Pioneering Role of Exchanges

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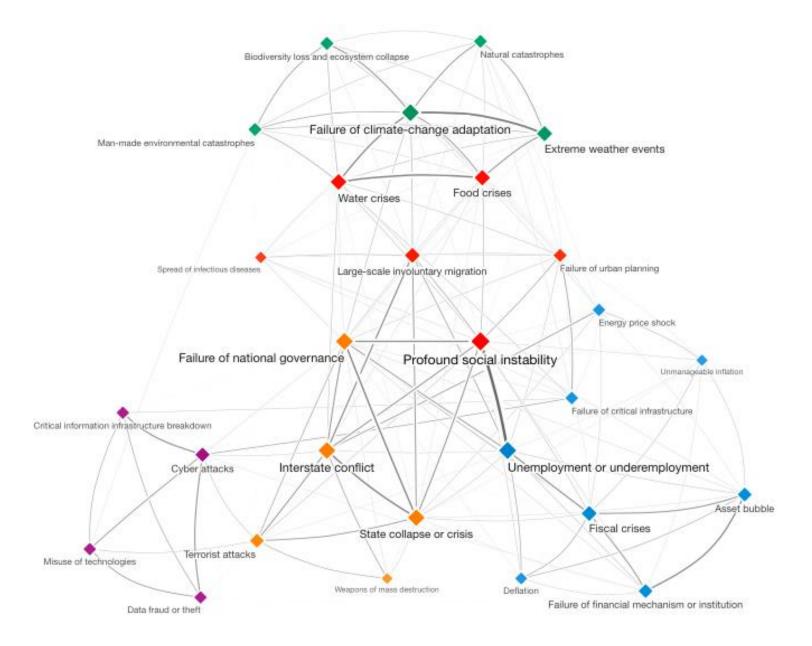


The Global Risks 2015 Interconnections Map

How are global risks interconnected?

Mega trends
such as climate
change,
population
growth, poverty,
migration and
urbanisation all
putting strain on
our planet

Investors and asset owners are exposed to sustainability risks unless system-wide action is taken to address the risks



Source: WEF



How Future-proof Are Your Stocks?

Can a company survive and thrive in a world reshaped by environmental and social shifts?



Global asset managers are changing the way they value stocks to find out.

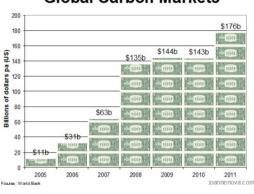
Strategy

Risk Management

Innovation



Global Carbon Markets







Impact on current market system

- Risks to investment
 - E.g. University of Cambridge experts said global investment portfolios could see losses of up to 45% from Climate Change impacts in the short term

Chipotle Share Price - July 2012 - October 2012

Chipotle Mexican Grill Total Return Price





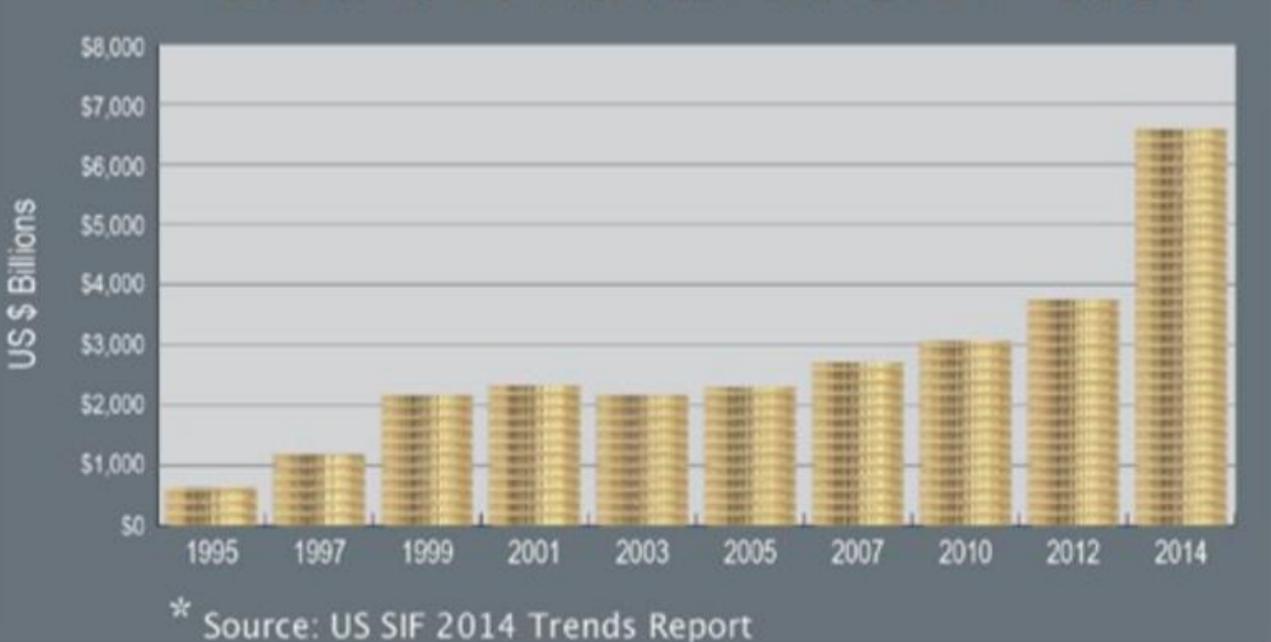
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stock analysts incorporated global warming's heat and drought impacts upon;

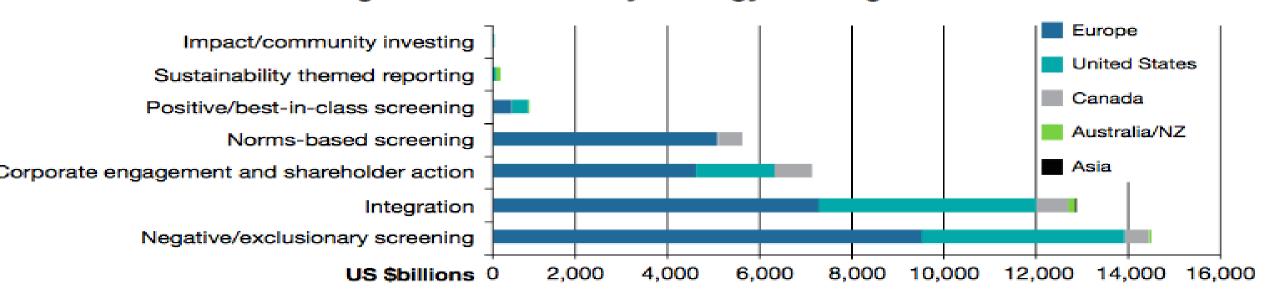
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costs,
profit margins
and sales if
higher menu
prices trigger a
consumer search
for lower cost
options

*Growth of SRI Assets 1995-2014



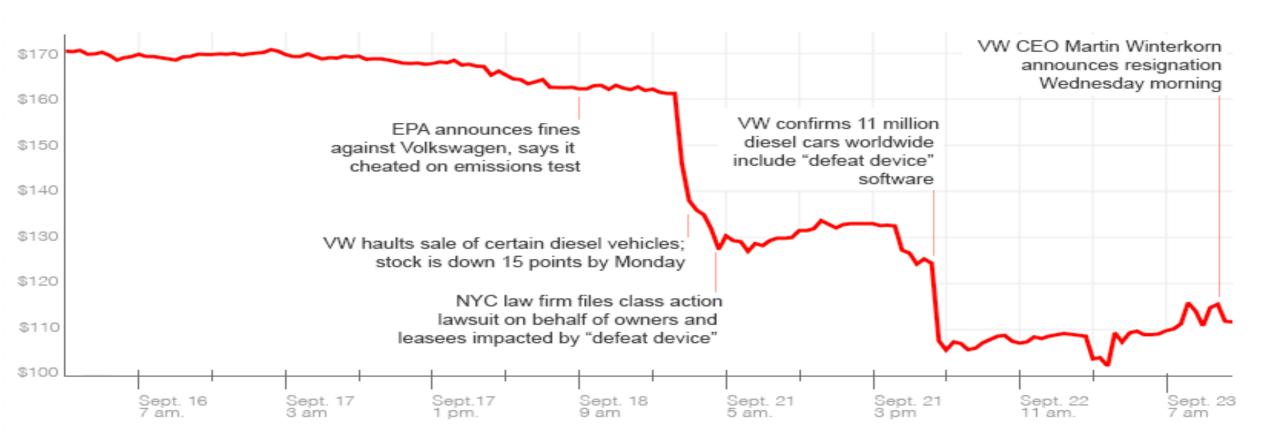
Growth of SRI Assets by Region 2012–2014			
	2012	2014	Growth
Europe	\$8,758	\$13,608	55%
United States	\$3,740	\$6,572	76%
Canada	\$589	\$945	60%
Australia/NZ	\$134	\$180	34%
Asia	\$40	\$53	32%
Total	\$13,261	\$21,358	61%

Figure 2: SRI Assets by Strategy and Region





Investors' reaction to Volkswagen emissions saga



Source: Bloomberg

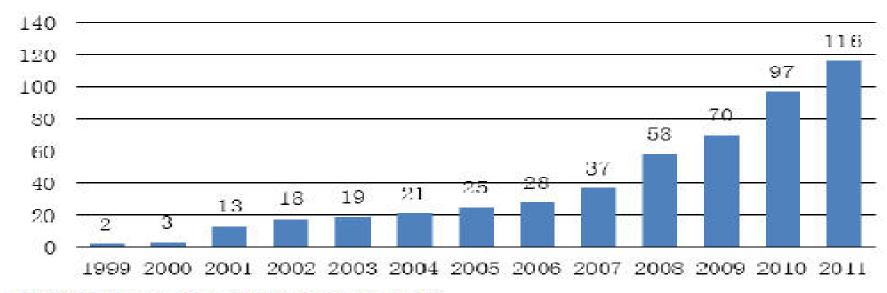


Figure 1. The number of SRI index in the world.







Listed Index Fund FTSE Japan Green Chip 35 Code:1347



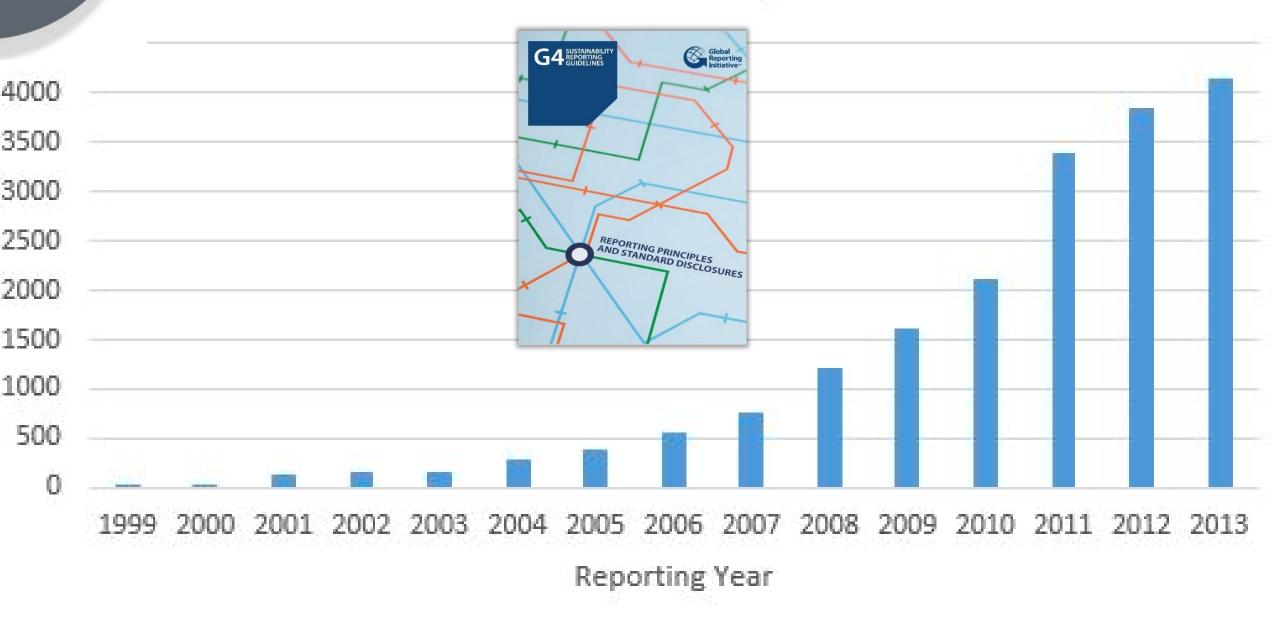








Number of GRI Reports





Islamic Reporting Initiative

Social investment

Youth engagement

Nationalization of the workforce (within global multicultural framework)

Promotion of the knowledge based economy

Development of STEM skills and knowledge transfer

Creation of long-term business values

Organizational philanthropy

Environmentally sustainable measures

Economical Contribution (e.g. Sustainable employment)





Critical role of stock exchanges – Leapfrogging

- Support innovative financial instruments, products and services like Green Bond markets and sustainability indices
- Define ESG reporting expectations and use the guidance already available to help improve transparency and quality. Require disclosure on key material sustainability issues
- Encourage companies to move from growth in financial return only to growth of multiple capitals
- Help enable investors to make better decisions by seeking tools and approaches that simplify complex issues
- Incentivise longer term investing and disincentivise short term trading
- Include ESG issues in listing rules

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