

SBTi Target Validation Announcement

Climate change is one of the most pressing and existential threats to our industry, society and the economy. We all must do our part to reduce greenhouse gas (GHG) emissions and support each other through collaborative and collective action. The urgency of action cannot be overstated. The recent IPCC reports highlight a need to dramatically reduce GHG emissions in the near-term to have any chance of keeping global warming below 1.5°C.

We are pleased to announce the SBTi has approved TAL Apparel's near and long-term science-based emission reduction targets. TAL Apparel Limited commits to reach net-zero GHG emissions across the value chain by 2050. Specifically, TAL Apparel Ltd commits to reduce absolute scope 1 and 2 GHG emissions 90% by 2050 from a 2018 base year. TAL Apparel Ltd also commits to reduce absolute scope 3 GHG emissions from purchased goods and services, employee commuting, and downstream transportation and distribution 90% within the same timeframe.

To ensure we are on the right path to achieve our long-term target, TAL Apparel Ltd commits to reduce absolute scope 1 and 2 GHG emissions 50.4% by 2030 from a 2018 base year. TAL Apparel Ltd also commits to reduce absolute scope 3 GHG emissions from purchased goods and services 30% within the same timeframe.

Our priority is meeting our near-term GHG target. Our GHG reduction strategy focuses on reducing our direct emissions from scope 1 and scope 2, and supporting our supply chain partners to achieve their own scope 1 and 2 emission reductions, thereby supporting the reduction of TAL's scope 3 GHG emissions.

As proud members of the Fashion Industry Charter for Climate Action, Cascale, and the Textile Exchange, we strongly believe in the need for collective action to holistically reduce GHG emissions across our industry and the economy. We call on our industry colleagues and peers to join us and make climate action a priority. Together we can keep global warming below 1.5°C.

About SBTi

The Science Based Targets initiative (SBTi) is a collaboration between CDP, the United Nations Global Compact, World Resources Institute (WRI) and the World Wide Fund for Nature (WWF). The SBTi defines and promotes best practice in science-based target setting and independently assesses companies' targets.

About TAL Apparel

Founded in 1947, TAL has established itself as a leading global garment manufacturer with a strong commitment to innovation, sustainability, and customer satisfaction. A trusted partner for fashion brands worldwide, TAL is proudly leading the transition to a sustainable future. Since 2009 TAL has tracked its GHG footprint. You can read more about our climate action journey in our sustainability reports which can be found here: [Sustainability Reports - TAL Apparel](https://www.talapparel.com/sustainability-reports)