# News Release

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# MS&AD joins Taskforce on Nature-related Financial Disclosures (TNFD) through Taskforce Members and TNFD Forum

MS&AD Insurance Group Holdings, Inc. (MS&AD) has joined the Taskforce on Nature-related Financial Disclosures (TNFD\* <sup>1</sup>) through Taskforce Members\* <sup>2</sup> and TNFD Forum\* <sup>3</sup>. Mr. Makoto Haraguchi, SVP of MS&AD's Sustainability Section, has been appointed as a Taskforce Member.

The TNFD aims to support a shift in global financial flows away from nature-negative outcomes and toward nature-positive outcomes.

One of MS&AD's priorities in sustainability is to strive to improve the sustainability of natural capital. We will work to accomplish that through active participation in the Taskforce and contribute to the realization of a resilient and sustainable society.

\*1 The TNFD aims to develop and deliver a framework for the disclosure of information on nature related risks so that organisations can shift the financial flows that have a negative effect on nature and bring about a positive effect on nature by disclosing information and visualizing the impact on business. This initiative was proposed at the World Economic Forum Annual Meeting (Davos Conference) in January 2019 and formally launched in June 2021.

#### < Overview >

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Name	Taskforce on Nature-related Financial Disclosures (TNFD)
Founding partners	United Nations Environment Programme Finance Initiative (UNEP FI), United Nations Development Programme (UNDP), Global Canopy, World Wide Fund for Nature (WWF)
Website	https://tnfd.global/

#### < Future schedule >

October 2021	Initiation of the Working Groups on the development of the TNFD framework
Late 2023	Release of the finalized framework

- \*2 Taskforce Members have been appointed to drive work on the TNFD framework, up to 35 Taskforce Members work in individual capacity and represent financial institutions, corporates and market service providers across 16 countries. (As of October 13)
- \*3 The TNFD Forum consists of companies and organizations that have made themselves available and expressed willingness to support the work of the Taskforce with their nature and finance expertise.

[Reference: MS&AD's efforts to improve sustainability of natural capital] https://www.ms-ad-hd.com/en/csr/community/creature.html

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