Sustainability Disclosure Standards & Rules in the World

- In the financial market, needs for disclosure of "Sustainability Information" are growing to evaluate the environmental and social performance of companies.
- Unification of sustainability disclosure standards have yet to be established. Each government and IFRS Foundation are striving to make it.

Until 2021		2022	From 2023
EU	April 2021 Corporate Sustainability Reporting Directive (CSRD) Draft release	April 2022 <u>European Sustainability Reporting</u> <u>Standards (ESRS)</u> First draft relase	Fiscal year 2024 (planned) Start of CSRD/ESRS application (Note)
			Extensive disclosures required for EU listed companies and large companies
IFRS	November 2021 International Sustainability Standards Board (ISSB)	March 2022 IFRS Sustainability Disclosure Standards Draft release (General requirements, Climate-related disclosures)	2023 (planned) Approval of standards by the International Organization of Securities Commissions (IOSCO)
	establishment		Aiming to be a "Global Baseline"
US	March to June 2021 Request for comments on climate change disclosure rules	March 2022 <u>Climate-related disclosure rules</u> Draft release	Fiscal Year 2023 (planned) Start of climate-related disclosure rules application
			Start with climate-related disclosures
Japan	September 2021 Financial System Council Disclosure WG/ Start of discussion	November 2022 Cabinet Office Order on Disclosure of Corporate Affairs Revised draft relase	Fiscal year 2022 (planned) Start of application to annual securities reports
			New column for sustainability information

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(Note) Non-EU corporate groups with total sales in the EU market exceeding EUR 150 million in the last two consecutive years are also eligible.

A subsidiary or branch in the EU must make disclosures under the CSRD on a consolidated basis for the corporate group.

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Two Major Approaches on Sustainability-related Disclosure & Intangibles

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