



Value Proposition for Index Providers

RS Metrics – Company and Product Overview

RS Metrics® provides analysis-ready data for environmental, climate, and physical risk themes using direct measurements of companies' asset level activities.

ESGSignals®, RS Metrics' core SaaS platform, is the industry-leading geospatial AI-driven analytics platform that allows stakeholders to easily access objective and comparable asset-level environmental and climate physical risk data for companies. ESGSignals® provides data about company physical assets mapped to ownership, asset type, sector, country etc. making it possible to conduct: (i) asset-level risk assessments, (ii) company, industry, sector level risk evaluation, (iii) baselining and benchmarking, (iv) portfolio screening, monitoring and engagement and more.

Context

Against a backdrop of a wide variety of ESG standards and frameworks, companies are increasingly beginning to measure and report on their emissions as a way to measure and manage transition risk. However, stakeholders across the financial value chain are increasingly aware that they lack the ability to assess climate physical risk and biodiversity. Accessing this foundational data is a far more complex task than emissions measurement, presenting huge issues of complexity and accessibility. This is why RS Metrics® has partnered with Google Cloud to democratize access to our platform of over 100 asset-level climate metrics via SAAS, DAAS, or Dashboards.

Value

We leveraged 2 decades of geospatial and capital markets expertise to provide a modular and configurable portfolio construction, monitoring, and management platform that powers actively managed ECP portfolios and structured products

Our model driven indexes prioritize environmental, climate and physical risk factors such as biodiversity, water quality, clean air, land use / land cover, fire risk, heat wave risk and more. Using independent environmental, climate, and physical risk data from ESGSignals® can help to establish you as a data-driven provider. Subscribe to RS Metrics ESGSignals® Indices or to a complete package, giving you access to company- or sector- or portfolio-level data. The platform helps with:

- Monitoring associated risk factors on a weekly basis
- Google VertexAI powered statistical expertise to further enhance ESG indexes
- Using satellite imagery for verification of public and self-reported information
- ESG Indexes can be designed on a country, regional, industry, or sector basis

Problem

Lack of accessibility to comprehensive objective ESG / ECP (Environmental, Climate and Physical Risk) data is the most acute problem in Capital Markets, driven by the high levels of complexity, scale and expertise needed to measure the data, and compounded by lack of visibility into suppliers, customers and other stakeholders.

BYOA - Bring Your Own Assets is a feature of ESGSignals® that allows customers to add their own assets to the dashboard by providing their location.

Properly monitoring, managing, and reporting progress against targets and commitments requires accurate, timely, and reliable data on the performance of a company's principal assets and operations on these environmental dimensions. **And so as with financial data, this data will increasingly be communicated to stakeholders and the market directly by companies and through data aggregators.**

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