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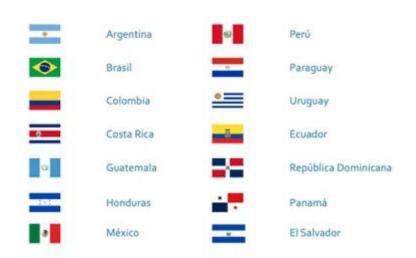






Regional Partnership for the promotion of Sustainability and SDG Reporting in Latin America

- 28 members
- 3 observers
- 14 Latin American countries





Objectives:



The Alliance promotes mutual support among Latin American countries in their efforts to develop national strategies and policies to:

- Establish and/or strengthen the national infrastructure for the issuance of high-quality sustainability reports by companies.
- Increase the number of high-quality sustainability reports by companies.
- Measure the contribution of the private sector to the implementation of the SDGs.
- Promote sustainable business development.





GOALS 2023:

- 3 Regional meetings (2 virtual and 1 hybrid) with the assistance of more than 50 people per meeting, representing 15 countries.
- multi-stakeholder participation: regulators, accounting associations, business associations, standard-setting councils
- The meetings were structured based on 3 components: Institutional, regulatory and human capacity (more than 10 hours of experiences exchange, 1 consultation processes and trainings).
- New chair pro tempore vote: Brazil 2024



Practical application challenges faced by countries: Latin America

- 1. Lack of national infrastructure for sustainability Reporting
- 2. Interoperability of standards and national policies on sustainability reporting
- 3. Strengthening human capacity in sustainability reporting
- 4. promote proportionate rules tailored to small and medium-size companies, to ensure competitivity and access to global value chains

Sustainability reporting challenges: examples from Latin America

- 1.Brazil
- 2. Colombia
- 3. México
- 4. Guatemala





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