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Climate Change, sustainability and green economy are most important areas for world therefore most of the countries are aligning their policies and actions towards climate change. As industry is currently producing 21% of global greenhouse emissions therefore it has been the major concern for government across the world that how industry should accelerate decarbonization journey without hampering the business activities. In this context, India is also undergoing a paradigm shift where green investment is a critical enabler in achieving the country's ambitious on decarbonisation and sustainability goals as India has the potential to become a major driver of India's Mission of Net Zero by 2070.

The Government has designed several schemes and programme such as National Action Plan on Climate Change (NAPCC), green finance, green bond issuance, mandatory reporting of the progress on Corporate Social Responsibilities (CSR) under the Companies Act, 2013, faster adoption & manufacturing of Hybrid and Electric Vehicles (FAME), production linked incentive (PLI) Scheme for manufacturing of high efficiency modules in the arena of renewable energy etc. Besides this Green Energy Corridor, Green Field Investment, Green Term-A Head Market, Green Banks, Green Buildings, Green Bonds are the terms which frequently find place in the pen of the nation policymakers.

ASSOCHAM has been advocating and supporting climate mitigation initiatives by the government and industries through various activities. In continuation of our efforts to protect the environment and promote initiatives towards climate risk mitigation, we have initiated annual green investment and sustainability summit in 2021.

Last two edition of Green Investment and Sustainability Summit widely acknowledged by industry and government with their participation. Each edition, the summit was hosted different parts of the country. First edition held virtually and second edition held at Goa on 13<sup>th</sup> and 14<sup>th</sup> December 2022. We have hosted Shri Ashwini Kumar Choubey, Hon'ble Minister of State, Ministry of Environment, Forest and Climate Change, Government of India, Shri Mauvin Godinho, Hon'ble Minister for Industries, Transport, Panchayat and Protocol, Government of Goa, Shri. Nilesh Cabral, Hon'ble Minister for Environment, Legislative Affairs, Public Works Department, Law and Judiciary, Government of Goa, Shri Bharat Lal, Additional Secretary and Mission Director, NJJM, Department of Drinking Water and Sanitation, Ministry of Jal Shakti, Govt. of India, Shri Ramesh Verma, Secretary, Government of Goa and Shri Sudhendu J. Sinha, Adviser (Infrastructure Connectivity & Electric Mobility), NITI Aayog. The two-day summit was attended with over 600 participants from Industry, MSME, Startups, 50 plus speakers, 8 technical sessions and 4 special sessions.

ASSOCHAM being one of the major spearheads in advocating the policy of the country, now, we have scheduled 3rd edition of Green Investment and Sustainability Summit under the broad theme Driving Transformational Change for Sustainable Growth on 30<sup>th</sup> and 31<sup>st</sup> January 2024 at Chennai.

The Summit will provide global platform to discuss various topics related to decarbonization, Climate Change, Green Investments, Circular Economy, Natural Resource management including their management, policy issues and best practices etc.



## Focus Area



Green Finance



Green Investment



Green Infrastructure



Green Cities



Green Technology



Re-Commerce



Quality and Standards



Green Transport

## Synergies

Tech Solutions	Segments
Industry 5.0 AI Big Data Cloud IOT WEB 3.0 Blockchain	Energy Transition Food Tech & Agri Tech Green Mobility & transport MSMEs and Startups Retail & FMCG Housing and Real Estate Waste Management Natural Resources

## Key Discussion Point

- Empowering SMEs Towards Net Zero
- Green Investment in Sustainable Cities
- Challenges and opportunities – Decarbonisation of the industry
- Strategies to accelerate Sustainable Infrastructure
- Financing the Transition Towards Low-Emission Systems
- Financing the transition and accelerating innovation
- Catalysing Global Climate Investments: Aligning Financial Flows for a Safe Future
- Key regulations and policies in resourcing a productive green investment
- Opportunities of green transport in the transport share of nation

- Role of Green Investment and Long-term funding for Infrastructural investments
- Elevating ESG Data Quality In a New Regulatory Regime
- Green Banks: Catalyzing Investments in Climate Solutions
- The Role of Private Equity in Decarbonizing Transitioning Assets
- The Power of Public-private Partnerships
- Creating and Implementing Climate Transition Action Plans
- Financing the Transition: The Path From Carbon-intensive to Carbon-free



