

Insurance

Driving forces

As one of the sectors most directly exposed to losses from climate change events, the insurance industry has demonstrated leadership in integrating sustainability considerations into its core business. Leading insurers are increasingly considering long-term sustainability trends and factors in the development of new sustainable insurance solutions, as well as in their risk assessments and claims-management processes. This includes climate change risk and cybersecurity risk. At the same time, as the industry embraces digitalization, it faces both significant threats and opportunities. Digitalization has provided consumers with increased transparency and choice, while simultaneously providing insurers with new direct-to-consumer channels for delivering products and services. Leading insurers, particularly those in life insurance, are exploring ways to use developments in digital technology to offer innovative products customized to the needs of customers and incentivize healthier lifestyles through lower premiums. Deaths caused by the COVID-19 pandemic, however, have led to an increase in claims and costs for life insurers.

Highlighted criteria & dimension weights

Environmental Dimension..15%

- Climate Strategy

Social Dimension 34%

- Financial Inclusion
- Human Capital Development
- Labor Practice Indicators
- Talent Attraction & Retention

Governance & Economic
Dimension51%

- Codes of Business Conduct
- Corporate Governance
- Principles for Sustainable
 Insurance
- Risk & Crisis Management
- Sustainable Finance

Industry Awards 2022

S&P Global Gold Class	S&P G ESG S	
Allianz SE	Germany	93
S&P Global Silver Class		
Swiss Re AG	Switzerland	90
S&P Global Bronze Class		
Zurich Insurance Group AG	Switzerland	88
China Development Financial		
Holding Corporation	Taiwan	88
Assicurazioni Generali S.p.A.	Italy	87
Cathay Financial Holding Co., Ltd.	Taiwan	87
AXA SA	France	87
Fubon Financial Holding Co., Ltd.	Taiwan	86
ASR Nederland N.V.	Netherlands	86
Münchener Rückversicherungs-		
Gesellschaft Aktiengesellschaft		
in München	Germany	86
Shin Kong Financial		
Holding Co., Ltd.	Taiwan	84
Sustainability Yearbook Members	S	
Poste Italiane SpA	Italy	8
Storebrand ASA	Norway	8:
Sompo Holdings, Inc.	Japan	8
NN Group N.V.	Netherlands	80
MS&AD Insurance Group		
Holdings, Inc.	Japan	7
Mapfre, S.A.	Spain	7

Tokio Marine Holdings, Inc.	Japan	77
QBE Insurance Group Limited	Australia	76
Dai-ichi Life Holdings, Inc.	Japan	75
Samsung Fire & Marine		
Insurance Co., Ltd.	Rep. of Korea	72
Sul América S.A.*	Brazil	70
Suncorp Group Limited	Australia	69
Insurance Australia Group		
Limited	Australia	67
Ping An Insurance (Group)		
Company of China, Ltd.	China	66
Aviva plc	United Kingdom	66
MetLife, Inc.	United States	66

^{*} S&P Global Industry Mover

Industry statistics

Number of companies assessed	186
Market capitalization of assessed compa	anies
(in USD billion)	2,844
Number of companies in Yearbook	27
Market capitalization of companies in Yea	ırbook
(in USD billion)	859.3