

Map Impact Ltd – Application statement of the ICMA Code of Conduct for ESG Ratings and Data Product Providers

Map Impact Ltd confirms its ongoing commitment to the principles contained within the International Capital Market Association Code of Conduct for ESG Ratings and Data Products Providers (the 'ICMA Code').

Map Impact provides climate and biodiversity-related geospatial datasets designed to support financial institutions, insurers, infrastructure operators and other stakeholders in the assessment of physical climate and nature-related risks.

Map Impact's datasets – BiodiversityView, HeatView, DroughtView and WildfireView – are developed through a hazard-led analytical framework integrating earth observation data, climate projections, environmental datasets and proprietary geospatial analytics. The company recognises the importance of transparency, methodological clarity, governance and robust systems and controls in enabling regulated firms to rely on ESG-related data products for risk management and regulatory compliance purposes.

Map Impact seeks to operate in alignment with the core principles of the ICMA Code, including governance, transparency, systems and controls, and the management of conflicts of interest.

Governance and oversight

Map Impact maintains documented governance arrangements to ensure that the development, maintenance and release of its datasets are subject to appropriate oversight. Responsibility for methodology development, data sourcing and analytical processes sits within the company's technical leadership team, with oversight from executive directors.

Methodologies, datasets and analytical processes are subject to version control, with material changes documented and recorded within formal methodology documentation. This supports traceability and provides an audit trail for users integrating Map Impact data into their own risk management frameworks.

Transparency of methodology and data sources

Map Impact provides detailed methodology documentation describing the analytical approach used to derive its datasets. This includes the integration of climate projections, satellite-derived land-cover analytics, habitat condition data and other environmental inputs.

Documentation sets out modelling assumptions, data sources and processing steps to enable users to understand the analytical chain underpinning each dataset. Outputs are generated at property-level spatial resolution, supporting use within financial risk assessment, scenario analysis and regulatory reporting contexts.

Map Impact datasets are designed to represent environmental hazard exposure rather than financial loss or risk metrics. Users are responsible for determining how outputs are interpreted and applied within their own models and decision-making frameworks.

Systems, controls and data quality

Map Impact maintains documented and controlled systems and processes to support the integrity, consistency and reproducibility of its datasets. These include structured data ingestion workflows, validation checks on geospatial outputs, model version control and documented data transformation processes across the production pipeline.

Dataset updates and model refinements are managed through a controlled release process, ensuring continuity, transparency and comparability for users over time.

Management of conflicts of interest

Map Impact provides objective environmental hazard datasets derived from geospatial analytics and environmental data sources. The company does not produce ESG ratings or entity-level assessments involving subjective judgement.

Nevertheless, Map Impact maintains internal procedures to identify and manage potential conflicts of interest arising from commercial relationships, data partnerships or advisory engagements. These controls are designed to ensure that such activities do not influence the integrity, independence or consistency of dataset outputs.

Continuous improvement and stakeholder engagement

Map Impact recognises that methodologies in climate risk and biodiversity measurement are evolving rapidly. The company therefore undertakes ongoing review and development of its analytical approaches, informed by academic research, regulatory developments and industry initiatives.

Feedback from financial institutions, regulators and industry bodies is considered as part of product development and methodology refinement processes.

Publication and review

This statement is reviewed annually and updated where necessary to reflect developments in Map Impact's data products, methodologies and governance arrangements, as well as changes in relevant industry standards and regulatory expectations.