

PRESS RELEASE

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ASPI EUROZONE[®] COMPONENTS

ONGOING REVIEW

The ASPI Eurozone[®] index selects the 120 best rated companies in the Eurozone on the basis of VIGEO GROUP's CSR ratings and in accordance with the ASPI Eurozone[®] Guidelines.

OBJECT: ALLIANZ takes over RAS

Following the takeover of RAS - a component of ASPI Eurozone[®] - by ALLIANZ - a component of ASPI Eurozone[®] index - and in compliance with *The ASPI Eurozone[®] Guidelines*, RAS (IT0000062825) will be deleted from the ASPI Eurozone[®] index on **October 16, 2006** as in the benchmark index Dow Jones Euro STOXXSM.

The ASPI index composition

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Learn more about the ASPI Eurozone[®] Guidelines at
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About Vigeo

Vigeo is the Leading European Corporate Social Responsibility Ratings Agency. Vigeo measures the companies' CSR performance on environmental, social and governance (ESG) criteria and identifies ESG risk factors.

Vigeo provides two services:

- SRI Analysis, Ratings and Benchmarks for investors and asset managers
- CSR Audits for companies and local governments

Vigeo teams :

- 62 employees with multidisciplinary expertise
- 13 nationalities
- 3 locations: Paris, Brussels, Casablanca

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