

SUSTAINABILITY FUND IN MARITIME AND LOGISTICS INDUSTRY

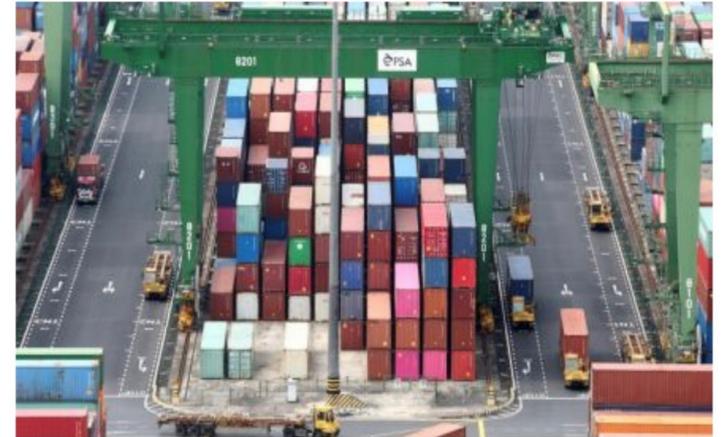
The RHT-PSA Sustainability Fund is a green investment partnership by Singapore's leading port group, PSA International ("PSA") and RHT DigiCapital.

The Fund aims to achieve long-term capital appreciation by investing in companies and projects ("investees") that primarily advances **decarbonisation initiatives**, plus supply chain optimisation and waste reduction projects within the maritime and logistics industry.

Working with established ESG consultants, the Fund assesses investees under a stringent review process and conducts rigorous due diligence to ensure compliance to the required ESG framework and parameters.

Funds are deployed via a spectrum of capital structures into a mix of investee companies and projects to achieve the targeted IRR of 15-20% over the fund life.

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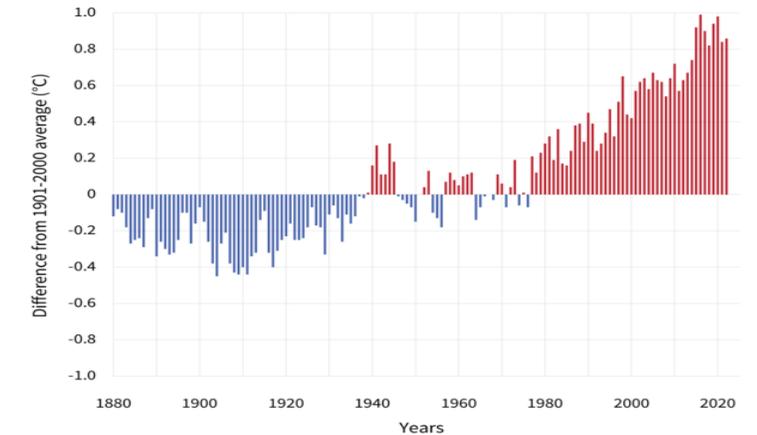
The decarbonization movement aims to reduce greenhouse gas emissions into the atmosphere so as to alleviate global warming and climate change, since these gases trap heat from the sun's rays, which elevate ambient temperatures on a local and global scale.

The world is lagging behind 2015 Paris Agreement targets* of keeping the rise in mean global temperatures below 2 °C.

If kept on its current trajectory, mean global temperatures would increase 2.1 °C by 2100, and in the worst-case, rise by 3.9 °C.

A 3 °C increase in mean global temperatures would result in numerous cities such as Miami, Shanghai, Osaka, and Rio de Janeiro sinking underwater, while 275 million people worldwide would have to relocate from their homes to escape flooding**.

GLOBAL AVERAGE SURFACE TEMPERATURE ***



Effects of Climate Change (clockwise from top left): Wildfires, Crop Droughts, Melting Ice Caps raising Sea Levels, Floods

* <https://unfccc.int/process-and-meetings/the-paris-agreement/the-paris-agreement>

** [https://www.virta.global/blog/decarbonisation#:~:text=The%20current%20\(and%20optimistic\)%20objective,and%20low%20carbon%20energy%20sources](https://www.virta.global/blog/decarbonisation#:~:text=The%20current%20(and%20optimistic)%20objective,and%20low%20carbon%20energy%20sources)

*** <https://www.climate.gov/news-features/understanding-climate/climate-change-global-temperature>

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Atmospheric carbon dioxide levels are at its highest over the past 63 years and nearing the 800,000 years peak*. Carbon dioxide is the most important greenhouse gas due to not only its ability to trap heat, but also its solubility in water.

Rising carbon dioxide levels contribute to ocean acidification. Since the start of the Industrial Revolution, the pH of the ocean's surface waters has dropped from 8.21 to 8.10. As the oceans become more acidic, their capacity to absorb carbon dioxide may decrease, potentially exacerbating climate change.

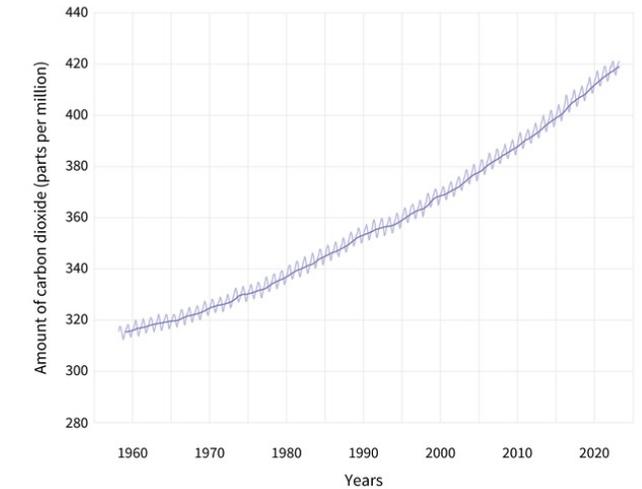
More critically, rising acidity threatens coral reefs that support over 25% of all marine species (with cascading effects on food webs) and act as natural barriers, protecting coastlines from storms, waves, and erosion.**

This in turn threatens food security of vulnerable communities and increases flood vulnerability of coastal cities.

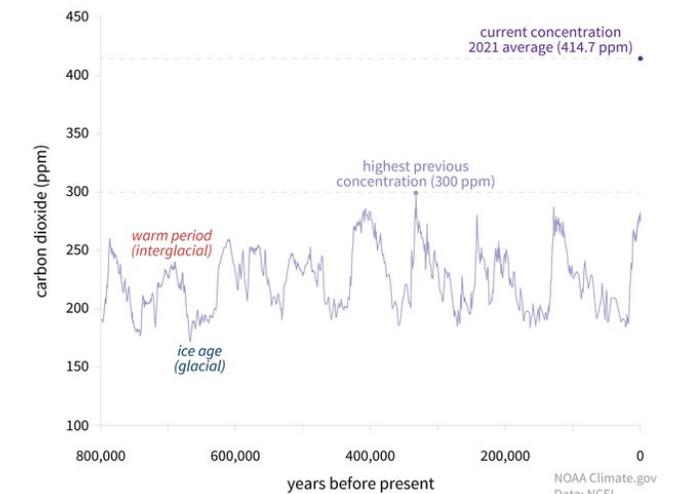
* <https://www.climate.gov/news-features/understanding-climate/climate-change-atmospheric-carbon-dioxide>

** <https://oceanservice.noaa.gov/facts/coral-reef.html> , <https://www.corals.noaa.gov/about/how-do-coral-reefs-protect-coasts>

ATMOSPHERIC CARBON DIOXIDE



CARBON DIOXIDE OVER 800,000 YEARS



PLAYING OUR PART IN DECARBONISATION

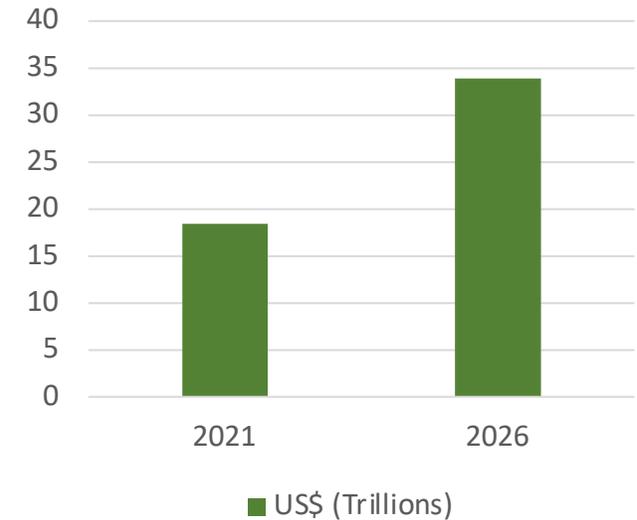
In recent years, extreme weather events and growing environmental awareness has galvanised governments, investors, and even individuals around the world to pour massive amounts of resources into decarbonisation initiatives to avoid a global climate disaster.

Many countries are committed to long-term green targets, proving that the environmental sustainability theme is not a passing fad, but a grand theme for decades to come.

ESG-focused institutional investment is expected to soar 84% from 2021 to US\$33.9 trillion in 2026, making up 21.5% of total global AUM*.

RHT DigiCapital does its part as both fund manager and responsible global citizen, by combining a strong investment vehicle and a thematic decarbonisation initiative with a key operator PSA in the evergreen maritime industry.

Global ESG-related Institutional Investment



* <https://www.pwc.com/gx/en/news-room/press-releases/2022/awm-revolution-2022-report.html>