

US corporate human rights index: Tracking changes in company commitments to human rights

ExxonMobil

Indicator	Finding - July 2025	Source	Source Link	Yes/no change	Change
Policies and commitments					
General					
Human rights policy - UNGPs	"The Company strives to have a positive influence on our workforce and in the communities where it operates. ExxonMobil condemns human rights violations in any form and actively expresses these views in its engagements with governments and others. ExxonMobil's commitment to respecting human rights is integrated into its policies, practices, and expectations and is guided by the goals of universally recognized principles, including those of the: -United Nations Universal Declaration of Human Rights -2011 U.N. Guiding Principles on Business and Human Rights (UNGPs) -International Labour Organization 1998 Declaration on Fundamental Principles and Rights at Work -Voluntary Principles on Security and Human Rights -U.N. Declaration on the Rights of Indigenous Peoples -ILO Convention 169 Concerning Indigenous and Tribal Peoples in Independent States See above	Statement on Human Rights. P. 1	https://corporate.exxonmobil.com/-/media/global/files/sustainability-report/2024/statement-on-human-rights.pdf	No change	
Human rights policy - ILO Core Labor Standards				No change	
Forced labor & prison labor	"ExxonMobil does not use forced or compulsory labor including prison labor."	Statement on human rights	https://corporate.exxonmobil.com/-/media/global/files/sustainability-report/2024/statement-on-human-rights.pdf	BHRC previously had incorrect link; now updated. Otherwise, no change.	
Human rights defenders & civic space	"We provide access to remedy through transparent, accessible, and culturally appropriate channels for individuals or communities to raise concerns, consistent with international standards. We make these available through our community and operations-level grievance-management processes, as well as our complaint procedures and open-door communication for employees. As part of these processes, we seek to support confidentiality and non-retaliation."	Respecting Human Rights	https://corporate.exxonmobil.com/sustainability-and-reports/Sustainability/safeguarding-people/respecting-human-rights#Integratinghumanrightsinourpractices	No change	
Gender equality and women's empowerment	Our worker housing and accommodations include: . . . Safe and comfortable living spaces without discrimination based on gender, race, origin, or other protected statuses"	Respecting Human Rights	https://corporate.exxonmobil.com/sustainability-and-reports/Sustainability/safeguarding-people/respecting-human-rights#Embeddinghumanrightsinourpolicies	No change	
Indigenous Peoples	"Indigenous peoples In locations inhabited or historically used by Indigenous peoples, we work closely with these communities to respect their cultures and customs. We support employment initiatives and cultural heritage programs through local content development and strategic community investments.(...) We are committed to meaningful engagement and open consultation with Indigenous peoples. We incorporate traditional knowledge and land use practices into our plans and promote community programs that respect traditions and cultures. Meaningful engagement is a key aspect of Free, Prior, and Informed Consent, as recognized in the United Nations Declaration on the Rights of Indigenous Peoples."	Managing socioeconomic impacts	https://corporate.exxonmobil.com/sustainability-and-reports/sustainability/contributing-to-communities/managing-socioeconomic-impacts#Communityengagementandgrievancemanagement	No change	
Natural resources					
Conflict minerals	"No conflict mineral is intentionally added to, or serves as a functional component of, products sold by Exxon Mobil Corporation ("ExxonMobil"). However, the manufacturing process for certain of ExxonMobil's refined petroleum and petrochemical products utilizes catalysts which include tin, tungsten, or gold compounds as active ingredients. Depending on the type of catalysis process used, trace amounts of such minerals may exist in some of our finished products." No evidence	Conflict Minerals Disclosure	https://corporate.exxonmobil.com/who-we-are/policy/conflict-minerals	No change	
Land rights				No change	
Free, Prior, and Informed Consent (FPIC)	See Indigenous Peoples indicator			No change	
Living wage					
Living wage, own operations	No evidence			No change	
Living wage in supply chain	No evidence			No change	

Human rights due diligence and supply chain				
Process for assessing human rights risks and impacts	"Integrating human rights into our practices Our due diligence practices help identify and assess potential human rights impacts, and other socioeconomic risks and opportunities, early on in our activities. We aim to avoid or reduce risks with thorough planning, effective mitigation, monitoring, and other measures. For example, as part of our Environmental, Socioeconomic, and Health Impact Assessment and Management process, we conduct initial country assessments that identify qualitative human rights risks. We also use a human rights risk screening tool to analyze risks at country, project, and operations levels incorporating elements of global human rights principles." No evidence	Respecting human rights	https://corporate.exxonmobil.com/sustainability-and-reports/Sustainability/safeguarding-people/respecting-human-rights#Embeddinghumanrightsintoourpolicies	No change
Heightened human rights due diligence in Conflict Affected and High Risk Areas (CAHRAs)	No evidence			No change
Affected stakeholder engagement	"Wherever it operates, certain principles and expectations apply to the Company's relationships with communities, its employees, contractors, and others working on its behalf. In light of applicable laws and specific circumstances, ExxonMobil...Engages with local groups and individuals regularly and provides appropriate channels for individuals or communities to raise concerns in a way that seeks to support confidentiality and non-retaliation." [Statement on Human Rights] "We believe in meaningful engagement with communities to build positive, long-term relationships. We regularly consult with local groups and individuals to ensure their voices are heard and their concerns are addressed. Our engagement process is designed to be locally and culturally appropriate. We provide accessible and inclusive channels for exchanging information. This includes activities like open "ExxonMobil holds its suppliers, vendors and contractors to stringent compliance, anti-corruption, nonconflict, safety and other guidelines in order to stay in good standing.(...) manage activities in a manner that respects human rights and is consistent with the United Nations Guiding Principles on Business and Human Rights in effect as of 2011."	Statement on Human Rights Managing socioeconomic impacts	https://corporate.exxonmobil.com/-/media/global/files/sustainability-report/2024/statement-on-human-rights.pdf https://corporate.exxonmobil.com/sustainability-and-reports/Sustainability/contributing-to-communities/managing-socioeconomic-impacts#Impactidentificationandassessment	No change
Human rights requirements in supplier code/requirements		ExxonMobil supplier, vendor and contractor expectations	https://corporate.exxonmobil.com/sustainability-and-reports/sustainability/contributing-to-communities/supplier-vendor-and-contractor-expectations	No change
Access to remedy				
Grievance mechanism for own employees	The Corporation provides several confidential mechanisms for reporting, including a 24-hour phone number and a mailing address. A Hotline Steering Committee comprising Security, Audit, Law and Human Resources personnel reviews reports of suspected violations. The Hotline Steering Committee provides a quarterly report to the Audit Committee, including any violations or major issues. Employees can also report violations to their supervisor or through alternative channels such as Controllers, Audit, HR, Law, Global Operations & Sustainability, and Treasurer's Department. Confidentiality is respected throughout the investigation process subject to legal requirements; penalizing or threatening an employee for filing a	Code of ethics	https://corporate.exxonmobil.com/corporate-governance/code-of-ethics#Overview	No change
Grievance mechanism for workers - supply chain	Our grievance-management process offers platforms for individuals and communities to raise concerns. Depending on the location and nature of our activities, the process may include direct, in-person, and electronic engagement and the use of third-party proxies such as civil society organizations and nongovernmental associations. We have dedicated personnel to map, track, analyze, respond to, and resolve community grievances promptly and in a way that supports confidentiality and non-retaliation. Our grievance-management approach involves five core steps: 1. Publicize the process and support accessibility for stakeholders. 2. Receive, register, and acknowledge grievances, respecting confidentiality. 3. Review and investigate with the help of external input and qualified personnel. 4. Develop resolution options and respond to or close out grievances. 5. Monitor and evaluate outcomes.	Managing socioeconomic impacts	https://corporate.exxonmobil.com/sustainability-and-reports/Sustainability/contributing-to-communities/managing-socioeconomic-impacts#Communityengagementandgrievancemanagement	No change
Grievance mechanism for external individuals & communities	Our practices are informed by the guidance of International Finance Corporation and Ipieca. Individual processes may be complex or simple, driven by the See above			No change
Governance and staffing				
Board and/or C-Suite-level oversight	Our Standards of Business Conduct include our "foundation policies." These define the ethical behavior we expect from our directors, officers, and employees. Our Board of Directors adopts and oversees the administration of these policies, which aim to uphold the values of human rights, labor, the environment, and anti-corruption. Our wholly or majority-owned subsidiaries generally adopt policies similar to our foundation policies.	Respecting human rights	https://corporate.exxonmobil.com/sustainability-and-reports/sustainability/safeguarding-people/respecting-human-rights#Ourapproach	No change

Senior level responsibility for human rights	"Our GO&S Vice President reports directly to a member of our management committee. This role is responsible for driving our Protect Tomorrow. Today. guiding principle... ...Within GO&S, the Sustainability Director manages our sustainability focus areas. This includes our environmental management system and other key processes."	2025 Sustainability Report	https://corporate.exxonmobil.com/-/media/global/files/sustainability-report/2024/sustainability-report.pdf	No change	
Reporting and transparency					
Human rights reporting (integrated or stand-alone)	Integrated into the sustainability report	2025 Sustainability Report	https://corporate.exxonmobil.com/-/media/global/files/sustainability-report/2024/sustainability-report.pdf	Updated	2026 Sustainability Report. https://corporate.exxonmobil.com/-
Memberships					
RBA	No		https://www.responsiblebusiness.org/about/members/	No change	
EITI	Yes		https://eiti.org/companies	No change	
VPI	Yes		https://www.voluntaryprinciples.org/the-initiative/	No change	
WEPs (signatory)	No		https://www.weps.org/companies	No change	
Lobbying and ethics					
Public statement or endorsement in support of mandatory human rights and environmental due diligence	No evidence			No change	
Anti-bribery and anti-corruption policy	"It is the policy of Exxon Mobil Corporation that directors, officers, employees, and third parties acting on its behalf are prohibited from offering or paying, directly or indirectly, any bribe to any employee, official, or agent of any government, commercial entity, or individual in connection with the business or activities of the Corporation. A bribe for purposes of this policy is any money, goods, services, or other thing of value offered or given with the intent to gain any improper advantage for the Corporation."	Anti corruption: Legal compliance guide	https://corporate.exxonmobil.com/-/media/global/files/policy/anti-corruption-legal-compliance-guide.pdf	No change	

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