CSA Standards Sustainability and Greenhouse Gas Management

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MAKING STANDARDS WORK FOR PEOPLE & BUSINESS

CSA Sustainability Program



- Keeping pace with the global market
- Infrastructure standards
 - New technologies



- · Climate change adaptation
- International standards leadership
 - · Environmental 14000 Series
 - Social Responsibility
- Environmental Labelling
- Sustainable organizations and products



CSA Climate Change Services

- Adaptation
 - Building codes
 - Risk management and Infrastructure standards
- Mitigation
 - Energy efficiency
 - · Renewable energy
 - · Green buildings
- GHG Accounting and Management
 - ISO 14064 standards
 - · GHG registries





Why Should I Care About GHGs?

- Climate change (*regardless of politics*) affects business
 - · Legal requirements
 - Stakeholder and customer expectations
 - Market share and competition
 - Financing
- But there is uncertainty policies/programs/protocols
 - Regulation is new and confusing
 - There are different protocols being developed
 - There are many organizations involved
- Result: companies are unsure about what to do



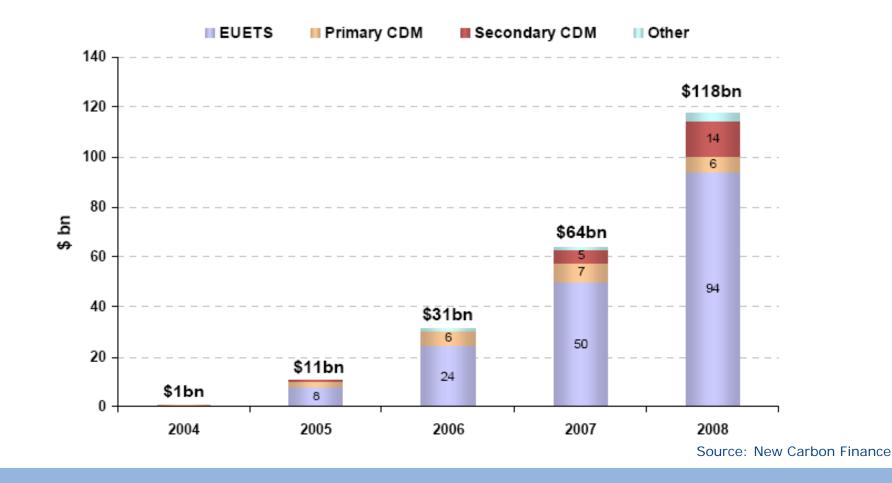
Reduce Emissions and Save Money

- Measure GHGs so you can manage GHGs
- Once you establish a GHG baseline you can identify opportunities to reduce GHG emissions
- There are two major strategies:
 - Reducing/eliminating certain actions
 - changing others



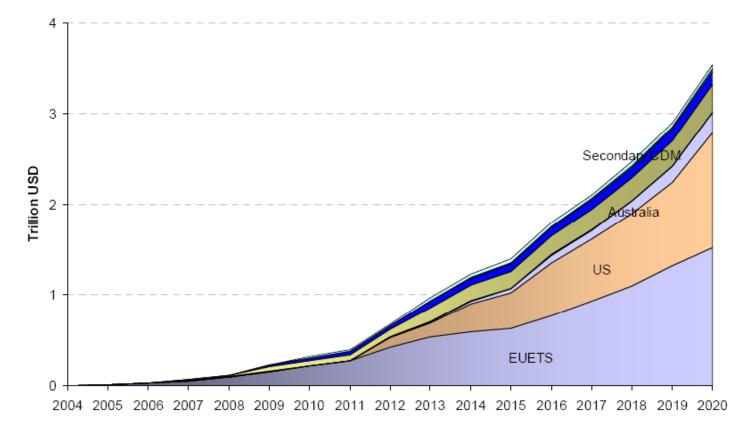


Economic Opportunities: Carbon Market





Potential Growth in the Carbon Market

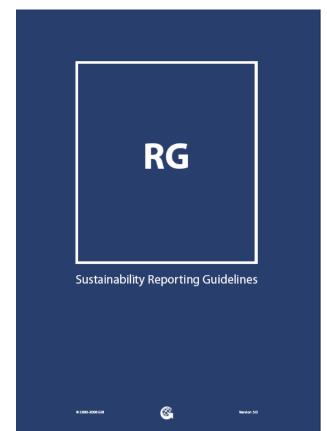


Source: New Carbon Finance



Global Reporting Initiative (GRI)

- GRI is the most widely used corporate sustainability reporting framework
- Sustainability reporting is now considered 'part of good business'
- The third generation GRI reporting guidelines include compilation of a corporate GHG inventory

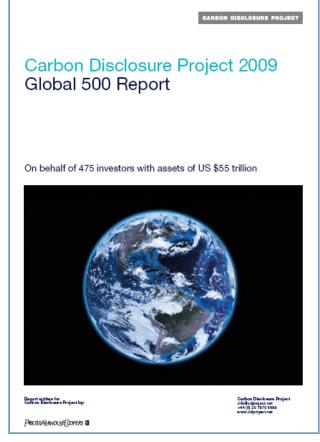


Source: http://www.globalreporting.org/ReportingFramework/ReportingFrameworkDownloads/



Carbon Disclosure Project (CDP)

- Institutional investors are requesting carbon footprint information
- Over 80% of companies are disclosing their carbon footprint
- Results are used in assessing risk of investments in sectors or companies



Source: http://www.cdproject.net/reports.asp



Wal-Mart's Sustainability Index



- Measures supplier environmental performance
- Asks for corporate GHG inventory
- Focus on overall carbon performance of companies making up your supply chain
- If gathered and documented properly, this information could help calculating the GHG footprint of products in the future



Using Standards & Registries

- Use of standards and harmonized principles for GHG management ensures transparent, consistent, relevant and complete information
- Increases credibility of documentation if independent validation and verification is used
- Helps reduce potential for multiple use of VERRs
 through individualized serial numbers
- Standards harmonize results and ensure compatibility between regional programs

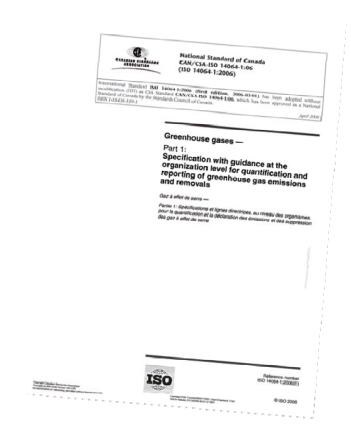


Establishing International Standards

- CSA Standards is World Secretariat for ISO 14064
- Foundation for Climate Change products & services

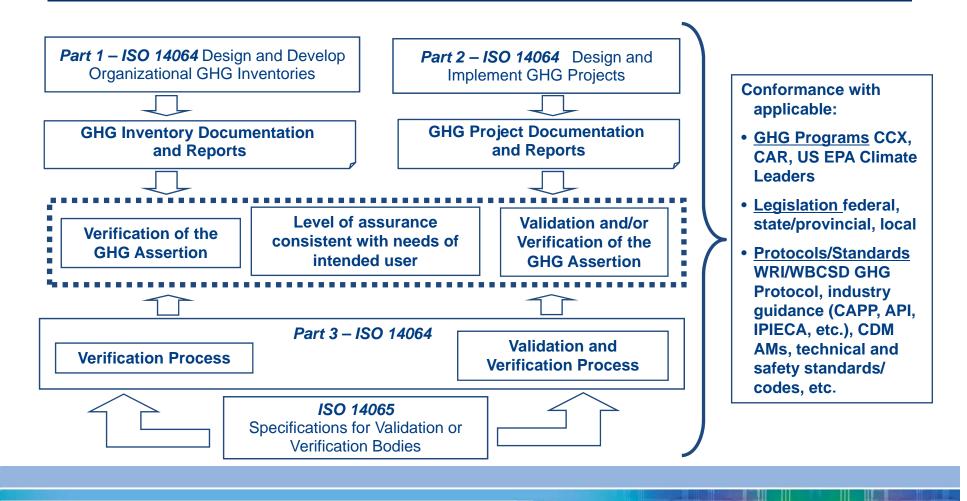


International Organization for Standardization





ISO 14064 GHG Standards Framework





CSA Standards-based GHG Management

to help certify consistent skill sets





Helping People Set Rules

Our Standards and Codes

- Over 3,000 standards and codes
- Secretariat to ISO/TC 207
- Leading experts on ISO 14064

Bringing People Together

- 220 staff working with business, industry, consumers and government
- Over 7,500 active expert members,
- Consensus process
- Making standards work internationally







Helping People Apply Standards

Tools for GHG Management

- Registries
- Protocol Databases
- Program Design

Convenient Formats

- Download PDF documents
- Smart CD's embedded formulas
- Websites and web-based portals





Helping People Understand Standards

Education and Training Programs

- GHG Management and Verification Courses
- Inventories, Projects and Verification
- Essentials and Experts

Course Delivery

- Seminars (public courses)
- Customized in-house training
- eLearning courses
- Forums
- Blended learning combination of seminars & eLearning





Helping People Implement Best Practices

Customized (Advisory) Services

- Utilize our core competencies as global leaders in GHG management
- Create custom solutions:
 - Capacity building for private sector and government
 - Stakeholder engagement
 - Project implementation
 - Understanding regulatory requirements and voluntary programs



Customized (advisory) Services



Helping Certify Consistent Skill Sets

Personnel Certification

For GHG Quantifiers and GHG Verifiers.

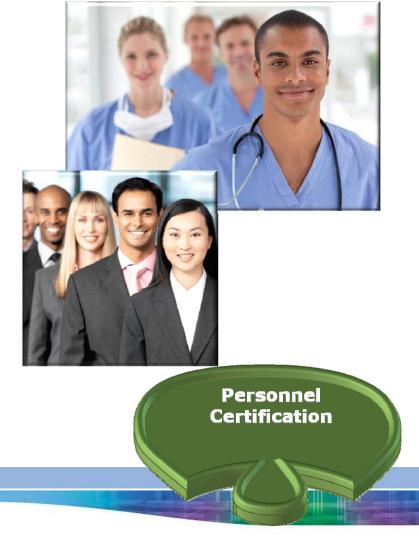
Program Benefits

To the individual ...

- · peer and industry recognition
- competitive advantage

To the company...

- confirmation of competence
- easier interviewing process
- safer work habits





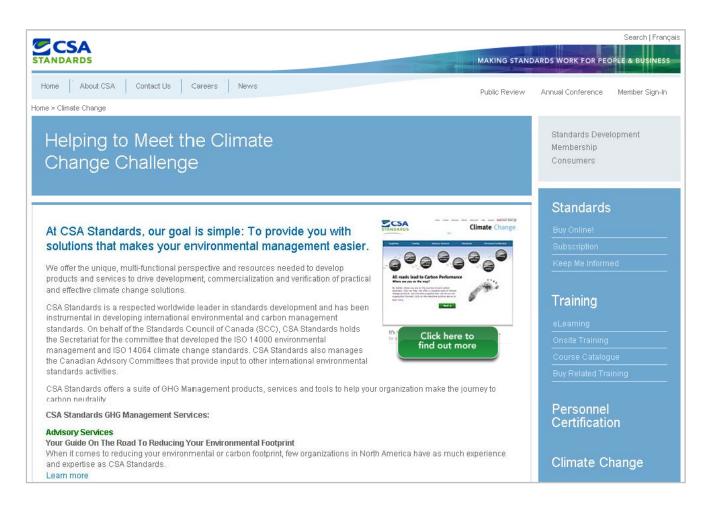
CSA in the Global Marketplace

- Product Certification for gas, plumbing electrical and electronic products destined for North American markets
- Facilities in Hong Kong, Shanghai, Seoul, Tokyo, Bangalore and Mumbai

• Strategic Partnerships







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"Some people change their ways when they see the light, others when they feel the heat."

Caroline Schroeder

