



# Meta's European data centres

Our data centres are part of Meta's global infrastructure that brings our technologies and services to life.



## Combined impact of:

Odense Data Centre (Denmark) • Clonee Data Centre (Ireland) • Luleå Data Centre (Sweden)

### €2.5B+

Data centre investment in Europe

### 900+

Operational jobs supported

### €5B+

Cumulative economic impact (2011-2018) across the three countries that continues to support local jobs and businesses

### €12M+

Direct grants and funding to communities where our data centres are located

### 500+

Grants and sponsorships provided to support projects led by not-for-profits and schools

### 723.8MW

New wind and solar energy that Meta-supported projects are adding to local grids in Denmark, Ireland, and Norway to match our data centres' electricity use with 100% clean and renewable energy

## We prioritise sustainability



Meta's goal is to be water positive in 2030, where we restore more water than we consume.



Our data centres' electricity use is matched with 100% clean and renewable energy, and our global operations have reached net zero emissions.



Our data centre buildings achieve LEED® certification by focusing on efficiency, sustainability and innovation.



Meta's global fleet of data centres support our technologies that empower more than 3 billion people around the world to share ideas, offer support and make a difference. We have three data centres in Europe and offices in 27 European cities.

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## Supporting local schools and nonprofits

We support the community through our annual Data Centre Community Action Grants programme and other direct funding for projects that put the power of technology to use for community benefit, give people the power to build strong, sustainable communities, and improve STEAM education. We have provided €10M+ in funding to support more than 400 projects in Meath, Ireland; Luleå, Sweden; and Odense, Denmark. This includes supporting technology equipment for schools, programming for community groups to bridge the digital divide, and STEM labs, makerspaces and sustainability centres. The Odense Data Centre won the 2023 Danish Data Center Industry Award in the category “Contribution to Society,” highlighting our commitment to the long-term vitality of Odense.



## Working toward our net zero emissions goal

Our goal is to reach net zero emissions across our global value chain in 2030. The operations of our data centres have already reached net zero emissions, and our data centers’ electricity use is matched with 100% clean and renewable energy through our strategy of adding renewables to the local grid, which also helps decarbonise the electricity system.



## Prioritising sustainability

We approach sustainability from the ground up — from design and construction to operations — by prioritising energy efficiency and renewable energy, water stewardship, and responsibly managing the end of life of our equipment. Our data centre buildings also achieve LEED® Gold certification once operational – LEED® (Leadership in Energy and Environmental Design) is the world’s most widely used green building rating system. In recognition of its sustainability and energy efficiency, the Clonee Data Centre won Ireland’s Green Construction Award in 2019, and the Odense Data Centre was a recipient of the 2021 Green Data Centre of the Year Award from the Data Centre World (DCW) Awards.



## Promoting transparency, sustainability and innovation

We design the hardware in our data centres to be hyper-efficient, and we’ve shared the full physical layers of our data centre stack with the community through the Open Compute Project to drive efficiency improvements across the industry. We also publish our progress toward our sustainability goals, and water and energy consumption, in our annual sustainability report.

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## We’re proud to support community projects led by:

- ABCD Budokai
- Allerup Gamle Have
- Bedre Psykiatri
- Beskæftigelses - Og Socialforvaltningen, Odense
- Børn- og Ungeforvaltningen
- Børnene i Robotbyen
- Carlanstown Kilbeg Community Development
- CoderDojo
- Coding Pirates
- County Meath Chamber
- Cultúr Migrants Centre
- Down Syndrome Ireland Louth/Meath
- Dunboyne Community Centre
- Dunboyne Playspace Forum
- Fonden for Entreprenørskab
- Företagarna
- Frivilligcenter Odense
- Grow It Yourself
- Harads Bibliotek
- H.C. Andersen Festivals
- High5Girls
- Højby Billard Klub
- Højmeskolen
- Involve Youth Project Meath
- Irish Wheelchair Association, Meath
- Løkkehus Børnehjem
- Louth & Meath Education and Training Board
- Luleå Business Region
- Luleå kommun/Avdelningen för Bibliotek och Konst
- Luleå Kulturskola
- Luleå Makerspace
- Luleå Tekniska Universitet
- Matematikcenter
- Meath Libraries
- Meath Women’s Refuge and Support Services
- Natteravnene
- Nedsat Syn
- Odense Hackerspace
- Odense Kommune
- The O’Town Garage
- Rädde Barnens Riksförbund
- Red Barnet Odense
- Respect Vollsmose
- RFSL Luleå
- Social Sundhed
- Socialforvaltningen
- Syddansk Universitet
- Teknikens Hus
- Teknologiskolen
- Ungdomshuset
- VildaKidz
- And 80+ public schools across Odense (Denmark), Meath (Ireland), and Luleå and Norrbotten (Sweden)