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Are banks ready to account for climate-related issues?

(a focus group survey)

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ABOUT THIS REPORT

Objective

- The report presents key results of our survey on major financial institutions' readiness and progress in assessing, reporting, and disclosing climate-related matters against Indonesia guidelines and international best practices.

Our samples

- Commercial financial institutions in Indonesia – national, international, private, and state-owned – that represent more than 60% of the country's market shares and are listed in the Indonesia Stock Exchange.
- The survey and observation were conducted from September 2021 to June 2022.

Regulations and standards used to assess climate-related reporting and disclosure

- OJK regulation on Sustainable Finance Implementation (POJK 51/2017) to kick-start sustainability disclosure and POJK 60/2017 on Green Bonds
- The Task-Force on Climate-Related Financial Disclosures (TCFD) recommendation as a global benchmark to assess progress of climate-related disclosures
- Indonesia Green Taxonomy 1.0 acknowledging green sub-sectors, but yet without fixed period and cost of the transition of non-green sectors categorized as “yellow” and “red”

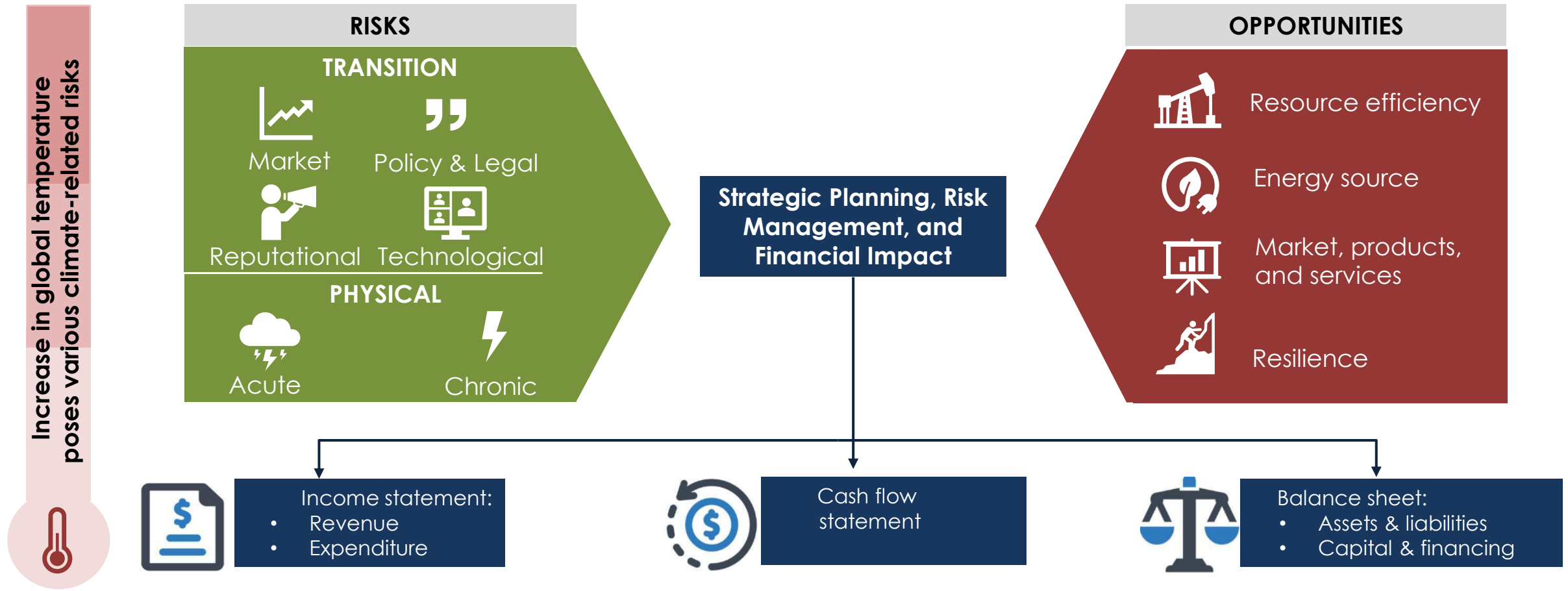
Why TCFD Recommendations as a key benchmark?

- TCFD Recommendations are intended for all companies with listed debt or equity in G20 countries to identify information needs of the financial sector and evaluate climate-related risks and opportunities in the transition to a low-carbon economy. This is notably a key objective of the SDGs and echoed under the “yellow” categorization of the traffic light system in Indonesia Green Taxonomy 1.0.

IMPORTANCE OF DISCLOSURE

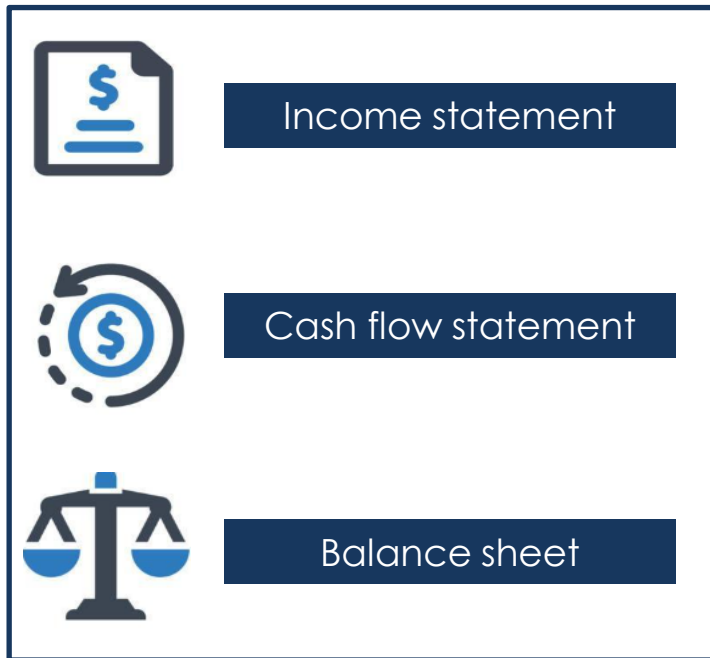
**Assessing and improving banks'
alignment with climate targets**

To align with climate goals, banks need to account for climate risk, conduct strategic planning, and assess financial impact on climate related matters



Disclosure is an important tool to supervise the financial sector and foster market discipline

STRATEGY AND FINANCIAL IMPACT



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CLIMATE-FOCUSED DISCLOSURE BENCHMARK: TCFD RECOMMENDATIONS ON CORE ELEMENTS OF CLIMATE-RELATED FINANCIAL RISKS

GOVERNANCE

- Process, control, procedures, and oversight of climate-related risks and opportunities

STRATEGY

- Actual and potential impact of climate-related risks and opportunities
- Strategy on transition plans

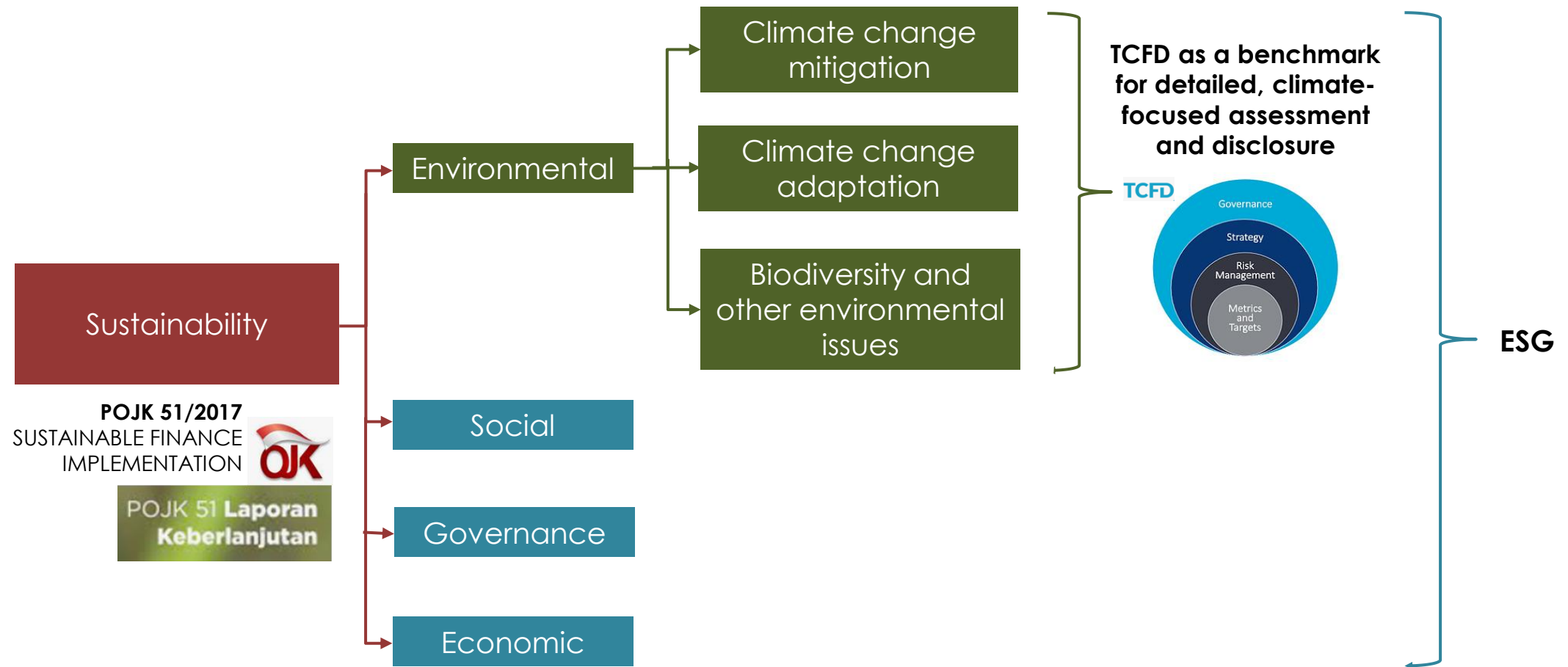
RISK MANAGEMENT

- Process used to identify climate-related risks
- Risk management framework

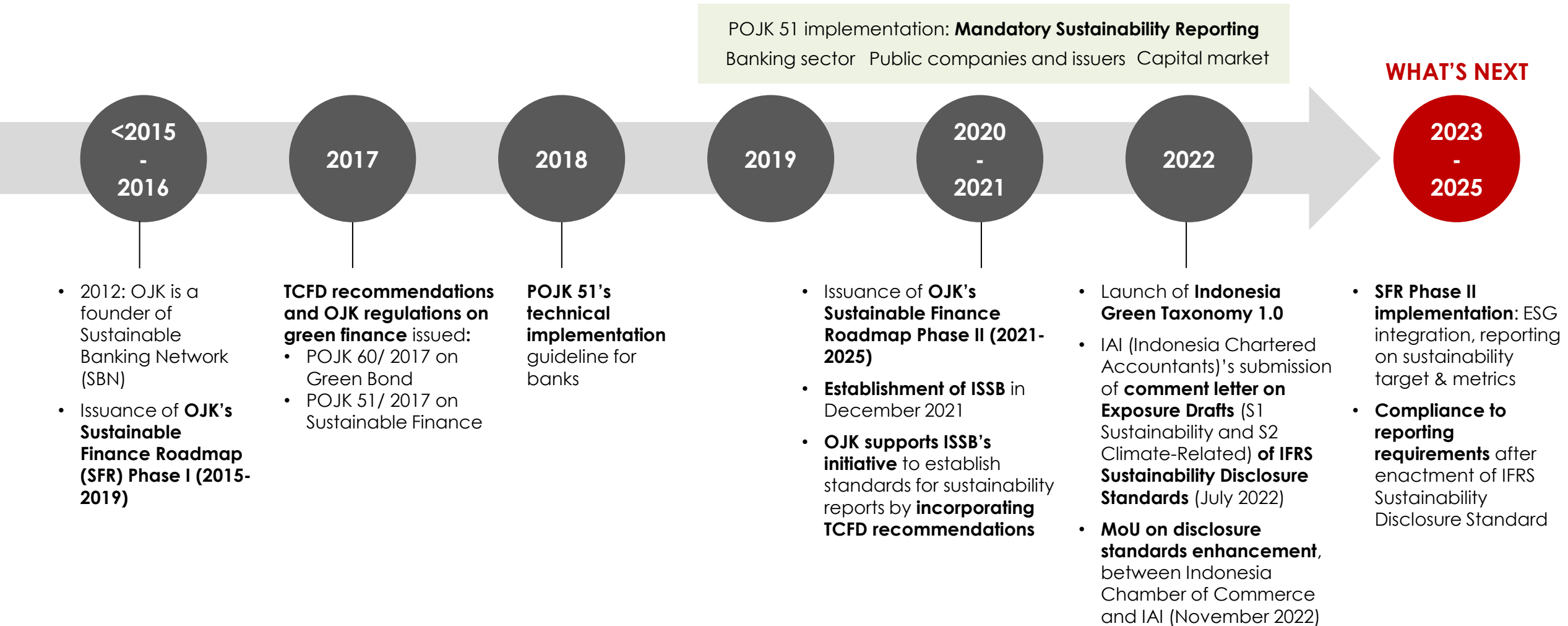
METRICS AND TARGETS

- Assess, measure, monitor, and manage relevant climate-related risks and opportunities

The scope of disclosure: sustainable finance extends its domain to environmental, social, governance, and economic factors



OJK has mandated disclosure of sustainability as a key component of a sustainable investment ecosystem to accelerate green finance



While POJK 51/2017 identifies 11 green activities to be reported, green taxonomy has the opportunity to widen it: so far there are 15 business activities in the “green” category

Sustainable finance activities, defined by POJK 51/2017, consist of **11 green** and **1 MSME financing**



Green taxonomy 1.0 covers 919 sub-sectors, in line with the Indonesian Standard for Industrial Classification (KBLI), classified using traffic light system, into 3 categories:



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- Do no significant harm
- Apply minimum safeguard
- Positive impact on the environment and aligned with national environmental objectives

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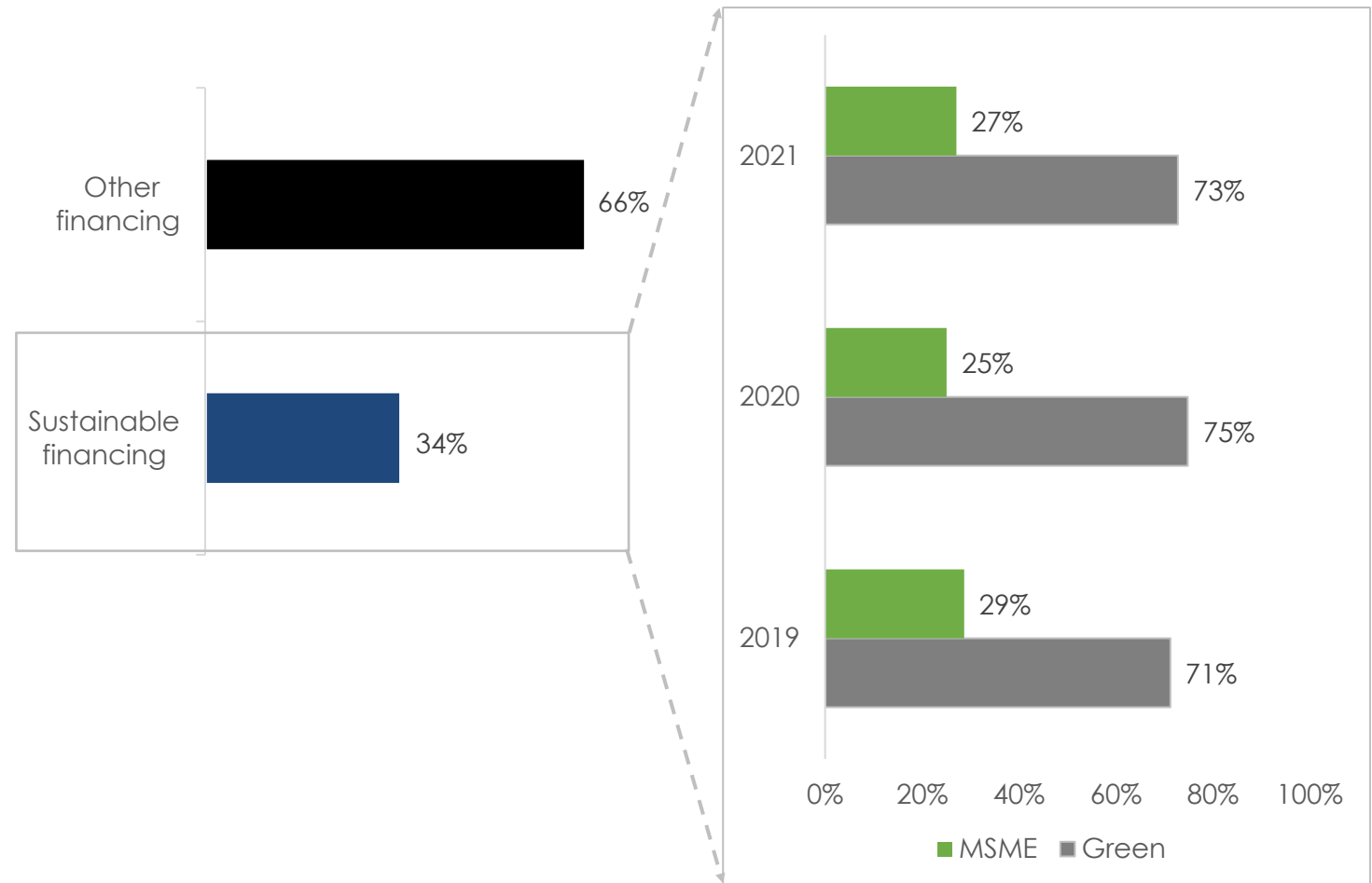
- **In transition**, avoiding significant harm
- Prerequisites must be met for financing

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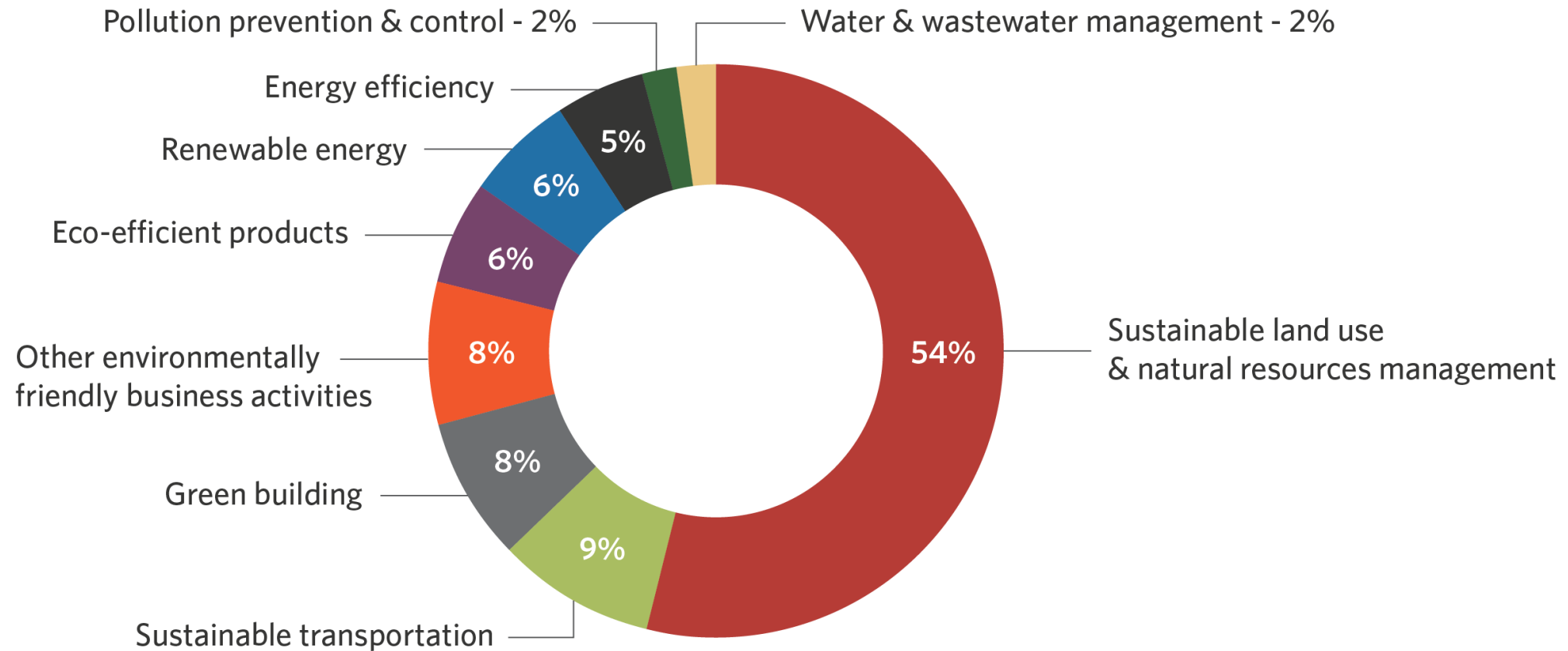
- Environmentally harmful activities
- More than 50% of sub-sectors covered are currently **misaligned with Indonesia's climate goals**

Upward trend in ESG portfolio as market responds to POJK 51/2017 on Sustainability Reporting, though it is less E and more SG

Loan portfolios of all sampled commercial banks represent more than 60% market share in Indonesia, 2019 – 2021 (%)



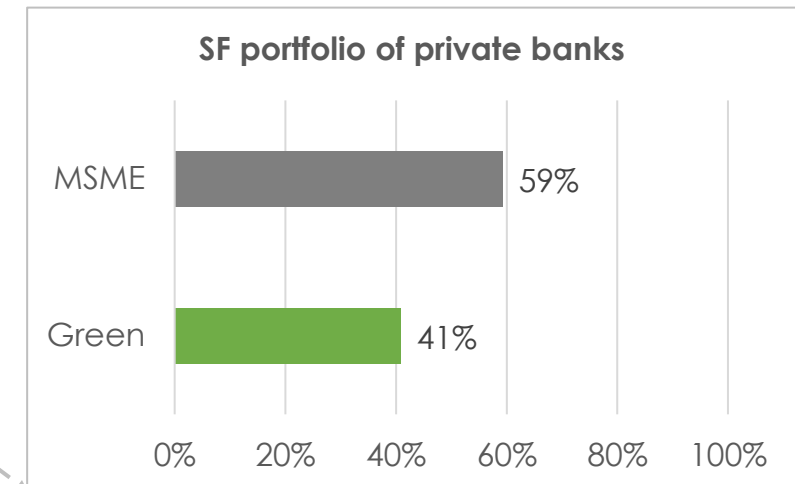
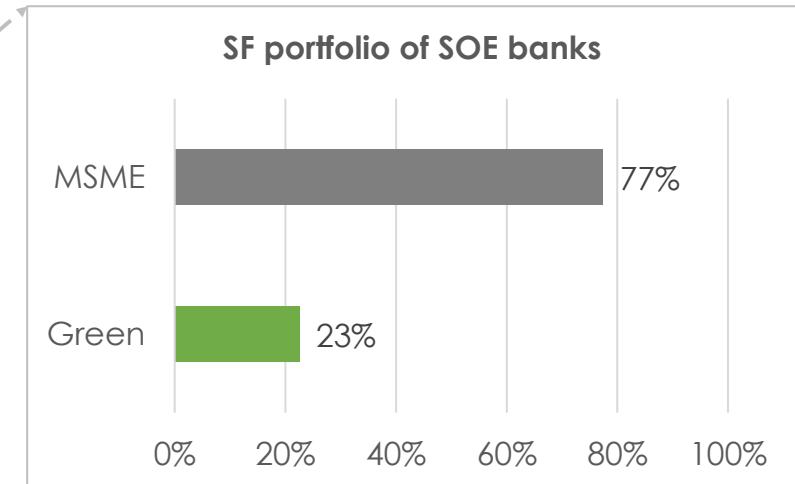
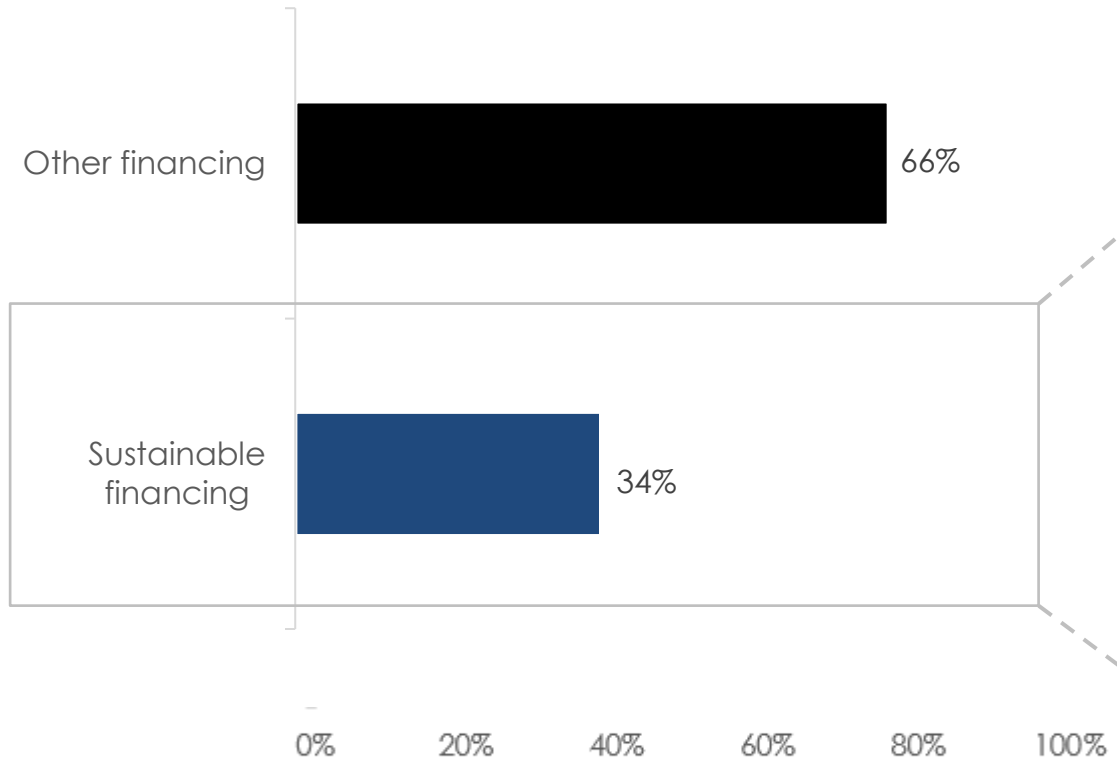
Green sectors based on POJK 51





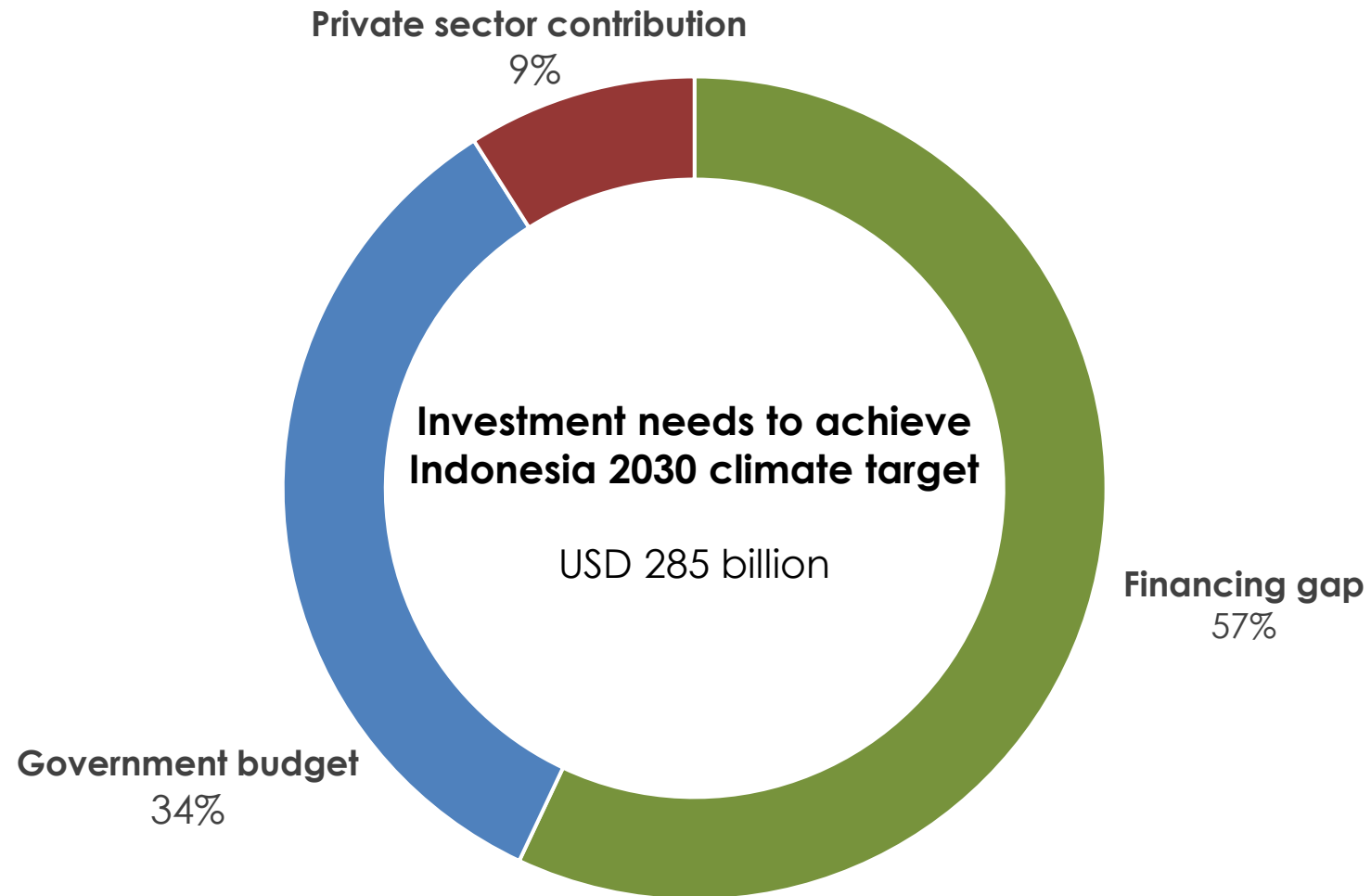
Investment trend: private banks allocate higher portion of green finance than SOE banks

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Source: CPI analysis on annual report and sustainability report of the samples (2019, 2020, 2021)

Private sector contribution to Indonesia's NDC could be further optimized with greater sustainability disclosure practices

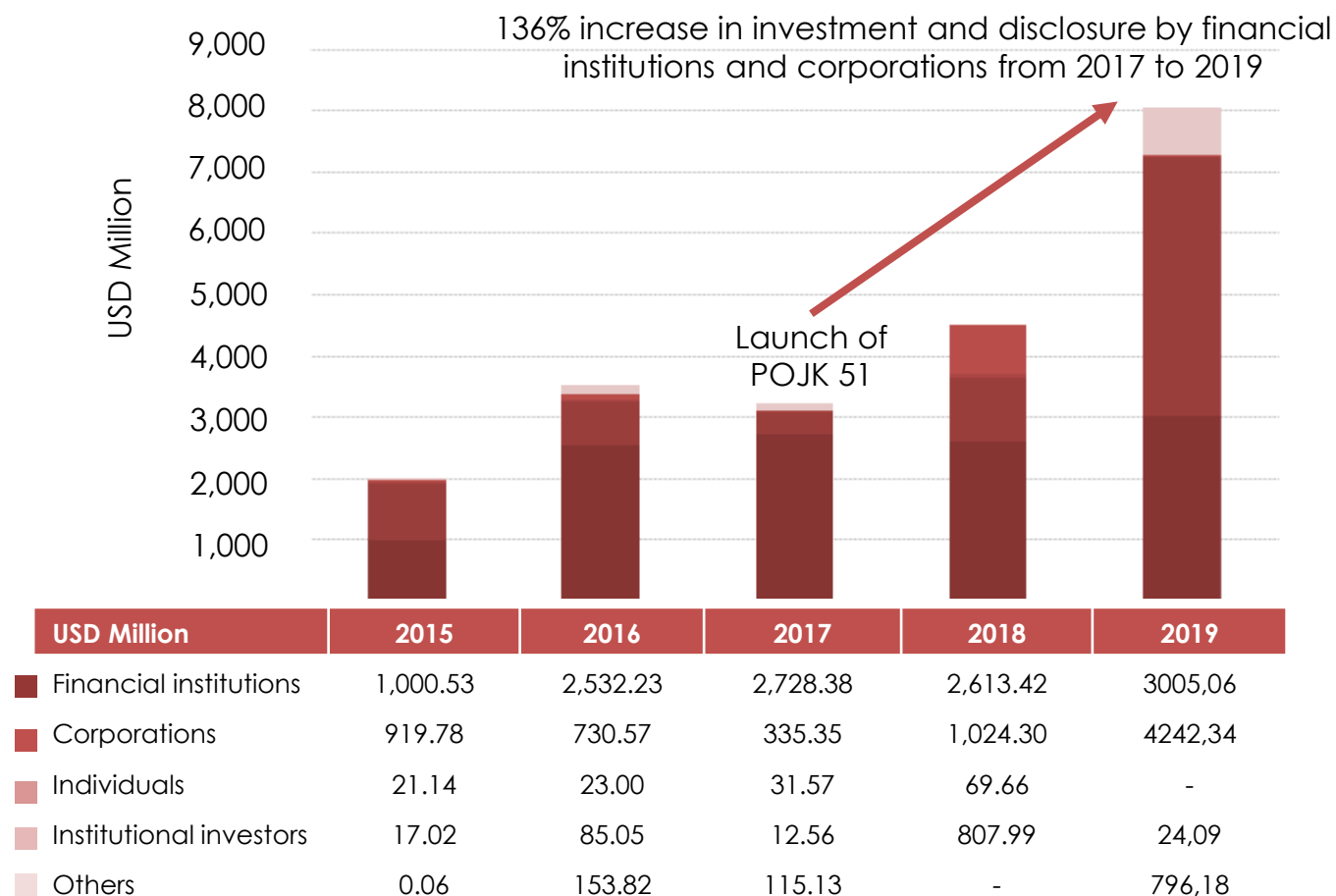




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Tracked **private finance tripled** from 2015 to 2019, attributable to **significant increase in investment and disclosure**, with one of the key drivers being an **enforcement of Sustainability Reporting by POJK 51 in 2017**

Private sector green and climate-related investment in 2015 – 2019



DISCLOSURE STANDARDS

**Global benchmarks and Indonesia
policies**

Benchmarking disclosure standards: Where climate-related and sustainability matters are currently reported?

TCFD RECOMMENDATIONS				
	Governance	Strategy and commitment	Target and Performance	Risk Management
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Board statements Sustainability Report 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Sustainable finance action plan report (RAKB), covering 1- and- 5-year action plan 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Annual Financial Report, i.e., notes to financial statements or reflected in the financial accounts 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Annual stress-test and Internal Capital Adequacy Assessment Process (ICAAP) Semi-annual risk profiling, i.e., risk-weighted assets (RWA), credit valuation adjustment (CVA) risk, leverage ratio
INTERNATIONAL GUIDELINES	<p>CONSOLIDATED REPORTING</p> 	<p>SUSTAINABILITY REPORTING</p> 	 <p>FINANCIAL STATEMENT PRESENTATION AND MATERIAL DISCLOSURES</p>	<p>Basel Committee on Banking Supervision</p> 
INDONESIA GUIDELINES	<p>POJK 51/ 2017 SUSTAINABLE FINANCE IMPLEMENTATION</p>  <p>POJK 51 Laporan Keberlanjutan</p>	<p>POJK 60/ 2017</p> 		<p>OJK REGULATION 34/POJK.03/2016 MINIMUM CAPITAL PROVISION FOR BANKS</p> <p>OJK REGULATION 18/POJK.03/2016 RISK MANAGEMENT IMPLEMENTATION FOR BANKS</p>

POJK 51 requires high-level sustainability disclosure, while TCFD emphasizes on detailed assessment and reporting of climate-related risks and opportunities

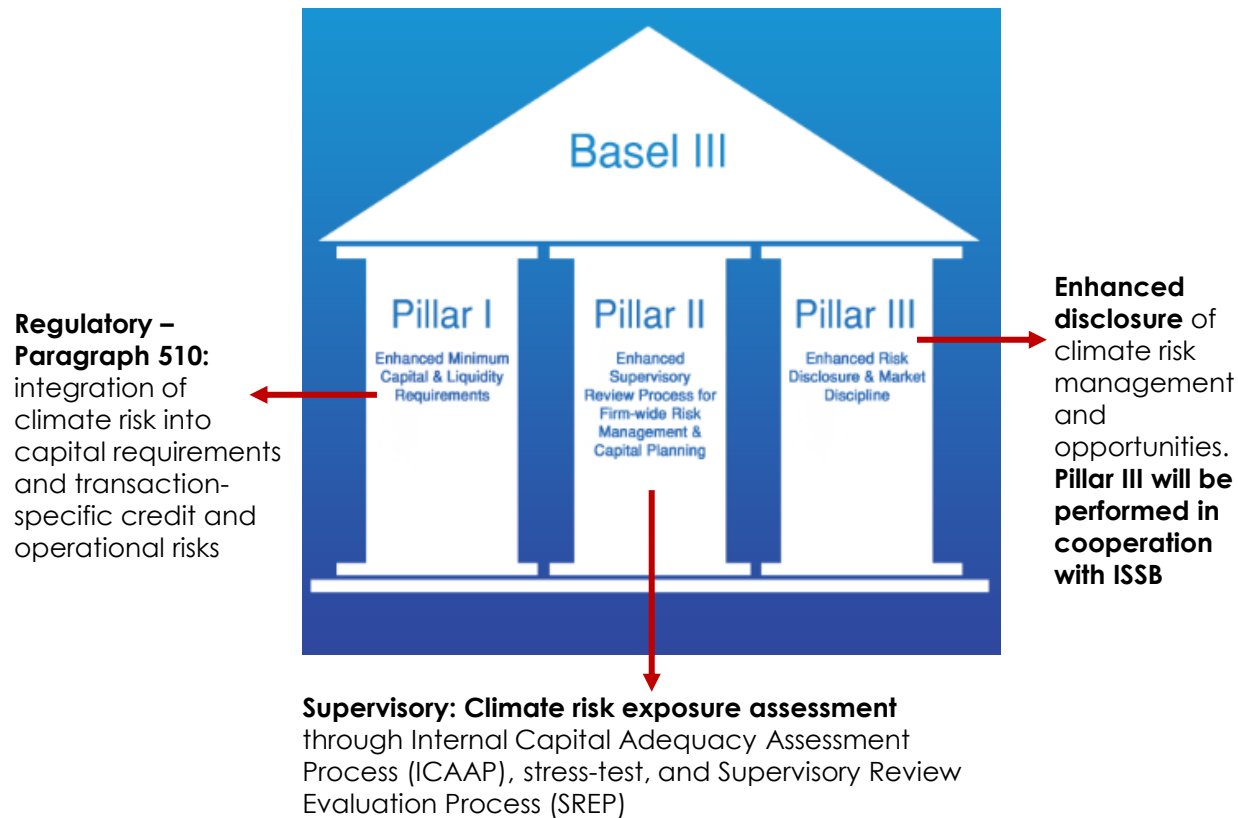
Disclosure	POJK 51/ 2017	TCFD
Scope	Environment (i.e., climate, green), socio-economic, and governance (ESG)	Climate-focused
Core elements	Sustainability report <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Governance: business process, operation, capacity building 2. Strategy through Action Plan Reporting for 1-year and 5-year coverage (RAKB) 3. Sustainable finance target and commitments 4. Performance: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> o Disbursement of financing using 12 categories of green and MSME finance o Other green investment/ financing products, e.g., green bonds (based on POJK 60/2017) 	4 recommended climate-focused reporting areas, by identifying, assessing, measuring, and monitoring climate-related (financial and non-financial) risks and opportunities <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Governance 2. Strategy 3. Risk Management 4. Metrics and targets <p>(As outlined in Slide 5)</p>
Depth	High level, limited climate-related disclosure.	More detailed disclosure, requiring both quantitative and qualitative assessments, of climate-related financial risks, exposure, and opportunities.

There is opportunity to integrate climate-related financial reporting for more streamlined disclosure



As financial sector specific guidelines are being developed, banks need to prepare for more complex landscape of disclosure requirements

- The Basel Committee on Banking Supervision issued **Basel III** regulatory framework to address climate-related financial risks in the banking system, spanning **regulatory, supervisory, and disclosure**.



- ISSB (International Sustainability Standard Board)** recently sought feedback on two proposed IFRS Sustainability Disclosure Standards over a 120-day consultation period, closing on 29 July 2022



IFRS S1 General Requirements for Disclosure of Sustainability-related Financial Information

- Particularly on social, water, and biodiversity related financial disclosures



IFRS S2 Climate-Related disclosure

- Incorporate TCFD recommendation
- Include SASB's climate-related industry-based requirements
- Require disclosure of physical and transition risks as well as climate-related opportunities

SURVEY RESULTS

**Scope and depth of current
sustainability disclosures**

Survey result: Good compliance with POJK 51's sustainability reporting requirements with limited climate-related detail



REPORTING AND DISCLOSURE

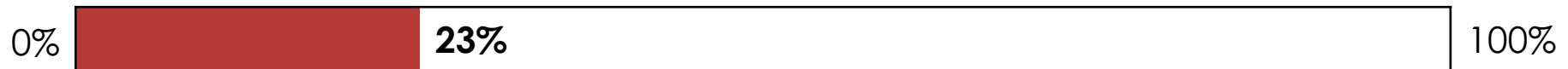
Sustainability Report submission



Disclosure of 11 green activities based on POJK 51



Benchmarking against TCFD: Climate-related disclosure

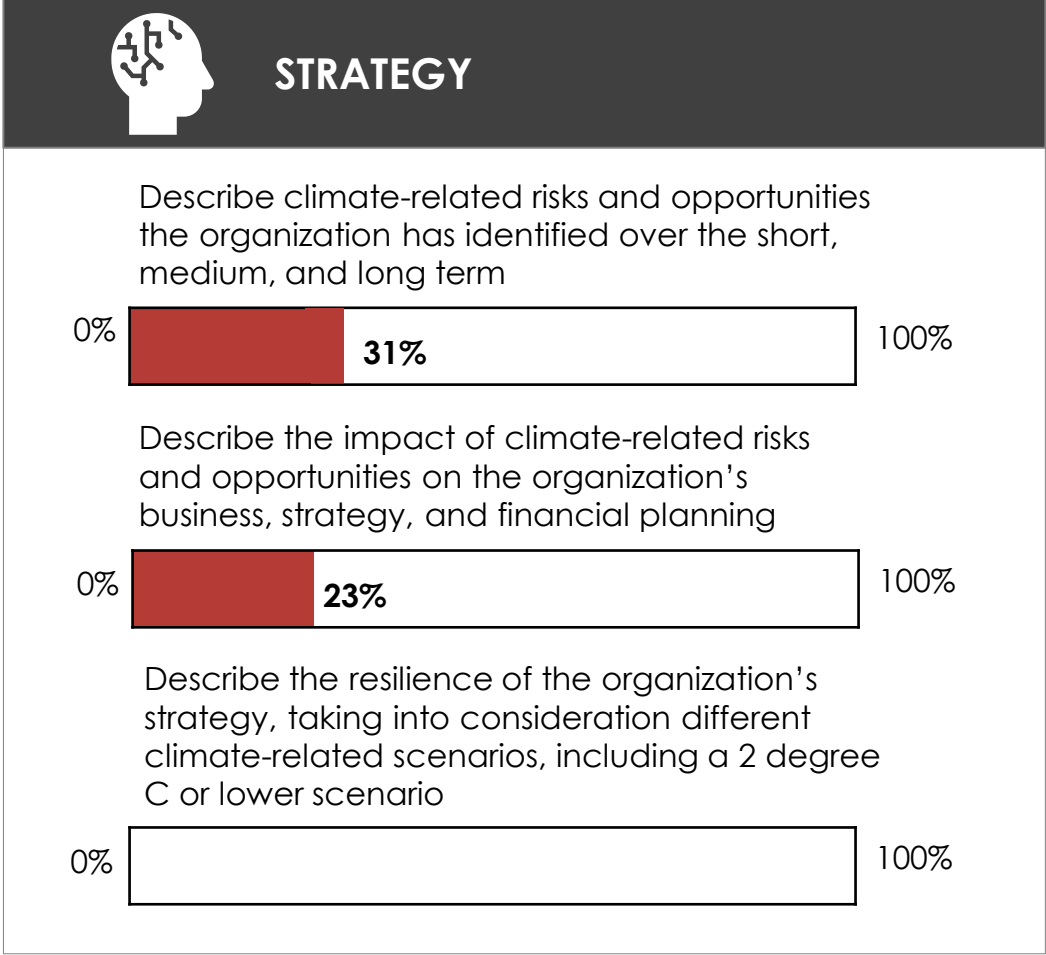
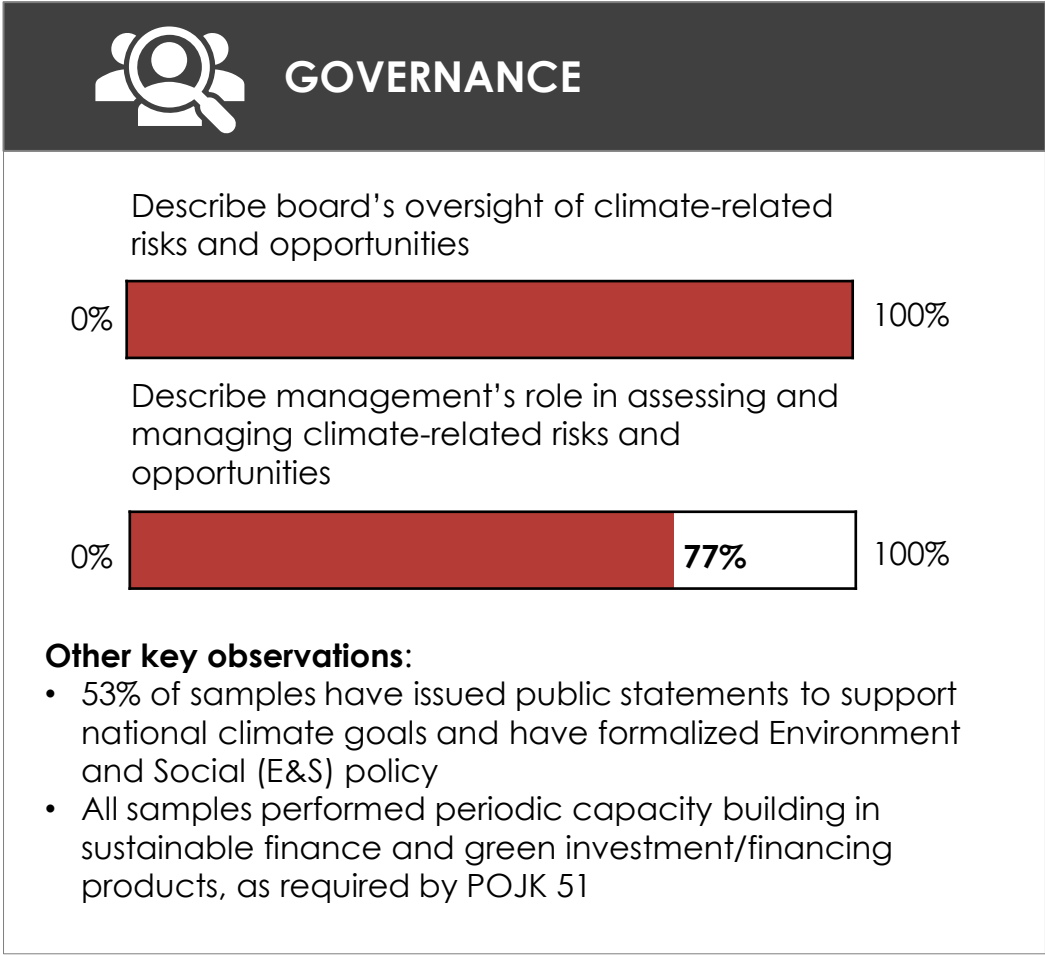


Other key observations:

- Most of the banks seek more clarity on climate-related disclosures
- **None of the surveyed entities have fully adopted the four pillars of the recommended TCFD reporting**

Survey result: Despite increasing green portfolios, banks are still on a journey towards developing climate-related strategy, risk management, and targets (1/3)

Benchmarked against TCFD recommendations



Survey result: Despite increasing green portfolios, banks are still on a journey towards developing climate-related strategy, risk management, and targets (2/3)

Benchmarked against TCFD recommendations

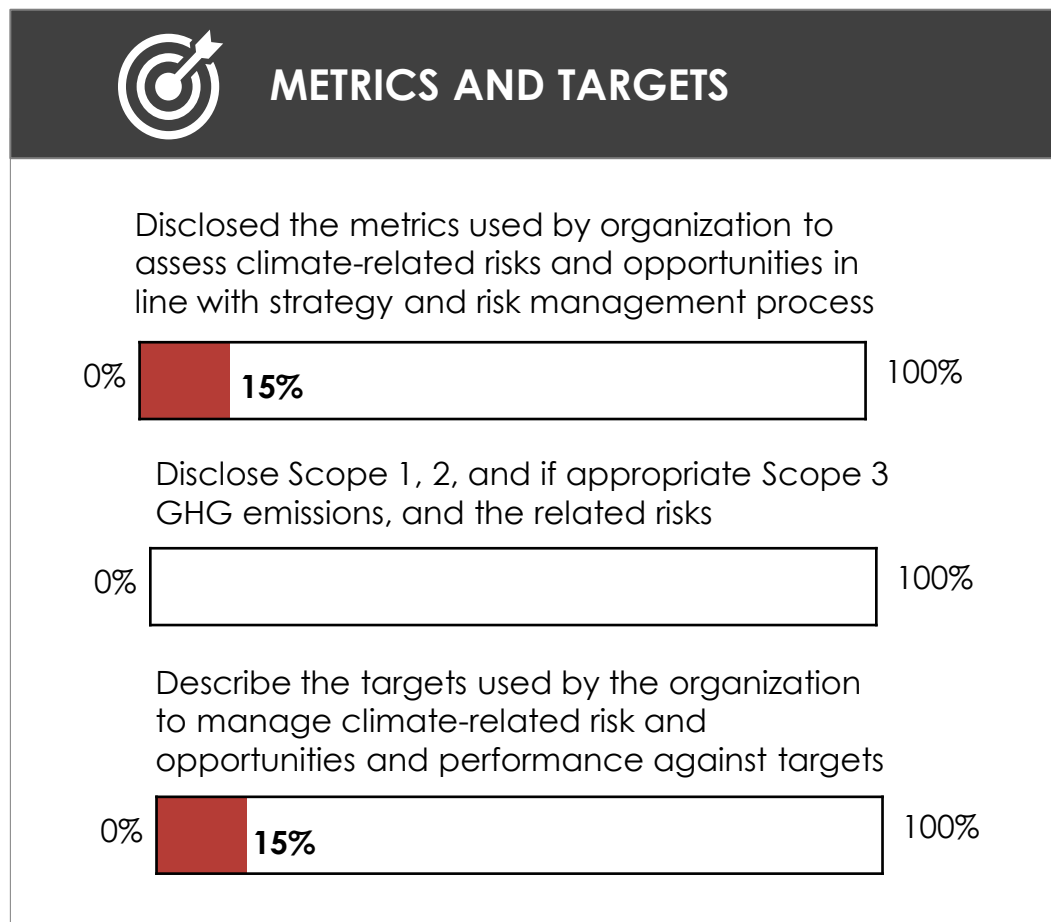


Other key observations:

- **About half of samples are planning to account climate risk into investment decision.** Some are introducing climate risk as financial risk that will impact their business in the long term.
- **31% of samples have begun to develop methods to account climate-related risk;** the remaining 69% stated they need greater capacity to assess impact and report climate-related financial risk
- **23% of samples are in development stage of integrating climate risk into risk frameworks**
- **15% of samples have followed more established risk processes,** that are previously developed and implemented by their Head Office located outside Indonesia, to identify, assess, manage, and report climate risk
- **Risk management frameworks:** the specifically designated Risk Committee is responsible for banks' ESG risk frameworks, and to some extent, the initial assessment of climate-related risk

Survey result: Despite increasing green portfolios, banks are still on a journey towards developing climate-related strategy, risk management, and targets (3/3)

Benchmarked against TCFD recommendations



Other key observations:

- **46% of samples have set clear policy on sustainability and climate change** in their action plan report (RAKB)
- Although 85% of samples have set clear targets on portion of green portfolio (i.e., financing through credit facilities and investment in green bonds/sukuk), **targets, metrics, and performance evaluation in managing and assessing opportunities from climate-related risk are underdeveloped**
- **Metrics and targets to finance emission reduction remain unclear.** Emission calculation is still limited to banks' day-to-day operations, e.g., electricity, water, and paper savings, and have not been extended to investment/financing products
- Half of the samples expressed support for low-carbon economy, but **no specific target or commitment related to Net-Zero portfolio**
- **Climate risk has not been accounted in the annual ICAAP, stress test, semi-annual risk profiling required by OJK.** Only conventional banking risks have been assessed and reported i.e., credit, market, liquidity, operational, legal, reputational, strategic, and compliance – as required by POJK No 18/POJK.03/2016

Survey result: Banks are not yet prepared to factor in climate-related financial impacts



ACCOUNTING FOR CLIMATE RISK

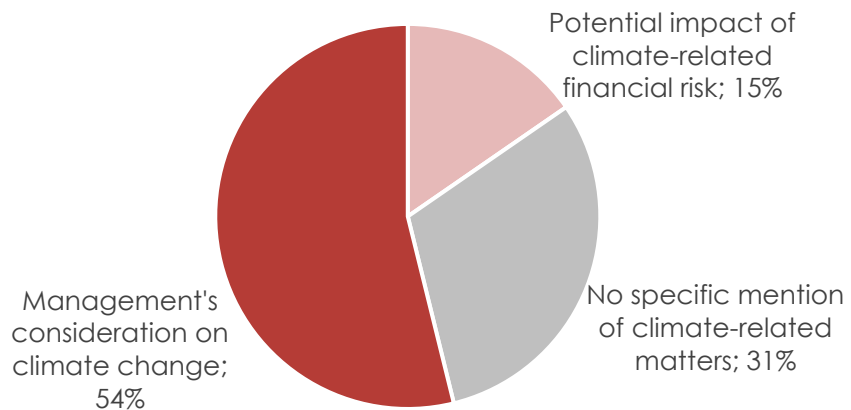
Factoring sustainability and climate risk into financing and investment products



Climate-related matters in notes to financial statements



What is mentioned in the notes to financial statements?



Other key observations:

- Banks acknowledge that climate change increases financial risk and have begun to **consider climate risk exposure to their products and portfolio**
- The entire samples are in initial phase to factor sustainability and climate change into their products and services, with **no monitoring or reporting method yet**
- 15% of samples are considering to follow TCFD recommendations** for enhanced disclosure of climate-related information going forward.
- Climate-related reporting is voluntary**, usually presented in the notes to financial statements.
- Climate-related impact has not been accounted in the financial statements**, i.e., climate risk impact on the measurement of Expected Credit Loss (ECL) as well as valuation of asset, liabilities, and future cashflow, based on IFRS/ IAS or local standard (PSAK)

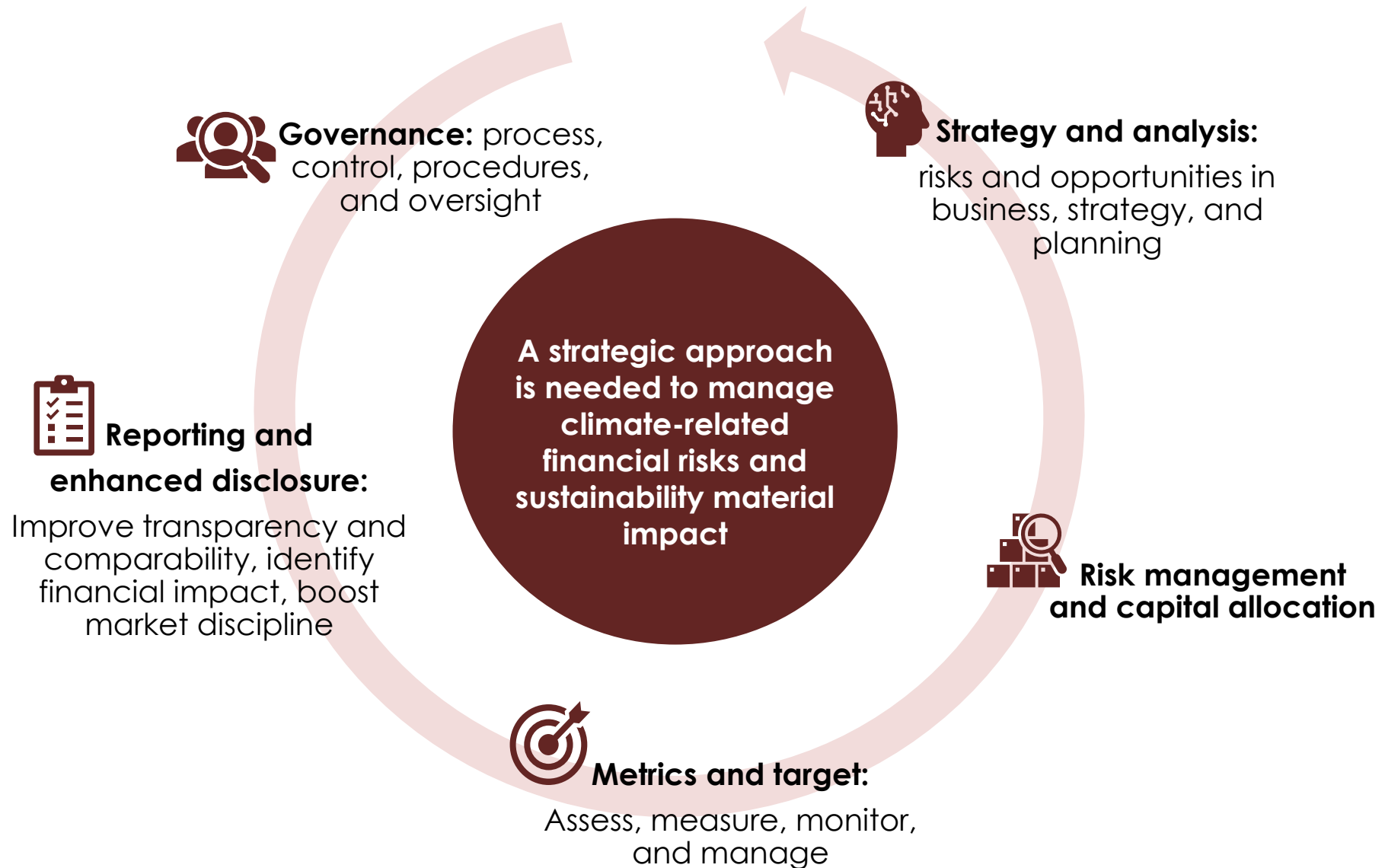
The standards		Financial reporting and its relevance to TCFD recommendations on climate-related financial risk disclosure
International	Indonesia	
IFRS 7	PSAK 60	Disclosure of financial instruments: Account climate risk implications on values of asset and/ or liability
IFRS 9	PSAK 71	Impairment test of financial instruments in relation to climate risk, where Expected Credit Loss (ECL) model is used to measure impairment loss
IAS 36	PSAK 48	Impairment of asset: Measure impact and valuation of climate risk on the future cash flows
IAS 37	PSAK 57	Provision for contingent liabilities and assets: potential future cost of climate risks as either recorded on balance sheet and income statement OR as part of contingency

Conclusion and Recommendations

Conclusion

1. OJK has designed an ecosystem of sustainable investment disclosure standards to accelerate green finance in Indonesia, which includes:
 - **POJK 51** as the basis for Sustainable Finance Implementation and Reporting
 - **Green Taxonomy 1.0** as guidance for strengthening and developing green and sustainable instruments
2. Green Taxonomy 1.0 has been highly anticipated, as evident from the **upward trend of green portfolios** over the past three years
3. Despite an overall positive market response, **private sector contributions are not yet optimal**, as they only cover 9% (USD 21.3 billion from 2015 - 2019) of total investment needed to meet Indonesia's 2030 climate goals
4. **CPI's survey found that:**
 - Under POJK 51, sustainability and action plan reporting has been mandated for banks since the 2018-2019 period. While 100% of surveyed banks complied with the reporting, **17% still have not disclosed their climate-related and green activities.**
 - Climate-related reporting is still voluntary and usually presented in the notes to financial statements. **None of the surveyed banks account for climate-related impact** directly in financial statements.
 - When benchmarked against TFCD, **23% of surveyed banks are in initial development of TCFD-aligned climate-related disclosure.** None are fully aligned.
 - Though all surveyed banks are still on journey towards climate-related assessment and disclosure, **green portfolios are growing, indicating a positive impact of the regulatory environment.**

Strategic planning, climate risk, and financial impact



Recommendations and opportunities: From policy to practice

1 Improve practicability of regulations:

- Strengthen Indonesia Sustainable Finance Roadmap through gradual refinement of Indonesia Green Taxonomy 1.0 to ensure inclusive transition pathways across sectors and interoperability across taxonomies
- Provide implementing guidelines for the financial sector to get fully on board and deliver on their commitment towards green investment and sustainable finance

2 Enhance governance, supervision, and oversight of climate-related risks and opportunities within an organization, through:

- Ownership by relevant Senior Management Function
- Inclusion of sustainable finance metrics in the organization's strategic plans
- Provision of adequate resources, skills, and expertise, including sustainability training to manage financial risks from climate change

3 Widen disclosure standards by:

- Enhancing disclosure requirements of POJK 51 to meet globally accepted frameworks, such as TCFD
- Issuing technical guidelines and/or regulatory amendment to provide clarity on the integrated implementation of POJK 51 and Indonesia Green Taxonomy 1.0.

4 Streamline various regulations and policies in green finance, by aligning common principles in **defining, accounting, reporting, and disclosing green activities**, as a basis for:

- Integrating climate risk and mainstreaming green principles into an organization's strategy and risk management framework
- Developing green investment products



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