



Climate & Environmental Risk Assessment

Where do you stand?

Know where you stand with a holistic view of your organisation's unique exposures to climate change and environmental risks.

When people think about the impacts of climate change, most focus on extreme weather events and the possibility of rising sea levels; but that's just the tip of the (melting) iceberg. Impacts are already being felt all over the world and not just in coastal areas.

The World Economic Forum's Global Risks Report (2014) spells it out: climate and environmental risks are growing, representing 40% of the top 10 risks to governments and business [i].

We consider the potential of a broad range of threats to your organisation, across multiple dimensions:

- Risk categories (including: physical, operational, legal, regulatory, reputation, structural, systemic, financial, environmental)
- Geographies
- Industry / systemic
- Products, services, processes
- Organisational objectives

[i] Appearing in the WEF's Global Risk Report's (2014) top 10 risks are four with climate or environmental causes including: 3. water crises; 5. failure of climate change mitigation and adaptation; 6. greater incidence of extreme weather events (e.g. floods, storms, fires); and 8. food crises.

- Direct and indirect
- Upstream supply chain
- Downstream product / service lifecycle (including changing patterns of demand)
- Planning time horizons

Applying ISO 31000 risk management principles, we use our unique process to help clients identify, categorise, assess and prioritise risks associated with their organisations' specific activities and their exposure to changing environmental issues. Broad treatment opportunities including mitigation are identified for major risks.

About Us

Business solutions for a changing planet.

Adaptive Capability provides strategic, business focused services helping organisations build their adaptive capacity and competitive advantage in the face of climate change and other environmental risks.

We work with businesses, local government and other organisations wanting to deepen their understanding of how climate change and other growing environmental issues affect and are affected by their activities.

Climate & Environmental Business Impacts Over Time

