

CARBON FOOTPRINT REPORT: ISE GLOBAL WIND ENERGY INDEX (GWE)

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- Index Weighted Total Emission: 6,871,686.79 metric tonneCo2e
- Index Weighted Total Revenue: 18,824.46 Mil USD
- Index Carbon Intensity: 365.04 metric tonneCo2e per Mil USD Revenue
- Index Carbon Impact: 390.87 metric tonneCo2e per Mil USD Investment



Methodology Overview

Nasdaq calculates the Index-based Carbon Footprint Scores with Carbon Emissions and Revenue data sourced from Sustainalytics.

Carbon Intensity Score:

We calculate the index-weighted Carbon Emission and the index-weighted Total Revenue as follows:

$$Index \ Weighted \ Carbon \ Emission = \sum_{i=1}^{n} Weight_{i} \times Carbon \ Emission_{i}$$

$$Index \ Weighted \ Total \ Revenue = \sum_{i=1}^{n} Weight_{i} \times Total \ Revenue_{i}$$

Where i=1 to n is the ith component in Nasdaq index.

If Sustainalytics' Carbon Emission and Revenue data do not cover 100% of the index universe, we adjust (scale up) the computed figures. This is done by dividing the computed figure with the total weights of all components with the valid inputs:

$$Total\ Weight\ of\ Carbon\ Emission = \sum_{i=1}^{n} Weight_i \times I_i$$

$$Total\ Weight\ of\ Total\ Revenue = \sum_{i=1}^{n} Weight_i \times J_i$$

Where I and J = 0 or 1 are indicators to identify whether the ith index component has the valid Carbon Emission or Revenue data. Therefore,

$$\label{eq:Adjusted Index Weighted Carbon Emission} Adjusted Index Weighted Carbon Emission \\ = \frac{Index \ Weighted \ Carbon \ Emission}{Total \ Weighted \ Total \ Revenue} \\ = \frac{Index \ Weighted \ Total \ Revenue}{Total \ Weight \ of \ Total \ Revenue}$$

Finally, the Carbon Intensity for the index is:

$$Index \ Carbon \ Intensity = \frac{Adjusted \ Index \ Weighted \ Carbon \ Emission}{Adjusted \ Index \ Weighted \ Total \ Revenue}$$



Carbon Impact Score:

To calculate the index-based Carbon Impact score, we need to first calculate the Carbon Impact for every individual security in the index:

$$Carbon \; Impact_i = \frac{Total \; Emission_i \; \times 1 \; million \; USD}{Full \; USD \; Market \; Cap_i}$$

Once we have the security level carbon impact scores, we can calculate the index level Carbon Impact as such:

$$\textit{Index Weighted Carbon Impact} = \sum_{i=1}^{n} \textit{Weight}_{i} \, \times \textit{Carbon Impact}_{i}$$

$$\textit{Total Weight of Carbon Impact} = \sum_{i=1}^{n} \textit{Weight}_{i} \, \times \textit{I}_{i}$$

$$Index\ Carbon\ Impact = \frac{Index\ Weighted\ Carbon\ Impact}{Total\ Weight\ of\ Carbon\ Impact}$$

Where i=1 to n is the ith component in the Nasdaq index, and l=0 or 1 is the indicator of whether the ith component has valid Carbon Impact data.

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