Using the MultiCapital Scorecard to Assess Impacts on Achieving the Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs)

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MultiCapital Scorecards and metrics are always tailored to the specific needs & circumstances of individual users.
Context-Based Metrics

• The MultiCapital Scorecard (MCS) makes exclusive use of Context-Based Metrics (CBMs)
  – CBMs express performance relative to organization-specific targets or sustainability standards of performance (Sustainability Norms) … and not just in incremental terms!

• “All companies should apply a context-based approach to sustainability reporting …”

United Nations Environment Programme
Raising the Bar – Advancing Environmental Disclosure in Sustainability Reporting (UNEP, 2015)
How Scoring Works in the MCS

A scorecard is produced for each period in which impacts in a range of Areas of Impact (AOIs) are assessed relative to Sustainability Norms...

Impact scores are then weighted and compared to the best possible scores in each case: scores that equal best possible = +100%; scores that equal worst possible = -100%

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