# ACCR Briefing Say on Climate Voting in 2021

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# Summary and key findings

The 'Say on Climate' mechanism, launched in late 2020, aims to compel listed companies to develop and implement Paris-aligned transition plans, with increased accountability against those plans through annual shareholder votes.<sup>1</sup>

In 2021, there were 19 votes on Say on Climate resolutions at 17 companies' annual general meetings (AGM) in nine jurisdictions: Australia, Canada, France, the Netherlands, Spain, South Africa, Switzerland, the United Kingdom (UK) and the United States (US). On average, these resolutions obtained 95.2% shareholder support.

This level of investor support for companies' climate plans in 2021 suggests that companies were rewarded for accountability, transparency, for being first movers or for their "direction of travel", rather than the strength of their climate plans. None of the 17 companies have aligned their emissions reduction targets and capital allocation with a  $1.5^{\circ}$ C pathway.

Recent votes at BHP Group in late 2021 (84%), Aena (94.4%), UBS Group (77.74%) and Anglo American (94.4%) in 2022, suggest there is an increasing range of investor views and ambitions when voting on companies' climate plans. However, most voting does not appear to be based on  $1.5^{\circ}$ C alignment.

Investors should be transparent about how they assess and vote on companies' climate plans, and press companies for  $1.5^{\circ}$ C alignment.

# 1. Introduction

The latest IPCC report underscores the "brief and rapidly closing window of opportunity to secure a liveable and sustainable future for all"<sup>2</sup> if global warming is not limited to 1.5°C. Human-induced climate change has already affected weather and climate extremes around the world. These climate risks impact all sectors and asset classes, significantly affecting investors with broad market exposure including superannuation funds and global investment managers.

ACCR advocates for asset owners such as super funds, and investment managers to use every tool available to achieve the most ambitious climate outcomes when engaging with companies on climate change—including how they vote on Say on Climate resolutions. It is imperative that companies set ambitious decarbonisation targets and strategies, and align their capital expenditure and lobbying with  $1.5^{\circ}$ C pathways. Through the power of proxy voting, shareholders can send a clear message to companies to mitigate systemic climate change.

# 2. Say on Climate mechanism

Say on Climate was pioneered by the Children's Investment Fund Foundation (CIFF) in the UK, and was actively supported by ACCR, CDP and ShareAction. ACCR shares the view of CIFF founder Sir Christopher Hohn that the Say on Climate mechanism "can be as powerful as investors want it to be".<sup>3</sup>

The Say on Climate mechanism is based on three key commitments from companies:

- Annual emissions disclosure;
- Annual reporting of a strategy to reduce emissions;
- An annual non-binding shareholder vote on the company's plan at the AGM.

Asset managers in support of Say on Climate are expected to encourage companies to take these steps voluntarily, and in the event a company refuses, to file resolutions at company AGMs. Asset owners in support of Say on Climate are expected to ensure asset managers are "actively seeking to secure annual shareholder votes on company climate transition action plans as standard".<sup>4</sup>

Following the 17 companies that held Say on Climate votes in 2021, at least 19 more companies will hold Say on Climate votes in 2022, with six companies providing a second vote in 2022: Canadian National Railway Company, Ferrovial SA, Glencore plc, National Grid plc, S&P Global Inc and Unilever plc (see Appendix, Table C).

Three additional companies enjoyed close to absolute (>99.5%) shareholder support for committing to provide a Say on Climate vote in 2022: Aviva plc, Iberdrola and SSE plc.

# 3. Report methodology

ACCR examined the proxy voting records of the largest 30 Australian superannuation funds by assets under management (AUM)<sup>5</sup> and the 30 largest global investment managers by AUM<sup>6</sup> on the 19 Say on

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> <u>https://sayonclimate.org/presentations/</u>

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4</sup> <u>https://sayonclimate.org/guide-for-asset-owners/</u>

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>5</sup> As determined by the Australian Prudential Regulation Authority, as at 15 December 2021.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>6</sup> According to data obtained from Proxy Insight.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> <u>https://www.sayonclimate.org/</u>

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> IPCC, Climate Change 2022: Impacts, Adaptation and Vulnerability

Climate resolutions that went to a vote in 2021 across nine jurisdictions: Australia, Canada, France, the Netherlands, Spain, South Africa, Switzerland, the UK and the US.

To the best of our knowledge, these were all of the Say on Climate resolutions on climate transition plans held in the calendar year 2021. Proxy voting data was obtained from Proxy Insight.<sup>7</sup>

Climate Action 100+ (CA100+) Net Zero Company Benchmark data for the relevant companies was sourced from the CA100+ website and emissions reduction targets for the remaining companies were collated from the companies' websites and reporting suites.

# 4. Findings

#### Disclosure

#### Superannuation funds

ACCR analysed the proxy voting records of the 30 largest Australian superannuation funds, representing more than \$2 trillion in AUM and 87% of APRA-regulated assets under management. Of these 30 funds, 20 were shareholders in companies that held Say on Climate votes in 2021, and disclosed their proxy voting records for these resolutions.

The Australian superannuation funds included in this analysis include Active Super, AMP, AustralianSuper, Aware Super, BT Financial Group, CareSuper, Cbus Super, Equipsuper, Colonial First State, HESTA, HostPlus, Mercer, Mine Super, NGS Super, QSuper, REST, SunSuper, Telstra Super, UniSuper and Vision Super.

The 10 remaining funds that make up the 30 largest funds have not disclosed a complete proxy voting record for 2021. These funds are listed in the Appendix (see Note 1).

#### **Investment managers**

ACCR also analysed the proxy voting records for the 30 largest global investment managers by AUM.<sup>8</sup> These investment managers responsible for more than \$55 trillion in assets under management, were BlackRock, Vanguard Group, State Street Global Advisors, JP Morgan, T. Rowe Price Associates, BNY Mellon, Amundi, Northern Trust Investments, Wellington Management, Legal & General Investment Management (LGIM), Schroders, DWS Investments, Allianz Global Investors, APG, Nordea, Dimensional Fund Advisors, AllianceBernstein, Abrdn, Fidelity, Capital Group, Goldman Sachs Asset Management, Pendal Group, Franklin Templeton, Massachusetts Mutual Life Insurance Co., Morgan Stanley Invesco Advisors, Geode Capital Management, Charles Schwab, and Wells Fargo.

## Say on Climate voting behaviour

The 19 Say on Climate resolutions that were put to a vote by management in 2021 were supported, on average, by 95.2% of shareholders.

#### TABLE 1. NUMBER OF SoC RESOLUTIONS BY JURISDICTION

Jurisdiction	Total resolutions
Australia	1
Canada	1
France	3
Netherlands	1
South Africa	1
Spain	1
Switzerland	2
UK	7
US	2
Total	19

#### TABLE 2. SUPPORT FOR SoC RESOLUTIONS BY JURISDICTION

Jurisdiction	Super funds	Investment managers
Australia	76.47%	77.78%
Canada	77.78%	96.43%
France	68.18%	89.29%
Netherlands	50.00%	92.00%
South Africa	50.00%	88.89%
Spain	76.92%	92.00%
Switzerland	67.86%	89.47%
UK	77.01%	91.85%
US	71.88%	79.31%

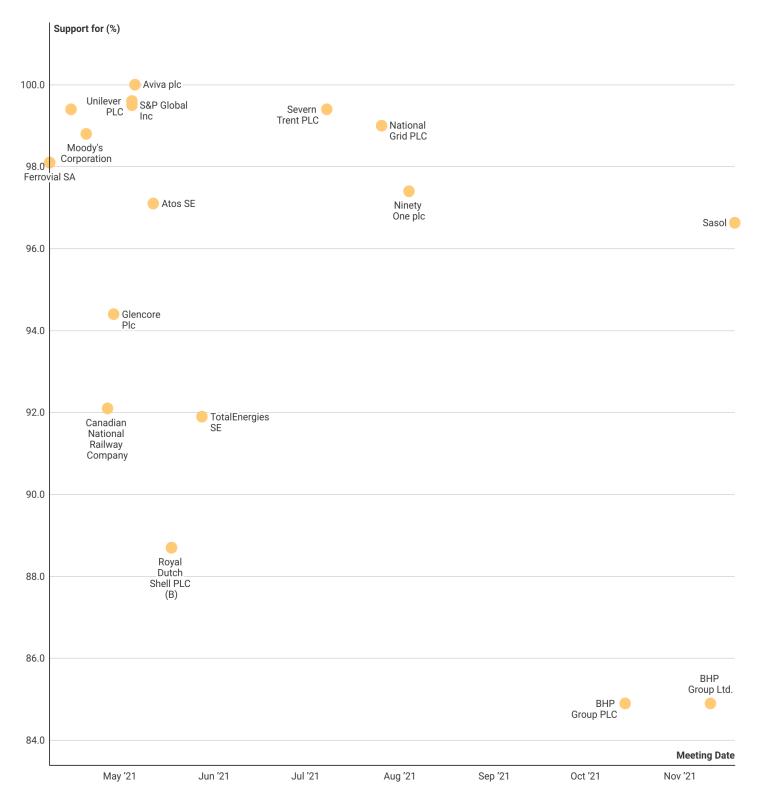
UK-listed companies were the most represented in the 17 companies (see Table 1), with seven companies providing shareholders with a Say on Climate vote in 2021. Interestingly, these resolutions were also among the most supported by shareholders with 77.01% of the Australian superannuation funds supporting these resolutions and 91.85% of global investment managers supporting Say on Climate resolutions at UK-listed companies (see Table 2).

Royal Dutch Shell's Say on Climate vote was supported by just 50% of the Australian superannuation funds analysed. BHP Group's Say on Climate vote at its Australian AGM was supported by 78% of investment managers analysed. Overall in 2021, Australian superannuation funds supported 79.82% of Say on Climate votes, while global investment managers supported 89.07% of Say on Climate votes.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>7</sup> https://www.proxyinsight.com/

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>8</sup> According to data obtained from Proxy Insight as at 2 April 2022.

#### FIGURE 1. SUPPORT FOR SAY ON CLIMATE RESOLUTIONS IN 2021



The vast majority of Say on Climate resolutions were supported by more than 90% of shareholders in 2021.

Just two companies had Say on Climate votes that were supported by less than 90% of shareholders: Shell received 88.7% shareholder support in May 2021, while BHP Group received 84.9% shareholder support in October and November 2021. Shell and BHP are two of the most carbon-intensive companies to have held Say on Climate votes, and both have been the subject of investor scrutiny and climate campaigns for several years, which may explain the lower level of support.

# TABLE 3. AUSTRALIAN SUPER FUND SUPPORT FOR SAY ON CLIMATE RESOLUTIONS

Fund	Supportive votes	Total votes	Support %
Colonial First State	6	17	35.29%
Mine Super	7	12	58.33%
HESTA	9	15	60.00%
HostPlus	11	16	68.75%
REST	7	10	70.00%
Vision Super	5	7	71.43%
SunSuper	14	18	77.78%
BT Super	13	16	81.25%
Cbus Super	10	12	83.33%
Aware Super	12	14	85.71%
Mercer	9	10	90.00%
Equipsuper	13	14	92.86%
Telstra Super	14	15	93.33%
Active Super	8	8	100.00%
AMP	1	1	100.00%
AustralianSuper	16	16	100.00%
CareSuper	5	5	100.00%
NGS Super	5	5	100.00%
QSuper	15	15	100.00%
UniSuper	2	2	100.00%

Seven superannuation funds supported all Say on Climate resolutions at companies they held in 2021: Active Super (8), AMP (1), AustralianSuper (16), CareSuper (5), NGS Super (5), QSuper (15) and Unisuper (2).

Fifteen investment managers supported all Say on Climate resolutions at companies they held in 2021: Abrdn (18), AllianceBernstein (16), Allianz Global Investors (18), APG (16), BlackRock (19), Capital Group (10), Fidelity (11), Goldman Sachs (13), JP Morgan (13), Morgan Stanley (12), Pendal Group (3), State Street Global Advisors (17), Vanguard (19) Wellington (18), and Wells Fargo (11).

Notably, BlackRock and Vanguard supported all 19 Say on Climate resolutions held in 2021.

# TABLE 4. INVESTMENT MANAGER SUPPORT FOR SAY ON CLIMATE RESOLUTIONS

CLIMATE RESOLUTIONS			
Fund	Supportive votes	Total votes	Support %
Dimensional	3	19	15.79%
Charles Schwab	6	12	50.00%
LGIM	13	18	72.22%
Massachusetts Mutual Life Insurance Co.	9	11	81.82%
Schroders PLC	14	17	82.35%
Franklin Templeton	10	12	83.33%
Invesco Advisers	10	12	83.33%
Northern Trust Investments	13	15	86.67%
DWS Investment	14	16	87.50%
T. Rowe Price Associates	15	17	88.24%
HSBC Global	16	18	88.89%
Geode Capital Management	11	12	91.67%
BNY Mellon	12	13	92.31%
Nordea Investment Management	15	16	93.75%
Amundi	16	17	94.12%
Abrdn	18	18	100.00%
AllianceBernstein	16	16	100.00%
Allianz Global Investors	18	18	100.00%
APG	16	16	100.00%
BlackRock	19	19	100.00%
Capital Group	10	10	100.00%
Fidelity	11	11	100.00%
Goldman Sachs	13	13	100.00%
JP Morgan	13	13	100.00%
Morgan Stanley	12	12	100.00%
Pendal Group	3	3	100.00%
State Street Global Advisors	17	17	100.00%
Vanguard	19	19	100.00%
Wellington	18	18	100.00%
Wells Fargo	11	11	100.00%

Dimensional supported the fewest number of Say on Climate resolutions in 2021, supporting just 15.79%, though it abstained from on 16 of 19 votes. Only one superannuation fund and one other investment manager supported 50% or less of the Say on Climate resolutions in 2021: Colonial First State (35.29%) and Charles Schwab (50%). Colonial First State abstained on 8 of 17 votes. Charles Schwab abstained on 5 of 12 votes.

Overall, 84.9% of BHP Group (Ltd & Plc) shareholders supported its Climate Transition Action Plan. Only three of the Australian superannuation funds analysed voted against BHP's plan: Aware Super, Cbus Super and Vision Super. Interestingly, HostPlus voted for BHP's plan at the Plc AGM in London in October 2021, before voting against the same plan at the Ltd AGM in Melbourne in November 2022.

#### TABLE 5. CASE STUDY: BHP

	For	Against			
	Active Super	Aware Super			
	AustralianSuper	Cbus Super			
	BT Super	Vision Super			
	CareSuper				
BUD Group	Equipsuper				
BHP Group - Approve the	HESTA				
Climate Transition Action Plan (CTAP)	HostPlus				
	NGS Super				
	SunSuper				
	UniSuper				
	AMP				
	Telstra Super				

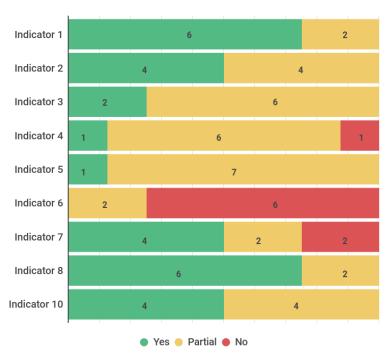
# Were the companies' plans deserving of support?

#### **Climate Action 100+ focus companies**

Eight of the 19 companies that held Say on Climate votes in 2021 were focus companies for the Climate Action 100+ coalition: BHP Group, Glencore, National Grid, Nestle, Royal Dutch Shell/Shell, Sasol, TotalEnergies, and Unilever.

Launched in December 2017, Climate Action 100+ is an investor-led coalition engaging with the world's largest corporate emitters. The coalition includes 700 investors globally and represents \$68 trillion in assets under management.<sup>9</sup>

For the purposes of this analysis, credible company climate action plans were those that were consistent with the Climate Action 100+ Net-Zero Company Benchmark ('Benchmark'), published in early 2021. The Benchmark evaluated company performance against 10 indicators, including emissions reduction targets, capital expenditure, climate governance, lobbying and climate-related financial disclosures.



### FIGURE 2. CA100+ BENCHMARK ASSESSMENTS FOR THE EIGHT COMPANIES PROVIDING SAY ON CLIMATE VOTES

*Note: Indicator 9, "Just Transition" was excluded from this analysis as this assessment has not been disclosed through the benchmark.* Source: Climate Action 100+, 2022.

None of the eight CA100+ companies that held a Say on Climate vote in 2021 were aligned with all Benchmark indicators (see Figure 2, Appendix Table A).

All eight CA100+ companies have announced an ambition or target to achieve net zero emissions by 2050 or sooner (Indicator 1). However, National Grid (UK) and Sasol (South Africa) were partially aligned on Indicator 1, as the companies do not include Scope 3 emissions in their net zero targets.

Only four of the eight CA100+ companies have long-term emissions reduction targets that include Scope 1 and 2, and material Scope 3 emissions, aligned with the goal of limiting global warming to  $1.5^{\circ}$ C (Indicator 2). Of these companies, only two, Nestle and Unilever, have both medium- and long-term targets aligned with the Benchmark indicators (Indicators 2-3), and Nestle is the only company that has a short-term emissions reduction target aligned to a  $1.5^{\circ}$ C pathway (Indicator 4).

Only one of the eight CA100+ companies, BHP Group, was found to have an aligned decarbonisation strategy (Indicator 5). However, this indicator was based on the company having a strategy to meet its emissions targets, regardless of the ambition of those targets.

<sup>9</sup> https://www.climateaction100.org/

<u>ACCR's analysis</u> found that BHP's 2021 Climate Transition Action Plan (CTAP) was not aligned with a  $1.5^{\circ}$ C pathway.

Most notably, the eight CA100+ companies were found to be mostly misaligned on capital allocation alignment (Indicator 6). Six of the eight companies were completely misaligned and two companies were found to be partially aligned. None of the nine CA100+ companies has committed to align their capital expenditure with the goal of limiting global warming to  $1.5^{\circ}$ C.

On average, the eight CA100+ companies that held Say on Climate votes in 2021, received 92.81% support from shareholders.

#### Other companies

The remaining nine companies (non-CA100+) that held Say on Climate votes in 2021 were Atos, Aviva, Canadian National Railway, Ferrovial, Moody's Corporation, Ninety One, S&P Global, Severn Trent and Vinci. While these companies are not included in the CA100+ Net Zero Company Benchmark, we have collated their climate commitments (see Appendix Table B).

All nine companies have announced an ambition to achieve Net Zero GHG emissions by 2050 or sooner, with three companies looking to achieve net zero emissions by 2040 (Aviva, Moody's Corporation and S&P Global), one company intending to reach net zero emissions by 2030 (Severn Trent<sup>10</sup>) and one company, Atos, has an ambition to reach net zero emissions by 2028. Notably, none of these companies are carbon-intensive businesses, so they arguably have an easier task to reduce their operational emissions.

However, only six of the nine non-CA100+ companies have short- or medium-term emission reductions targets that encompass Scope 1 and 2, and material Scope 3 emissions.

On average, the nine non-CA100+ companies that held Say on Climate votes in 2021, received 97.83% support from shareholders.

### Conclusion

In 2021, Say on Climate resolutions received 95.2% overall shareholder support. While it was the first year the mechanism was in action, this level of support suggests investors rewarded companies for being "first movers", for their commitment to accountability and transparency, and/or their "direction of travel".

Of the 17 companies that provided a Say on Climate vote in 2021, none have aligned their emissions reduction targets and capital allocation with a  $1.5^{\circ}$ C pathway. Moreover, none of the CA100+ focus companies that held Say on Climate votes in 2021 were aligned with all indicators in the Climate Action 100+.

The Climate Action 100+ and the Transition Pathway Initiative<sup>11</sup> provide useful measures by which to assess companies' climate performance, but investors should be prepared to draw information from multiple sources in order to determine whether a company's climate plan is worthy of support. Alignment with a  $1.5^{\circ}$ C pathway should be the standard by which companies' climate plans are judged.

## **Recommendations for investors**

Rather than rewarding companies for their "direction of travel", we encourage investors to assess climate plans on their alignment with a  $1.5^{\circ}$ C pathway by using the suggested criteria below:

- Is the company pursuing further fossil fuel expansion?
- Will the company materially reduce its emissions before 2030?
- Do the company's emissions reduction targets encompass all Scope 1 & 2 and material Scope 3 emissions?
- Has the company committed to aligning its capital expenditure with a 1.5°C pathway?
- Has the company committed to aligning its lobbying in line with a 1.5°C pathway?
- Are the company's emissions reduction targets materially linked to remuneration?

Similarly, CIFF has outlined what it considers to be essential components of a climate action plan:<sup>12</sup>

- Short-term targets required: 5 year and 5-10 year plan
- Average absolute Scope 1-3 emissions reduction of 7-8% pa to 2030
- Phase out fossil fuel use and production, no financing of new supply
- Executive compensation, strategy and lobbying aligned with plan
- Necessary capital expenditure commitments
- End deforestation, credible use of offsetting only if strictly necessary
- Independent auditing of emissions
- Annual performance reporting to shareholders

Considering the urgent need to decarbonise, ACCR encourages investors to raise their expectations of companies and ambition when voting on company climate plans in 2022.

See the Appendix (Table C) for the list of known companies providing a Say on Climate vote in the months ahead.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>10</sup> Note that Severn Trent's Net Zero target is operational emissions only and would only partially meet the CA100+ Benchmark's Indicator 1 or 2 as it does not cover material Scope 3 emissions.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>11</sup> <u>https://www.transitionpathwayinitiative.org/</u>

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>12</sup> https://sayonclimate.org/climate-action-plans/

# Appendix

**NOTE 1:** Australian super funds not included in this analysis include Commonwealth Super Corporation, MLC, ANZ, IOOF, Macquarie, Spirit Super, Netwealth Super, LGIAsuper, CommBank Group, and HUB24 Super Fund. These funds were excluded from this analysis due to a lack of proxy voting disclosure, or the fund did not hold any of the 20 companies that held Say on Climate votes in 2021. CommBank Group Super, MLC and Spirit Super disclosed proxy voting data for Australian shares only, for the financial year to 30 June 2021. This was insufficient data to include in this analysis.

#### TABLE A. CA100+ BENCHMARKING ASSESSMENT OF THE FOCUS COMPANIES WITH SOC RESOLUTIONS IN 2021

	CA100+ Benchmarking Indicators							InfluenceMap Assessment					
	Indicator 1	Indicator 2	Indicator 3	Indicator 4	Indicator 5	Indicator 6	Indicator 7	Indicator 8	Indicator 10		mnuencema	p Assessment	
Companies	Net zero GHG Emissions by 2050 (or sooner) ambition	Long-term (2036-2050) GHG reduction target(s)	Medium-term (2026-2035) GHG reduction target(s)	Short-term (up to 2025) GHG reduction target(s)	Decarbonisat ion strategy	Capital Allocation Alignment	Climate Policy Engagement	Climate Governance	TCFD Disclosure	Performance Band	Organisation Score	Relationship Score	Engagement Intensity Score
BHP Group	Y	Y	Partial	Partial	Y	Ν	Y	Y	Y	D+	53%	46%	36%
Glencore PLC	Y	Partial	Partial	Partial	Partial	Partial	Y	Y	Y	D-	39%	46%	24%
National Grid PLC	Partial	Partial	Partial	Ν	Partial	Ν	Ν	Partial	Y	С	65%	58%	35%
Nestle	Y	Y	Y	Y	Partial	Ν	Ν	Partial	Y	В	86%	59%	33%
Shell plc	Y	Partial	Partial	Partial	Partial	Ν	Y	Y	Partial	C-	68%	49%	60%
TotalEnergies SE	Y	Y	Partial	Partial	Partial	Ν	Partial	Y	Partial	C-	62%	56%	50%
Sasol	Partial	Partial	Partial	Partial	Partial	Ν	Y	Y	Partial	C-	59%	54%	24%
Unilever PLC	Y	Y	Y	Partial	Partial	Partial	Partial	Y	Partial	В	86%	67%	48%

CA100+ Benchmarking Indicators

Source: Climate Action 100+

#### TABLE B. NON-CA100+ FOCUS COMPANIES' CLIMATE COMMITMENTS

<b>Company</b> (Support, %)	Sector	Short-term emissions reduction target(s) (up to 2025)	Medium-term emissions reduction target(s) (2026-2035)	Long-term emissions reduction target(s) (2036-2050)
Atos SE (97.1%)	Information technology	Reduce Scope 1, 2 & 3 emissions by 50% by 2025 (2019 baseline)	Ambition to reach net zero emissions by 2028	-
<b>Aviva Plc</b> (100%)	Financial services	<ul> <li>Divest from companies which make more than 5% revenue from coal, unless they have signed up to SBTi by end of 2022</li> <li>25% reduction in carbon intensity of assets by 2025</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>60% reduction in carbon intensity of investments by 2030</li> <li>Net zero Scope 1, 2, and 3 company emissions by end of 2030</li> </ul>	Net zero company and investments by 2040
Canadian National Railway Company (92.1%)	Transport	Reduce operational emissions intensity (tCO2e/ Mt kms) by 6% by 2022 (2017 baseline)	<ul> <li>Reduce operational emissions intensity (tCO2e/ million GTM) by 43% by 2030 (2019 baseline)</li> <li>Reduce Scope 3 emissions from fuel and energy-related activities by 40% per million gross ton miles by 2030 (2019 baseline)</li> </ul>	Net zero emissions by 2050
Ferrovial SA (98.1%)	Transport industrial	17.1% reduction in operational emissions by 2024 (2009 baseline)	<ul> <li>35.3% reduction in operational emissions by 2030 (2009 baseline)</li> <li>20% reduction in Scope 3 emissions by 2030 (2012 baseline)</li> </ul>	Net zero emissions by 2050
Moody's Corporation (98.8%)	Business and financial services	<ul> <li>15% reduction in Scope 3 GHG emissions from fuel and energy-related activities, business travel and employee community by 2025.</li> <li>60% of Moody's suppliers by spend, covering purchased goods and services and capital goods to have science-based targets by 2025.</li> </ul>	50% reduction in absolute Scope 1 and Scope 2 GHG emissions by 2030 (2019 baseline)	Net zero emissions by 2040
Ninety One Plc (97.4%)	Financial services	-	-	Net zero Scope 1, 2 and 3 emissions by 2050
<b>S&amp;P Global Inc</b> (99.5%)	Business and financial information	<ul> <li>25% reduction in operational emissions by 2025 (2019 baseline)</li> <li>25% reduction in Scope 3 emissions by 2025 (travel; 2019 baseline)</li> </ul>	-	Net zero Scope 1, 2 and 3 emissions by 2040 (2019 baseline)
Severn Trent Plc (99.4%)	Water industry	-	Net zero operational emissions by 2030 (2020 baseline).	-
<b>Vinci SA</b> (98.1%)	Construction	-	Reduce direct GHGs (Scopes 1 and 2) by 40% by 2030 (2018 baseline)	Net zero operational emissions by 2050 ambition

Source: Company reports

#### TABLE C. COMPANIES PROVIDING A SAY ON CLIMATE VOTE IN 2022

Company	Country	AGM date
Aena SME SA	Spain	31 Mar 2022 (94.4%)
UBS Group	Switzerland	6 Apr 2022 (77.74%)
Ferrovial SA	Spain	7 Apr 2022 (92.5%)
Anglo American plc	UK	19 Apr 2022 (94.4%)
Moody's Corporation	US	26 Apr 2022
Canadian Pacific Railway Ltd	CA	27 Apr 2022
Glencore plc	UK	28 Apr 2022
Santos	Australia	3 May 2022
Barclays plc	UK	4 May 2022
Holcim AG	СН	4 May 2022
S&P Global Inc	US	4 May 2022
Unilever plc	UK	4 May 2022
Rio Tinto	UK, Australia	8 Apr, 5 May 2022
Woodside Petroleum	Australia	19 May 2022
Canadian National Railway Company	Canada	20 May 2022
Shell plc	UK	24 May 2022
M&G plc	UK	25 May 2022
Iberdrola	Spain	June 2022
Monster Beverage	US	June 2022
AGL Energy	Australia	2H 2022
Incitec Pivot	Australia	2H 2022
National Grid plc	UK	2H 2022
Origin Energy	Australia	2H 2022
South32	Australia	2H 2022
SSE plc	UK	2H 2022

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