

# **MSCI Fixed Income Indexes**

Distinct methodologies delivered by the market's leading ESG and climate data provider



# Here's how we are different

## Climate-risk and ESG expertise



Bringing our market leading Climate and ESG research and data to Fixed Income Indexes

MSCI applies the same market leading Climate and ESG lens as adopted by asset owners to Fixed Income indexes

### **High quality index construction**



Applying MSCI index quality hallmarks into Fixed Income index space

High standards in Pricing sources, Governance, Regulation, Accuracy, Reliability, Independence and Service

## Fully integrated analytics capabilities



Delivering both content and tools to analyse it in a seamless way, including BarraOne and RiskManager

MSCI Managed Services helps clients with portfolio reporting

### **Multi Asset and customization options**



Ability for you to manage, analyse and report on your entire portfolio from data and services all under one roof



Extensive customization capabilities, both within Fixed Income and across asset classes



## **MSCI Fixed Income Suite**

## MSCI Corporate Bonds ESG Indexes

Our ESG Fixed Income index design is generally consistent with MSCI Equity ESG indexes while resulting in similar bond characteristics such as duration and rating

## Our ratings approach focuses on

**Forward-looking financial materiality:** We monitor emerging risks & opportunities and focus on the issues that are most relevant to a company's core business model.

**Alternative data & models:** Alternative data helps minimize reliance on voluntary disclosure to deliver key insights. Robust models transform unstructured data into meaningful signals.

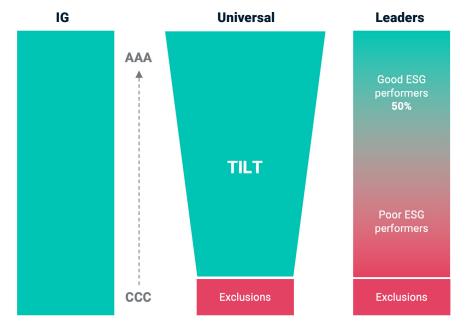
**Tech-enabled human insights:** We use technology and artificial intelligence (AI) to increase the timeliness and precision of data collection and analysis, and to check and validate data. Our 200+ strong team of analysts vet, validate and transform the data into meaningful insights

## We have launched two Corporate Bond ESG indexes

» ESG Universal

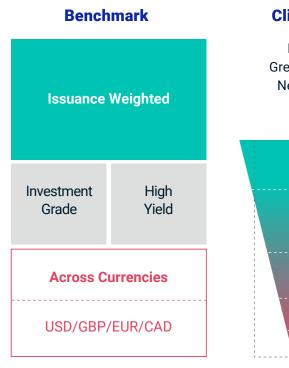
» ESG Leaders







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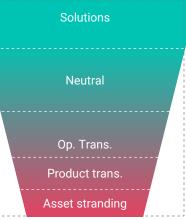


The market

## **Climate Change Index**

Reduce transition risk Green opportunity exposure Net-zero aligned with 2°C

### **Climate Change**



**Piece-wise Linear TILT** Exceeds EU CTB Requirements

## **Climate Transition Index**

Alignment with Climate Transition Benchmark Reduced Transition Risk

#### **Climate Transition**



**Best in class** Exceeds EU CTB Requirements

## **Paris-aligned Index**

Reduce transition risk High green-tech exposure Net-zero aligned with 1.5°C

**Paris Aligned** 



**Climate Optimization** Exceeds EU PAB Requirements



# MSCI FI Indexes on MSCI Analytics Platform

Our index content is supported by extensive analytics capabilities through BarraOne and RiskManager.

MSCI's multi-asset class solutions cover various types of risk, exposure, sensitivities and stress testing analysis.

## For portfolio managers Sail **Risk &** Portfolio Portfolio **Portfolio analysis** performance simulation and reporting construction attribution For risk managers Market risk and Liquidity Regulatory Counterparty credit risk stress testing risk compliance



## **About MSCI**

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