

## About MarramWind Offshore Windfarm

The proposed MarramWind Offshore Windfarm will consist of floating wind turbines. Situated in deep waters approximately 75km off the northeast coast of Scotland at its nearest point, the turbines will be barely visible from shore.



The renewable electricity generated by MarramWind will play a pivotal role in achieving Scottish and UK net zero targets for 2045 and 2050, while supporting energy security and promoting energy innovation.

MarramWind is being developed with sustainability embedded as a core value throughout the full project lifecycle, from development through to construction, operation and maintenance, and decommissioning. We are adopting a strategic approach, reflective of ScottishPower and Shell's sustainability targets and applicable policies. We have identified four sustainability key priority areas:

- **1. Emissions Reduction:** we are committed to minimising, monitoring and measuring our greenhouse gas emissions where feasible.
- **2. Embedding Circularity:** our ambition is to utilise resources and materials efficiently and optimise reuse and recycling across the project lifecycle.
- **3. Nature Positive Development:** we are committed to ensuring negative effects on biodiversity are avoided and mitigated and that the project has an overall positive benefit on biodiversity.
- **4. Optimising Social and Economic Performance:** we will seek to maximise the project's net economic effect and support local and regional economic priorities where feasible, including employment and skills development and associated business and supply chain opportunities.

We are adopting a holistic approach to sustainability, with all key priorities considered together. For each key priority area, we are reviewing options for enhancing sustainability, including exploring existing design options, new technologies and partnership opportunities. We will undertake studies to further explore and select which options can be taken forward. By adopting this approach, MarramWind will strive for an optimised sustainability performance that will benefit the environment and local communities.



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