EcoVadis & IAEG Aerospace Sustainability Assessments: Cost & Reality

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Verification & Authority Baseline: Voluntary buyer-invited ESG rating under the International Aerospace Environmental Group (IAEG) 'One Assessment, Share with All' model. Not a law or federal regulation. Published EcoVadis 1-year baseline pricing starts at ~$1,179/yr (Basic) to ~$6,979/yr (Corporate) for <=25 employees, scaling by headcount.



EcoVadis Plan (<=25 Employees)	Published 1-Yr Rate	Key Capability
Carbon Rating (Invite)	~$299 / yr	Scope 1/2 carbon scorecard & estimator only
Basic	~$1,179 / yr	Full 4-pillar scorecard; share inside EcoVadis network only
Premium	~$1,949 / yr	Medals/badges eligible + external scorecard sharing
Select / Corporate	~$5,449 – $6,979 / yr	Priority review / multi-entity group consolidation

Who Issues This Ask, Authority, and Binding Status

EcoVadis invitations reach Washington space suppliers when an IAEG member OEM (such as Boeing, Airbus, Lockheed Martin, RTX, Safran, or Leonardo) requests a standardized corporate sustainability scorecard under IAEG's **'One Assessment, Share with All'** model.

EcoVadis is a **voluntary commercial rating platform**, not a statutory or regulatory mandate. It becomes a commercial gate only when a prime makes an active EcoVadis scorecard a condition of bidding or maintaining preferred-supplier status. Dead-rule boundary: EcoVadis includes optional carbon/Scope 3 questions, but **no US federal FAR or DoD rule mandates EcoVadis or Scope 3 reporting** following the January 13, 2025 withdrawal of FAR `Case 2021-015` (`90 FR`

2663).

Evidence Required & Published Small-Supplier Cost

Suppliers complete an online questionnaire across four pillars—**Environment, Labor & Human Rights, Ethics, and Sustainable Procurement**—backed by documentary policies, training logs, and KPIs (not unverified assertions). Suppliers typically receive up to 6 weeks to fill out the questionnaire before paying to submit.

Per EcoVadis's published pricing for micro-enterprises (25 or fewer employees, 1-year term, excluding taxes): **Basic** is ~$1,179/yr (share within EcoVadis network only; no medals), **Premium** is ~$1,949/yr (eligible for medals/badges and external sharing), **Select** is ~$5,449/yr, **Corporate** is ~$6,979/yr, and a standalone **Carbon Rating** add-on is ~$299/yr. Rates increase for larger headcount brackets (26–99, 100–999, 1,000+).

WA Space Cluster Segments & Companies Affected

IAEG/EcoVadis invitations land primarily on Tier-1/Tier-2 suppliers to legacy aerospace primes in Components & Suppliers (Janicki Industries, Electroimpact, Crane Aerospace & Electronics, PacAero) and The Boeing Company supply chains. Notably, **SpaceX and Blue Origin do not publish supplier ESG codes** or participate as IAEG EcoVadis requesters.

Verified Primary Sources & Internal Bridges

• EcoVadis — Plans & Pricing: https://ecovadis.com/plans-pricing/

• IAEG — International Aerospace Environmental Group: https://www.iaeg.com/