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Implications for Rio+20

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Reflections for Rio+20: Business and Green Growth

- **Rio+20 Value Added?**
- **Integration and involvement of the Economic Dimension?**
- **Green Economy Challenges Are Real**
 - Skepticism of “Growth” being “green”
 - How to address Equity?
 - Relation to development needs
 - What about trade and competitiveness tensions?
- **MDGs, SDGs and the Compendium of Commitments – Relevance to Greener Economics**
- **Metrics and Reporting**
 - Methodologies?
 - Should not impose mandatory reporting framework
 - A "right" to information, unclear what kinds of information, held by which entities, and without references to protections, safeguards and information stewardship principles.
- **Engaging and Enabling Business – Innovation and Practice**
 - IPR and CBI protection connected to technology cooperation, access to information
- **Shape of the outcome still far from clear and...**
- **Time is ticking**

