

# **GRI Content Index**<sup>1</sup>

Credit Suisse used the GRI G3 Guidelines and the Financial Services Sector Supplement in the development of its corporate responsibility reporting. The index was the basis for the table below, and refers to information in our Corporate Responsibility Report 2010, our Annual Report 2010, our Code of Conduct and our website (www.credit-suisse.com/responsibility).

	Indicator	Link
1 Strategy a	ind analysis	
1.1	Statement CEO and Chairman	CRR 2-3
1.2	Key impacts, risks and opportunities	Internet
	ional profile	• •
2.1	Name of the reporting organization	Internet
2.2 2.3	Brands, products and services Operational structure	Internet AR 33-34
2.3	Location of headquarters	AR 14-15
2.5	Countries of operation	AR 13-15
2.6	Nature of ownership	AR 149-152
2.7	Markets served	AR 14-15
2.8	Scale of the organization	AR (front insight flap)
2.9	Significant changes	AR 3-5
2.10 3 Report pa	Awards received	CRR 9-10,16, 31-37,40
3.1	Reporting period	CRR 6
3.2	Date of most recent previous report	Internet
3.3	Reporting cycle	Internet
3.4	Contact point on the report	CRR 54
3.5	Defining report content	CRR 4-7
3.6	Boundary of the report	CRR 4-7
L		AR 6-9
3.7	Limitations on report scope or boundary	CRR 4-7
3.8 3.9	Reporting on other entities	CRR (front inside flap)
3.9	Data measurement techniques Explanation of re-statements	Internet CRR 2-7
3.10	Changes from previous report	CRR 2-3
3.12	Table on standard disclosures	Internet
3.13	External assurance	*
	ce, commitments and engagement	
Governance		
4.1	Governance structure	Internet
4.2	Chairperson and CEO	AR 159, 170
4.3	Independency of board members	AR 155-156
4.4 4.5	Shareholders and employee representation Executive remuneration	AR 149-152 AR 181-210
4.6	Conflicts of interests	CoC 7
4.7	Expertise of highest governance body	AR 153-168
4.8	Code of Conduct	Internet
4.9	Governance procedures	Internet
		Internet
4.10	Processes for evaluating performance	CRR 11
0		Internet
4.11	s to external initiatives Precautionary approach	Internet
4.11	Externally developed charters or principles	Internet
4.13	Memberships	CRR 12, 49-50
Stakeholder		
4.14	List of stakeholder groups	Internet
4.15	Stakeholder identification	Internet, *
4.16	Approaches to stakeholder engagement	Internet
4.17 Economia E	Topics raised by stakeholders	CRR 47-50
DMA EC	Performance Indicators Disclosure on management approach EC	AR 17-19
EC1	Economic value generated	AR 51-57
- <b>0</b> .	Conomic value generated	CRR 19-20
EC2	Implications of climate change	CRR 37-45
		Internet
EC3	Benefit plan	AR 93-94
EC4	Financial government assistance	CRR 9
EC6	Local suppliers	Internet, *
507	Landara Marcal	Internet
EC7	Local recruitment	Internet, * CRR 31-33
EC8	Investments and services for public benefit	CRR 31-33 CRR 16-17
		CRR "Focus Themes"
EC9	Indirect economic impacts	Internet
		Internet
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Environme	Indicator ental performance indicators	Link
DMA EN	Disclosure on management approach EN	Internet
	Materials, energy and water	Internet
EN1	Materials used by weight or volume	Internet
EN2	Recycled materials used	CRR 37-45, *
EN3	Direct energy consumption	Internet
EN4	Indirect energy consumption	Internet
EN5	Energy conservation and efficiency	CRR 37-45
EN6	Energy-efficient products and services	CRR 16-17, 37-39
EN7 EN8	Initiatives to reduce indirect energy consumption	CRR 40-45
LINO	Total water withdrawa Biodiversity	Internet, *
EN11	Land assets in biodiversity-rich areas	*
EN12	Impacts on biodiversity	*
	Emissions, effluents and waste	•
EN16	Direct and indirect greenhouse gas emissions	Internet
EN17	Other indirect greenhouse gas emissions	Internet
EN18	Reduction in greenhouse gas emissions	CRR 37-45
EN19	Ozone-depleting substances	*
EN20	NOx, SOx, and other air emissions	*
EN21	Water discharges	*
EN22	Total amount of waste	Internet
EN23	Significant spills Products and services	1
EN26	Environmental impact of products and services	CRR 12-17
EN27	Products sold that are reclaimed	n.r., *
	Compliance and transport	
EN28	Incidents of non-compliance	*
EN29	Impacts from transport	Internet
Social per	formance indicators	
	Labor practices and decent work	
DMA LA	Disclosure on management approach LA	Internet
LA1	Breakdown of workforce	Internet, *
		CRR 32
LA2 LA4	Employee turnover Collective bargaining agreements	-
LA4	Collective bargaining agreements	Internet CRR 33
LA5	Operational changes	CRR 32. *
LA6	Workforce in health and safety committees	Internet
LA7	Absentee rates and injuries	*
LA8	Risk prevention of serious diseases	Internet
		CRR 34-35, *
LA10	Training per employee	BSAR 12-13, *
LA11	Skills management	CRR 31-35
LA12	Regular performance review	CRR 31-33
LA13	Workforce diversity	AR 153, 169
1 4 4 4	Calas, actia hu san dar	CRR 34-35
LA14 Human righ	Salary ratio by gender	
DMA HR	Disclosure on management approach HR	Internet
HR1	Human rights considerations in investment	CRR 12-15
		Internet
HR2	Supplier screening on human rights	Internet
HR4	Non-discrimination	Internet
HR5	Freedom of association	Internet
HR6	Child labor	Internet
HR7	Forced or compulsory labor	Internet
Society	Distance in the contract of th	li anno 1
DMA SO	Disclosure on management approach SO	Internet
\$01	Managing impacts on communities	CRR 19-25
SO1	Managing impacts on communities	Internet
SO2	Risks related to corruption	Internet Internet
		Internet
SO3	Anti-corruption training	CRR 14-15, *
SO4	Actions against corruption	Internet, *
SO5	Public policy positions	CRR 47-50
SO8	Non-compliance	Internet
Product res	ponsibility	
DMA PR	Disclosure on management approach PR	Internet
PR1	Health and safety of products and services	n.r., *
PR3	Product and service information	CRR 16-17
	Customer satisfaction	CRR 9-10
PR5		
PR6 PR9	Marketing standards and voluntary codes Product non-compliance	CoC Internet

## **GRI: Financial Services Sector Supplement**

Sector spe	cific disclosure on management approach	
FS1	Environmental or social business policies	Internet
FS2	Assessment and screening of environmental	Internet
	and social risks	Internet
FS3	Monitoring clients' implementation of social or	CRR 12-15
	environmental agreements	
FS4	Staff training on environmental and social	CRR 14, 41
	policies	
FS5	Client interactions regarding environmental or	CRR 12-15
	social opportunities and risks	Internet
Sector spe	cific performance indicators	
FS6	Percentage of portfolio for business lines by	AR 20-34
	region, size and sector	
FS7	Value of products and services designed to	CRR 16-17
	deliver a specific social benefit	
FS8	Value of products and services designed to	CRR 16-17
	deliver a specific environmental benefit	*
FS9	Coverage and frequency of sustainability risk audits	*
5040		CRR 12-15
FS10	Interaction with companies on environmental or social issues	CRR 12-15
5044		CRR 16-17
FS11	Assets subject to positive or negative environmental or social screening	CRR 16-17
FS12	Voting policies applied to environmental or	*
F312	social issues	
FS13	Access points in low-populated or economically	Internet
F513	disadvantaged areas	Internet
FS14	Initiatives to provide access to financial services	Internet
F514	to disadvantaged people	CRR "Focus Themes" 4-
	to disadvantaged people	CRR FOCUS Themes 4-
FS15	Policies for the fair design and sale of financial	CRR 9
	products and services	
FS16	Initiatives to enhance financial literacy	Internet
		Internet

#### Legend

AR	Credit Suisse Group Annual Report 2010
CRR	Credit Suisse Group Corporate Responsibility Report 2010
CoC	Credit Suisse Group Code of Conduct
BS AR	Credit Suisse Business School Annual Report 2010
Internet	Webpages at www.credit-suisse.com (direct links provided in the table)
n.r.	Performance indicator not relevant or not applicable for financial services providers
*	See explanations below

<sup>1</sup> GRI Content Index: list of Global Reporting Initiative (GRI) performance indicators. The indicators listed on page 1 are abbreviated versions of the disclosure texts; the full list of the disclosure texts is available in the GRI G3 Guidelines as well as in the Financial Services Sector Supplement. The GRI G3 Guidelines and the Financial Services Sector Supplement serve as an index for the standardization of sustainability reporting (see also: www.globalreporting.org).

### Explanations of individual indicators

- Internal processes relating to the Environmental Management System are examined by the external certification company SGS each year as part of the 3.13 auditing of the Environmental Management System according to ISO 14001. The methodology for greenhouse gas calculations was critically reviewed by Pré Consultants, Amersfoort, NL, an external, independent expert in ecobalancing methodology and software.
- 4.15 Credit Suisse selects the stakeholder groups with which it should engage by analyzing the relevant economic, environmental and social factors.
- EC 6 "We are committed to dealing fairly and in good faith with contractors, suppliers and joint venture partners." (Credit Suisse Group, Code of Conduct) EC 7 Partially reported
- EN 2 The share of recycled paper in Switzerland is 2.2 %. In order to reduce its environmental footprint, Credit Suisse focuses on increasing the share of FSCcertified (Forest Stewardship Council) paper. In 2010, the FSC share was 48% globally, and 69% in Switzerland.
- EN 8 The global water consumption in the 850 Credit Suisse office buildings was approximately 1.9 million cubic meters in 2010 and was drawn 99% from local municipal utility companies. In region Switzerland, we use rainwater for gardening purposes at our Zurich Uetlihof building (the largest Credit Suisse building worldwide). For cooling purposes, we use lakewater in Zug and river water from the Rhone River in Geneva.
- EN 11 Credit Suisse's largest offices are located in cities such as Zurich, London, New York, Singapore, Hong Kong, Tokyo and So Paulo. Credit Suisse has limited direct impacts on local biodiversity through its own internal operations and those impacts do not affect any protected areas. Credit Suisse has areas close to its headquarters in Zurich (Uetlihof) and Horgen (Bocken) which have been awarded the quality label "Naturpark der Schweizer Wirtschaft" (see also Stiftung Natur und Wirtschaft, www.naturundwirtschaft.ch), as they have been designed and are maintained in harmony with nature
- EN 12 Credit Suisse only has limited direct impacts on local biodiversity through its own internal operations. Those impacts do not affect any protected areas. For the integration of environmental aspects into our risk management process, please see Corporate Responsibility Report 2010, p.12-15.
- As a global financial services provider. Credit Suisse reports on the emissions that are relevant and material to its operations; greenhouse gas EN 19 equivalents and total energy consumption. However, Credit Suisse is currently testing in a simulation the potential amount of other air emissions; based on the findings, Credit Suisse will consider reporting on this data in the future.
- EN 20 As a global financial services provider, Credit Suisse reports on the emissions that are relevant and material to its operations: greenhouse gas equivalents and total energy consumption. However, Credit Suisse is currently testing in a simulation the potential amount of other air emissions; based on the findings, Credit Suisse will consider reporting on this data in the future.
- EN 21 The annual water consumption of Credit Suisse of 1.9 million cubic meters is considered as household wastewater and treated in municipal sewage purification plants. From our carbon footprint calculations, we estimate that the energy used in the purification plants results in greenhouse gas emissions (CO2 equivalents) of approximately 650 tons per annum.
- **FN 23** As a global financial services provider, Credit Suisse does not directly generate significant spills.
- EN 27 Credit Suisse does not report on this indicator, since its disclosure is only material for companies with physical products.
- EN 28 No sanctions for non-compliance with environmental laws and regulations were imposed

- LA1 Partially reported; part-time work differs nationally and regionally, as does employment contract. These are governed by local legal requirements. Consequently it is difficult to aggregate on a global level.
- LA2 Partially reported; the global voluntary turnover rate for 2010 was 8.6%.
- LA 5 The representation of employee interests vis-à-vis management is the responsibility of the Staff Council in Switzerland and the European Works Council at a pan-European level. If restructuring and redundancies are unavoidable, Credit Suisse tries to implement these measures in a responsible, fair and consistent manner, taking the individual circumstances of the affected employees into consideration. We offer employees time, tools and professional support. In certain regions, focus is placed on providing individual support and personal advice to help the employees start a new career.
- LA7 Partially reported; regarding fatalities and work-related injuries, due to the nature of Credit Suisse's business as a global financial services provider, the amount of data is insignificant. Regarding absenteeism, the definition of lost days and absenteeism differs nationally and is governed by local legal requirements. Consequently it cannot be aggregated on a global level.
- LA8 Credit Suisse takes measures that are reasonably practicable, and in line with applicable legislation, to protect the health of employees and ensure their safety while they are at work. To promote the health and well-being of staff, Credit Suisse provides a wide array of attractive and comprehensive programs and activities related to exercise, nutrition and relaxation (see also Corporate Responsibility Report 2010, p. 34-35).
- LA10 Partially reported; according the Credit Suisse Business School Annual Report 2010, each employee received an average of 14.3 training hours. In addition to this, each employee participated in an average of 9 e-learning courses, including mandatory modules.
- LA14 Not reported due to bank-specific regulatory limitations and internal guidelines.
- SO3 Credit Suisse has a comprehensive training program on anti-corruption policies and procedures that incorporates new hire training, annual employee training, dedicated e-learning modules, as well as targeted in-person training for high-risk business areas and senior management within the bank. Credit Suisse plans on issuing an additional e-learning course on anti-corruption issues in 2011.
- SO4 Partially reported.
- PR 1 Credit Suisse does not report on this indicator, since its disclosure is only material for companies with physical products.
- FS 9 Audits related to the implementation of policies in the area of sustainability and sustainability risk management are regularly carried out by Credit Suisse's internal audit function and the respective regulatory bodies.
- FS 12 Credit Suisse seeks to act in the interest of the beneficial owners of shares in a fund; in the event of annual general meetings it therefore assesses the impact of the shareholder vote on the interests of the share owners and exercises its voting right on substantial matters, including potential environmental and social topics.



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