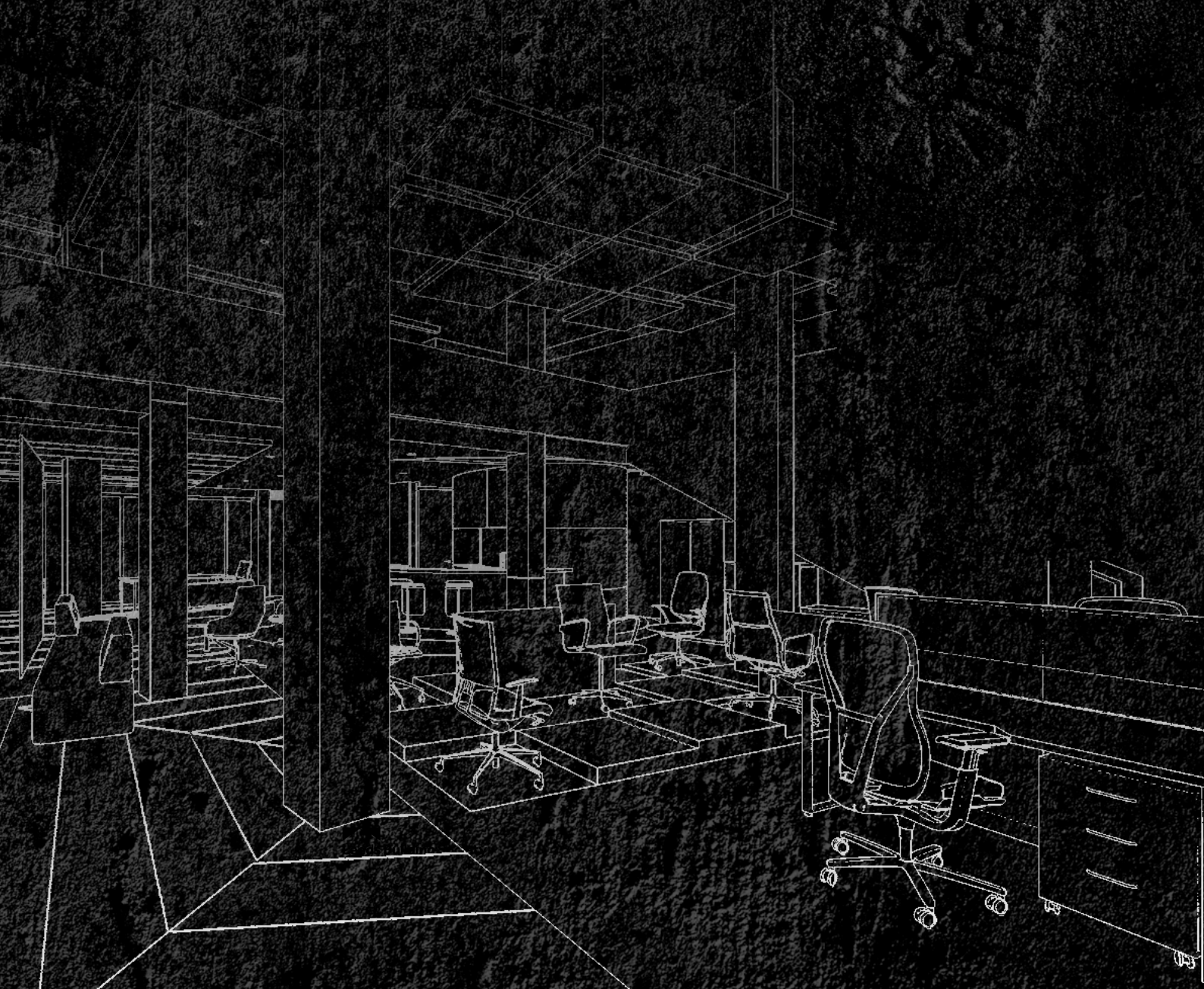
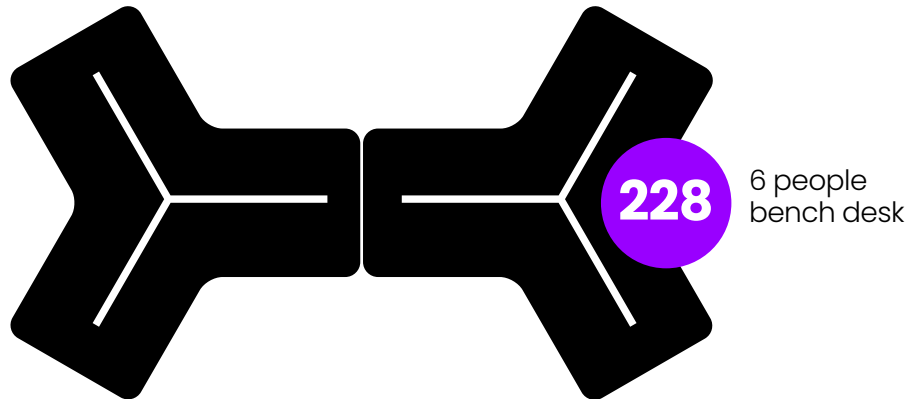
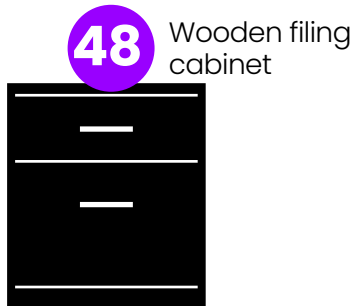
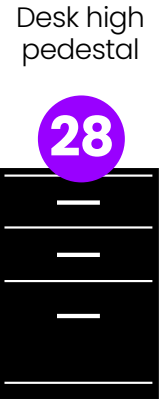
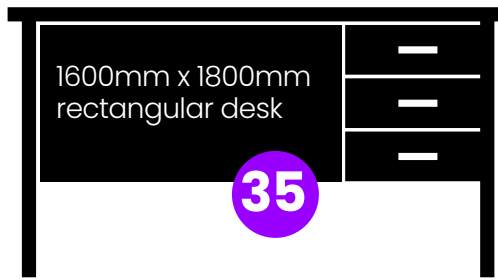


Business Moves Group carbon saving



Business Moves Group is a leading provider of re-use, recycling, and resource recovery solutions. We support our clients to vastly reduce their carbon emissions through smart, sustainable furniture management.

Estimated average carbon footprint (kgCO₂e)

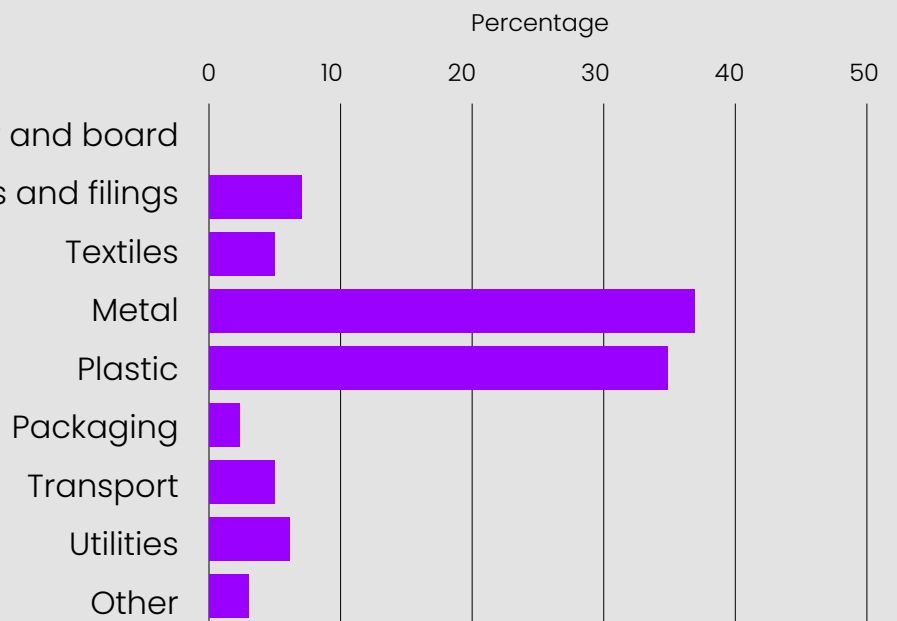


The estimated average carbon footprint of common office furniture items



TASK CHAIR

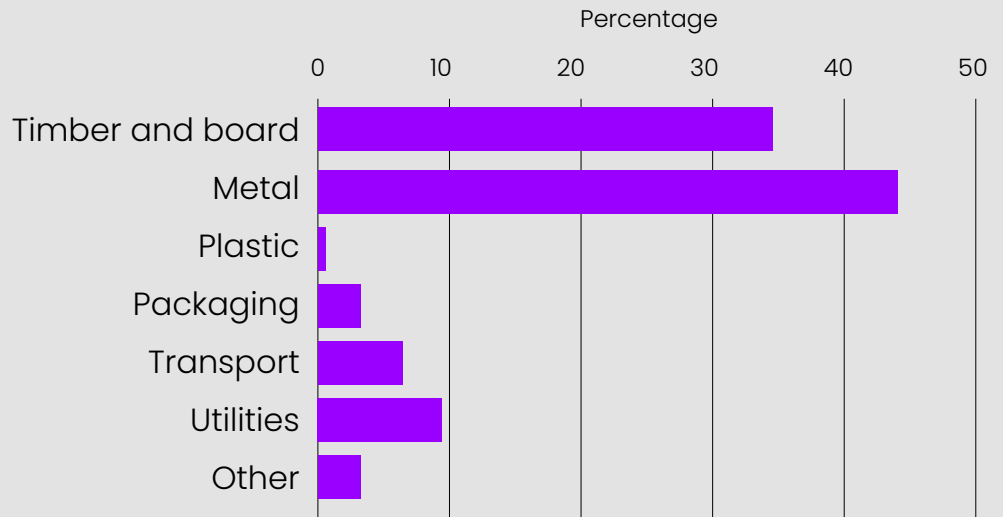
The average carbon footprint of materials in an office chair





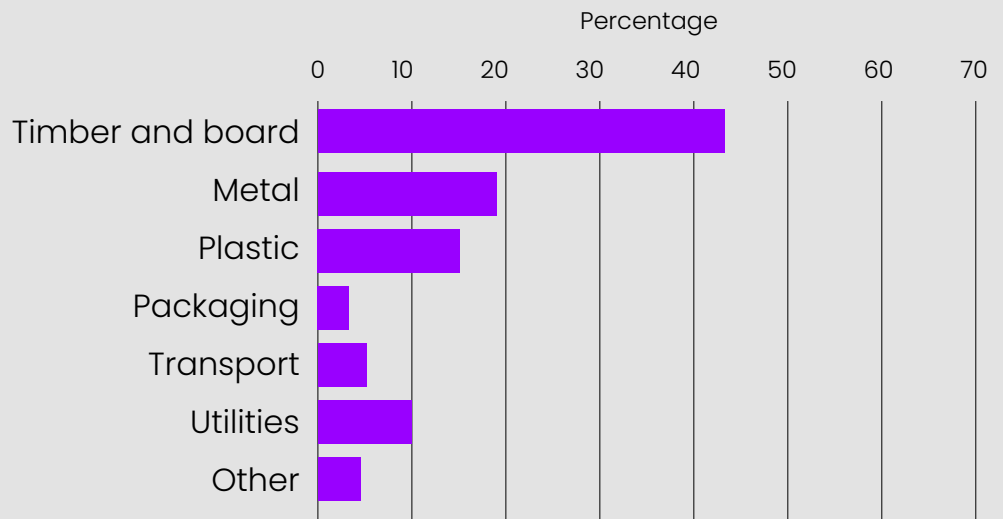
OFFICE DESK

The average carbon footprint of a 1600mm x 1800mm rectangular desk



DESK HIGH PEDESTAL

The average carbon footprint of materials in a desk high pedestal / filing cabinet



These tables show the average carbon footprint of common office furniture, as well as the materials that account for the most carbon output. For every item that can be reused or recycled, businesses can make a significant impact on overall climate emissions.

We divert unwanted furniture from going to landfill by refurbishing, selling or donating. For items at the end of their life cycle, we work with partners to ensure that all separate materials are recovered and recycled.

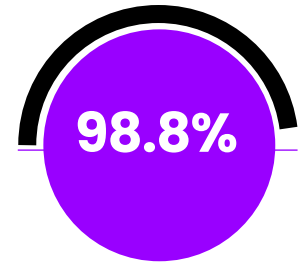
We divert unwanted furniture from going to landfill

Case studies

Telecommunications client



We removed 4,200 items of furniture including chairs, desks, tables, cabinets and metal frameworks. 98.8% was diverted from landfill via reusing, recycling, donating and storing. We also sold 1,380 items and rebated back to the client.

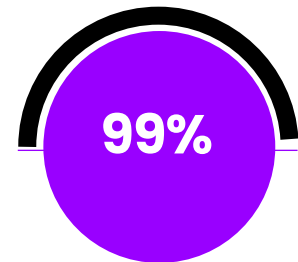


Diverted from landfill

Financial client



We removed 63 tonnes of items that included trade waste, industrial waste, mixed recyclables, timber waste and glass. We diverted more than 99% from landfill, leading to a much lower carbon footprint.



Diverted from landfill

Carbon saving

Each time a new piece of furniture is manufactured it comes with a carbon cost. This is known as embodied carbon and includes the carbon footprint of making the materials, transporting them, and manufacturing the item.

So, whenever an existing piece of furniture is reused, sold or donated, that makes a big impact. At our telecommunications client, 100 items were reused and another 460 relocated for use in Ireland. That alone allowed us to save around 20,000 (kgCO₂e) from buying new furniture.

We provide detailed reports to all of our clients to show exactly what we have recycled and the end location of those materials. We also provide figures on carbon emissions and help clients determine how much they have saved.

We all have a responsibility to reduce our carbon emissions. BMG can support your business to hit its goals and become more sustainable.

*Carbon footprint data for chairs, desks and storage items is from the FIRA 'Benchmarking carbon footprints of furniture products' report.

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