

# What makes a quality non-financial report?

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#### Non-financial reporting quality criteria 1.

 Materiality – Reporting on the issues that are most significant and relevant to your business and to the interests of your stakeholders

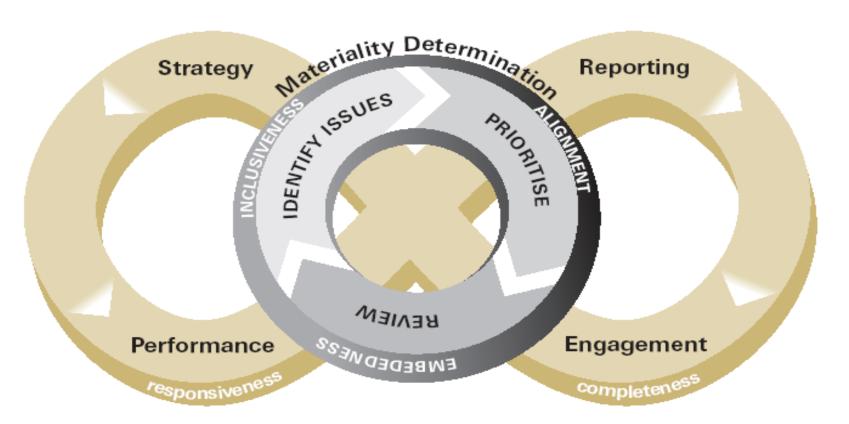


Diagram Source: The Materiality Report: Aligning Strategy, Performance and Reporting, A Briefing, 2008





### Non-financial reporting quality criteria 2.

 Sustainability context - Articulating how your core business model contributes to global sustainability or where it creates sustainability risks

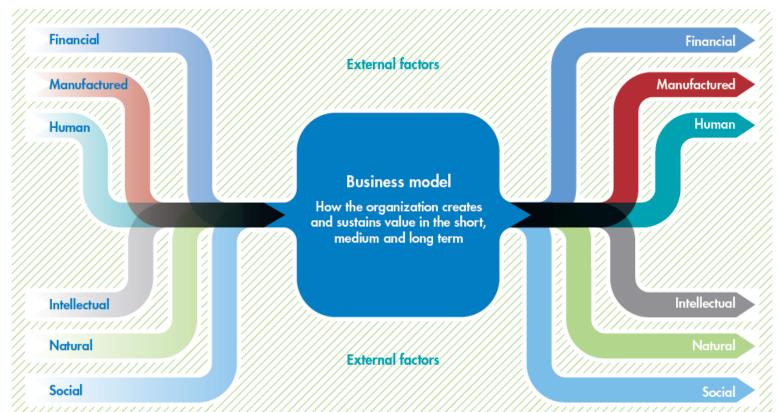


Diagram Source: International Integrated Reporting Council, IR-Discussion-Paper-2011\_spreads.pdf



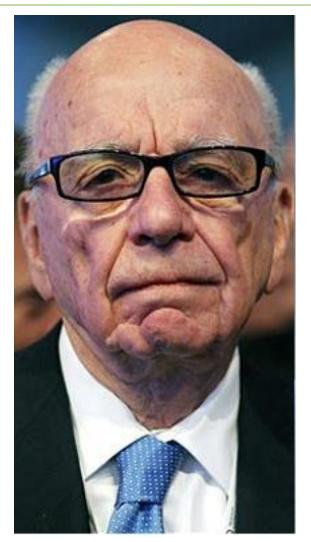


## Non-financial reporting quality criteria 3.

 Integrity - Ensure your disclosures provide a fair and balanced view on management approach and performance

 Humility - Recognise your successes but also your challenges and where things have not gone so well

 Inclusivity - Ensure stakeholders contribute to your thinking and use independent views to provide assurance





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Feb 21<sup>st</sup> Moscow

Two Tomorrows and DA Strategy

- Introduction to sustainability reporting
- Benefits of reporting
- Integrated reporting update
- Global Reporting Initiative
   Guidelines v3.1 + v4 update
- G3.1 Content principles
- G3.1 Quality of information principles
- GRI indicators
- GRI application levels



