

Vaccine Bonds Initiative A new issue in socially responsible investing ?







Drivers of sustainable development and responsible investment

• Recognition of the hard facts underlying social and environmental issues*

Climate change, pressure on energy resources, loss of biodiversity and ecosystems, unequal access to full Human Rights and vital resources (water, food, healthcare, energy...), etc.

* commonly known as ESG (Environmental, Social and Governance)

• Emergence of international initiatives

Principles for Responsible Investment (PRI), UNEP-FI, Global Compact, The Equator Principles, Carbon Disclosure Project (CDP), International Corporate Governance Network (ICGN), Institutional Investors Group on Climate Change (IIGCC), Investor Network on Climate Risk (INCR), Investor Group on Climate Change Australia/New Zealand (IGCC), Sustainable Investment Forum (SIF)

Responsible investment definition

"A SRI (Socially Responsible Investment) is an investment that aims to reconcile economic performance and social and environmental impact by supporting companies and public entities that contribute to sustainable development regardless their industry. In influencing Governance and behaviours of actors, the SRI promotes a responsible economy" – AFG & FIR, 2 July 2013







An SRI market of USD 13.6 trillion AuM

Looking at investments through an ESG spectrum filter

- Norms-based screening Screening of investments according to their compliance with international standards and norms
- Exclusion

Exclusion of companies or sectors from the investment universe based on criteria relating to ESG or ethical issues

ESG Selection or "Best In class"

Focus on companies that have historically performed better than their peers within an industry sector on measures of environmental, social and corporate governance issues

ESG Integration

Consideration of ESG factors in mainstream investment processes and decision-making

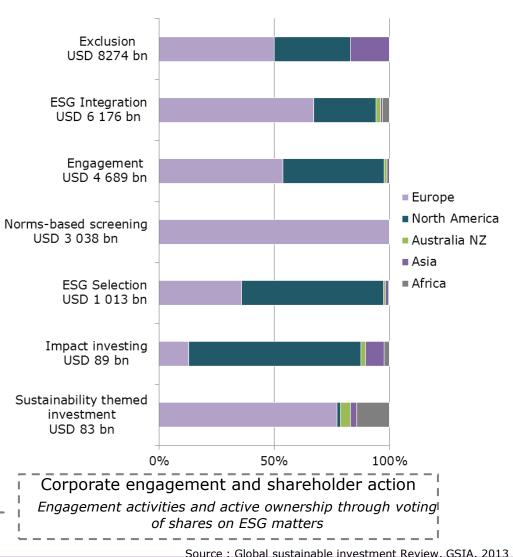
Have an impact on the real economy

Sustainability themed investment

Investment in themes or assets linked to sustainable development issues

Impact investment

Investments in companies, organizations and funds with the intention of generating measurable social and environmental impacts alongside a financial return







Investment philosophy of Natixis AM

- Target : achieve an ESG integration for 100 % of funds
- Exclusion for cluster munitions and anti-personnel mines

Investment philosophy of Mirova, a subsidiary of Natixis AM dedicated to SRI

"A global approach to reconcile value creation in financial markets with sustainable development"

- Long-term value research that connects investments and real economy
- An approach to market analysis based on eight sustainable investment themes to identify investment opportunities
- Knowledge and experience sharing, in particular through research partnerships such as that with the University of Cambridge's CPSL and through active participation in industry-wide initiatives
- Assets under management ⁽¹⁾:

€4.2 billion in equity
a total commitment of over €360 m in infrastructure projects ⁽²⁾⁽³⁾
€5.8 billion in advising on SRI, excluding equities
€23.6 billion in voting & engagement - 2nd largest European manager of open-ended SRI funds ⁽⁴⁾
N°1 in Impact investing in France and in Europe ⁽⁵⁾

(1) Data as of 30/09/2013. ⁽²⁾ The Infrastructure financing activity is managed by Mirova Environment and Infrastructure, a subsidiary of Natixis Asset Management. ⁽³⁾ including €264 m invested in infrastructure projects. ⁽⁴⁾ Source: Feri Lipper - 04/2013. ⁽⁵⁾ Baromètre Finansol 2012. Impact Investing: of which €55 million invested directly in solidarity organizations.







How do Green and social bonds address socially responsible investing issues ?

How can investors assess the environmental or/and social benefits of their investments?

- Socially responsible investment is not an exact science.
- The implementation of reliable and uniform ESG performance indicators is essential to providing greater visibility for results and for defining ESG added value. However, there are currently no "extra-financial ratios" recognized by the industry.

Equities	Fixed Income	Funding for infrastructure projects
Thematic investmentsImpact Investing	 <u>Green and</u> social bonds 	• PPP

Advantages for SRI asset managers of green and social bonds

Double impact

• Investment : Contribution to an investment in a project (finance of savings)

Not a holding of share capital Not a refinancing of the debt Not a refinancing of the losses Not a repurchasing of shares

• **Responsible :** greater visibility of impact on the real economy (KPI to measure the impact) Concrete environmental and/or social benefit based on the project's end purpose rather than the ESG policy of the issuer



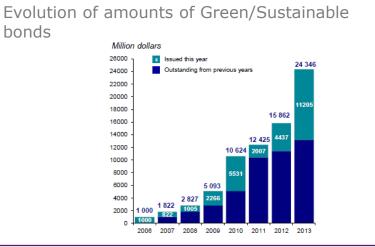




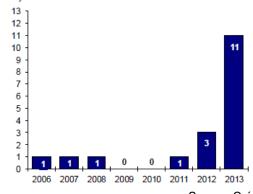
An attractive and innovative market

Issuers	Projects
Supranational & development banks World Bank, EIB, IFFIm, IFC, etc. Local authorities Ile-de France region, Provence-Alpes-Cote-d'Azur region, New-York City, Göteborg City, US local governments, etc. Companies EDF, Air Liquide, Soitec, MidAmerican Energy's Solar Star, Golden Lane Housing, etc. Banks Bank of America	Green bonds / climate bonds Renewable energies, energy efficiency, HEQ constructions, solar farms projects, etc. Social bonds Women in business bonds, Vaccine bonds for GAVI, home healthcare, charity bonds, etc. Green and social bonds Development of rails, mix between environmental and social projects, etc.

A growing market that offers more and more significant projects



Number of Green/Sustainable bonds (>USD 500m)



Source: Crédit agricole CIB, 2013







Mirova's main SRI fixed income fund

Issuer	Portfolio	Green	Green/Portfolio
Agency/Supra	10%	7%	73%
Corporate	21%	2%	19%
Sovereign	44%	0%	0%
Financials	15%	0%	0%
Other	11%	NA	NA

Issuers

Corporates : Air Liquide and EDF

Agency/supranationals/authorities : EIB, fmo, African Bank of Development, IFC (World Bank)

Conditions

- Impact : audit the capital allocation to social or green projects
- Reporting : regular updates, comparison of anticipated with current benefits, etc.
- Financials : same covenants as classic debt ; liquidity over 500 mUSD ; in EUR or USD





* Why Vaccine bonds attract investors aiming to address healthcare issues?

All healthcare companies addresses sustainable development issues

- Why favour the cure of one disease rather than an other ?
- What are the most efficient initiatives for creating access to medicines?
- What companies' offerings are best suited to long term healthcare issues such as an ageing population, access to medicine, unhealthy lifestyles or unmet medical needs ?

Vaccine bonds ensure a concrete and lasting impact on Access to Healthcare in emerging countries through the implementation of sustainable immunisation programmes

"It is better to be safe than sorry"

The pharmaceutical industry is at a turning point

- Patents based on blockbuster model
- R&D productivity with integrated model
- 90 % of business in developed countries

- <u>Access to healthcare in emerging and developed</u> countries
- Unhealthy lifestyle: <u>from disease curing to</u> <u>disease preventing</u>
- Ageing population
- Unmet medical needs: tailored drugs through personalized medicine & flexible R&D (products, localization, adapted to prioritized diseases, etc.)

Vaccine bonds support the transition of healthcare companies to emerging countries and to preventative care.







Vaccine bonds address SRI issues through:

✓ Financing investment in a project

 \checkmark A clear and targeted social impact with a detailed reporting on performances

\checkmark An answer to both long-term issues of healthcare :

- Development of health systems in emerging countries
- Support for preventative care







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