



SGS is committed to creating value to society. The SGS business principles demonstrate that sustainability is an integral part of its culture, embedded in all facets of the organization. Sustainability at SGS centers around four pillars: People, Operational Excellence, Environment, and Community. From these pillars, the organization has identified several sustainability goals to achieve by 2020 and runs more than 300 sustainability projects.

SGS continues to demonstrate its capability of quantifying value to society in economic terms. Its pioneering model combines the impact valuation methodology with the integrated reporting framework and measures value to society across its operations and supply chains. In collaboration with the mapping of its activities against the 17 Sustainable Development Goals, this tool enables the company to set future business and sustainability priorities as well as improve its strategic decision-making. A strategy that will allow the organization to be better aligned with the expectations of new generations of customers, employees and investors.

Achievements

SGS continues to receive recognition thanks to its progress. For the fifth consecutive year, SGS was named the leading company in the industry by the Dow Jones Sustainability Indices. For the second time, SGS has been included in the FTSE4Good Index. SGS also received a gold rating from EcoVadis for the fourth consecutive year and was placed in the top 1% of the evaluated companies in its industry.

Additional information

www.sgs.com/en/our-company/corporate-sustainability/sustainability-at-sgs



Climate change, population growth, business ethics, sustainable urban development and resource scarcity: today's and tomorrow's challenges require pan-international actions. LafargeHolcim's sustainability approach capitalizes on its worldwide presence to provide solutions towards meeting these social, environmental and stakeholder challenges, with one clear goal: to create shared value with society.

LafargeHolcim's sustainable development framework goes beyond simply mitigating the company's impacts – it also addresses the positive impacts its operations can have beyond the boundaries of its plants.

The company's sustainability framework sets a vision for the built environment and defines the next steps in that direction. It sets targets and operating principles related to its direct and indirect impacts over the whole life-cycle of its products and services.

As the building materials industry leader, LafargeHolcim has a responsibility, the scale and the geographic footprint to enable widespread, positive, global and local change in the construction sector.

Building on a rich history, sustainability is part of who LafargeHolcim is and how the group wants to do business. With its sustainability framework, the group turns this value into commitments to its partners and communities and, eventually, into business objectives.

External commitments & recognition

With its integrated approach to sustainable development, LafargeHolcim aims to embrace the UNGC principles

LafargeHolcim was again included in the FTSE4Good index in 2018.

LafargeHolcim was included in the 2018 DJSI European Index, one of only two Europe-based companies in the construction materials sector to be included in the European index.

In the results of the 2018 CDP assessment LafargeHolcim received a score of B, above the sector average.

Additional information

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