

2025 Beginner Disclosure Workshop

2025 APAC Disclosure Webinar Series

10 June 2025

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Agenda

Introduction to CDP

Benefits of disclosing to CDP

How CDP data is used

Frameworks alignment

Key information about 2025 cycle

Tips for disclosure & resources available



About CDP

CDP is a global non-profit that for 25 years has run the world's environmental disclosure system for investors, companies, cities, states and regions.



640+

investors, with
US\$127+ trillion
of assets



330+

Supply Chain Members
– including Microsoft,
Walmart, Unilever,
L'Oreal, Lego and more



24,800+

disclosing companies
worth 2/3rds of global
market capitalization
in 2024



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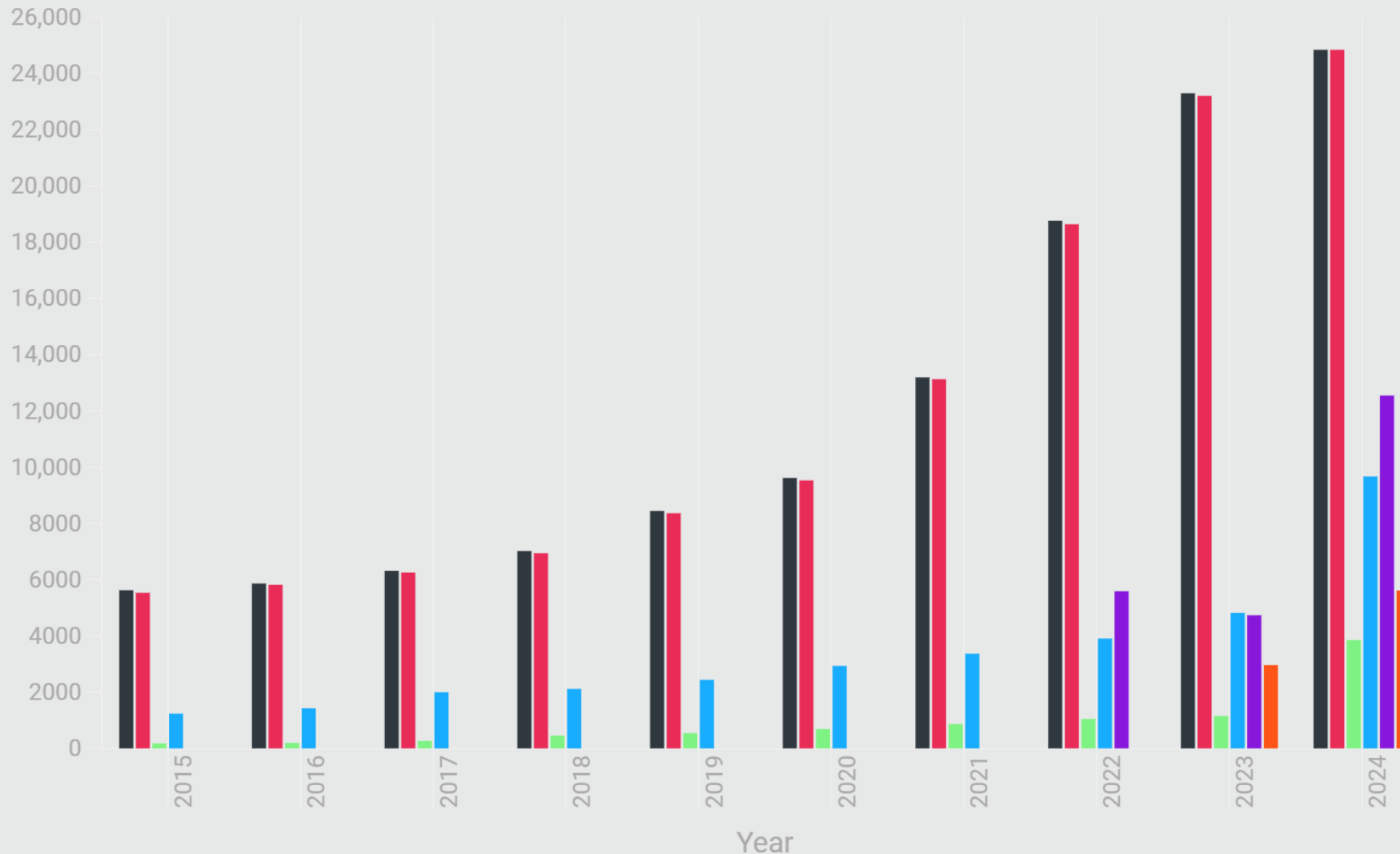
corporate disclosers
were based in approx.
130 different countries
globally in 2024



CDP has made disclosure a business norm



■ Total disclosing companies ■ Climate change ■ Forests ■ Water security ■ Biodiversity ■ Plastics



24,800+ companies worth two-thirds of global market cap disclosed in 2024

33% increase since 2022 and a 7% increase from 2023

7,550+ companies started their disclosure journey for the first time in 2023

How we work

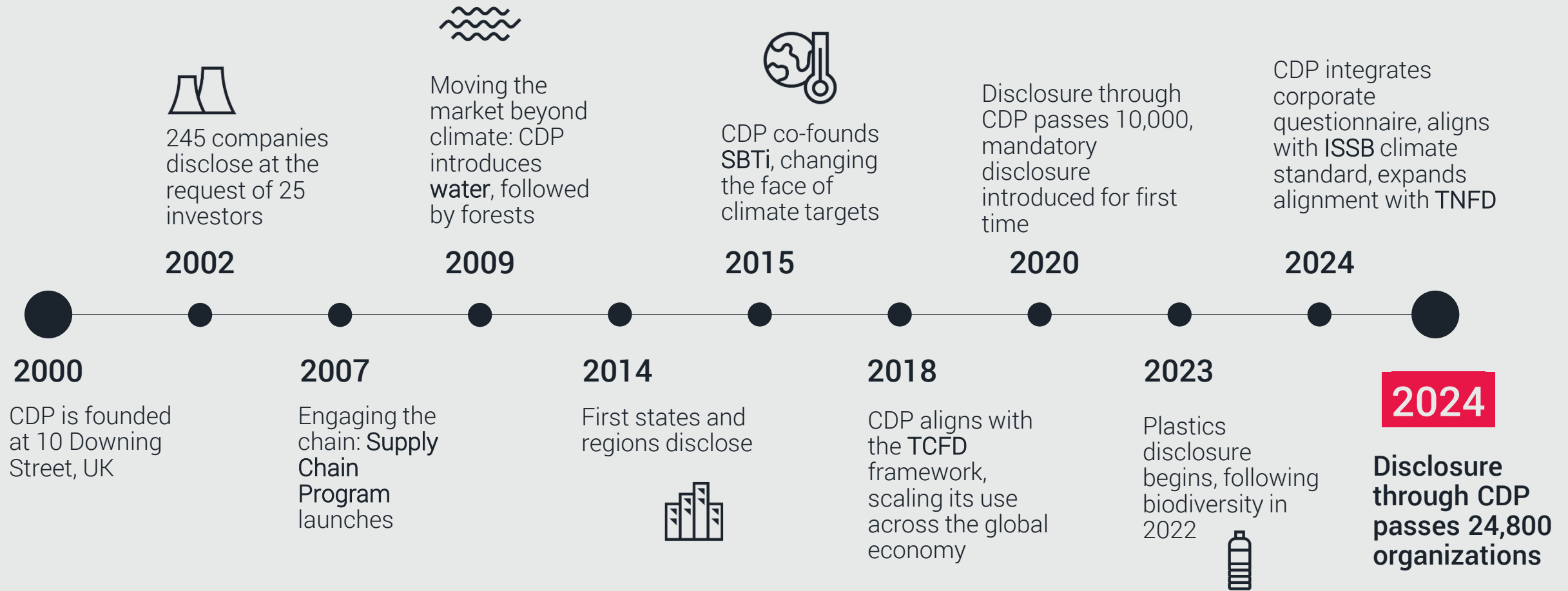
Investors and purchasing companies use CDP to make informed decisions, reward companies with superior performance and drive action.



Provide data on environmental impacts, risks, opportunities, investments, strategies and more.



Moving the market for 25 years



Benefits of disclosing to CDP



Disclosure is a business necessity



Access to capital

Quantifying risk and opportunity

640+ investors asked CDP to engage companies in their portfolios to disclose in 2025.



Business competitiveness and access to buyers

Procurement and building business

In 2022, CDP Supply Chain members drove **70 million tonnes** of emissions reduction initiatives.



Compliance

Mandatory or voluntary

CDP's disclosure platform improves consistency of information for investors.



Capitalizing on opportunities, boosting resilience

\$16tn

in climate and nature-related **opportunities** identified by disclosing companies

\$13bn

saved in costs by companies cutting emissions deep in their supply chain

Up to \$19

anticipated return on investment reported **for every dollar** invested in adaptation and resilience



Source: [CDP_HSBC_Report_2024.pdf](#); [Disclosure Data Factsheet 2023 - CDP](#)

Write once, read many



24,800 companies worth **67%** of global market capitalization

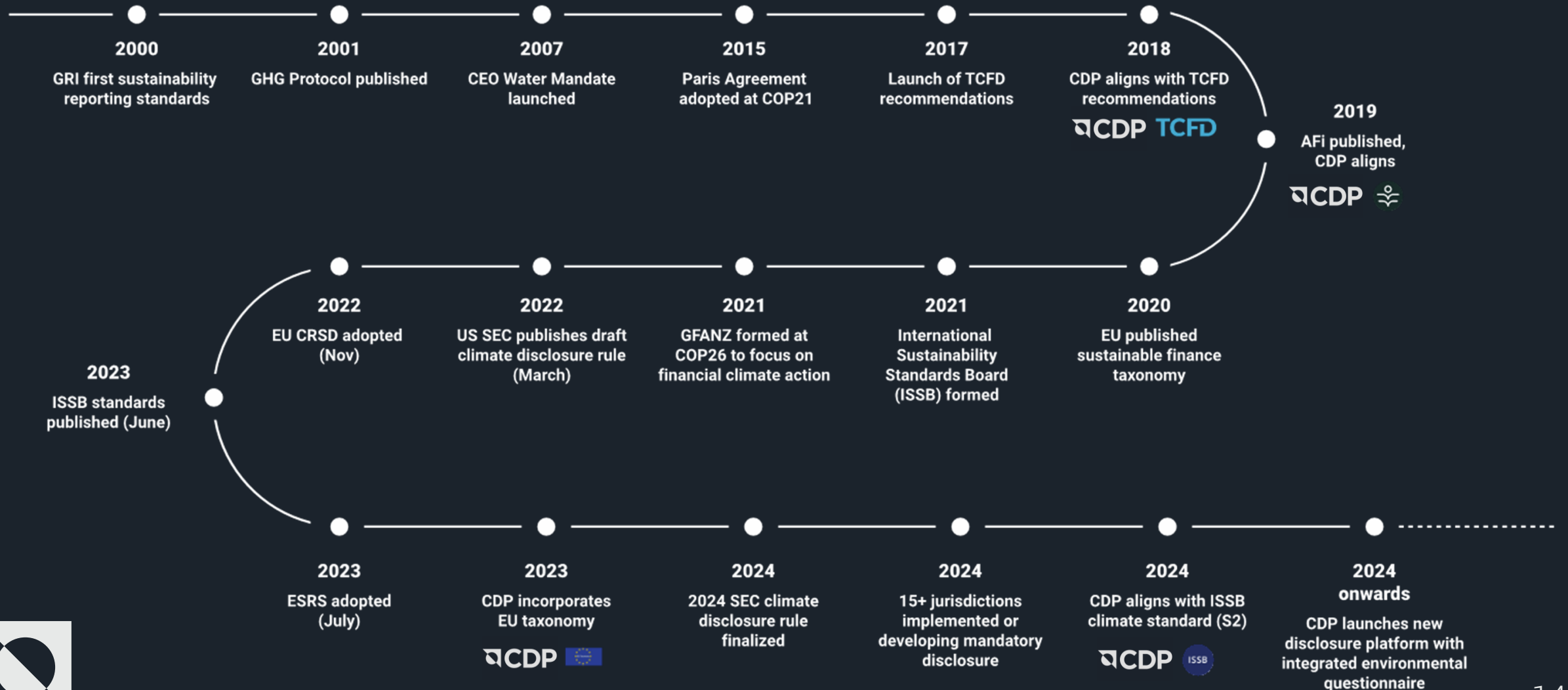
By aligning its platform, CDP enables organizations to disclose against market and regulatory requirements while ensuring global capital markets and procurement teams have **the most robust, decision-useful environmental data.**



Frameworks alignment



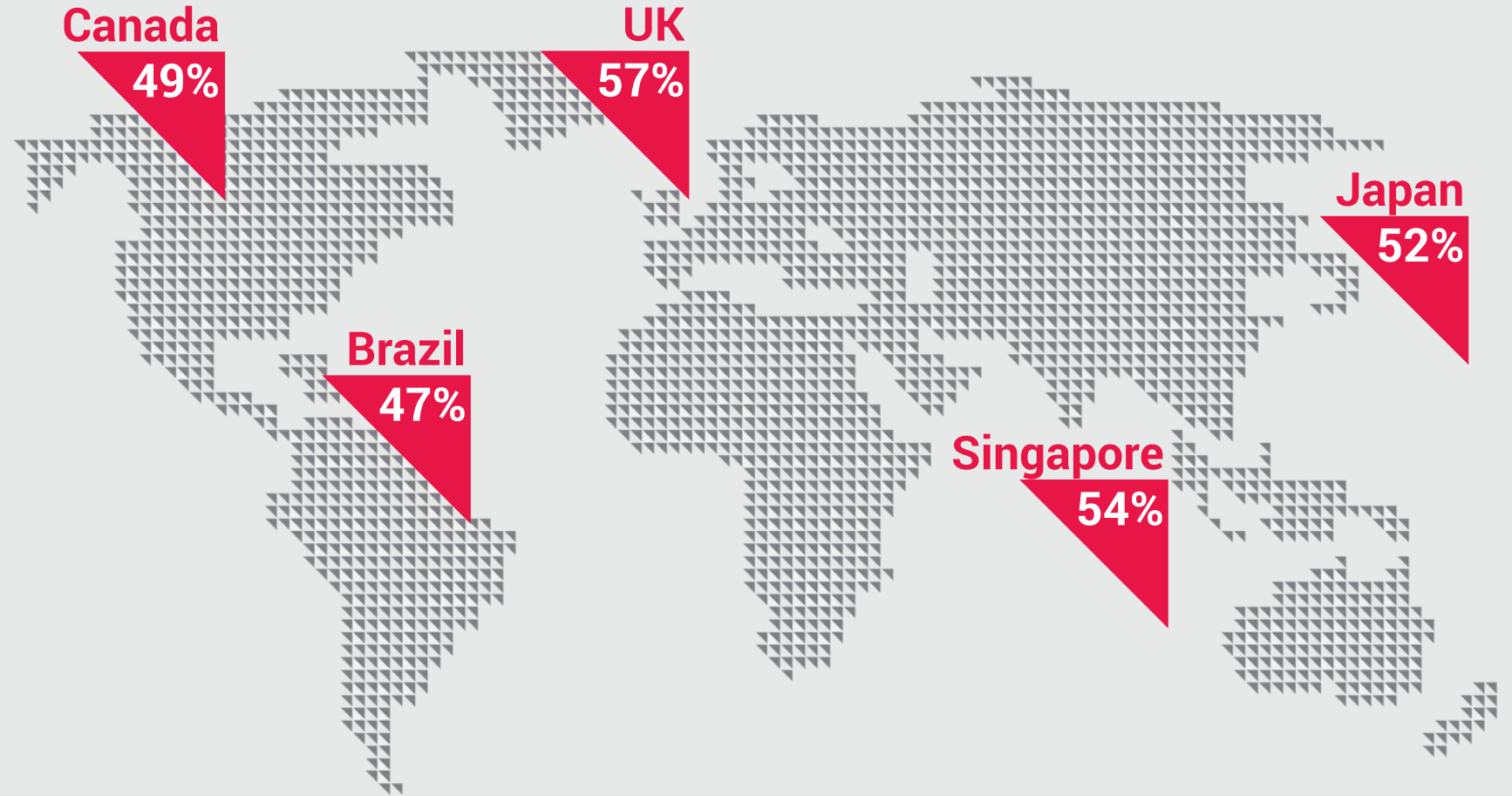
A rapidly evolving landscape



Preparing for incoming regulations

Nearly 60%

of listed companies globally are already reporting the vast majority of datapoints aligned with **IFRS S2** through CDP.



Enabling standards-aligned disclosure globally

CDP turns standards into something tangible an organization can use; questions and datapoints to be answered and actioned, sharing this high-quality data back to stakeholders and the market in one dataset.

Aligned



S2 since 2024



Partially aligned. Technical coordination ongoing.



Expanding alignment



Substantial alignment between CDP questionnaire and ESRS E1.

Exploring further alignment via an official partnership.



Partially aligned with TNFD disclosure recommendations, working towards full alignment



CDP's alignment with IFRS S2

CDP is ISSB's key global climate disclosure partner. The ISSB's climate standard is the foundational baseline for CDP's climate disclosure. By disclosing through CDP from June to September, companies will disclose data to their stakeholders and the wider global market **including IFRS S2-aligned data.**



CDP's questionnaire, together with the disclosed dataset, is an established, trusted tool that supports companies on their path to ISSB compliance.



Relevant questions are tagged and mapping is available on CDP's website.



CDP is developing data tools to support post-disclosure analysis for organizations and data users.



TNFD alignment in 2025

■ Full alignment
 ■ Good alignment
 ■ Partial alignment
 ■ Little or no alignment

TNFD recommended disclosures			
Governance	Strategy	Dependencies, Risk and impact management	Metrics and targets
Recommended disclosures	Recommended disclosures	Recommended disclosures	Recommended disclosures
<div> <div>A. Describe the board's oversight of nature-related dependencies, impacts, risks and opportunities.</div> <div>B. Describe management's role in assessing and managing nature-related dependencies, impacts, risks and opportunities.</div> <div>C. Describe the organization's human rights policies and engagement activities, and oversight by the board and management, with respect to Indigenous Peoples, Local Communities, affected and other stakeholders, in the organization's assessment of, and response to, nature-related dependencies, impacts, risks and opportunities.</div> </div>	<div> <div>A. Describe the nature-related dependencies, impact, risks and opportunities the organization has identified over the short, medium and long term.</div> <div>B. Describe the effect nature-related dependencies, impacts, risks and opportunities have had on the organization's business model, value chain, strategy and financial planning, as well as any transition plans or analysis in place.</div> <div>C. Describe the resilience of the organization's strategy to nature-related risks and opportunities, taking into consideration different scenarios.</div> <div>D. Disclose the locations of assets and/or activities in the organization's direct operations and, where possible, upstream and downstream value chain(s) that meet the criteria for priority locations.</div> </div>	<div> <div>A(i) Describe the organization's processes for identifying, assessing and prioritizing nature-related dependencies, impacts, risks and opportunities in its direct operations.</div> <div>A(ii) Describe the organization's processes for identifying, assessing and prioritizing nature-related dependencies, impact, risks and opportunities in its upstream and downstream value chain(s).</div> <div>B. Describe the organization's processes for managing nature-related dependencies, impact, risks and opportunities.</div> <div>C. Describe how processes for identifying, assessing, prioritizing and monitoring nature-related risks are integrated into and inform the organization's overall risk management processes.</div> </div>	<div> <div>A. Disclose the metrics used by the organization to assess and manage material nature-related risks and opportunities in line with its strategy and risk management process.</div> <div>B. Disclose the metrics used by the organization to assess and manage dependencies and impacts on nature.</div> <div>C. Describe the targets and goals used by the organization to manage nature-related dependencies, impacts, risks and opportunities and its performance against these.</div> </div>

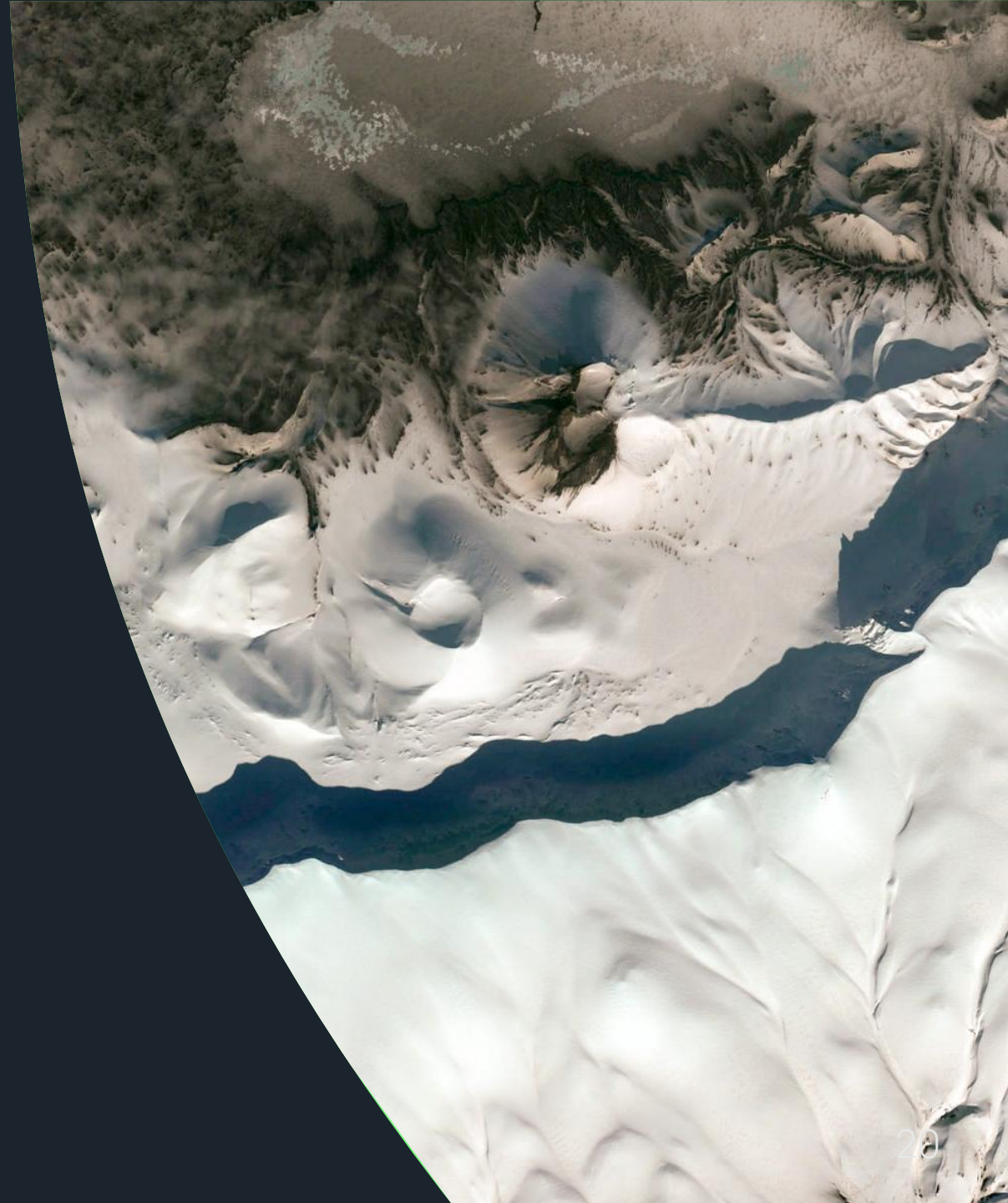


CDP's alignment with ESRS

- CDP is **substantially aligned** with the European Sustainability Reporting Standards (ESRS) E1, demonstrated in our mapping published with EFRAG.
- As a **key ESRS market adoption partner** for EFRAG, CDP will be a major tool for accessing ESRS-aligned data.
- CDP disclosing companies will be well prepared for the ESRS climate requirements and better equipped to use this data to **unlock real business value**.
- CDP and EFRAG will continue cooperating to create **efficiency** in the environmental data ecosystem.



CDP's scores, questionnaires and framework



About CDP Corporate scores



CDP **scores companies individually** for climate change, forests, and water security.



Plastics and biodiversity will remain unscored as we empower more companies to begin disclosing on these environmental issues.



About CDP scores

A CDP score provides a **snapshot** of a company's disclosure and environmental performance.

Scores indicate the **level of action reported** by the company to assess and manage its environmental impacts during the reporting year.



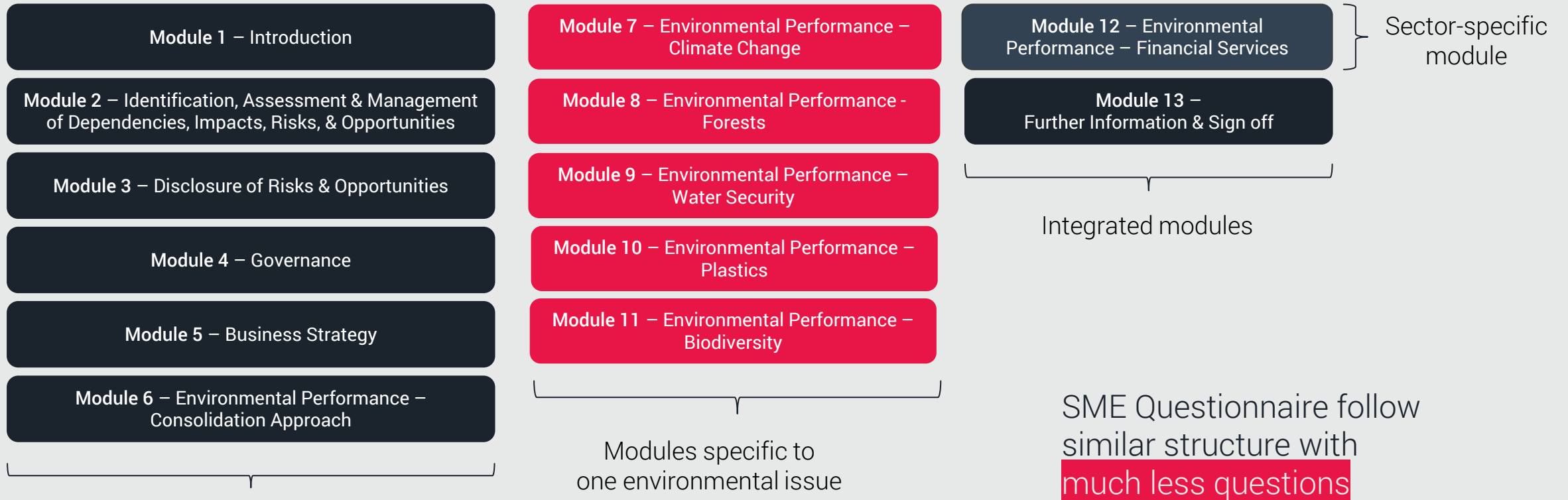
Application of Essential Criteria

Ensures companies meet **minimum specific criteria** before attaining the next letter grade



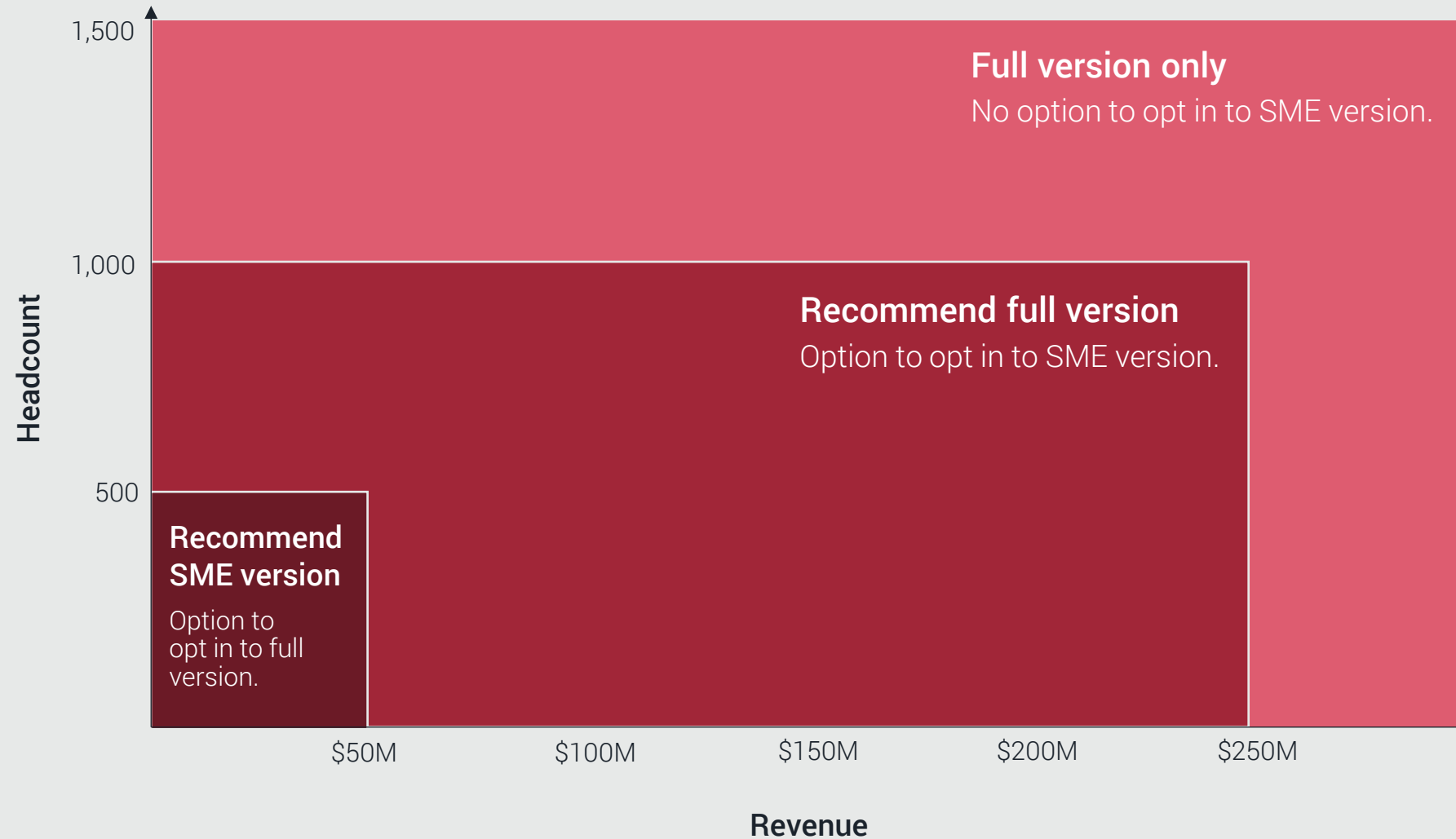
Corporate Questionnaire

Layout and structure




Integrated modules
Cross-Issue Sections

Thresholds for Full vs SME Questionnaire



Environmental issue assignment

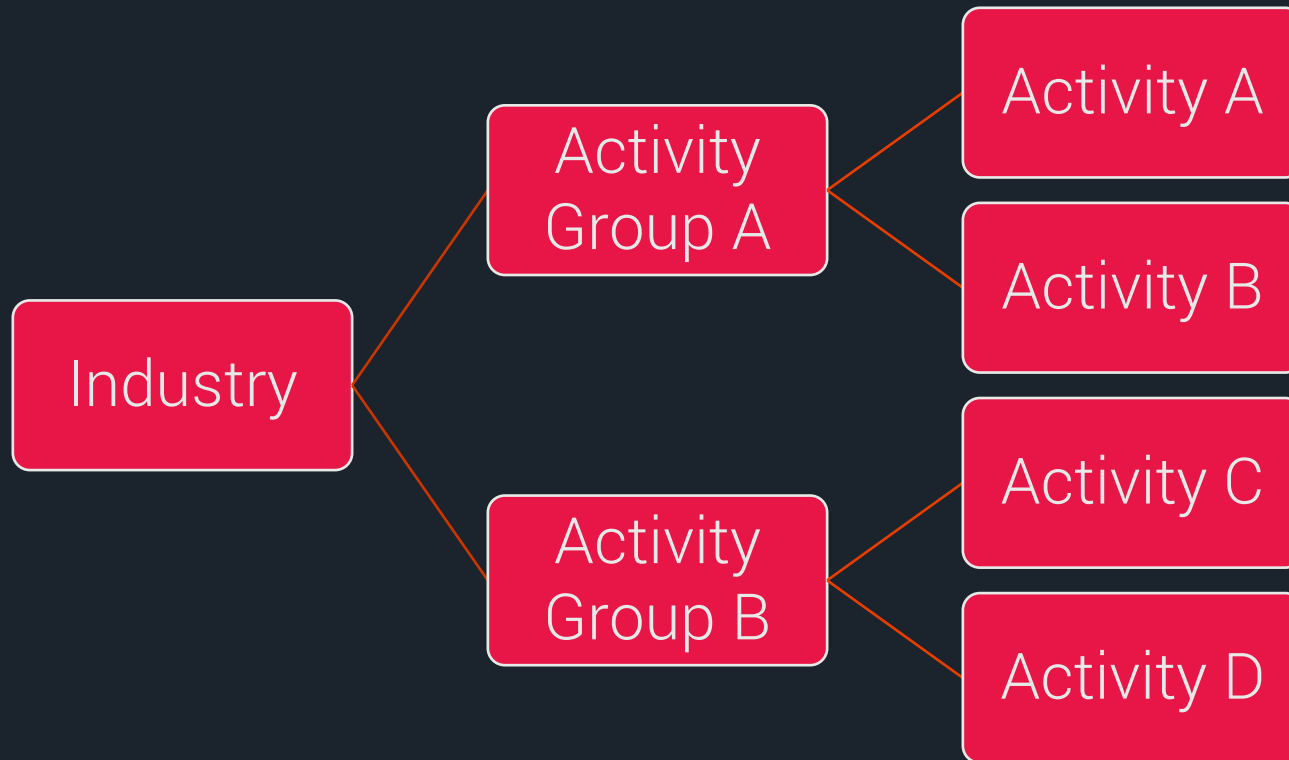
Environmental issue	Disclosers
 Climate change	All corporate disclosers, including SMEs
 Forests	<p>All corporate disclosers, if at least one of the following is met:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • CDP's Capital Markets request: based on the <u>forests/water industry impact classification</u>; • Another requesting organization has asked the discloser to report on forests/water security (e.g., a CDP Supply Chain member); • Opt-in to forests/water security.
 Water security	<p>Also, full corporate disclosers only:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Self-assessment i.e., based on whether disclosers have indicated that they have identified substantive forests- and/or water-related issues in their response to the "Assessment of environmental issues" section in questionnaire setup.
 Plastics and Biodiversity	All full corporate disclosers – not applicable to SMEs



CDP Activity Classification

Necessary for questionnaire sector assignment

Example of a filled out revenue split:



Company B CDP activity allocation:

CDP-ACS Activity	Questionnaire Sector	Revenue % Associated with Activity
Logistics - transport	Transport Services	27.5
Industrial machinery	Capital goods	26
Engines & motors	Transport OEMS – EPM	22.5
Other renewable energy equipment	Capital goods	15
Alternative vehicles	Transport OEMS – EPM	6
Specialty chemicals	Chemicals	3



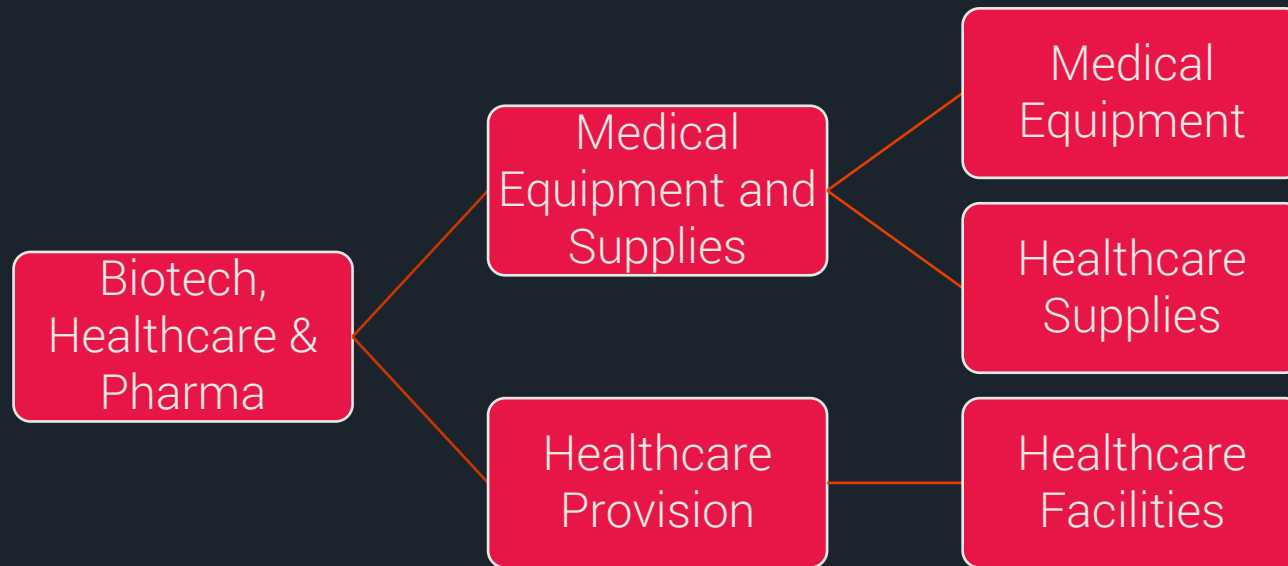
CDP ACS Classification System

All Information Provided in the questionnaire setup is kept strictly confidential between CDP and you as the discloser

CDP Activity Classification

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Example of a filled out revenue split:



Example: Biotech, Healthcare and Pharma Industry

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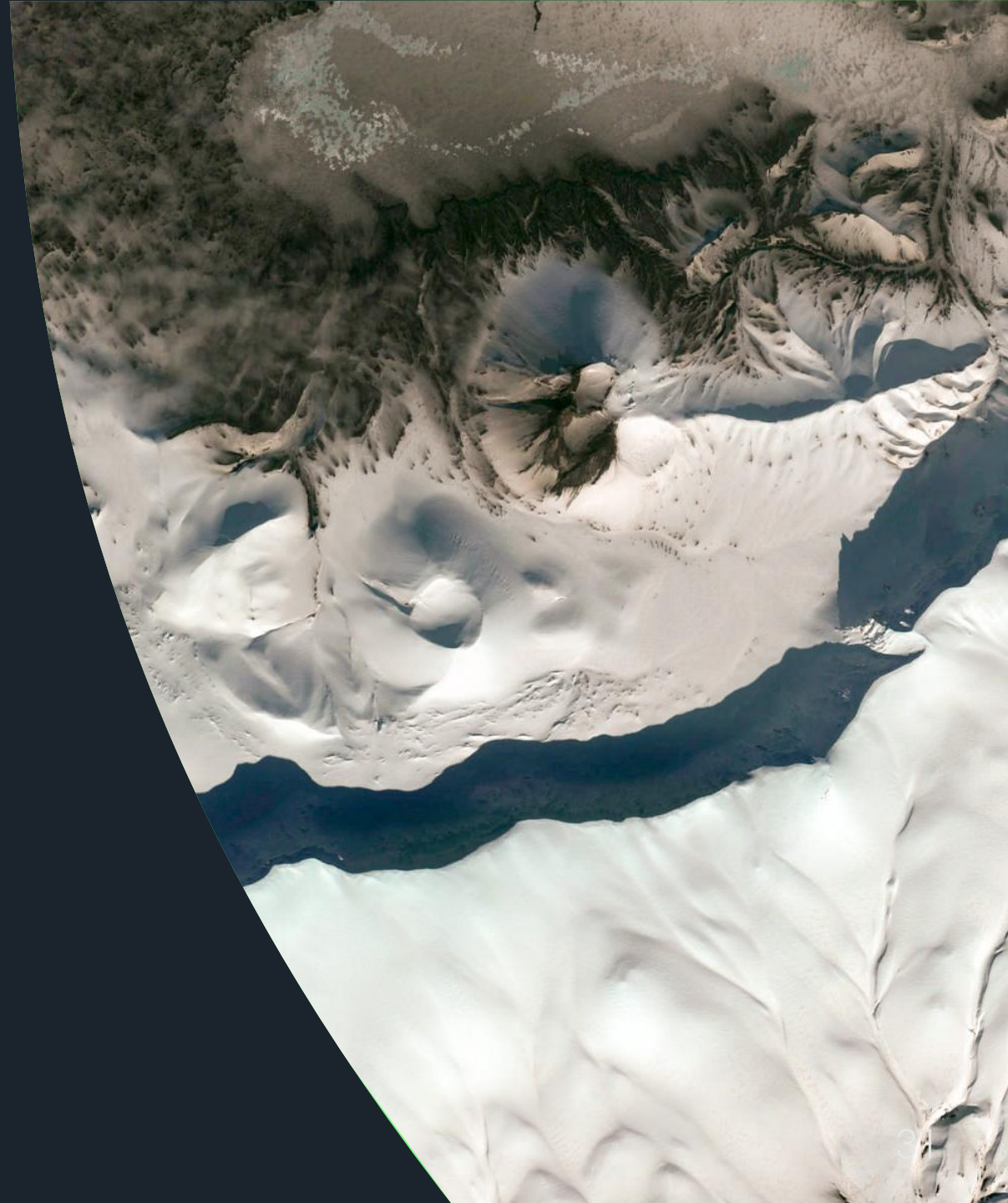
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Disclosure Platform



Platform Demo - setup

The screenshot displays the CDP platform setup interface for a questionnaire titled "Test L 100 - CM". The interface is divided into a left sidebar and a main content area.

Left Sidebar:

- Discloser (dropdown menu)
- Test L 100 - CM (header)
- Invite team members (button)
- Home (icon)
- Questionnaire (icon)
- Requests (icon, with a red notification bubble containing the number 1)
- Reset (button)
- Help & support (icon)
- Give feedback (icon)
- Settings (icon)

Main Content Area:

- Test L 100 - CM** (header) with a link to [Show organization details](#)
- Respond** (button) with a progress indicator showing 100% completion.
- Questionnaire opens: 06/18/2025** (text)
- Phase 2 of 3** (text)
- Questionnaire Progress** (tab) with sub-tabs: Answered Questions, Reviewed Questions, and Skipped Questions.
- Edit questionnaire setup?** (modal dialog box) with the text: "Any significant changes you make to the questionnaire setup may alter the questions in your questionnaire." and buttons for [Close](#) and [Edit](#).
- Continue Questionnaire** (button)
- Edit questionnaire setup** (button)
- You have 1 new requests** (notification) with the text: "1 organizations are requesting you to disclose through CDP." and a link to [View requests](#).
- Admin fee** (section) with the text: "All eligible organizations pay an admin fee to disclose through CDP. As a not-for-profit organization, we rely on funding from a range of sources. This fee helps us cover our costs so we can keep delivering our services at a global scale." and a link to [View fee options](#).
- You have not selected a fee** (notification) with a link to [View fee options](#).



Getting Access to your CDP dashboard

For first timers to CDP's systems

- Fill out a **'Register to Disclose' Form** available on CDP Help Center *after disclosure cycle starts (week of 16th June)*
- Key Information required:
 - ☐ Company's **DUNS** (Dun and Bradstreet) number – to identify your company

Register to disclose

Thank you for taking the first steps to start your disclosure through CDP.

You should complete this form if your organization is disclosing through CDP for the **first-time** and require access to the CDP Portal to start your disclosure.

If you have colleagues with access to the CDP Portal, we encourage you to contact them instead, to assist with adding you to your organization's CDP Portal account directly.

Please complete this form in English as best as you can to ensure you are accurately matched to your organization.

Please select your purpose for this registration:

My customer(s) and/or CDP Capital Market signatories have requested my organization to disclose through CDP

My organization has not been formally requested to disclose by anyone but would like to disclose through CDP independently

I am part of a City, State or Region that would like to disclose through CDP



Disclosers - homepage

- Dynamic homepage showing relevant information depending on the stage of disclosure cycle
 - Suggested To Do List to manage progress and resources
 - View an overview of progress made on your disclosure
 - Quick access to guidance and support

The screenshot displays the 'Test L 100 - CM' homepage. At the top, there's a header with the title 'Test L 100 - CM' and a link 'Show organization details'. Below this is a progress bar with a 'Respond' button and a 'Questionnaire opens: 06/11' notification. The main content area is divided into several sections: 'Questionnaire Progress' showing 0% completion, 'Sections Completed' at 1/11, 'Answered Questions' at 0, 'Unanswered Questions' at 80, 'Reviewed Questions' at 0, 'In Progress Questions' at 0, and 'Skipped Questions' at 0. A 'Continue' button is visible on the right. Below the progress section, a green checkmark indicates 'Questionnaire setup complete'. A notification box states 'You have 1 new requests' from 1 organization, with a 'View requests' link. An 'Admin fee' section explains that all eligible organizations pay an admin fee, and a warning message states 'You have not selected a fee'. At the bottom, there are links for 'Data products and reports', 'Need support?', and a 'Latest webinar' video thumbnail.

Section	Value
Questionnaire Progress	0%
Sections Completed	1/11
Answered Questions	0
Unanswered Questions	80
Reviewed Questions	0
In Progress Questions	0
Skipped Questions	0



Track progress of your response

- Overview of your questionnaire response by section
- See which questions have been “answered”, “skipped”, “unanswered” or “reviewed” giving better visibility on how you are progressing through your response

The screenshot displays the 'CDP Corporate Questionnaire 2025' interface. On the left is a sidebar with navigation icons: a home icon, a document icon, a notification icon with a red badge showing '1', a 'Reset' button, a help icon, a chat icon, a settings icon, and a share icon. The main content area has a header with the title 'CDP Corporate Questionnaire 2025', a 'Respond' button, a progress bar with a red square at the beginning, and a 'Questionnaire opens: 06/18/2025' date. Below the header, a large section shows '0% Completed questions' and a 'Submit Questionnaire' button. A progress bar below this shows status counts: Reviewed 0, Answered 0, In progress 0, Skipped 0, and Unanswered 80. The main area contains a grid of nine sections, each with a 'Start' button: C.01 Introduction, C.02 Identification, assessment, a..., C.03 Disclosure of risks and oppor..., C.04 Governance, C.05 Business strategy, C.06 Environmental Performance ..., C.07 Environmental performance -..., and C.09 Environmental performance -... (C.08 is missing). At the bottom, a footer link reads: 'Contact CDP for support, raise a case for help with specific problems or report a Portal issue.'




Improve the quality of your response

View guidance and help directly alongside questions in the same screen

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Unanswered3.1



Have you identified any environmental risks which have had a substantive effect on your organization in the reporting year, or are anticipated to have a substantive effect on your organization in the future?

It is crucial for investors and data users to understand your organization's risk exposure, especially regarding any environmental risks across your value chain which are anticipated to have substantive effects on your organization. This includes both risks which have already had an effect within the reporting year and risks which may have an effect in the future. If no environmental risks with substantive effects have been identified as part of your assessment, it is equally crucial for data users to understand how and why you have concluded that such risks are not anticipated to affect your organization.

DensityExpand

Environmental issue	Environmental risks identified	Primary reason why your organization does not consider itself to have environmental risks in your direct operations and/or upstream/downstream value chain	Please explain



View guidance and help directly alongside questions in the same screen

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CDP Corporate Questionnaire 2025 03 Disclosure of risks and opportuniti... ▾

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3.5.2

3.5.3

○ Unanswered

3.1

Have you identified any environmental risks which have had a substantive effect on your organization in the future?

It is crucial for investors and data users to understand your organization's risk exposure, especially regarding any environmental risks which have had or are anticipated to have a substantive effect on your organization. This includes both risks which have already had an effect within the reporting year and risks which have been identified as part of your assessment, it is equally crucial for data users to understand risks which are anticipated to affect your organization.

Density ↗ Expand

Environmental issue	Environmental risks identified	Primary reason why your organization does not consider itself to have identified environmental risks in your direct operations and/or upstream/downstream value chain
Climate change		
Water		

>>

3.1

Have you identified any environmental risks which have had a substantive effect on your organization in the reporting year, or are anticipated to have a substantive effect on your organization in the future?

1. Change From Last Year

2. Ambition

3. Requested Content

4. Explanation of Terms

5. Additional Information

6. Scoring - Question Level

7. Scoring - Point Allocation

[See reporting guidance for the entire questionnaire](#)

1. Change From Last Year

The whole question

No change

2. Ambition

The whole question

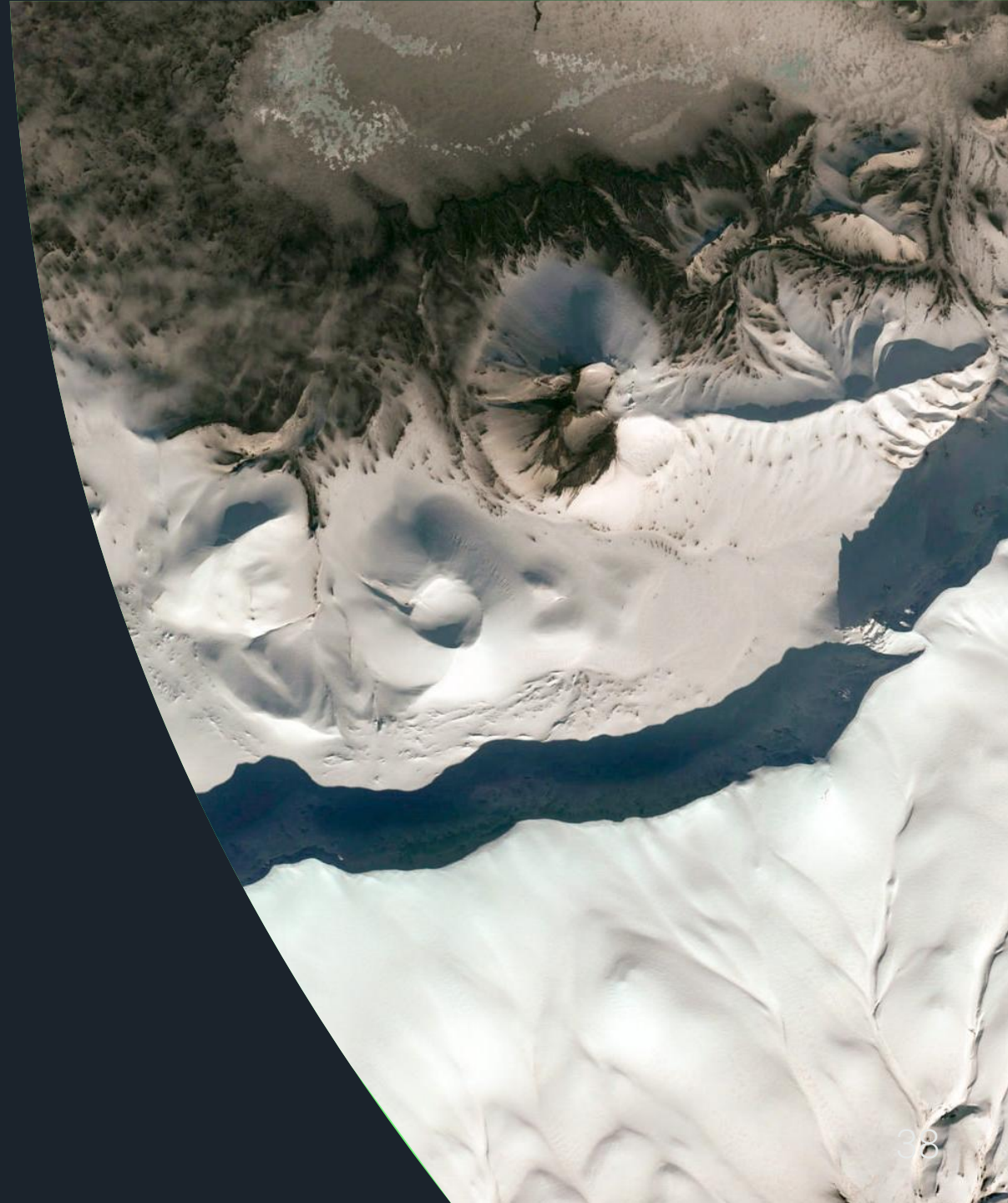
- The organization discloses environmental risks which have had or are anticipated to have a substantive effect on the organization's strategy, business activities, value chain, financial position (e.g., assets and liabilities), financial performance (e.g., revenue or expenditure) and cash flows.

3. Requested Content

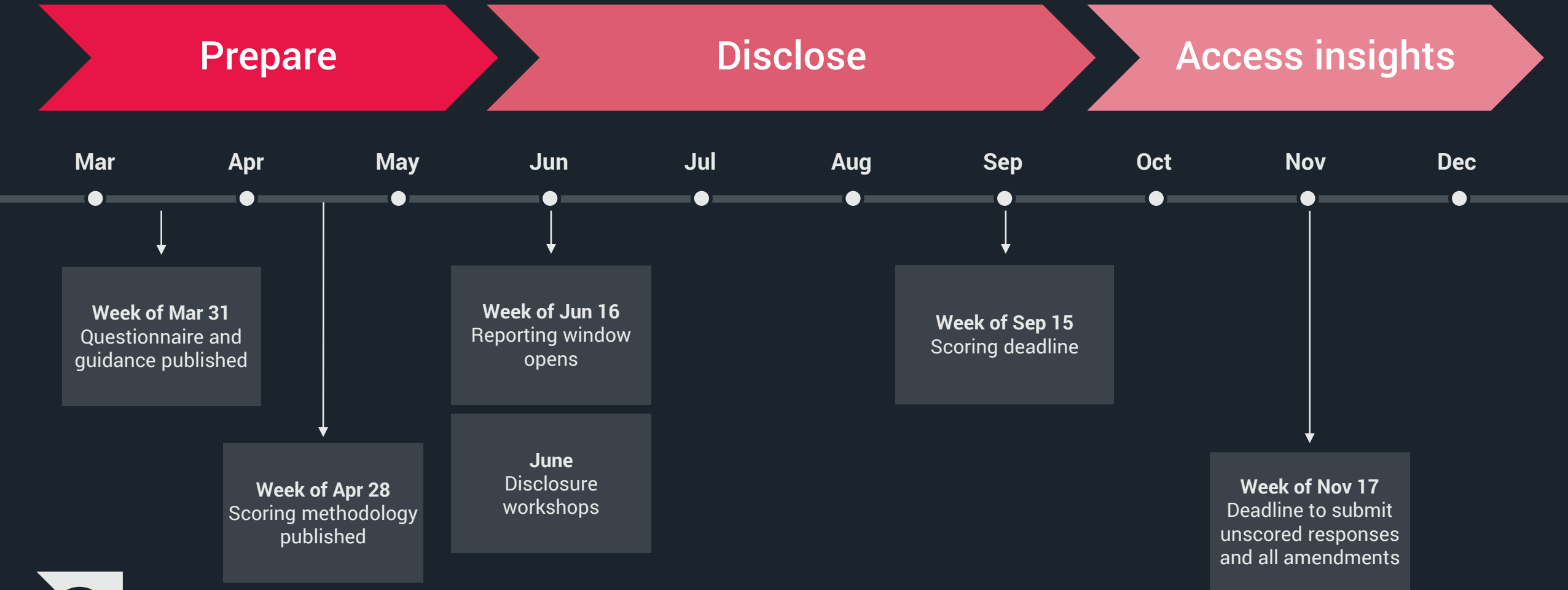
The whole question



Preparation for 2025 disclosure



2025 disclosure timeline



Response publicity status

A selection made at submission

Public response*

- Response available for all your organization's requestors (Capital Markets Signatories, customers, etc.)
- Response available for all public data users.

*Having a public response is a criteria to be scored at Leadership level (A- and above)

Non-public response

- Response available for all your organization's requestors (Capital Markets Signatories, customers, etc.)
- Response only available beyond requestors if anonymized and/or aggregated.



Score publicity status

Submit a private score request* – **only for first-time discloser on a theme**

Public score**

- Score is available to all requesters, website, and in all score datasets

Non-public score

- Score only available to you and your **supply chain customers (if any)**

* Only first-time disclosers on a theme (Climate change, Forests, Water Security) are eligible for a private score. File a case in CDP Help Center to request for a private score **if you are eligible**

** All scores for **CDP Capital Markets requested and self-selected companies** are default to public



[Terms of Disclosure](#)

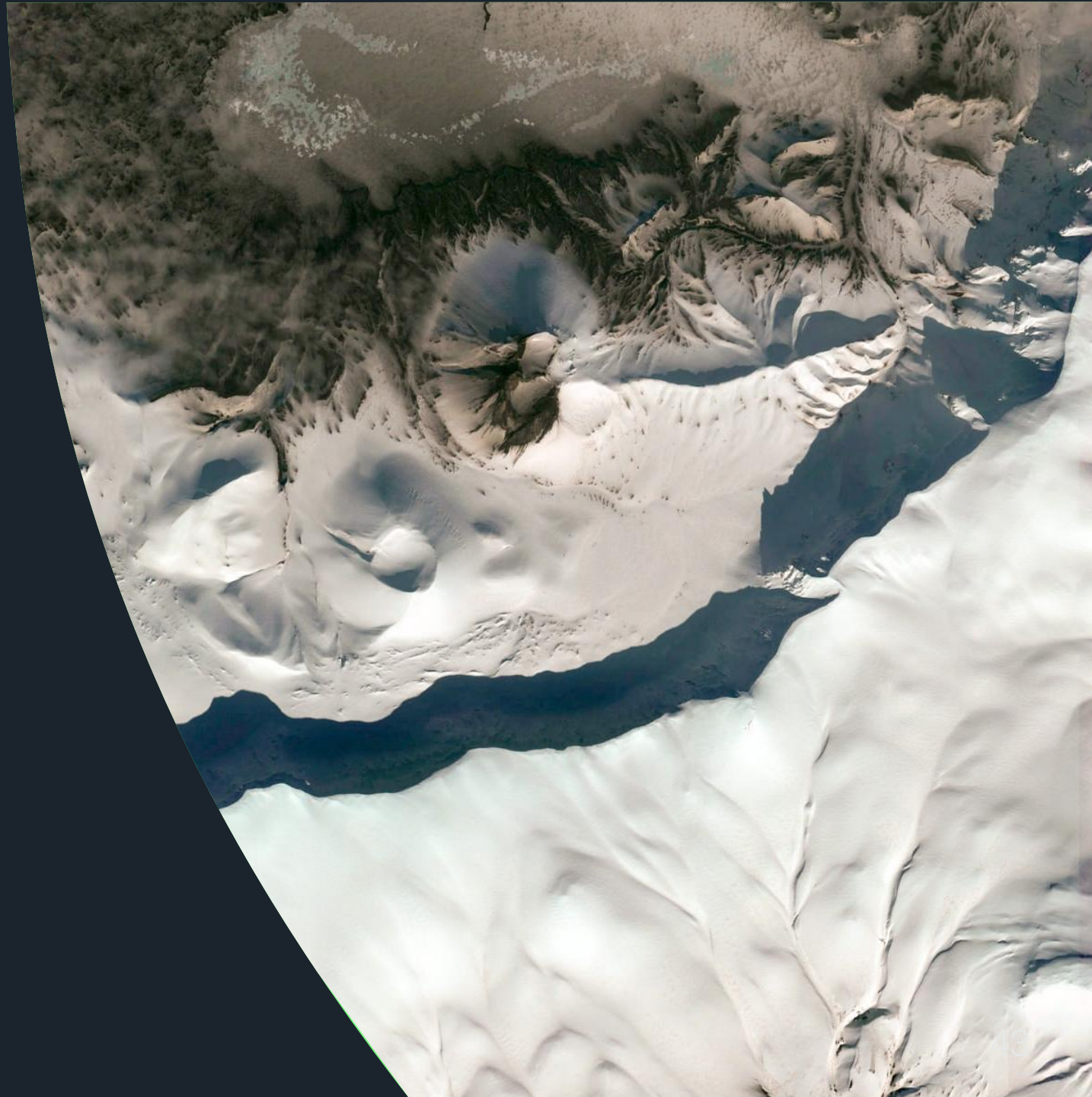
Admin Fee

- ▼ The admin fee applies to companies requested to disclose by CDP's Capital Market Signatories, as well as self-selected disclosers
- ▼ Disclosers requested by a Supply Chain member, and/or a Banks program member, and/or the RE100 initiative **are exempt** from paying the admin fee

Admin Fee	Report through CDP, receive score	Use CDP reporting frameworks and guidance	Free entry/priority registration to CDP event	*CDP Supporter badge	Recognition at CDP events and by the CDP director for use in sust. comms	Access to 100 company resources of your choice	Detailed CDP Benchmark Report	1-Hour Consultation with CDP ASP (optional)	Screening of top 50 suppliers
Enhanced	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Foundation	✓	✓	✓						



Where to find resources?



Navigating 2025 cycle information

Our Disclosure cycle 2025 page



CDP Disclosure Cycle 2025

April 30 update: Our scoring methodologies [are now available below](#) along with our [Key Changes documents](#). Requesters can begin to create their Request lists in the [CDP Portal](#).

Environmental disclosure is now more important than ever.

In our 25th year, we look forward to partnering with you to facilitate disclosure that is critical for driving Earth-positive change.

This year, Requester and Discloser feedback is at the heart of our approach to the disclosure cycle, with Portal stability and core functionality among our areas of focus.

Here on our Disclosure Hub, you can find key updates, documents and information throughout the cycle.

Scroll Down

On this page

Key dates

Questionnaire, guidance and scoring methodologies

Key changes for 2025

Explore more


Further support and services

Navigate




Updates to 2025 cycle

Our new 2025 Disclosure Cycle Page



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Disclose Data

CDP disclosure serves as a one-stop shop for understanding and disclosing according to relevant market and regulatory demands.

Why Disclose?

Our Question Bank

Disclosure Cycle 2025

Disclosing Support - Reporter Services

Disclosing Support - Accredited Solutions Providers

How to Disclose

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Scoring materials

Step 2

For Cities

For Corporates

For SMEs

For States and Regions (not applicable to Japan)

How to understand your score

For Japan only

Learn how to understand your CDP score following the score release.

DOWNLOAD

CDP Full Corporate Questionnaire Scoring Introduction

Get an overview of the scoring process before disclosing through CDP's full corporate questionnaire in 2024.

DOWNLOAD

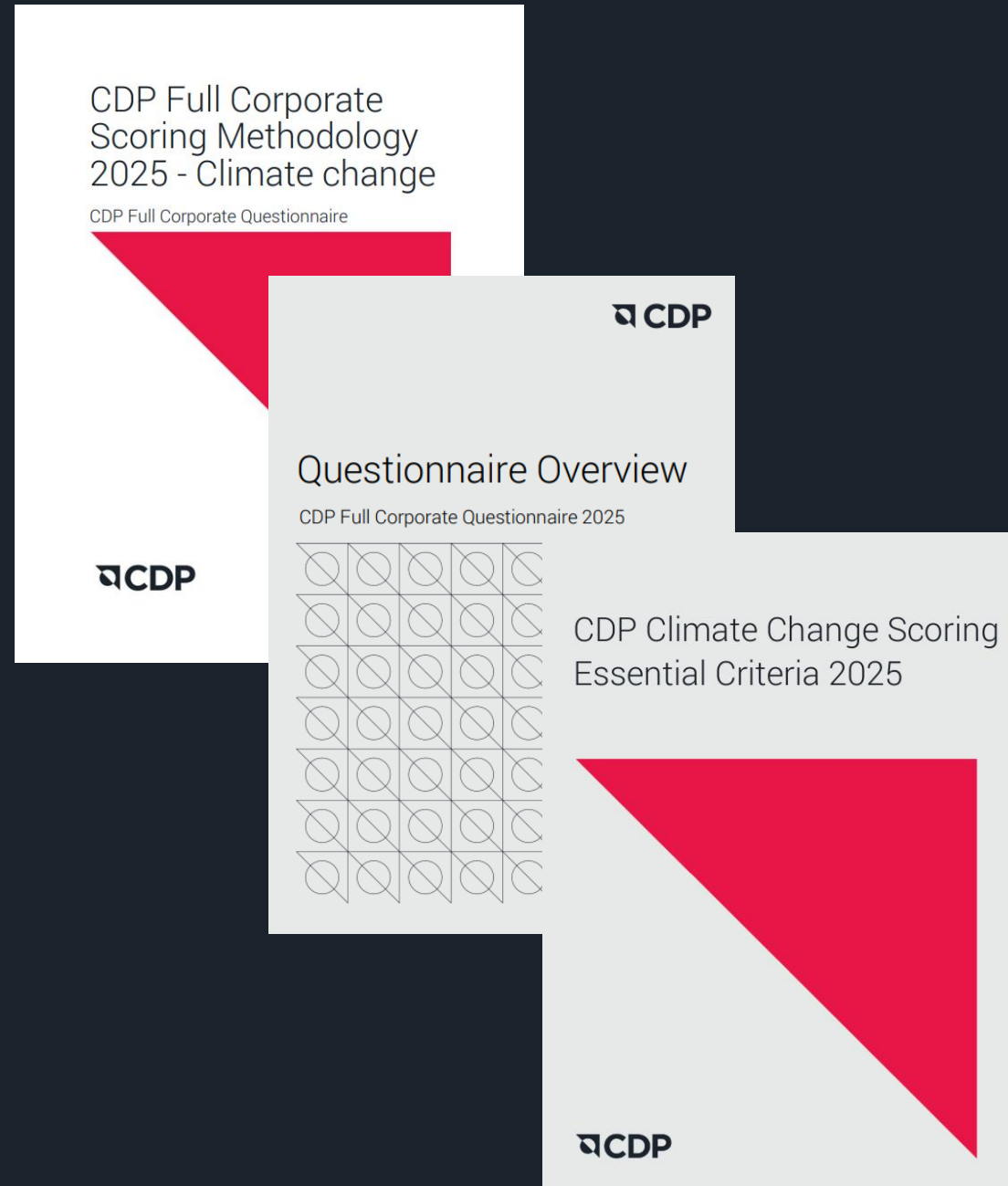
CDP Scoring Changes 2024

Essential criteria



Resources Summary

- [2025 CDP Questionnaire Overview](#)
- [2025 Questionnaire & Guidance](#)
 - [Modules 1-6: Integrated questions](#)
 - [Module 7: Climate Change](#)
 - [Modules 8 to 13: Water Security, Forests, Biodiversity, Plastics and Financial Services](#)
- [2025 CDP Scoring Introduction](#)
- [CDP Corporate Scoring Changes 2025](#)
- [CDP 2025 Scoring Methodology](#)
 - [Climate Change, Water Security, Forests](#)
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Contacting Help Center

To get help from CDP account managers and support team

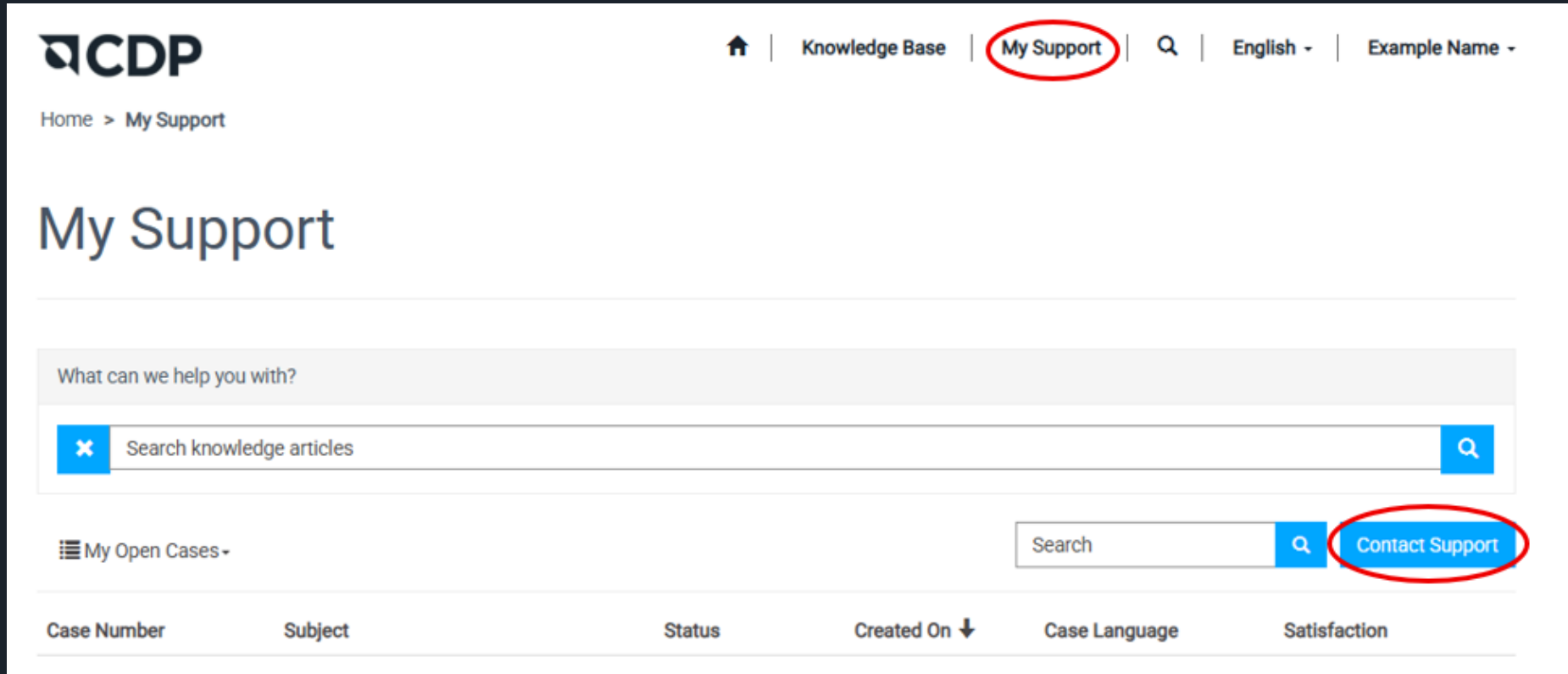
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This screenshot shows the CDP Help Center page. The sidebar menu on the left includes: Home (with a house icon), Help Center (with a document icon, highlighted by an orange rectangle), Reporting guidance (with a document icon), Additional guidance (with a document icon), Get in touch (with a document icon), Support (with a question mark icon and a red upward arrow), Give feedback (with a speech bubble icon), Settings (with a gear icon), and Log out (with an arrow icon). The main content area at the top right states '4 organizations are requesting you to disclose through CDP.' Below this, a section titled 'Need support?' provides information about finding guides, videos, and technical support, with a link to 'Visit the Help Center >'. At the bottom, a 'Guidance' section mentions 'CDP's guidance provides detailed advice for the 2024'.



Contacting Help Center

To get help from CDP account managers and support team



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CDP

Home > My Support

My Support

What can we help you with?

Search knowledge articles

My Open Cases

Search

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Case Number	Subject	Status	Created On ↓	Case Language	Satisfaction
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A large flock of birds, possibly starlings, is captured in mid-flight, forming a dense, V-shaped pattern that stretches across the sky. The background is a soft, colorful gradient of a sunset or sunrise, with hues of pink, orange, and blue. The birds are small, dark silhouettes against the bright sky.

Thank you!

Please contact our support team
through **Help Centre** for any questions

