

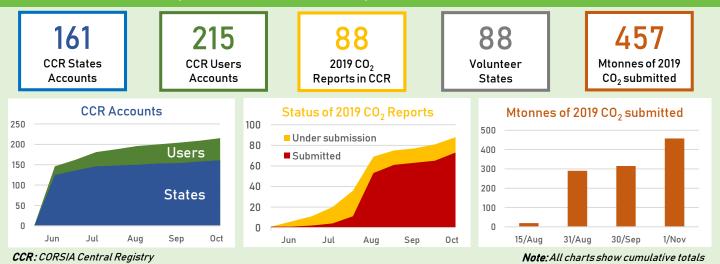




The Carbon Offsetting and Reduction Scheme for International Aviation (CORSIA) is the first global market-based scheme that applies to a sector, and complements other aviation in-sector emissions reductions efforts such as technological innovations, operational improvements and sustainable fuels to meet ICAO aspirational goal of carbon neutral growth.

Under CORSIA, all States that have aeroplane operators that perform international flights are required to monitor, report and verify (MRV) CO_2 emissions from these flights every year from 2019. In addition to annual CO_2 MRV, 88 States have volunteered to participate in offsetting CO_2 emissions under CORSIA from its pilot phase starting in 2021.

CORSIA in Numbers (As of 1 November 2020)



CORSIA Eligible Fuels

Two Sustainability Certification Schemes (SCSs) applied to perform the sustainability certification of CORSIA eligible fuels. Their technical evaluation was finalized, and will be considered by the Council for approval. More details on this evaluation process are provided here.

CORSIA Eligible Emissions Units

The Technical Advisory Body (TAB) finalized the assessment of 10 applicants under its second assessment cycle, for consideration by the Council on CORSIA eligible emissions units. More details on the TAB work programme until the end of 2020 are provided here.

CORSIA Capacity Building

ACT-CORSIA: The Assistance, Capacity Building and Training programme on CORSIA, established in June 2018, encompasses the CORSIA Buddy Partnerships, and all ICAO outreach initiatives including sample model regulations for CORSIA, frequently asked questions (FAQs), brochures, leaflets, videos as well as CORSIA seminars/webinars and online tutorials.

ACT-CORSIA Buddy Partnerships: The core of capacity building relies on individual training of CORSIA Focal Points and involves experts from a total of 131 States. In October 2020, the United Republic of Tanzania was supported bringing the total number of supported States under Phase III to 55. More information can be found here.

ICAO Aviation Green Recovery (AGR) Seminar - Virtual, 23 and 24 November 2020

The ICAO Aviation Green Recovery (AGR) Seminar will take place as an online event on 23-24 November 2020. More information can be found here.

"Navigating CORSIA — A guide to the scheme's design and implementation": Prior to the AGR Seminar, the Secretariat will share information on CORSIA to help the Seminar's participants understand better the CORSIA's design and implementation status. This will consist of a series of pre-recorded presentations that will be published on the ICAO web site.