

CLARIFICATION TO CDM TOOL32 POSITIVE LISTS OF TECHNOLOGIES

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This document provides clarifications applicable to Clean Development Mechanism (CDM) *TOOL32 Positive lists of technologies, v4.0* when used under the VCS Program. Such clarifications are effective on their issuance date. Project proponents and validation/verification bodies (VVBs) shall apply and interpret *TOOL32, v4.0* consistent with the clarifications set out in this document.

Correction/ Clarification	Description	Document and Section Reference
Clarification 1	Validity and grace period for the application of the tool	CDM <i>TOOL32, v4.0</i> , Section 2.2, Applicability

1 CLARIFICATION 1

Clarification:

Section 2.2, Applicability, Paragraph 6 states:

The positive lists as contained in section 5 of this tool are valid up to 10 March 2025. Notwithstanding the provisions on the validity of new, revised and previous versions of methodologies and methodological tools in the “Procedure: Development, revision and clarification of baseline and monitoring methodologies and methodological tools”, there will be no grace period for the application of this tool and the validity of the positive list after this date, including in cases where further technologies are added to the positive list through revisions of this tool before this date.

Update 21 November 2025:

~~Projects using *TOOL32 v4.0* must conclude validation and submit a request for registration by 30 September 2025.~~

- Projects using *TOOL32 v4.0* in combination with *ACM0001 Flaring or use of landfill gas, v19.0* or *AMS-III.G. Landfill methane recovery, v10.0* must have been listed as "under

validation" on the Verra Registry by 21 November 2025 and must submit a registration request by 31 May 2026.

- All other new projects using *TOOL32 v4.0* must have concluded validation and submitted a registration request by 30 September 2025.

Background:

Verra plans to review *TOOL32, v4.0* prior to 30 September 2025, in accordance with Section 5 of the *Methodology Development and Review Process v4.4*.

Update 21 November 2025:

Verra has completed the review of *TOOL32 v4.0*. Following the review, Verra decided that:

- *TOOL32* will not be revised or replaced at this time.
- an amended positive list for landfill gas projects is incorporated into *VMR0016 Flaring or Use of Landfill Gas v1.0*.
- a grace period applies for the use of *TOOL32 v4.0* for projects seeking registration under *ACM0001 v19.0* or *AMS-III.G v10.0*.