



# Corporate Governance & Ownership Database

9 YEARS TRACK RECORD

46 COUNTRIES

41.000 FIRM-YEAR OBSERVATIONS

75 STOCK INDEXES

220 VARIABLES

5.600 COMPANIES

120.000 DIRECTORS AND OFFICERS



NRG Metrics is created from a team of market professionals and academic researchers on the field of corporate governance.

By concentrating the experience and the knowledge from various types of academic backgrounds such as corporate finance, accounting, and management and of course corporate governance, we decided to create an independent corporate governance research firm.

Our goal is to provide accurate data about corporate governance. We strongly believe that the lack of information on corporate governance matters and especially on the field of ownership structure is an important disadvantage. Our goal is to fill this gap.

Our mission is to provide an independent and the same time an accurate data of corporate governance of listed firms in different places of the world.

In order to build our database we have created an analysis team that collects data from annual reports, sec filings, corporate governance reports etc.

## NRG Metrics Data Collection Procedure

NRG Metrics maintains only the highest degree of data quality. We implement a combination of quality control measures.

NRG Metrics employ expert analysts to manually enter, review, and cross check data with senior analysts, who often perform random audits. Customized software programs control all levels of data entry procedure for inconsistencies and errors.



## Countries and companies of our sample

We use multiple criteria in order to select the countries and the companies for our sample.

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First, we use the FTSE Country Classification (Developed, Advanced Emerging, Secondary Emerging, and Frontier).

We cover all the large cap indexes from the Developed and Advanced Emerging countries.

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Second, we cover 75 stock indexes from 46 countries.

Every year we add the companies that insert in the stock indexes and the same time we still collect the variables for the companies that are not constitutes of the indexes anymore.

3

Third, we pay special attention to European countries. Therefore in many countries, besides the Large cap indexes we cover also the middle cap and small cap indexes. Fourth, the availability of Annual Reports.

For example, regarding the Secondary Emerging countries, we select 4 countries (India, Indonesia, Philippines and Russia) because the companies from these countries publish the Annual Reports in English.







## Ownership Structure

The most comprehensive Database for ownership structure

**45** Variables

**7** categories for the Large Shareholders

External Blockholders

Nominees

Institutional Investors

Owned

State

Widely Held

Miscellaneous



Pyramidal Ownership

Cross Ownership

Control Enhancing Mechanisms



## Directors and Officers

**120.000**  
Directors and Officers

**50**  
Variables

Education

Boards

Financial Expertise

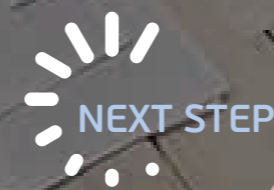
Committee Membership

Political Connections

Ownership

Biographical

Other Public Boards



Directors Network

Employment History



## Corporate Governance Variables

**3** sub-categories

**Board of Directors**  
(27 variables)

**Committees**  
(29 variables)

**Audit**  
(15 variables)

Board Structure

CEO Characteristics

Diversity

Audit Firms

Audit Committees

Remuneration Committee

Nomination Committee

Audit Fees



## Family Firms

The only Database that provides data for family Firms

20 Different definitions

40 additional variables



► Full Coverage for 16 European countries

► Russel 3.000 (USA)

► Compensation

► C.S.R

# 1

## Dynamic Database

Every year we enrich our Database. We extend our dataset by adding new companies and the same time we add also new variables and new categories, according to the needs of our clients.

# 2

## Easy to use

The user is able to download the dataset only with 4 clicks.

# 3

## Next to our customers

We provide a unique customer service to our clients. We answer to their questions immediately and we provide guidelines how to use the database.

# 4

## Prices for Academic Researchers

We know that the universities and the researchers are not able to pay as the private sector and that is why we provide better pricelist for them.

# 5

## 4 small Databases in 1

Our clients are able to select the database or the dataset that they need for their research. We provide 4 different datasets:

- a. Corporate Governance
- b. Ownership Structure
- c. Directors and Officers
- d. Family Firms

## What is NRG Metrics?

NRG Metrics is an independent research firm focusing on corporate governance. We are the leading source for European corporate governance information and analysis.

## Where do you get your data?

All of the raw data in NRG Metrics' database is derived from publicly-available documents such as annual reports, companies' presentations, SEC filings, and press releases.

## How often do you update your data?

The majority of data, being derived from annual reports and SEC filings, is updated annually.

## What is the market coverage for NRG Metrics?

NRG Metrics provide evaluation reports for more than 5.500 companies all over the world (Europe, North America and Asia- Pacific). We cover more than 46 countries.

## Do you offer free trials?

Yes. We provide a demo version to our clients in order to see how our database works and we are willing to spend as much time as they need to asses our data.

## Our Clients Include







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