Embedding ESG information into corporate decision-making

WBCSD plenary breakout session



Today's Objectives:

Demonstrate the challenges and benefits of including non-financial data in decision-making

- Share insights and experiences in the field
- Explore key challenges in more detail
- Discuss ways to overcome these challenges





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Agenda

14:30	Introduction: about Redefining Value High-level remarks from Tim Mohim, GRI	Eva Zabey, WBCSD Tim Mohim, GRI
14:45	Decision Game	Geoff Lane, PwC
14:55	BASF's Value-to-Society Approach	Christian Heller, BASF
15:05	 Table discussions (challenge areas) and feedback Data Comparability Standardized disclosure 	Table facilitators
15:20	Closing remarks Links to risk management and integrated performance management	Tim Mohim, GRI Mario Abela, WBCSD



Redefining Value Vision

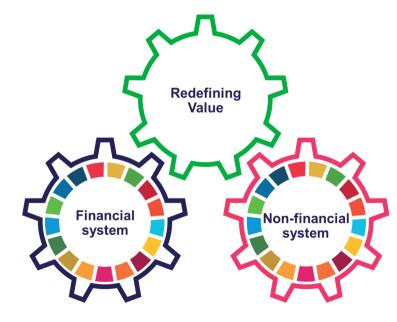
We work with business to improve decision-making and external disclosure which will transform the financial system to reward the most sustainable companies.



Redefining Value Overview

We do this by building on existing business processes to help companies provide decision-useful information to the financial system

- We help companies measure and manage risk, gain competitive advantage and seize new opportunities
- We enable them to better understand ESG information and use it to inform business decision-making and external disclosure
- We do this by building collaborations and developing tools, guidance, case studies, engagement and education opportunities

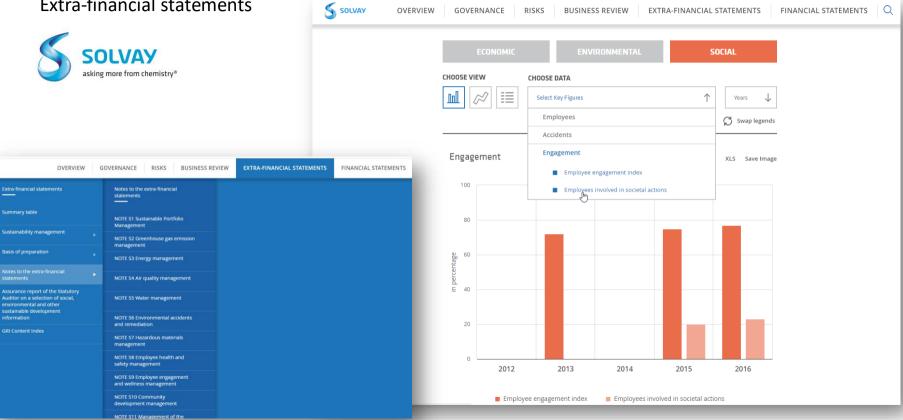




Real world examples



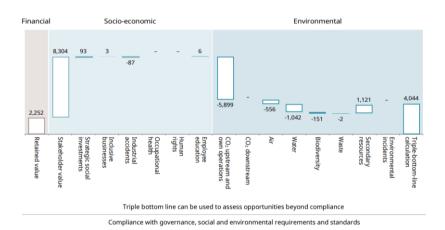
Extra-financial statements





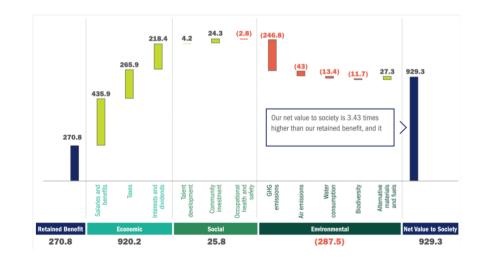


Integrated Profit and Loss Statement 2016





Value Added Statement for 2016







Tim Mohin CEO, GRI

Decision game

Geoff Lane, PwC





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The beer game

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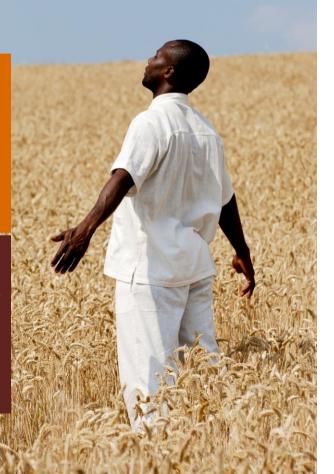
Group exercise

Case study background

A brewer is entering a new market in Africa with a 5 year investment. One of the key decisions is the sourcing strategy for cereals. The bottling plant will need to be near to the market so water for brewing will need to be sourced locally. But there is a choice of where to source the cereals from.

Objective of exercise

Play the role of the management team of the brewer and choose the cereal sourcing strategy for the new brewery.





The two options...





Import barley from global market



Option 2



Grow an alternative crop locally in East Africa





Which option would you choose, and why?

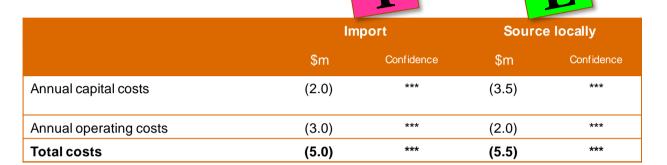




	lm	Import		e locally
	\$m	Confidence	\$m	Confidence
Annual capital costs	(2.0)	***	(3.5)	***
Annual operating costs	(3.0)	***	(2.0)	***
Total costs	(5.0)	***	(5.5)	***



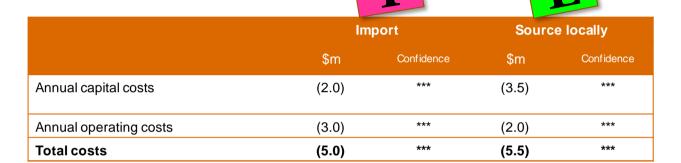
Now which option would you choose, and why?



Non-financial considerations							
Jobs created	50	**	250	**			
Land used (Ha)	1,000	**	1,500	*			
Water consumed ('000 m³)	2,000	**	750	*			
Farmers trained	25	*	250	**			



Now which option would you choose, and why?



Non-financial considerations	\$m	Confidence	\$m	Confidence
Contribution to local economy	2.0	**	4.0	**
Ecosystem service loss	(2.5)	*	(4.5)	**
Health effects of water use	-	***	(1.5)	**
Farmer livelihoods	0.5	*	2.0	**



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BASF's Value-to-Society Approach

Christian Heller, BASF









Value-to-Society

A new metrics to assess multi-dimensional value creation

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Objective of Value-to-Society

Assessing our 'real' positive and negative contribution in societies





Business and calculation model

Develop a pragmatic, scalable, transferable and auditable model

Full external supply chain

- > €38bn purchase volume
- > 30,000 different raw materials purchased
- > 70,000 1st tier suppliers



Own operations

- 86 strategic business units
- >115,000 employees
- > 350 production sites
- Companies in >80 countries
- > €64bn sales
- > €6bn net income



Customer industries

- >130,000 customers
- > 60,000 product applications
- Almost all value chains and countries



Product use & end-of-

- Transportation
- Construction
- Consumer goods
- Agriculture
- Health & nutrition
- Resources & energy

Data

- Primary data: Own operations, purchase & sales profile
- Industry data: Supply chain, customer industries

Measurement

- Own operations: Aggregation
- Supply chain and customer industries: Input-out modelling

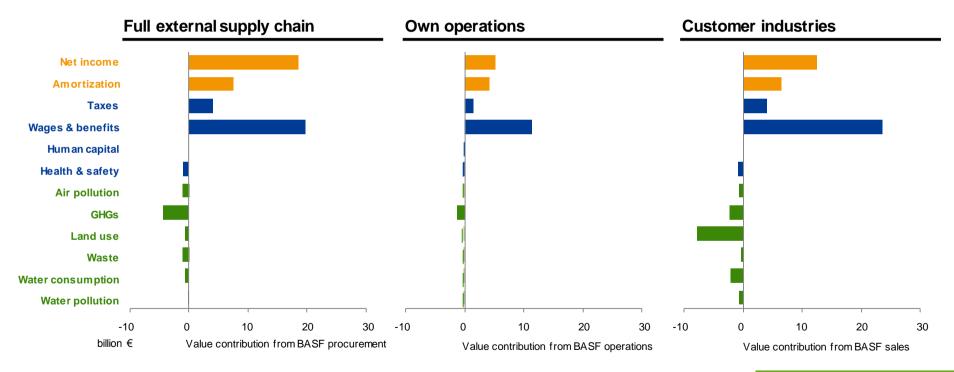
Valuation

- Financials: World Bank's purchase power parity indicators
- Non-financials: PwC valuation coefficients



Our contribution to sustainable growth: Results 2016

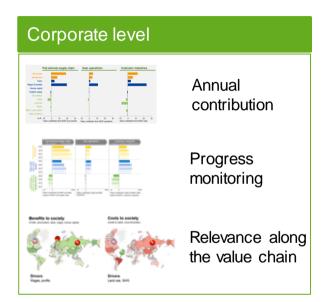
Since 2013 net positive contribution in each step of the value chain

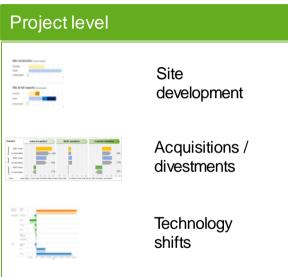


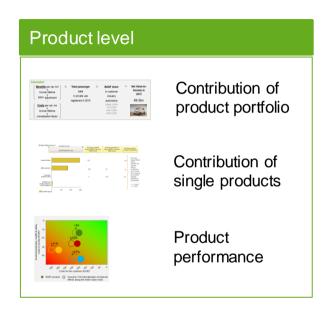


Piloted application areas

Stronger embedment of sustainability on the strength of business language







Positioning



Materiality



Decision making



Goal setting





Benefits and challenges of Value-to-Society

Innovations of impact valuation

What's new

- From output to impact
 - → How our business activities affect the well-being of people
- Monetization of pre-financials
 - → Using a common metric

What's the benefit

- A new perspective: The 'real' impact of business
- Talking the language business leader understand
- Increased integrated thinking

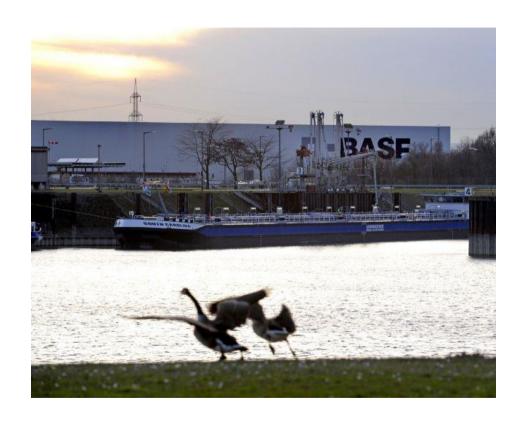
What's the challenge

- Data availability, robustness and granularity
- Complexity and maturity of methods, standardization
- Ethical concerns & change management



The way ahead

- Improve maturity of calculation and valuation techniques
- Increase reliability and granularity of data
- Standardize measurement tools and valuation coefficients
- Elaborate benefits for decision making and strategy development
- Assess potentials for business steering and accounting







We create chemistry

Table discussions

- 1. Data Christian, Matt
- 2. Comparability Geoff, Eva
- 3. Standardized disclosure *Tim, Mario*



Closing remarks



Tim Mohin CEO, GRI



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