

Medium to Long Term Goal for Data Disaggregation

Where possible, it is preferable to align responsibility for GHG emissions with the company's overall business management system. That is, if the Mill Manager has overall responsibility for operations, costs, and environmental issues associated with mill operations, then (s)he should also have responsibility for managing GHG emissions from that business unit. A manager can only make informed decisions that impact emissions levels if (s)he has detailed information on sources and relative quantities of GHG emissions for the specific division or business unit in question. By disaggregating data to the operating unit or unit process level, a company can provide its managers with the information required to make informed decisions that consider the potential impact on GHG emission levels. For companies that are not currently able to disaggregate energy consumption and other sources of GHG emissions beyond the facility level, it might be appropriate to set a medium to long term goal of achieving this level of GHG management.