



# Credit Agricole

Locations: France (HQ)

Industries: Banks, Diversified Financials

RISK LEVEL:



Medium Risk

## DESCRIPTION:

Credit Agricole, an international cooperative banking institution, protects its employees against viewpoint discrimination. However, the company has not publicly terminated business relationships based on views or beliefs. However, the bank must operate within the environmental limits mandated by the French government, and it has stopped funding certain energy projects in line with its goal of net zero emissions by 2050. Credit Agricole has not used corporate funds to advance ideological purposes. However, the company does not discriminate against charitable organizations based on views or beliefs. For these reasons, Credit Agricole receives a Medium Risk rating.

## Corporate Weaponization

**Has denied service to customers, suppliers, or vendors due to their political views or religious beliefs OR corporately boycotts, divests, or sanctions regions, people groups, or industries.** **Medium Risk**

*Credit Agricole has a "selective oil and gas" funding policy aligned with its net zero by 2050 goals (1). The company has stopped funding some oil and gas projects, however, it does not prohibit all investing in this industry nor has it terminated business relationships based on views or beliefs.*

**Charitable giving (including employee matching programs) policies or practices discriminate against charitable organizations based on views or religious beliefs.** **Lower Risk**

*Credit Agricole does not discriminate against charitable organizations based on views or beliefs (1).*

**Employment policies fail to protect against discrimination based on political affiliation/views and/or religion.** **Lower Risk**

*Credit Agricole protects its employees against viewpoint discrimination (1).*

## Corporate Governance and Public Policy

**Uses corporate reputation to support ideological causes and/or organizations hostile to freedom of expression.** **Medium Risk**

*Credit Agricole embraces ESG within its business operations, although these practices are in line with the French government's*

requirements ([1](#))

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**Uses corporate funds to advance ideological causes, organizations, or policies hostile to freedom of expression. Lower Risk**

[1](#)).

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