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KLD Reports August 2008 Index Returns

BOSTON, MA USA – September 8, 2008 - KLD Indexes reported its index returns for August 2008. KLD Indexes is a division of KLD Research & Analytics, Inc., an independent investment research firm providing investment management tools since 1988 to professionals who integrate environmental, social and governance (ESG) factors into their investment decisions.

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Domestic Indexes

As of August 30, 2008

- [Domini 400 SocialSM Index](#) (DS400) increased 2.98% while the S&P 500[®] increased 1.45%.
- [KLD Catholic Values 400SM Index](#) (CV400) increased 2.94% while the S&P 500[®] increased 1.45%.
- [KLD Broad Market SocialSM Index](#) (BMSI) increased 2.10% while the S&P 1500[®] increased 1.57%.
- [KLD Large Cap SocialSM Index](#) (LCSI) increased 1.75% while the S&P 500[®] increased 1.45%.
- [KLD Mid Cap SocialSM Index](#) (MCSI) increased 2.41% while the S&P 400[®] increased 1.71%.
- [KLD Small Cap SocialSM Index](#) (SCSI) increased 4.15% while the S&P 600[®] increased 4.18%.
- [KLD Large-Mid Cap SocialSM Index](#) (LMSI) increased 1.89% while the S&P 900[®] increased 1.47%.
- [KLD Small-Mid Cap SocialSM Index](#) (SMSI) increased 3.10% while the S&P 1000[®] increased 2.47%.
- [KLD Select SocialSM Index](#) (SSI) increased 1.42% while the S&P 500[®] increased 1.45%.
- [KLD Dividend Achievers Social Index](#) (DASI) increased 5.99% while the Mergent Dividend Achievers[®] increased 1.59%.

KLD Index and Benchmark Performance (%)

	Month	2 nd Quarter	YTD	One Year	Three Year*	Five Year*	Ten Year*	Since Inception*
DS400	2.98	-3.84	-10.07	-10.45	2.76	5.77	4.42	10.52
S&P 500	1.45	-2.73	-11.39	-11.14	3.66	6.92	4.68	9.95
KLD CV400	2.94	-3.92	-10.52	-11.58	2.40	5.59	4.31	2.84
S&P 500	1.45	-2.73	-11.39	-11.14	3.66	6.92	4.68	3.07
KLD BMSI	2.10	-1.91	-9.57	-10.01	3.20	6.74	N/A	1.35
S&P 1500	1.57	-1.97	-10.46	-10.42	3.89	7.39	5.46	2.09
KLD LCSI	1.75	-2.58	-10.79	-10.50	3.11	6.08	N/A	-0.08
S&P 500	1.45	-2.73	-11.39	-11.14	3.66	6.92	4.68	1.40
KLD MCSI	2.41	0.61	-7.13	-9.21	3.54	9.15	N/A	6.83
S&P 400	1.71	5.43	-4.07	-4.22	5.97	10.80	12.55	7.38
KLD SCSI	4.15	-1.73	-4.89	-8.69	2.82	7.74	N/A	5.59
S&P 600	4.18	0.40	-1.21	-6.20	4.72	10.78	11.48	8.66
KLD LMSI	1.89	-1.99	-10.08	-10.17	3.23	6.61	N/A	0.91
S&P 900	1.47	-2.07	-10.80	-10.58	3.86	7.25	N/A	1.87
KLD SMSI	3.10	-0.17	-6.20	-8.94	3.27	8.58	N/A	6.34
S&P 1000	2.47	3.82	-3.22	-4.93	5.53	10.76	12.28	7.75
KLD SSI	1.42	-2.69	-9.00	-10.20	3.61	N/A	N/A	5.00
S&P 500	1.45	-2.73	-11.39	-11.14	3.66	6.92	4.68	5.21
KLD DASI	5.99	-5.85	-4.44	-10.06	N/A	N/A	N/A	-2.42
Mergent DA	1.59	-8.87	-10.42	-13.62	0.49	N/A	N/A	-5.69

Global Indexes

As of August 30, 2008

- [KLD Global Climate 100SM Index](#) (GC100) decreased 0.68% while the S&P/Citigroup BMI World Index decreased 1.56%.
- [KLD Global SustainabilitySM Index](#) (GSI) decreased 1.03% while the S&P/Citigroup PMI World decreased 1.70%.
- [KLD Global SustainabilitySM Index Ex-US](#) (GSIXUS) decreased 3.43% while the S&P/Citigroup PMI World Ex-US decreased 4.33%.
- [KLD Asia Pacific SustainabilitySM Index](#) (APSI) decreased 3.50% while the S&P/Citigroup PMI Asia Pacific decreased 5.33%.
- [KLD Europe SustainabilitySM Index](#) (ESI) decreased 3.87% while the S&P/Citigroup PMI Europe decreased 4.17%.
- [KLD Europe Asia Pacific SustainabilitySM Index](#) (EAPSI) decreased 3.76% while the S&P/Citigroup PMI EPAC decreased 4.57%.
- [KLD North America SustainabilitySM Index](#) (NASI) increased 1.71% while the S&P/Citigroup PMI North America increased 1.12%.

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KLD GC100	-0.68	4.80	-10.27	-2.98	10.52	N/A	N/A	12.62
S&P/Citi BMI World	-1.56	-1.49	-13.75	-12.09	6.57	11.37	7.03	7.77
KLD GSI	-1.03	-2.20	-13.64	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	-15.72
S&P/Citi PMI World	-1.70	-1.70	-14.05	-11.61	6.57	10.80	6.06	-15.77
KLD GSIXUS	-3.43	-1.83	-16.41	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	-18.32
S&P/Citi PMI World Ex-US	-4.33	-0.94	-16.55	-12.74	9.17	14.88	7.46	-17.60
KLD APSI	-3.50	2.26	-15.60	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	-18.83
S&P/Citi PMI Asia Pacific	-5.33	1.37	-16.40	-15.00	6.37	11.58	8.26	-19.80
KLD ESI	-3.87	-5.35	-18.43	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	-19.82
S&P/Citi PMI Europe	-4.17	-3.73	-18.14	-13.68	9.73	15.65	6.69	-18.08
KLD EAPSI	-3.76	-3.15	-17.59	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	-19.50
S&P/Citi PMI EPAC	-4.57	-2.01	-17.55	-14.13	8.51	14.22	6.91	-18.67
KLD NASI	1.71	-1.19	-9.51	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	-11.79
S&P/Citi PMI North America	1.12	-1.39	-10.54	-9.15	4.99	8.25	5.34	-12.92

*Annualized Returns.

Inception dates: Domini 400 Social Index – 5/1/1990; KLD Catholic Values 400 Index – 5/1/1998; KLD Broad Market Social Index, KLD Large Cap Social Index, KLD Mid Cap Social Index, KLD Small Cap Social Index, KLD Large-Mid Cap Social Index, KLD Small-Mid Cap Social Index – 1/1/2001; KLD Select Social Index – 6/1/2004; KLD Dividend Achievers Social Index – 11/1/2006; KLD Global Climate 100 Index – 7/1/2005; KLD Global Sustainability Index – 10/1/2007; KLD Global Sustainability Index Ex-US – 10/1/2007; KLD Asia Pacific Sustainability Index – 10/1/2007; KLD Europe Sustainability Index – 10/1/2007; KLD Europe Asia Pacific Sustainability Index; KLD North America Sustainability Index – 10/1/2007.

Sources: Standard & Poor's, Dow Jones & Co., FactSet Research Systems Inc., Mergent, Inc.

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