (i.e., emissions generated only by the train) and

excludes the “Well-to-Tank”, (WtT) values (i.e., emissions generated in the electricity grid and power stations). This is also in line with the EU Taxonomy that considers electric rail transport as a zero-direct emission means of transport.

- The methodology is based on a number of parameters, which may change over time, both because of external environment changes and because of new and more sophisticated tools; Eurofima commits to using every year the latest available parameters and to highlighting the changes in the revised methodology.
- Besides, Eurofima keeps the right to improve the model used to estimate the savings, in order to enhance the accuracy. Every change in the model vs the previous one will be properly highlighted.

Table 1 - Examples of projects and impact on GHG emission or energy consumption

Projects type	GHG emissions	Energy consumption	Description
Additional electric rolling stock	Reduced/Avoided	Reduced/Avoided	The project provides additional rolling stock on a new or already existing line, thus increasing the ridership; partly because more people will move to train and partly to meet the increasing transport demands.
Renewal of electric with electric rolling stock	Avoided	Avoided/Reduced	The project replaces old trains with new and more efficient ones; the ridership is assumed to continue along the trend of the old trains.
Renewal of diesel with electric rolling stock	Reduced	Reduced	The project replaces diesel trains with electrical ones, thus delivering real emissions reduction compared to the past.
Retrofitting or modernization of electric rolling stock	Avoided	Avoided	The project upgrades old trains, making them more efficient or comfortable; the ridership is assumed to continue along the trend of the old trains.

¹ Therefore, the actual environmental impact of the projects may diverge from initial estimates. In addition, when comparing different projects, caution should be taken because baselines, base years, and calculation methods may vary (infrastructure and cost structure may vary across countries). Finally, projects might have impact across a wider range of indicators than those captured in this report.

² The assessment of the impact indicators is based on assumptions, therefore the actual (ex-post) environmental impact of the projects may diverge from initial assessment and across projects. In addition, financed projects might also have other impacts than those captured in the impact assessment table.

³ It is acknowledged that in case the trains are newly manufactured, savings in the ramp-up phase may well be overestimated, as the trains are not yet operated or are operated with limited utilization in order to finalize the commissioning phase.

However, in a long-term perspective, the assumption made is deemed to be the most appropriate to show the environmental impact of the train or project.

⁴ It is acknowledged that in case of a substitution of existing rolling stock, the real flow of passengers who will stop using the old trains is very limited in the first months: it will increase as the rolling stock becomes less and less reliable or comfortable and only in the long-term all passengers will move to an alternative means of transportation. However, in a long-term perspective, the assumption made is deemed to be the most appropriate to show the environmental impact of the train or project.

THE BASELINE

The baseline considered to derive the environmental impact is different according to the specific project type and case:

- a) For the replacement of an existing electrical train, an upgrade, or introduction of additional trains, it is assumed that all passengers would continue using a car as the alternative means of transportation, in the case that project had not been financed. The baseline is assumed to be the “average car in the current European vehicle stock” in line with the EU Taxonomy. This assumption is considered appropriate for the impact reporting purpose: despite the differences across countries and projects, in terms of mix of cars used, local habits and different mix of transportation means (bus, plane, boat), the impact on the final estimated values is negligible.
- b) For the replacement of diesel rolling stock with electrical rolling stock, it is assumed that all passengers would continue using the existing diesel train, in the case that the project had not been financed. Therefore, the alternative means of transportation taken as baseline is the replaced diesel equipment itself.

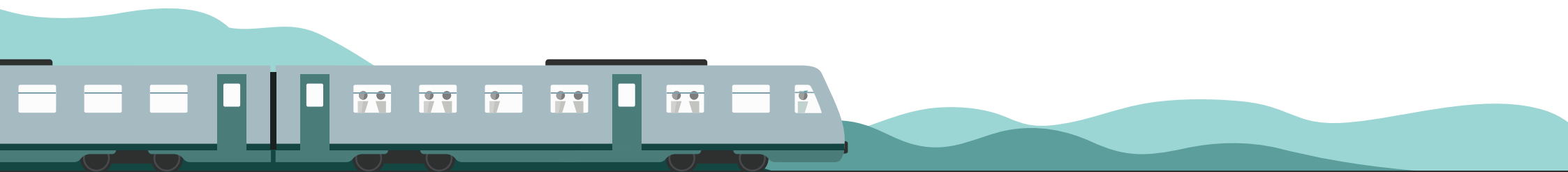
BASELINE VALUES FOR GHG EMISSIONS

The baseline values reflect the guidelines of EU Taxonomy⁵. The values are either passenger-kilometres (pkm) in case the alternative means of transportation is a diesel train, or vehicle-kilometres (vkm) in case of a car.

Table 2 - GHG emissions baseline in the EU

Projects type	HGH emissions	Alternative means of transportation	Baseline GHG emissions
Additional electric rolling stock	Reduced/Avoided	Car	290 gCO ₂ /vkm
Renewal of electric with electric rolling stock	Avoided	Car	290 gCO ₂ /vkm
Renewal of diesel with electric rolling stock	Reduced	Diesel train	70/90 gCO ₂ /pkm
Retrofitting or modernization of electric rolling stock	Avoided	Car	290 gCO ₂ /vkm

⁵ Page 329 of the EU Taxonomy Technical Report by TEG [\(Link\)](#)



BASELINE VALUES FOR ENERGY CONSUMPTION

The baseline values for energy consumptions are calculated based on data from several public sources, assumptions on the mode of use (motorway, rural) of the alternative means of transportation, the mix of petrol versus diesel in the European car fleet, the weight of the average car, the car occupancy rate, and using an online calculator developed by a Swiss partnership led by the Swiss government⁶.

The baseline values for a diesel rolling stock equipment are taken from the values assumed by UIC (the international association of railway companies)⁷.

More specifically, the assumptions and data considered are as follows:

1. The average car consumption is sourced from the Ecopassenger Methodology report⁸, developed by UIC by type of fuel, mode of use and size of the car.

Table 3 - Car energy consumption as a function of usage in the EU

Mode of use	Average auto consumption					
	Diesel (l/100 km)			Petrol (l/100 km)		
	Small	Medium	Large	Small	Medium	Large
Motorway	4.5	5.3	6.7	6.3	7.5	9.2
Rural	3.8	4.5	5.8	4.9	5.8	7.2
Urban	5.7	6.7	8.4	7.3	8.7	10.5

⁶ <https://www.mobitool.ch/fr/info/a-propos-de-mobitool-9.html>

⁷ <https://uic.org/>

⁸ http://ecopassenger.hafas.de/bin/help.exe/en?L=vs_uic&tpl=methodology

⁹ <https://www.acea.be/statistics/tag/category/passenger-car-fleet-by-fuel-type>

¹⁰ http://ecopassenger.org/bin/query.exe/en?id=uic-eco&L=vs_uic&OK#focus

¹¹ https://theict.org/sites/default/files/publications/ICCT_Pocketbook_2018_Final_20181205.pdf

2. It is assumed that all passengers would use the alternative means travelling 50% of their time along a motorway and the other 50% along rural roads and driving a medium-size car. Urban traffic is excluded, even if part of the alternative journey would happen inside a city, as the project financed do not include trams or metro. Even if the actual modal mix may be a much more complex mix of the three above modal utilization, it is deemed that a more detailed estimation at project level would not yield a material and significant increase of reliability of the final estimates. The data is summarized in Table 4.

Table 4 - Average car energy consumption for motorway and rural usage in the EU

	Average auto consumption		Travel %
	Diesel (l/100 km)	Petrol (l/100 km)	
Motorway	5.3	7.5	50%
Rural	4.5	5.8	50%
Average travel	4.9	6.7	

The average energy consumption for the travel for both petrol and diesel is calculated as follows:

Average Auto Consumption - Motorway = **ACM**

Average Auto Consumption - Rural = **ACR**

% of time traveled in a Motorway = **TM%** = 50%

% of time traveled in Rural roads = **TR%** = 50%

Average Auto Consumption - Travel = **ACT**

$$ACT = (ACM * TM\% + ACR * TR\%)$$

3. The mix diesel versus petrol cars of the European fleet is sourced from the most up-to-date date of the European cars manufacturers (ACEA) statistics⁹.

Table 5 Car energy mix in the EU

Mix % of the European fleet	
Petrol	53.9%
Diesel	42.0%
Other	4.1%

4. The average consumption is calculated with the following steps, with the diesel versus petrol mix and the average travel consumption as shown in Table 3, 4 and 5.

Average Diesel Auto Consumption – Travel = **ACTD** = 4.9 l/100km

Average Petrol Auto Consumption – Travel = **ACTP** = 6.7 l/100km

% of Diesel cars in the European Fleet = **DC%** = 42%

% of Petrol cars in the European Fleet = **PC%** = 53,9%

Average Auto Consumption = **AC**

$$AC = (ACTD * DC\% + ACTP * PC\%) / (PC\% + DC\%) =$$

$$[4.9*42\%+6.7*53.9\%] / (53.9\%+42\%) = 5.9 \text{ l/100km}$$

5. In order to calculate journey savings, the average European car utilization is assumed to be 1.5 passengers/car, as set by UIC¹⁰, with an average car weight of 1395 Kg., as per the European Vehicle Market Statistics pocketbook¹¹.

6. The online Mobitool¹², developed by the Swiss federal government and other public institutions, is used to set the baseline of the average car in the current stock, along with the above parameters in Table 6.

Table 6 - Inputs into Mobitool

Inputs to Mobitool	Values
Car occupancy	1.5 person per car
Consumption	5.9 l/100km
Weight	1395 Kg

If the baseline for a specific project is the transportation by car, in order to be consistent with the Scope 1 definition, only the consumption for the car itself and not any other side-costs (e.g., road construction, etc.) is considered in Mobitool (referred as "Direkter Betrieb"), with is 1.30 MJ/pkm.

7. If the baseline for a specific project is the another diesel train, the corresponding value (25.2 g/pkm) assumed by UIC from the Ecopassenger Methodology⁹ is translated in MJ/pkm, assuming a diesel heating value 45.5 MJ/Kg¹³.

$$[25.2 \text{ g/pkm}] * [45.5 \text{ MJ/1000g}] = 1.15 \text{ MJ/pkm}$$

8. The energy consumption baseline values are summarized in Table 7.

¹² <https://www.mobitool.ch/de/tools/vergleichsrechner-15.html>

¹³ <https://www.acea.be/news/article/differences-between-diesel-and-petrol>

Figure 1 - Mobitool Energy consumption of a car in the EU

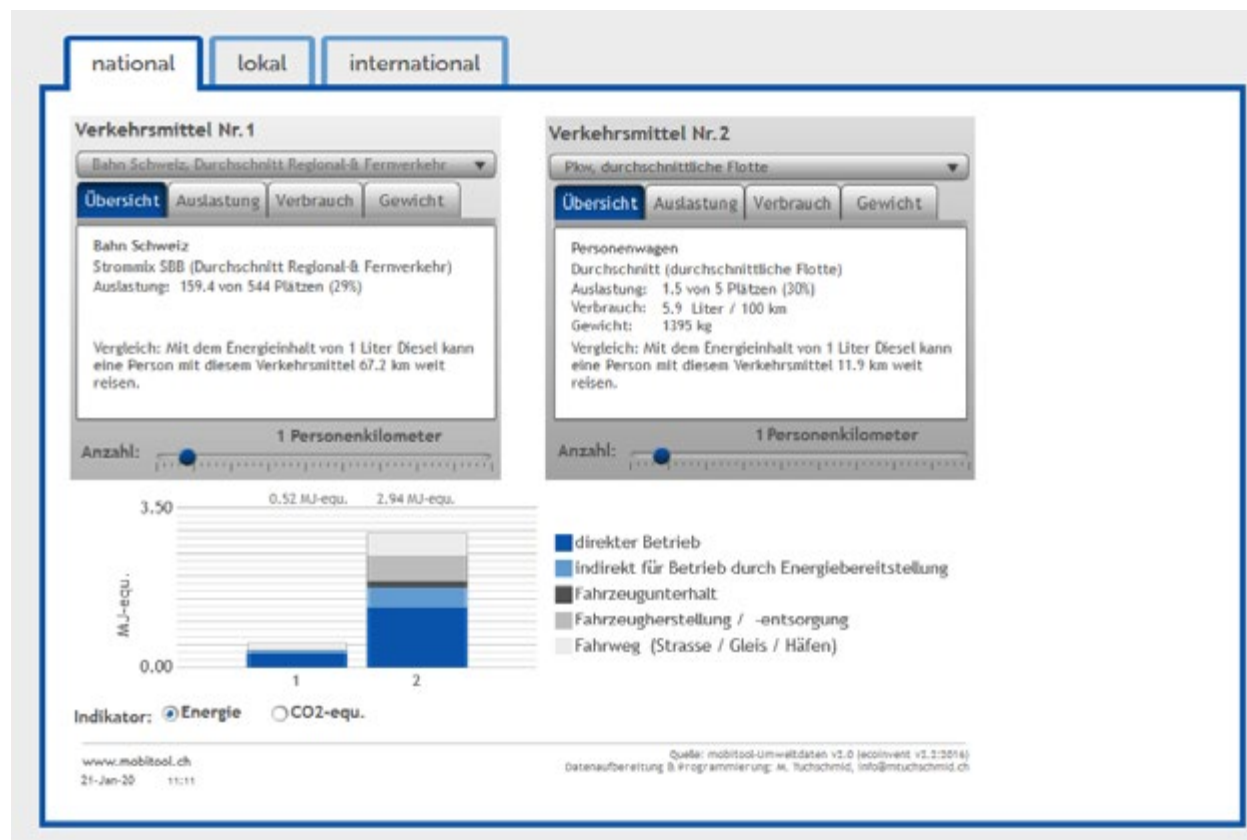


Table 7 - Energy consumption baselines

Projects denomination	Energy consumption	Alternative means of transportation	Baseline energy consumption
Additional electric rolling stock	Reduced/Avoided	Car	1.30 MJ/pkm
Renewal of electric with electric rolling stock	Avoided	Car	1.30 MJ/pkm
Renewal of diesel with electric rolling stock	Reduced	Diesel train	1.15 MJ/pkm
Retrofitting/modernization of electric rolling stock	Avoided	Car	1.30 MJ/pkm

ESTIMATION MODEL

Based on the assumptions above, the following model estimates the GHG emissions and energy savings.

A) CO₂ emissions savings

For an estimate of CO₂ savings, it is considered that the emissions of the financed rolling stock (electric trains) are assumed to be zero and they need to be compared to an estimate of the annual pollutant emissions of the baseline, for which the corresponding standard value per passenger-kilometre is publicly available.

The annual passenger-kilometre relevant to a specific item of equipment, either a train or a coach or a locomotive, is not a publicly available data, therefore requiring a separate estimate¹⁴.

The individual factors and assumptions for the above estimate are as follows:

1. The latest estimate of the passenger-kilometre by country from the European pocketbook on transportation¹⁵
2. The split of the traffic by mode of operation (Regional&Commuter and Intercity&High-Speed¹⁶) from SCI Verkehr GmbH¹⁷
3. Available seats by country and by mode of operations (Regional&Commuter and Intercity&HighSpeed) from SCI Verkehr GmbH
4. The value $[(\text{Passengers} \cdot \text{km}) / (\text{Available Seats})]$ by country and by mode of operations (Regional&Commuter and Intercity&HighSpeed); this value is assumed the same for all trains and lines in the relevant countries
5. The available seats of the single item of equipment is sourced from the rolling stock manufacturer or the corresponding railway operator¹⁸

6. In case of a locomotive pulling/pushing a set of passenger cars (i.e E464 and E403 of FS), the number of available seats depends on several factors¹⁹
 - a. the coaches carried, in terms of type, number and seats of the single coach.
 - b. the frequency of utilization of each configuration that is used.
 - c. the value of the locomotives as % of the value of the entire configuration, in case we finance only the locomotives.
 - d. the numbers of complete formations Loco-Coaches, in case we finance also the coaches.
 - e. the need to avoid the double counting of the savings.

7. The $[\text{Passengers} \cdot \text{km}]$ by item of equipment, and then the corresponding savings are derived as follows:

Passengers*kilometer by Item = pkmT

Passengers*kilometer by country/mode of operations = pkmC

Available seats by country/mode of operations = AvSC

Available seats by specific item = AvST

$\text{pkmT} = [\text{pkmC} / \text{AvSC}] \cdot \text{AvST}$

The "Avoided" emissions can be calculated as a difference between the emissions of the alternative means of transportation taken as baseline and the emissions of the green asset (which are zero, by definition, as defined in Scope 1):

Number of specific green items = $\#ST$

Baseline GhG emissions per pkm, avoided = $\text{EBA} = 290 \text{ gCO}_2/\text{vkm}$

Baseline GhG emissions per pkm, reduced = $\text{EBR} = 90 \text{ gCO}_2/\text{pkm}$

Passenger per vehicle = $\text{PV} = 1.5$

Project savings (CO₂) as reduced emissions = PSCDR

Project savings (CO₂) as avoided emission = PSCDA

$\text{PSCDA} = \sum [\text{pkmT} \cdot (\text{EBA}/\text{PV})]_{\#ST} - 0$

In case of "Reduced" emissions, they are quantified as follows:

$\text{PSCDR} = \sum [\text{pkmT} \cdot \text{EBR}]_{\#ST} - 0$

To provide more clarity, we add an example calculation, taking the savings generated by the 22 trains for the Zürich S-Bahn (14 Rabe 514 and 8 Rabe 511-6 cars, operated by SBB); we allocated to this project 183,4 ML€ for a 4.9 years project duration (see first line on the table at pag. 12 of the impact report; the tiny difference between this example and the table is due to rounding)

$\text{pkmC (CH)} = 7'188 \text{ Mpkm}$

$\text{AvSC (CH)} = 268'695$

$\text{AvST (Rabe 514)} = 384$

$\text{AvST (Rabe 511)} = 526$

$\text{PkmT (Rabe 514)} = (7'188/268'695) \cdot 384 = 10.27 \text{ Mpkm}$

$\text{PkmT (Rabe 511)} = (20'865/446'260) \cdot 526 = 14.07 \text{ Mpkm}$

$\#ST \text{ (Rabe 514)} = 14$

$\#ST \text{ (Rabe 511)} = 8$

$\text{EBA} = 290 \text{ gCO}_2/\text{vkm}$

$\text{PV} = 1.5$

$\text{PSCDA} = \{10.27 \cdot 10^6 \cdot [(290/1.5)/10^6] \cdot 14\} + \{14.07 \cdot 10^6 \cdot [(290/1.5)/10^6] \cdot 8\} - 0 = 49'559 \text{ tCO}_2$

¹⁴ The estimation of the passenger-kilometre of an item of equipment has been improved and made more realistic; instead of using the Pkm and available seats per country, we use the values specific both to the country and to the mode of Operation, Regional&Commuter or Intercity&High-Speed.

¹⁵ https://ec.europa.eu/transport/facts-fundings/statistics/pocketbook-2020_en

¹⁶ Regional&Commuter refers to the short and mid distance rail traffic, such as suburban, commuting in and out the main cities and regional areas. Intercity&High-Speed refers to long distance rail traffic, such as links between main cities, along important mainline or high-speed line connections.

¹⁷ This is a rail consulting company and specific values cannot be disclosed due to confidentiality.

¹⁸ The single values by Asset Class can be found in Annex 3 of the Impact report [[Link](#)]

The passengers cars carried, relevant configurations and frequency of utilizations, as well as the average book values of coaches and locomotive are provided by FS; a more detailed explanation on how we estimated the average seats by item is on the Annex 3 of the impact report [[Link](#)]

B) CH₄ and N₂O emissions savings

For an estimate of the CH₄ and N₂O savings, we make the same assumptions and follow almost the same methodology as for the CO₂ savings estimation: the emissions of the financed rolling stock (electric trains) are assumed to be zero and they need to be compared to an estimate of the annual pollutant emissions of the baseline. Differently from CO₂ savings estimation, we derived the savings from the energy consumption, as we could find more reliable sources of emissions by energy unit of measurement and type of fuel²⁰.

The values are summarized on this table, where we add the estimated % of usage between petrol and diesel (in Table 5)

Table 8 -Emission factors for CH₄ and N₂O by type of fuel and by unity of energy

Fuel	Energy unit	kg/kWh (CH ₄)	kg/kWh (N ₂ O)	% diesel/petrol
Petrol	kWh (Gross CV)	0.00071	0.00064	53.9%
Diesel	kWh (Gross CV)	0.00002	0.00331	42.0%

The estimation is based on the following definitions and steps:

Energy consumption baseline per pkm, car = JBC = 1.30 MJ/pkm
 Energy consumption baseline per pkm, diesel equipment = JBD = 1.15 MJ/pkm
 Passengers*kilometer by green item = pkmT
 Number of specific green items = #ST
 CH₄ emitted by energy unit- Petrol = CKwhP=0.00071 Kg/kwh
 CH₄ emitted by energy unit- Diesel = CKwhD=0.0002 Kg/kwh
 N₂O emitted by energy unit- Petrol = NKwhP=0.00064 Kg/kwh
 N₂O emitted by energy unit- Diesel = NKwhD=0.00331 Kg/kwh
 % of Diesel cars in the European Fleet =DC% =42%
 % of Petrol cars in the European Fleet =PC% =53,9%
 Project savings (CH₄) as avoided emission = PSMHA
 Project savings (CH₄) as reduced emissions = PSMHR
 Project savings (N₂O) as avoided emission = PSNOA
 Project savings (N₂O) as reduced emissions = PSNOR

Avoided emissions

1) We calculate the Energy consumption of the average car taken as baseline, as the product of JBC and pkmT
 2) We assume that the energy is split by Diesel and Petrol based on the % of the numbers of vehicles²¹
 3) We calculate then the emissions avoided based on parameter above, with the following formulas:

$$PSMHA = \sum [pkmT * JBC * (CKwhP * PC\% + CKwhD * DC\%)] \#ST - 0$$

$$PSNOA = \sum [pkmT * JBC * (NKwhP * PC\% + NKwhD * DC\%)] \#ST - 0$$

Reduced emissions

1) We calculate the Energy consumption of the diesel train as baseline, as the product of JBD and pkmT
 2) We calculate then the emissions avoided based on parameters above, with the following formulas

$$PSMHR = \sum [pkmT * JBD * CKwhD] \#ST - 0$$

$$PSNOR = \sum [pkmT * JBD * NKwhD] \#ST - 0$$

As above, also here we add an example calculation, taking the CH₄ savings generated by the 22 trains for the Zürich S-Bahn (14 Rabe 514 and 8 Rabe 511-6 cars, operated by SBB); we allocated to this project 183,4 ML€ for a 4.9 years project duration (see first line on the table at pag. 12)

$$PkmT [Rabe 514] = 10.27 \text{ Mpkm}$$

$$PkmT [Rabe 511] = 14.07 \text{ Mpkm}$$

$$JBA = 1.30 \text{ MJ/pkm}$$

$$\#ST [Rabe 514] = 14$$

$$\#ST [Rabe 511] = 8$$

$$CKwhP = 0.00071 \text{ Kg/kwh}$$

$$CKwhD = 0.0002 \text{ Kg/kwh}$$

$$DC\% = 42\%$$

$$PC\% = 53.9\%$$

$$PSMHA = (10.27 * 10^6 * 14 + 14.07 * 10^6 * 8) * 1,3 / 3,6 * (0.00071 * 53.9 / 100 + 0.0002 * 42 / 100) / 1000 = 36.2 \text{ tCH}_4$$

²⁰ The data are taken from the following table: Conversion factors 2020: condensed set (for most users) <https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/greenhouse-gas-reporting-conversion-factors-2020>

²¹ This assumption does not consider that the diesel cars have a better efficiency and generate less consumption, which means the Methane is overestimated and the Nitrous Oxide underestimated; however, we deem the margin of error as minimal and with a negligible impact on the magnitude of the savings.

C) Energy consumption savings

In this case the energy consumed by the green asset is not zero and must be estimated as well through publicly available data: in the case the green asset is a passenger coach, we assume the consumption of the locomotive(s) that pull/push them. The energy consumption of the alternative means of transportation is calculated based on other available data (i.e., pkm by item of equipment and energy consumed by pkm).

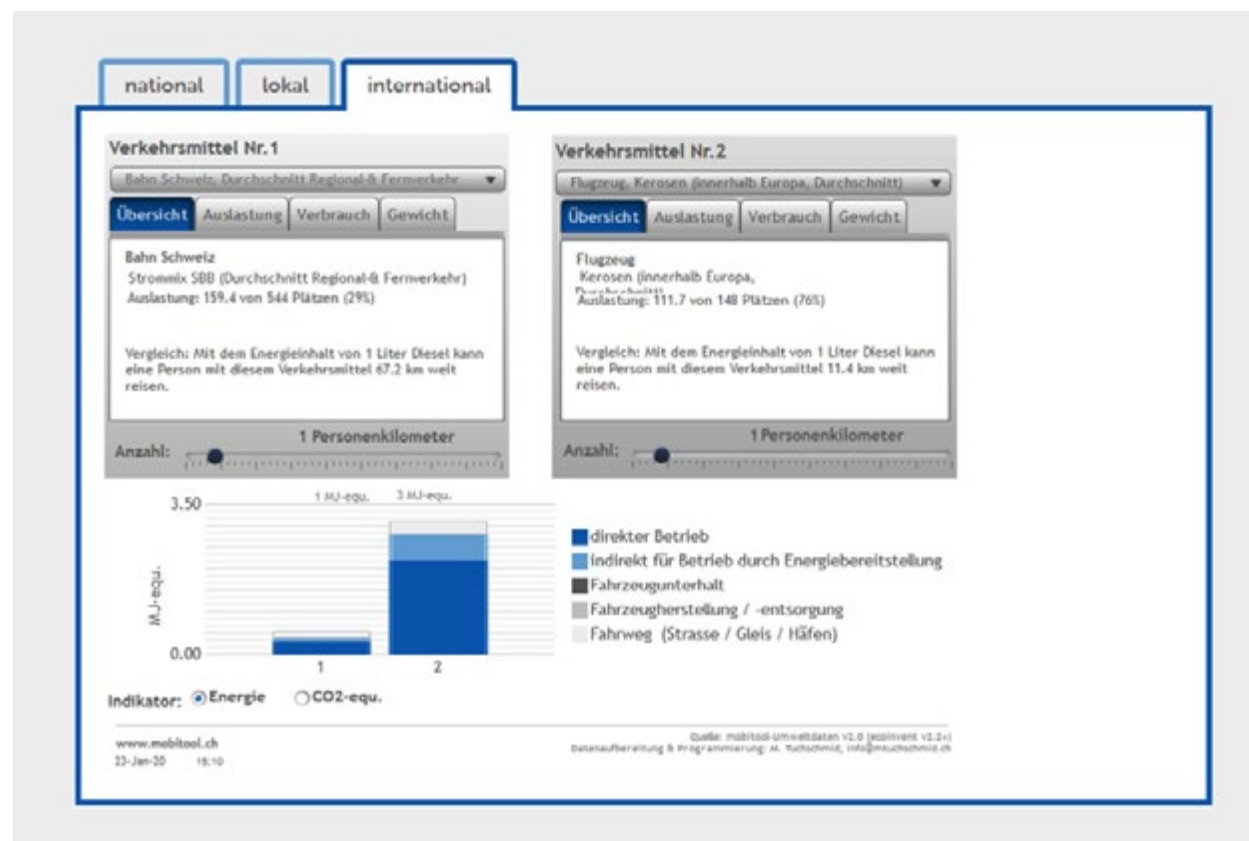
The methodology to estimate the energy saved by the train or project is as follows:

1. When specific rail rolling stock data is not available, the average values by country or the European average are taken, even if there may be differences across specific rolling stock items²².
2. The energy consumption data for Austria, Switzerland, Germany, France and Italy is available in Mobitool as well as the average load factors (actual passengers per available seat) per country. The consumption considered is that of the train ("direkter Betrieb") only as in Figure 2.

Table 8 - Average Load factor defined in Mobitool as default parameters

Country	Mode	Load factor
Germany	Average Regional/Intercity	43%
France	Average Regional/Intercity	38%
Italy	Average Regional/Intercity	31%
Austria	Average Regional/Intercity	37%
Switzerland	Average Regional/Intercity	29%

Figure 2 - Mobitool example for Switzerland



²² This simplification is deemed to have no significant or material impact on the final impact estimation at a portfolio level.

3. The average energy consumption of rail rolling stock in other countries is based on the average value of 88.2 Wh/pkm, as in the Ecopassenger Methodology⁸.

$$(88.2 \text{ Wh/pkm}) * 3.6/1000 = 0.32 \text{ MJ/pkm}$$

4. The energy consumed by the green asset is summarized in Table 9.

Table 9 - Energy consumed by the green asset by country

Country	Green Asset average energy consumption (MJ/pkm)	Source
Germany	0.42	Mobitool.ch
France	0.32	Mobitool.ch
Italy	0.39	Mobitool.ch
Austria	0.42	Mobitool.ch
Switzerland	0.29	Mobitool.ch
Others	0.32	UIC Ecopassengers

5. The energy saved in a year is derived, both as “Reduced” and as “Avoided”, as a difference between the energy consumed by the alternative means of transportation taken as baseline and the energy consumed by the green asset.

Numbers of specific green items = #ST

Energy consumption baseline per pkm, car = JBC = 1.30 MJ/pkm

Energy consumption baseline per pkm, diesel equipment = JBD = 1.15 MJ/pkm

Average Energy Consumption of the Green Asset per pkm = JGA

Passengers per kilometer by item = pkmT

Project savings as avoided energy consumption = PSJA

Project savings as reduced energy consumption = PSJR

$$PSJA = \sum [(JBC - JGA) * pkmT]_{\#ST}$$

$$PSJR = \sum [(JBD - JGA) * pkmT]_{\#ST}$$

To provide more clarity, we add also here an example calculation, taking the energy savings generated by the same 22 trains for the Zürich S-Bahn (14 Rabe 514 and 8 Rabe 511-6 cars, operated by SBB); see first line on the Table Impact Report page 12.

JBC = 1.30 MJ/pkm

JGA = 0.29 MJ/pkm

pkmC (CH) = 7'188 Mpkm

AvSC (CH) = 268'695

AvST (Rabe 514) = 384

AvST (Rabe 511) = 526

PkmT (Rabe 514) = (7'188/268'695)*384=10.27 Mpkm

PkmT (Rabe 511) = (7'188/268'695)*526=14.07 Mpkm

#ST (Rabe 514) = 14

#ST (Rabe 511) = 8

PSJA = {[(1.3-0.29)/(3600*10³)]*10.27*10⁶}*14 + {[(1.3-0.29)/(3600*10³)]*14.07*10⁶}*8 = 71.9 GWh

D) Estimated reduction in fuel consumption.

We derived this data from the energy consumption, using the Heating values²³ and the % of diesel and petrol vehicles in Table 5, to translate the energy into liters of fuel

The Heating values are in the following Table 14.

Table 14 – Average Heating values of diesel and petrol fuel

Fuel	Heating Value (MJ/l)	% diesel/petrol
Petrol	33.9	53.9%
Diesel	36.7	42.0%

The assumptions, the steps to estimate the reduction of liters of fuels and relevant formulas are the following:

1) Take the savings in terms of energy consumption of the single project

2) Divide the savings by the heating value, weighting diesel and petrol with the relevant % in terms of numbers of vehicle, in case of avoided energy consumption²⁴

3) Divide the savings by the diesel heating value, in case of reduced energy consumption

Project savings as avoided energy consumption = PSJA

Project savings as reduced energy consumption = PSJR

% of Diesel cars in the European Fleet =DC% =42%

% of Petrol cars in the European Fleet =PC% =53,9%

Heating value by liter Petrol=HVP=33.9 MJ/l

Heating value by liter Diesel=HVD=36.7 MJ/l

Reduction in fuel consumption- Avoided=RFCA

Reduction in fuel consumption- Reduced=RFCR

$RFCA = PSJA / (HVP * PC\% + HVD * DC\%)$

$RFCR = PSJR / HVD$

To provide more clarity, we add also here an example calculation, taking the fuel litres reduction generated by the same 22 trains for the Zürich S-Bahn (14 Rabe 514 and 8 Rabe 511-6 cars, operated by SBB); see first line on the table at pag. 12

PSJA = 71.9 GWh

$RFCA = (71.9 * 10^3 * 3600) / (33.9 * 53.9 / 100 + 36.7 * 42 / 100) / 10^6 = 7.7 \text{ MI}$

²³ <https://www.acea.be/news/article/differences-between-diesel-and-petrol>

²⁴ This assumption does not consider that the diesel cars have a better efficiency, therefore they need less liters to generate the same energy: which means the liters reduced are slightly overestimated. However, we deem the margin of error as minimal and with a negligible impact on the magnitude of the reduction of fuel

