



ESG: how to find the sweet spot between compliance, risk and opportunities

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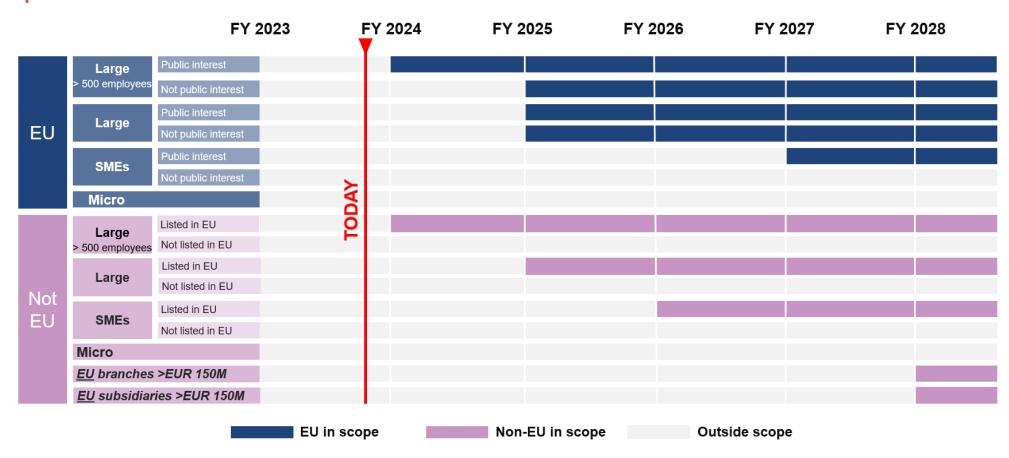
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Trend 1: Broadening the scope of binding ESG obligations to include regulated and non-regulated entities alike

The scope of CSRD

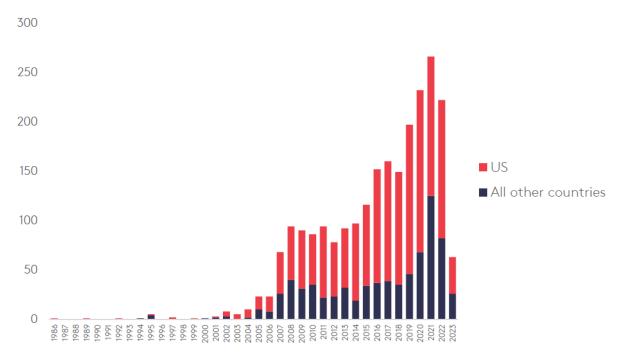




Trend 2: Growing litigation risk

ESG Litigation – A rising number of cases across the globe

Figure 1.1. Total climate change cases over time, US and non-US (1986 to 31 May 2023)



Note: Data collection for 2023 is still underway, and there may be a small delay between cases being filed and being identified and processed for inclusion in the databases, therefore the 2023 data are incomplete.

Source: Authors based on Sabin Center databases

Increased Reputational number of risk claims for 'greenwashing" Prevention! **ESA** common Quid civil or understanding commercial of the concept litigation risk? "greenwashing" No binding "positive commitment rule"

Setzer J and Higham C (2023) Global Trends in Climate Change Litigation: 2023 Snapshot. London: Grantham Research Institute on Climate Change and the Environment and Centre for Climate Change Economics and Policy, London School of Economics and Political Science



Trend 3: Increased scrutiny of regulators

Regulatory activity



CSSF Thematic Review on the implementation of sustainability-related provisions in the investment fund industry

Organisational arrangements of IFMs

Periodic disclosures

Portfolio analysis

Pre-contractual disclosures and website disclosures

Fund documentation and marketing communications



Enhanced administrative sanctioning powers for the CSSF and the CAA

public statement specifying the identity of the person responsible and the nature of the violation

temporary prohibition of a person exercising managerial functions of for any natural person responsible for such a violation from exercising managerial function

administrative fine of between EUR 250 and EUR 250,000



The Luxembourg law of 25 February 2022 implementing the SFDR and the Taxonomy Regulation



What else?



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Q&A Session

Please use the chat-box to ask any question.





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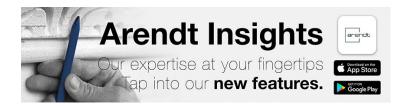
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