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The World's Most International Exchange

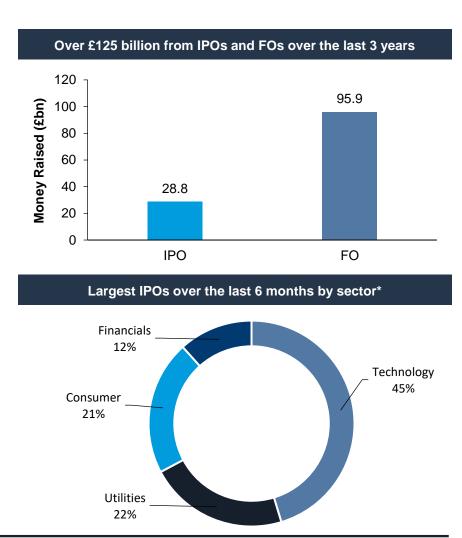
# A Snapshot of London Stock Exchange



£5.2 trillion of value with over £125 billion raised since 2018







# **Europe's Most Active Equity Market**



#### £51.2bn was raised in London through IPOs & FOs in 2020

London was the most active equity market in Europe in 2020, with:

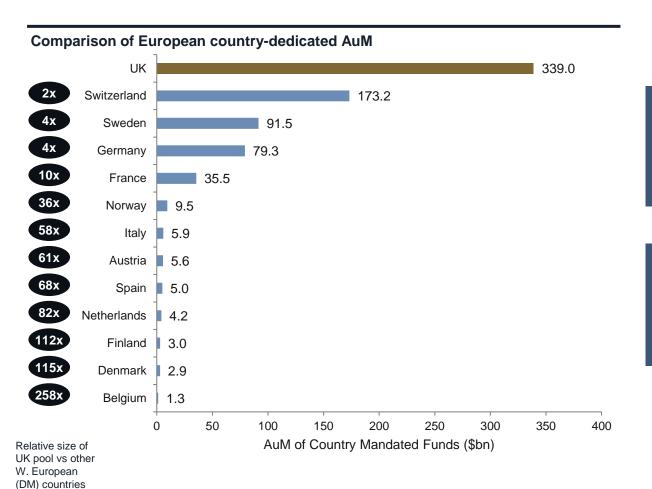
- 2.7x more transactions (635 IPOs & FOs) than the next most active exchange, Stockholm (231 IPOs & FOs)
- 2.8x more in IPO and FO proceeds (£51.2bn) than the next exchange, Frankfurt (£18.0bn)

#### Top 10 European Exchanges by IPO & FO Capital Raised in 2020 Top 5 deals in 2020 on Capital Deal 60 700 **London Stock Exchange** raised (£m) type Aveva Group 600 FO 2,847 50 IAG FO 2,497 Capital Raised (£bn) 500 Rolls-Royce Holdings FO 2,277 Compass Group FO 1,999 **THG Holdings IPO** 1,881 200 10 100 0 London Frankfurt SIX Swiss Stockholm **Euronext Paris** Madrid Euronext Oslo Borsa Italiana Helsinki Amsterdam ■ IPO Capital Raised (£bn) ■ FO Capital Raised (£bn) ■ No. of IPOs ■ No. of FOs

# **London - Europe's Largest Capital Pool**



Investors have ample capital to deploy incl. \$339bn of dedicated capital



The UK has a dedicated pool of capital which is restricted to investing in UK listed equities (currently \$339bn)

UK dedicated pool of capital has remained consistently larger despite the COVID-19 pandemic

Source: EPER Global, January 2021

# **British Business Achieving Global Ambitions**



75% of FTSE 100 revenues derived outside the UK

London Stock Exchange is the natural home for UK businesses with global ambitions

100+

London issuers operate in over 100 countries around the world

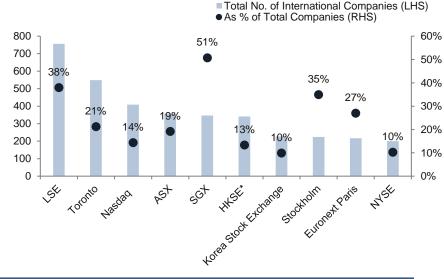
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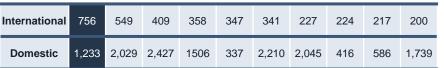
of London-listed companies are UK companies

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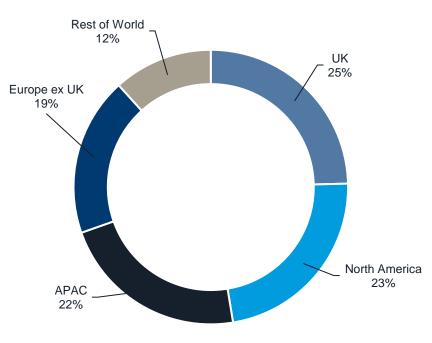
6 of 7 of the top London IPOs in 2021YTD were UK companies

#### London has more international companies than any other major exchange





#### FTSE 100 Revenue Split



Source: LSE, FactSet, February 2021, Note: Exchanges with fewer than 250 companies listed are excluded \*1530 (60%) of HKSE companies are Chinese

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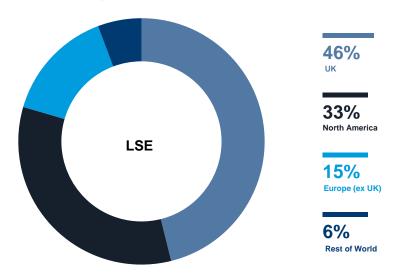
<sup>—</sup> International companies are those where the country of primary business of a company is not equal to the country of its primary listing. Our country of primary business methodology uses FactSet data and takes into account the country of largest revenue exposure, headquarters and incorporation

# A Globally Diverse Investment Base



Gain access to the most internationally diverse pool of investment

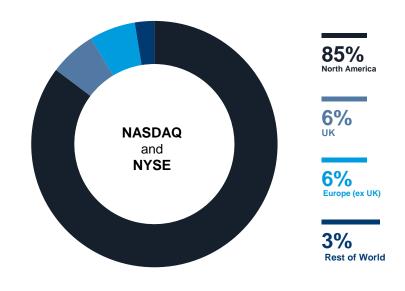
#### Domicile of Top investors in listed securities in London\*



Largest Institutions Investing in LSE Listed Stock	Investor Countr	у
BlackRock Investment Management (UK) Ltd.	United Kingdom	
The Vanguard Group, Inc.	United States	
Norges Bank Investment Management	Norway	#
BlackRock Fund Advisors	United States	
Capital Research & Management Co.	United States	
Schroder Investment Management Ltd.	United Kingdom	

- London has the most diverse investor base of any major global exchange, while still allowing issuers to access US institutional investors.
- This allows issuers access to a pool of capital that is comfortable with companies who build internationally facing business models.

#### Domicile of Top investors in listed securities in the US\*



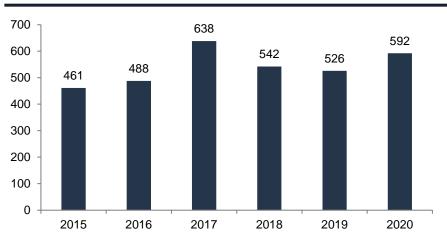
Source: FactSet, February 2021 \*Based on the Value of Securities Held

# **Significant FO Activity in 2020**

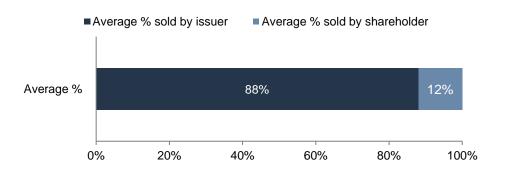


London's deep public markets provided support to the UK Recap effort

#### No. of further offer transactions since 2015



Primary/secondary allocation for 2020 FOs



#### £41.8bn

Capital raised through further offers in 2020

#### £2.8bn

Capital raised through the largest further offer of 2020 by Aveva Group

#### 88%

Of the capital raised through further offers has been through primary issuance

#### **Largest Further Offers in 2020**

Company	Date	Deal Type	Primary / Secondary	Proceeds (£m)
Aveva Group	10-Dec	Accelerated Bookbuild*	100 / 0	2,847
IAG	01-Oct	Rights Offer	100 / 0	2,497
Rolls-Royce Holdings	12-Nov	Accelerated Bookbuild*	100 / 0	2,277
Compass Group	19-May	Accelerated Bookbuild	100 / 0	1,999
Flutter Entertainment	04-Dec	Accelerated Bookbuild	100 / 0	1,121
Whitbread	10-Jun	Accelerated Bookbuild*	100 / 0	1,070
Informa	16-Apr	Accelerated Bookbuild	100 / 0	1,001
Flutter Entertainment	29-May	Accelerated Bookbuild	100 / 0	813
SEGRO	10-Jun	Accelerated Bookbuild	100 / 0	673
Ocado Group	11-Jun	Accelerated Bookbuild	100 / 0	657

Source: Dealogic, January 2021

\*Rump placements

## **International Trends**



#### International issuers continue to access the London market

— In the last 3 years, the majority of the largest IPOs on LSE have been international issuers. This trend continued in 2020 with large IPOs from international companies such as China Pacific Insurance and China Yangtze Power (through the Shanghai-London Stock Connect)

5 of the top 10 2020 IPOs were international			
Company	Nationality	Capital raised at IPO (\$m)	
THG Holdings	United Kingdom	2,435	
China Pacific Insurance	China	1,965	
China Yangtze Power	China	1,963	
Conduit Holdings	United Kingdom	1,097	
Kaspi.kz JSC	Kazakhstan	1,000	
Ignitis Grupe AB	Lithuania	527	
Bytes Technology	United Kingdom	467	
Calisen	United Kingdom	436	
Home REIT	United Kingdom	311	
Round Hill Music Royalty Fund	United States	282	

3 of the top 5 2019 IPOs were international			
Company	Nationality	Capital raised at IPO (\$m)	
Huatai Securities	China	1,692	
Network International	UAE	1,593	
Trainline	United Kingdom	1,389	
Airtel Africa	Pan-African	687	
Schiehallion Fund	United Kingdom	477	

3 of the top 5 2018 IPOs were international			
Company	Nationality	Capital raised at IPO (\$m)	
Aston Martin Lagonda	United Kingdom	1,407	
Smithson Investment Trust	United Kingdom	1,084	
Vivo Energy	Pan-African	819	
Avast	Czech Republic	816	
Nova Ljubljanska Banka	Slovenia	695	

## The Home of Landmark Issuances

## Landmark recent UK growth company listings





#### **Just Eat Takeaway.com**

"Today's listing on the London Stock Exchange marks the beginning of a new era for our company. The Just Eat Takeaway.com merger provides the scale that is a necessary condition to remain competitive in a globalised environment. Our ambitions however reach much further. It is our intent to lead the sector, which not only means delivering the absolute best product for both consumers and restaurants."

Jitse Groen, CEO, Just Eat Takeaway.com

Just Eat Takeaway.com is a leading marketplace for online food delivery. Based in the Netherlands, the company was created through the combination of Just Eat and Takeaway.com, which were listed on London Stock Exchange and Euronext Amsterdam, respectively.



#### **THG**

"I am delighted that THG has received such strong support from some of the world's largest investors. The results of the offer are a clear validation of our business model, significant growth prospects, and recognition of the hard work and talent of all our colleagues."

#### Matthew Moulding, Founder, Chairman and CEO

THG is a vertically-integrated consumer brands group retailing its own brands in beauty and nutrition plus third party brands direct to consumer ("D2C") in 169 countries. In Sept 2020, THG became the largest IPO on the Standard segment of the Main Market in the last 10 years. It was also the largest technology IPO in London by market capitalisation at listing.



#### **Dr Martens**

"Today is a historic day for Dr. Martens, marking the start of a new chapter that will support our efforts in accelerating our growth ambitions, investing in our best-in-class digital and store experiences and executing against our proven strategy to take DM's to even more people all over the world. We are thrilled to begin trading on London Stock Exchange,"

#### Kenny Wilson, Chief Executive

Dr Martens, is a British footwear brand that listed on the Premium Segment of the Main Market, raising £1.3bn in the largest London IPO for 2021 in the year to date. The IPO was priced at the top of the price range, was 8x oversubscribed and capitalised the business at £3.7bn



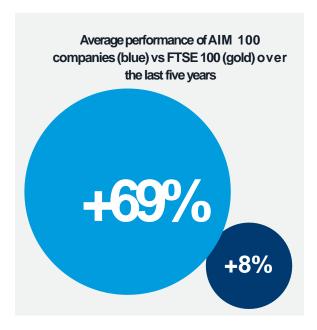
AIM – An Overview



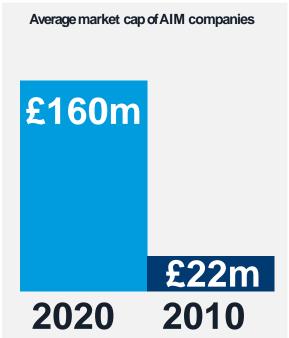
# 2020 Highlights & Transactions

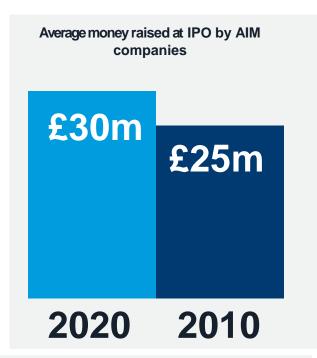


on the world's most successful growth market



Current number of companies on AIM: 819



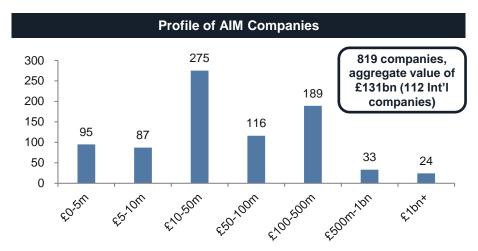


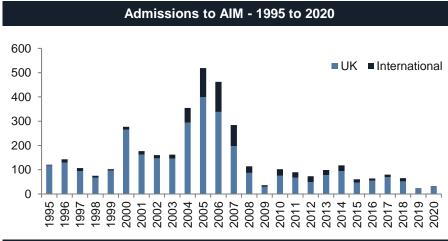


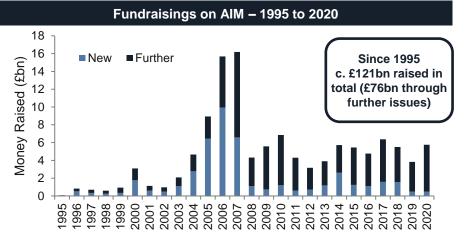
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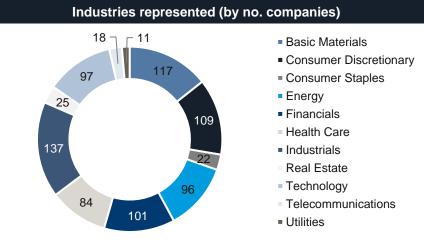
#### £121 billion raised since launch











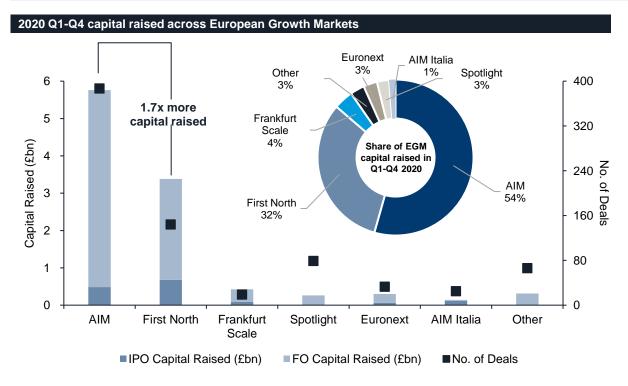
Source: LSE, January 2021

# **Europe's Growth Market Engine**



#### 54% of Q1-Q4 European growth market capital was raised on AIM

- In 2020 Q1-Q4, AIM continued to drive growth market capital in Europe, accounting for 54% of all IPO and FO capital raised and 1.7x more than the next European Growth Market (First North)
- In total, there were 397 deals, raising £485m through IPOs and £5.3bn in FOs
- Seven of the largest 10 European growth market deals during Q1-Q4 took place on AIM, yet again dominating follow-on issuances



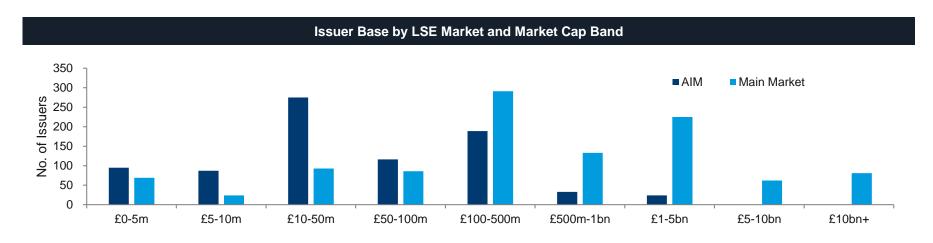
Top 5 2020 Q1-Q4 European Growth Market IPOs			
Company	EGM	Proceeds (£m)	
Thunderful Group	FN Stockholm	132	
Offentliga Hus i Norden	FN Stockholm	131	
Implantica	FN Stockholm	112	
Inspecs Group	AIM	94	
fashionette AG	Frankfurt Scale	90	

Top 5 2020 Q1-Q4 European Growth Market FOs			
Company	EGM	Proceeds (£m)	
Embracer Group	FN Stockholm	628	
ASOS	AIM	247	
Boohoo Group	AIM	198	
Investment AB Latour	FN Stockholm	184	
Dart Group	AIM	172	

## **AIM vs Main Market**



## Comparing issuer and investor bases



#### **Top 10 Institutional Investor Holdings on AIM vs Main Market**

AIM				
Rank	Institutional investor (parent level)	Market cap held (£bn)		
1	Liontrust Asset Management Plc	3.24		
2	Canaccord Genuity Group, Inc.	2.96		
3	Jupiter Fund Management Plc	2.55		
4	Standard Life Aberdeen Plc	2.40		
5	Hargreaves Lansdown Plc	2.32		
6	Octopus Capital Ltd.	2.16		
7	BlackRock, Inc.	2.01		
8	T. Rowe Price Group, Inc.	1.88		
9	Invesco Ltd.	1.79		
10	Schroders Plc	1.27		

Main Market				
Rank	Institutional investor (parent level)	Market cap held (£bn)		
1	BlackRock, Inc.	143.10		
2	The Vanguard Group, Inc.	80.51		
3	Standard Life Aberdeen Plc	58.55		
4	The Capital Group Cos., Inc.	57.82		
5	Government of Norway	53.78		
6	State Street Corp.	49.16		
7	Legal & General Group Plc	39.01		
8	Schroders Plc	28.74		
9	UBS Group AG	24.46		
10	M&G Plc	23.76		

Source: LSE, Factset, January 2021

## **AIM Offer Sizes Continue to Grow**



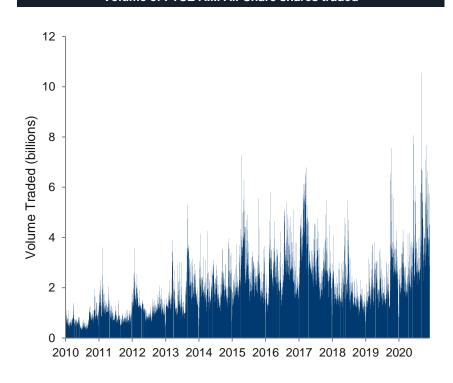
#### Liquidity rises as institutional investor pool expands

- AIM stocks' representation in funds have continued to grow in recent years as fund remits have broadened to allow a greater proportion of their assets to be invested in AIM-listed stocks
- This has seen the average offer size and market cap at IPO grow, and market liquidity follow its upward trend

#### Median offer size and market cap at IPO of AIM companies, 2010-2020

# Median Deal Size 100 Median Market Cap at IPO 80 20 2010 2011 2012 2013 2014 2015 2016 2017 2018 2019 2020

#### Volume of FTSE AIM All-Share shares traded

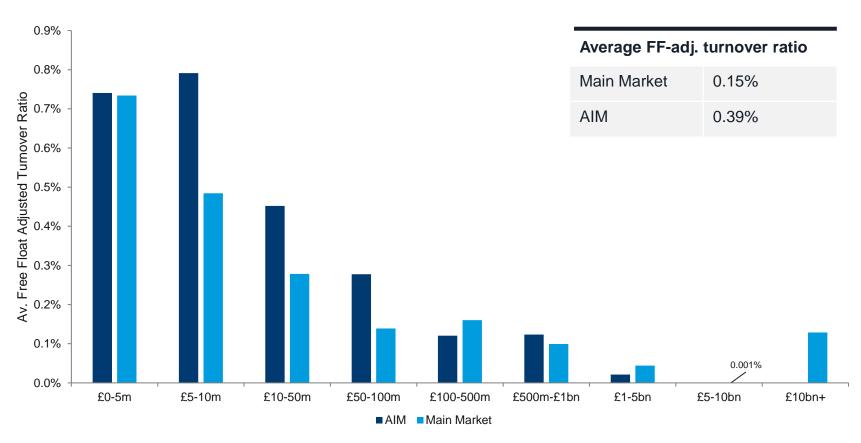


# AIM – Liquidity vs. Main Market



Greater liquidity on AIM as a percentage of free float

#### Liquidity across AIM and the Main Market by Market Cap Bands



Sources: Bloomberg, January 2021

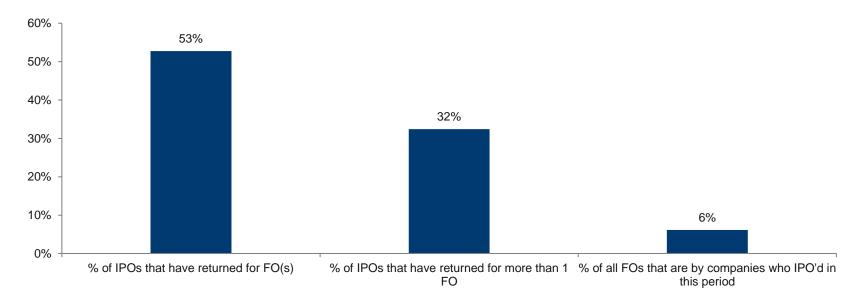
# **AIM - Unparalleled Follow-on Environment**



## Newly listed companies are able to raise additional capital

- Over the last 5 years, 53% of newly public companies have accessed additional equity capital in follow-on transactions
- 6%% of all follow-ons since 2016 have been conducted by companies that have gone public in the same period
- During the current Covid-19 pandemic, 27% of companies that completed an IPO since 2016 have returned to the public markets in a follow on offer since 1st March 2020

#### IPOs and FOs, last five years (2016 - 2020)



Source: Dealogic, January 2021





# Financing sustainability to foster long term growth

London Stock Exchange Group offers the most integrated suite globally of sustainable investment and capital raising tools to capture the global economy's long-terms growth opportunities. London is a world leader in green financing - providing international sovereigns and companies with the opportunity to access global capital and meeting investors' sustainability needs.





# **Growth in ESG Strategies for Investors**



Investors are increasingly pursuing ESG strategies

Global Assets Under Management that incorporate ESG (USD Trillions)



# UN Principles for Responsible Investment: Growth in no. of Signatories and associated AUM 2006-2020



# London leads on supporting the rise of the Green Economy



#### 1. Driving best practice in ESG and Climate disclosure

 Helping all equity, fund and fixed income issuers understand and implement effective, decision-useful ESG disclosures that reflect investor needs and trends in regulation.

#### 2. Supporting the rise of the Green Economy

 Improving visibility of, and access to capital for, green & sustainable commercial activities worldwide.

#### 3. Enabling the transition to a sustainable, low carbon economy.

 Innovating to enable companies in all sectors to access the capital needed to address environmental risk & opportunity



# **Cross-asset Class Green Focus**



Innovating in debt financing

100+
ESG
Indexes

# 249 Green & Sustainable Bonds

# 100+ ESG ETFs

# 25 Green Funds

# 90+ Green Economy Companies

ESG
Green Economy
Carbon emissions
Carbon reserves
Green Real Estate

Raised more than \$65 billion, Supporting renewables, water, green infrastructure and sustainable development. Total value traded in 2019 \$838m, up 110% on 2018. With an aggregate value of over \$15 billion.

Those generating 50% or more of their revenues from 'Green Economy' industries, with an aggregate market capitalisation of more than \$170bn+

# The Green Economy Mark

#### Championing green economy issuers



#### **Green Economy Classification & Mark**

- Available to equity issuers with meaningful exposure to the Green Economy
- 50%+ revenues generated from business activities within LSEG Green Revenue Classification System
- LSEG ESG coverage or self-identified
- No additional cost to issuers
- Raises visibility to investors
- Peer group events & services
- Provides insight into the market dynamics of the lowcarbon transition



Access to capital | Profile & Visibility | Issuer Tools & Insights | World Class Peer Group

# **Green Revenue Classification System**

**SECTORS** 

**SUBSECTORS** 



energy generation [eg] 19	ENERGY MANAGEMENT AND EFFICIENCY [EM] 13	ENERGY EQUIPMENT [EQ] 22	ENVIRONMENTAL RESOURCES [ER] 11	ENVIRONMENTAL SUPPORT SERVICES [ES] 5
Bio Fuels	Buildings & Property (Integrated)	Bio Fuels	Advanced & Light Materials	Environmental Consultancies
Cogeneration	Controls	Cogeneration Equipment	Key Raw Minerals & Metals	Finance & Investment
Clean Fossil Fuels	Energy Management Logistics & Support	Clean Fossil Fuels	Recyclable Products & Materials	Smart City Design & Engineering
Geothermal	Industrial Processes	Fuel Cells		
Hydro	IT Processes	Geothermal		
Nuclear	Lighting	Hydro		
Ocean & Tidal	Power Storage	Nuclear		
Solar	Smart & Efficient Grids	Ocean & Tidal		
Waste to Energy	Sustainable Property Operator	Solar		
Wind		Waste to Energy		
		Wind		
FOOD & AGRICULTURE [FA]	TRANSPORT EQUIPMENT [TE]	TRANSPORT SOLUTIONS [TS]	WATER INFRASTRUCTURE & TECHNOLOGY [WI]	WASTE & POLLUTION CONTROL [WP]
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Agriculture Aquaculture Land Erosion	Aviation Railways	Railways Operator Road Vehicles	Advanced Irrigation Systems & Devices Desalination	Cleaner Power Decontamination Services & Devices Environmental Testing & Gas Sensing
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**MICRO SECTORS** 

# **Green Economy Mark Companies**

London leads on supporting Green issuers



95
Equity issuers
now have
the Mark

£134bn Combined market cap Collectively, issuers with the Green Economy Mark outperformed the FTSE All Share by

42%

in 2020\*

66 Corporates

> 29 Funds

**54** Main Market

41 AIM



## **International and Diverse GEM Investors**



## \$72bn institutional investment in GEM companies on LSE

#### **Top 15 Institutional Investor Holdings in GEM Companies on AIM vs Main Market**

	AIM				
Rank	Institutional investor (parent level)	Market cap held (\$bn)			
1	Hargreaves Lansdown Plc	0.80			
2	Canaccord Genuity Group, Inc.	0.43			
3	Liontrust Asset Management Plc	0.41			
4	BNP Paribas SA	0.32			
5	Janus Henderson Group Plc	0.29			
6	Allianz SE	0.28			
7	Schroders Plc	0.26			
8	HSBC Holdings Plc	0.25			
9	FIL Ltd.	0.20			
10	BlackRock, Inc.	0.18			
11	Standard Life Aberdeen Plc	0.18			
12	Investec Plc	0.17			
13	UBS Group AG	0.17			
14	Baillie Gifford & Co.	0.17			
15	Commerzbank AG	0.17			

Main Market		
Rank	Institutional investor (parent level)	Market cap held (\$bn)
1	BlackRock, Inc.	4.87
2	The Vanguard Group, Inc.	2.72
3	Government of Norway	2.49
4	Standard Life Aberdeen Plc	2.36
5	Ameriprise Financial, Inc.	2.07
6	Lazard Ltd.	1.92
7	Baillie Gifford & Co.	1.85
8	The Bank of New York Mellon Corp.	1.33
9	Banque Pictet & Cie SA	1.27
10	M&G Plc	1.25
11	State Street Corp.	1.22
12	Legal & General Group Plc	1.18
13	Aviva Plc	1.12
14	Royal London Group	0.98
15	Rathbone Brothers Plc	0.96

# **Capital Raising By Green Issuers**

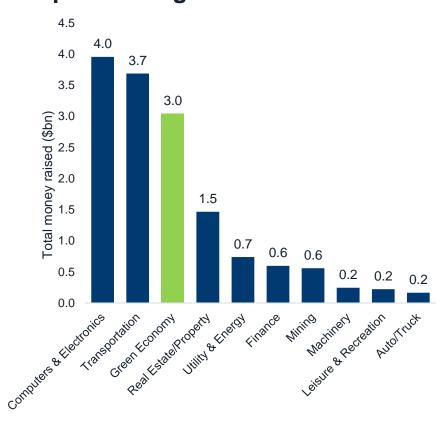


GEM issuers are the 3<sup>rd</sup> largest group for capital raisings

#### Capital raising over the last 12 months

#### 14.0 11.6 12.0 Total money raised (\$bn) constant of the const 5.7 5.2 4.6 3.2 3.1 2.5 2.0 0.0 Professional Services Diring & Lodging Transportation Finance Insurance Mining

#### Capital raising over the last 3 months



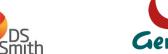
# **Growing Green economy Issuer Base**

#### Selected examples





Benchmark Holdings plc U CYPC





**ICB Sector** 

Chemicals

Pharmaceuticals, Biotechnology and Marijuana Producers

Electricity

General Industrials

Pharmaceuticals, Biotechnology and Marijuana Producers

Market Cap (£m)

22.9

374.6

49.920.1

5,019.8

3.485.8

NANOCO GROUP PLC OXFORD

**Polypipe** 

SDIC //// 国家开发投资公司 SIMEC ATLANTIS

**ICB Sector** 

**ICB Sector** 

Market Cap (£m)

Market Cap (£m)

Technology Hardware and Equipment

51.3

Electronic and Electrical Equipment

1,130.4

Construction and Materials

1,201.3

FLOPMENT & INVESTMENT CORP.

Electricity

6,508.3

Alternative Energy

95.6



Industrial Support Services

790.3



Automobiles and Parts

1,394.3



Industrial Metals and Mining

57.6



Alternative Energy

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Industrial Engineering

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# **PrimaryBid**



# **PrimaryBid digital IPO solution**

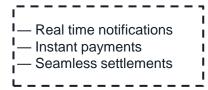
## Retail investor participation in IPOs and beyond





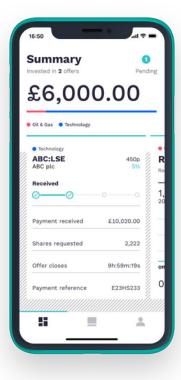
















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