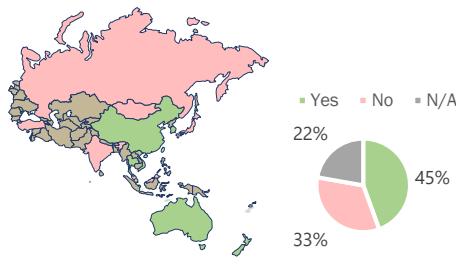


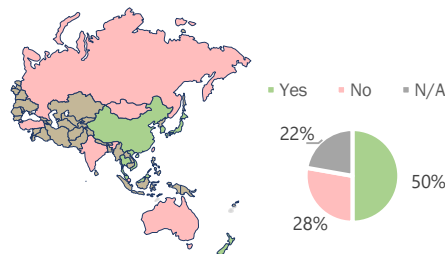
THE STATUS OF SDGs/ESG IN THE ASIA-PACIFIC REGION

GOVERNMENT POLICIES/INITIATIVES

Regulation



Standards/Guidelines



KEY TAKEAWAYS

9 Jurisdictions implementing standards/guidelines



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PRIVATE/PUBLIC-PRIVATE INITIATIVES

KEY TAKEAWAYS

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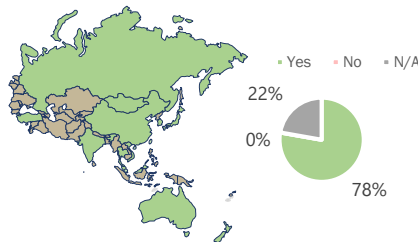


With **14** jurisdictions & **13** jurisdictions respectively

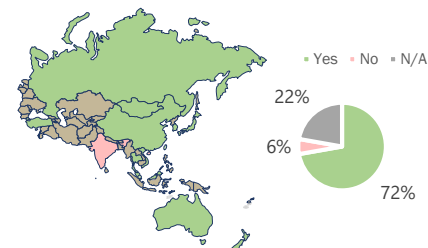


Were most active,

Exchanges



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BY MARKET & ASSET CLASS...

KEY TAKEAWAYS



Disclosure of non-financial information/climate risk observed in **12** jurisdictions



ESG-related indexes in **9** jurisdictions



Green and social bonds issued in **13** jurisdictions*
*All jurisdictions ex-Vietnam



ESG-themed funds in **12** jurisdictions

ABOUT THE DATA

14* Jurisdictions/ Respondents to the survey

(Australia, China, Chinese Taipei, India, Japan, Korea, Malaysia, Mongolia, New Zealand, Russia Singapore, Thailand, Turkey, Vietnam)

*Out of the 18 ASF member jurisdictions (regional associations not included; non-response indicated as N/A in the graphs)

ABOUT THE SDGs



In 2015, the United Nations announced the Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs) as part of a new global sustainable development agenda to end poverty, protect the planet, and ensure prosperity for all.

With the commitment to "leave no one behind", the SDGs outline 17 goals to be achieved by 2030.

ABOUT THE ASF



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