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Axis Bank Sustainability Report FY 2018-19

Report Theme-Banking on a Sustainable Growth

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	102-49 Changes in reporting	No significant changes in reporting			

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Material Topics

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	201-3 Defined benefit plan obligations and other retirement plans	52, 56-57; AR 18-19: 182			
	201-4 Financial assistance received from government	No such financial assistance received			
	Indirect Economic Impacts				
	103-1 Explanation of the material topic and its boundary	29-30			
GRI 103: Management	103-2 The management approach and its components	13-16, 21, 29-30			
Approach 2016	103-3 Evaluation of the management approach	29-30; AR 18-19: 97, 217- 218			
GRI 203: Indirect Economic Impacts 2016	203-1 Infrastructure investments and services supported	40-48, 63-72, 73-74; Green Bond Impact Report: (i)-(ii) Green Bond Impact Report 2018-19 is available on Axis Bank Website at https://www.axisbank.com/c sr/csr-reports-disclosures			
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GRI 103:	103-1 Explanation of the material topic and its boundary	73,75,77				
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2010	103-3 Evaluation of the management approach	4, 73, 75-77				
	305-1 Direct (Scope 1) GHG emissions	75				
	305-2 Energy indirect (Scope 2) GHG emissions	75				
	305-3 Other indirect (Scope 3) GHG emission	75				
GRI 305: Emissions	305-4 GHG emissions intensity	75				
2016	305-5 Reduction of GHG emissions	75-77				
	305-6 Emissions of ozone-depleting substances (ODS)	Not Reported	As a service organisation, such emissions are relatively not materia significant			
	305-7 Nitrogen oxides (NOX), sulfur oxides (SOX), and other significant air emissions	Not Reported	As a service organisation, such emissions are relatively not material significant			
400 series (So	cial topics)					
	Employment					
GRI 103:	103-1 Explanation of the material topic and its boundary	49; AR 18-19: 71				
Management Approach 2016	103-2 The management approach and its components	7-8, 49, 52, 54-56,58-59; AR 18-19: 71				
	103-3 Evaluation of the management approach	4,49, 50-60; AR 18-19: 71				
GRI 401:	401-1 New employee hires and employee turnover	52-54				
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GRI 404: Training and Education	404-2 Programmes for upgrading employee skills and transition assistance programmes	54-56			
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GRI 103:	103-1 Explanation of the material topic and its boundary	61			
Management Approach 2016	103-2 The management approach and its components	7-8, 13-14, 61			
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CDI 412.	413-1 Operations with local community engagement, impact assessments, and development programmes	40-43, 43-48, 61-72			
GRI 413: Local Communities 2016	413-2 Operations with significant actual and potential negative impacts on local communities	Given our nature of business, such actual or potential impact is relatively not materially significant.			
	Marketing and Labelling				<u> </u>
GRI 103: Management	103-1 Explanation of the material topic and its boundary	18, 26			
Approach 2016	103-2 The management approach and its components	23-25, 26;AR 18-19:24-25			
	103-3 Evaluation of the management approach	26-28; AR 18-19: 24-35			
	417-1 Requirements for product and service information and labeling	18; AR 18-19: 2-5, 12-16			
GRI 417: Marketing and Labeling 2016	417-2 Incidents of non-compliance concerning product and service information and labeling	The Bank operates in a sector with high regulatory guidelines for this topic. No such incident was identified.			
	417-3 Incidents of non-compliance concerning marketing communications	The Bank operates in a sector with high regulatory guidelines for this topic. No such incident was identified.			
	Customer Privacy				
GRI 103:	103-1 Explanation of the material topic and its boundary	18,23			
Management Approach	103-2 The management approach and its components	23-25; AR 18-19: 87-88			
2016	103-3 Evaluation of the management approach	28; AR 18-19: 87-88			
GRI 418: Customer Privacy 2016	418-1 Substantiated complaints concerning breaches of customer privacy and losses of customer data	No such complaints were identified. Complaints, if any, are duly reported to the Banking Regulator periodically.			