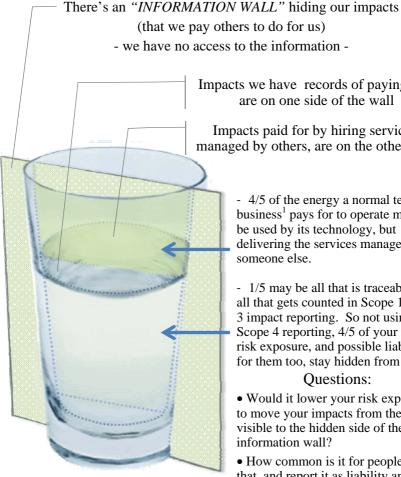
How full is a "Glass Half Hidden"?

(risk exposure is what you pay for, not what you have records of)



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Impacts we have records of paying for, are on one side of the wall

Impacts paid for by hiring services managed by others, are on the other side

- 4/5 of the energy a normal tech. business¹ pays for to operate may not be used by its technology, but for delivering the services managed by someone else.
- 1/5 may be all that is traceable, so all that gets counted in Scope 1, 2, or 3 impact reporting. So not using Scope 4 reporting, 4/5 of your impact risk exposure, and possible liabilities for them too, stay hidden from view.

Questions:

- Would it lower your risk exposure to move your impacts from the visible to the hidden side of the information wall?
- How common is it for people to do that, and report it as liability and risk reductions?
- How expensive would it be to collect reports on all the energy costs of what you purchase as services?

1) For a Typical Wind Farm, studied for the peer reviewed research paper "Systems Energy Assessment", JL Henshaw et all 2011 http://synapse9.com/SEA