

## SUSTAINABLE FINANCE COUNTRY PROFILE



# COSTA RICA

### QUICK FACTS<sup>1</sup>

**US\$57.1 billion** GDP (2017)

**4.9 million** Population (2017)

**3.2%** GDP growth (2017)

**US\$11,631** GDP per capita (2017)

### FINANCIAL MARKETS

- **10** Domestic listed companies (2017)<sup>1</sup>
- **US\$3.0 billion** Market capitalisation of domestic listed companies (2017)<sup>1</sup>
- The value of stocks traded represented **0.1%** of GDP in 2013.<sup>1</sup>
- Sustainability-related indices are **not provided** on the country's stock exchange.<sup>2</sup>
- National sustainability reporting policies are **not in place**.<sup>3</sup>
- **US\$0.5 billion** Green bonds issuance (as of end September 2018)<sup>4</sup>

### SUSTAINABLE FINANCE DRIVERS

- **Not available** Infrastructure investment gap (2016-2030)<sup>5</sup>
- Climate vulnerability **High**<sup>6</sup>
- Carbon vulnerability **Low**<sup>6</sup>

### FINANCIAL INCLUSION<sup>1</sup>

- **21.0** Bank branches per 100,000 adults (2017)
- **67.8%** Share of adults with a bank account (2017)

### WORK WITH THE INQUIRY

- The Inquiry worked with representatives of financial institutions on the GreenInvest platform.

## MEMBERSHIP IN SUSTAINABLE FINANCE INITIATIVES



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## POLICIES AND MEASURES<sup>7</sup>

No information available



- Policy and regulatory
  - Market
  - Hybrid
- Please refer to UN Environment Inquiry (2018). [Greening the Rules of the Game](#) for more analysis.

## FOR MORE INFORMATION



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Notes: Infrastructure investment gap does not include additional investment needed to meet the Sustainable Development Goals. Membership of sustainable finance initiatives as of October 2018.