

Government regulations setting mandatory rules for ESG disclosure and standards have nearly doubled in the last five years and independent verification of ESG reporting will be ever more in demand. At HSBC, we recognise that the need to disclose and report ESG performance is emerging for an increasing number of clients. We are committed to connecting you to market-leading solutions that will enable you to transition to a more sustainable business model.

As part of this effort, we have partnered with diginex, a leading technology company that provides ESG tracking and reporting solutions. With simple, easy-to-use reporting tools, diginex can help you comply with regulations, get ahead of disclosure and reporting requirements, and satisfy the expectations of investors, employees and other key stakeholders. Critically, it can help you understand how to leverage ESG performance and indicators to gain a business advantage – so you're doing the best thing for your business and for the planet.

Benefits of ESG reporting

Credible ESG reporting and disclosure can help your business:



Appeal to investors and attract capital



Stay ahead of regulatory requirements



Build reputation and trust



Manage risks stemming from ESG issues



Create competitive advantage



Generate positive impact on the planet

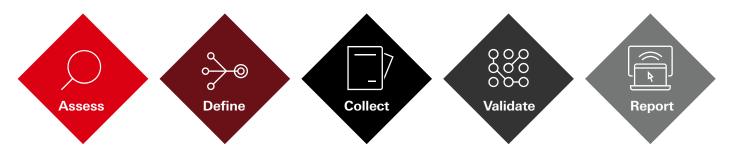
"One of the biggest differences it has made was collecting the information in one place, which allowed us to be more focused. Diginex are great to work with and their support is helping us on our ESG journey."

Angela Eman, Group Director of ESG, Inspecs Plc





ESG reporting in 5 simple steps



The topics that are important to you and your stakeholders

Which frameworks and indicators are relevant for you Work with colleagues to collect data and build a report

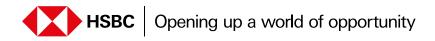
Get sign-off from your Board, CEO or an auditor A user-friendly and professional report with valuable insights

How it works?

- One end-to-end ESG reporting journey helping you generate an ESG report 6x faster.
- Quickly and intuitively helps you map your company against the ESG topics that are most important to your business;
 zero prior sustainability experience needed.
- Machine learning recommendation engine provides smart reporting suggestions. Get up the curve quickly and smoothly.
- Automatically aligns your ESG topics against all the major global frameworks (like GRI, TCFD and SASB) as well
 as leading stock exchanges around the world.
- Blockchain-enabled audit trail to drive accountability and transparency.
- Generate a report in multiple formats to share with investors, regulators, or on your website.
- In partnership with diginex, HSBC brings you the best-in-market price of diginexESG, starting at only USD\$79/month.
- Get cost-effective review and assurance from diginex's global partner, SGS, one of the world's largest testing, inspection, and certification companies.

Next Steps

If you are interested in finding out more about diginex's ESG reporting solution, please contact your HSBC Relationship Manager.





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