

**DID YOU KNOW?** The livestock industry is responsible for 18% of all greenhouse gas emissions from human activities.

That's more than all the world's cars, trucks, trains, planes and boats combined!

UN's Food & Agriculture Organisation (2006)

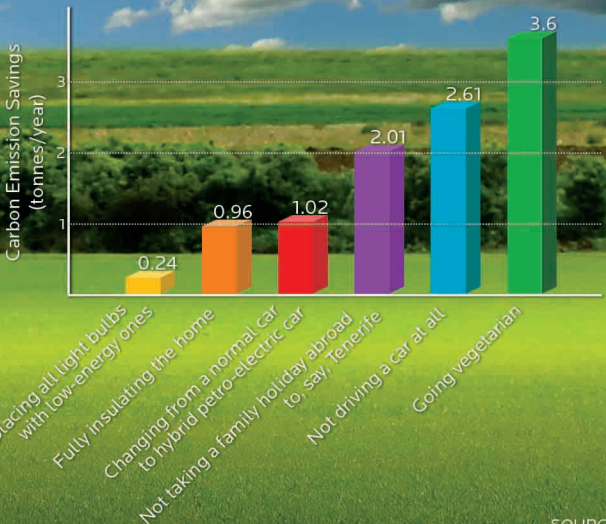
Carbon emissions damage our environment and are a leading cause of climate change.

There are many ways to reduce your carbon footprint and help protect and sustain our planet.

**BUT WHICH HAS THE GREATEST IMPACT?**

Consider the scientific evidence and decide for yourself.

Carbon emission-savings for an average British household over a year



SOURCES:

ACT ON CO2 (UK Government)

Carbon Footprint UK

Climate Change: The UK Programme 2006, DEFRA (UK Government)

Compassion in World Farming

How to Live a Low-Carbon Life:

The Individual's Guide to Stopping Climate Change (EarthScan)

Meat the Truth: The Contribution of Meat Consumption in the UK to Climate Change,

Institute for Environmental Studies (VU University of Amsterdam)

Office for National Statistics (UK Government)

Toyota GB

“The best solution [to the climate change crisis] would be for us all to become vegetarians.”

– YVO DE BOER

Executive Secretary of the UN's  
Framework Convention on Climate Change

Being a vegetarian  
is probably the single biggest contribution  
you can make towards helping save and care for  
our deteriorating environment.

By committing today to a meat-free diet,  
all of us – *together* – we can make our world  
a safer, more sustainable and compassionate home  
for us,  
our children,...  
and for many more generations to come.



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