What were the top 10 sectors for GRI Standards reports?

Reports from the sector, as a % of all GRI Standards reports submitted to the Sustainability Disclosure Database (SDD).

- Financial Services: 14.93%
- Energy: 7.88%
- Food and Beverage Products: 6.08%
- Real Estate: 4.58%
- Technology Hardware: 4.43%
- Chemicals: 4.35%
- Energy Utilities: 4.02%
- Mining: 3.40%
- Automotive: 2.99%
- Telecommunications: 2.99%

Discretion

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Source of data: Sustainability Disclosure Database, retrieved on 29 June 2020. Information covers GRI Standards reports with publication year 2018. GRI tracks reports by publication year. Report registration is an ongoing process. GRI still collects reports published in 2018 and 2019. The numbers published here are not final or exhaustive and only represent what GRI is currently aware of. The list of sectors does not include organizations that have chosen ‘Other’ as their sector.

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How large were the organizations that issued GRI Standards reports?

Breakdown of organization size as a % of all GRI Standards reports in the SDD.

- SME: 12%
- MNE: 32%
- Large: 56%

64% of all companies that issued a GRI Standards report were listed entities.

From all reports registered in the SDD, 17.3% had undergone external assurance. Among GRI Standards reports, 42% had undergone external assurance.

Which organization types issued the most GRI Standards reports?

- Private company: 80.69%
- State-owned company: 6.68%
- Subsidiary: 5.63%
- Public Institution: 3.15%
- Non-profit organization: 1.96%
- Cooperative: 1.43%
- Partnership: 0.43%
- Government: 0.05%

Breakdown of organization type as a % of all sustainability reports in the SDD.