### Fonds de Compensation de la Sécurité Sociale, SICAV-FIS (the "Fund")

Pre-contractual disclosure for the financial products referred to in Article 9, paragraphs 1 to 4a, of Regulation (EU) 2019/2088 and Article 5, first paragraph, of Regulation (EU) 2020/852

**Product name:** FDC SICAV Global Equities Sustainable Impact – Active 1 (the "Sub-Fund")

**LEI:** 5493004TM0317R6JDQ88

Fund manager (by sub-delegation): Impax Asset Management Limited (the "Fund Manager")

### Sustainable investment objective

Does this financial product have a sustainable investment objective?		
	• • X Yes	• No
	in economic activities that qualify as environmentally sustainable under the EU Taxonomy  in economic activities that qualify as environmentally sustainable under the EU Taxonomy  Taxonomy  in economic activities that do not qualify as environmentally sustainable under the EU Taxonomy	It promotes Environmental/Social (E/S) characteristics and while it does not have as its objective a sustainable investment, it will have a minimum proportion of% of sustainable investments  with an environmental objective in economic activities that qualify as environmentally sustainable under the EU Taxonomy  with an environmental objective in economic activities that do not qualify as environmentally sustainable under the EU Taxonomy  with a social objective
	It will make a minimum of sustainable investments with a social objective:%	It promotes E/S characteristics, but will not make any sustainable investments



Sustainable

investment means

an investment in an economic activity

that contributes to an environmental or

social objective, provided that the investment does not

significantly harm any environmental or social objective and that the investee companies follow good governance practices.

The **EU Taxonomy** is a classification system laid down in Regulation (EU) 2020/852,

establishing a list of environmentally sustainable

economic activities.
That Regulation
does not include a
list of socially
sustainable

economic activities.

investments with an environmental objective might be

Sustainable

#### What is the sustainable investment objective of this financial product?

The sustainable investment objective of the Sub-Fund is to invest in environmental solutions and companies that are well-positioned in the transition to a more sustainable global economy. The Sub-Fund invests globally in companies active in the growing resource efficiency and environmental markets. These markets address a number of long term macro-economic themes: growing populations, rising living standards, increasing urbanisation, rising consumption, and depletion of limited natural resources.

The Sub-Fund's investment universe is built through the Fund Manager's classification system, supported by a revenue threshold aligned to that classification system.

The Sub-Fund seeks to address the above themes by making investments in companies which have more than 20% of their underlying revenue generated by sales of environmental products or services in the energy efficiency, renewable energy, water, waste and sustainable food and agriculture markets.

It should be noted that, in implementing its investment strategy and as an overarching binding restriction, the Fund Manager is required to exclude companies from the Sub-Fund's portfolio referenced on the Fund's proprietary exclusion list. The latter screens out companies based on their involvement in controversial practices against international norms. The core normative framework consists of the Principles of the UN Global Compact, the OECD Guidelines for Multinational Enterprises and the UN Guiding Principles for Business and Human Rights. Equally screened out are companies linked to following controversial weapons: anti-personnel mines, cluster munitions, chemical weapons, biological weapons, depleted uranium, white phosphorus and Fund's exclusion list nuclear weapons. The is available at https://fdc.public.lu/en/investissement-responsable/liste-exclusion-fdc.html.

No reference benchmark has been designated for the purpose of attaining the sustainable investment objective of the Sub-Fund.

What sustainability indicators are used to measure the attainment of the sustainable investment objective of this financial product?

The following sustainability indicators are used to measure the attainment of the sustainable investment objective of the Sub-Fund:

- the weighted average percentage of the Sub-Fund which is invested in environmental markets as set out above, as measured through revenue;
- the percentage of the Sub-Fund invested in sustainable investments (as defined in SFDR);
- the net carbon impact for the Sub-Fund (tCO2 per \$10m invested for one year), by comparing net carbon impact emissions of Sub-Fund investee companies with the emissions of current and Paris-aligned economy scenarios; and
- how the Sub-Fund considers PAIs on sustainability indicators in accordance with SFDR.

The following metrics for the Sub-Fund are also reported, linking to the markets mentioned in the penultimate paragraph of the section above: water provided/saved/treated; renewable energy generated; materials recovered/waste treated.

Also, the Sub-Fund has to follow an exclusion list with a certain number of companies who are not in line with international conventions and standards or linked to controversial weapons.

Sustainability indicators measure how the sustainable objectives of this financial product are attained.

### How do sustainable investments not cause significant harm to any environmental or social sustainable investment objective?

In order to ensure that the sustainable investments that the Sub-Fund intends to make do not cause significant harm to any environmental or social sustainable objective, the Sub-Fund assesses each investment against a set of indicators of adverse impacts by conducting proprietary Fundamental ESG analysis for all portfolio holdings. The ESG analysis aims to identify the quality of governance structures, the most material environmental and social harms for a company or issuer and assesses how well these harms are addressed and managed.

The Fund Manager seeks robust policies, processes, management systems and incentives as well as adequate disclosure, as applicable. Additionally, the Fund Manager assesses any past controversies identified. A proprietary aggregate ESG score is then assigned for each company or issuer taking into account the indicators as set out below, based on a qualitative judgement. The highest rated will be those assessed as managing which are not deemed to cause significant harm will be subject to a weighting cap within the portfolio for risk management purposes. The Fund Manager considers it important to engage with companies and issuers and to analyse company and issuer disclosures and reports. The ESG process is proprietary to the Fund Manager, although the Fund Manager uses external ESG-research as an input.

How have the indicators for adverse impacts on sustainability factors been taken into account?

Indicators for adverse impacts on sustainability factors have been taken into account in the Fund Manager's fundamental ESG analysis as follows - the data considered, in accordance with SFDR, by the Fund Manager to assess the relevant indicator is set out in the first paragraph under each indicator below:

#### **Mandatory Indicators**

#### GHG emissions, carbon footprint and GHG intensity of investee companies

Data considered: an investee company's absolute scope 1, 2 and 3 GHG emissions, and its enterprise value and revenue.

Companies are tiered between those providing full disclosure of Scopes 1, 2, 3 emissions across the majority of their operations; reporting across all four pillars prescribed by the Task Force on Climate related Financial Disclosures (TCFD); having set stretching short-medium term target (3+ years), as well as a Net zero/Paris Agreement aligned/Science-based long term target (10-30 years) and detailed actions plans versus those with no emission disclosure in place, no targets and no clear commitment to setting one.

#### Exposure to companies active in the fossil fuel sector

Data considered: an investee company's exposure to fossil fuel revenues.

The Fund Manager evaluates a company's transition to a low carbon economy by working towards ambitious science-based Paris-aligned decarbonisation targets and by strategically phasing out any fossil fuel exposure.

Principal adverse impacts are the most significant negative impacts of investment decisions on sustainability factors relating to environmental, social and employee matters, respect for human rights, anticorruption and antibribery matters.

Share of non-renewable energy consumption and production, and energy consumption intensity per high impact climate sector

Data considered: an investee company's total energy consumption and production as well as the consumption and production from non-renewable energy sources, and an investee company's output metric as the basis of energy intensity.

Companies are tiered between those providing state of the art management processes and reporting for all environmental key issues through certified management systems referencing international or industry standards, challenging long term and interim targets relevant to key issues, relevant KPIs and reporting aligned with internationally recognised frameworks prescribed by the International Sustainability Standards Board (ISSB), the Global Reporting Initiative (GRI) and the CDP, versus companies with limited management processes and reporting, for example providing only qualitative KPIs and anecdotal disclosures.

#### Activities negatively affecting biodiversity-sensitive areas

Data considered: an investee company's sites/operations located in or near to biodiversity- sensitive areas.

The Fund Manager uses external tools and research as well as its own proprietary analysis in assessing companies' management of nature-related harms. The Fund Manager seeks investment in companies or issuers that have addressed the harm with robust policies, processes, management systems and incentives that are scaled appropriately to the importance of the harm. Sitelevel geolocation data and regional exposure are not always easily available or disclosed by companies and issuers. The Fund Manager engages with companies to achieve geo-location data and to assess the potential harm at the specific locations of interest, for example highlighting habitats of IUCN Red List species (the International Union for Conservation of Nature), protected areas and key biodiversity areas in the vicinity.

#### Emissions to water, and hazardous waste and radioactive waste ratio

Data considered: an investee company's generated tones of emissions to water, and tones of hazardous waste and radioactive waste.

Companies are tiered between those providing state of the art management processes and reporting for all environmental key issues through certified management systems referencing international or industry standards, challenging long term and interim targets relevant to key issues, relevant KPIs and reporting aligned with internationally recognised frameworks such as ISSB, GRI and CDP, versus companies with limited management processes and reporting, for example providing only qualitative KPIs and anecdotal disclosures.

<u>Violations of UN Global Compact principles and Organisation for Economic Cooperation and Development (OECD) Guidelines for Multinational Enterprises</u>

Data considered: an investee company's involvement in violations of the UNGC principles or OECD Guidelines for Multinational Enterprises.

The Fund Manager screens the Fund's investments against adherence to global standards such as the UN Global Compact principles and OECD Guidelines for Multinational Enterprises. An external research provider is used to support this screening activity. A company found to be in breach of these international norms and standards is excluded from the investable universe and divested. Where a company is flagged for potential breaches, the Fund Manager will monitor and seek to engage, as appropriate.

<u>Lack of processes and compliance mechanisms to monitor compliance with UN Global Compact principles and OECD Guidelines for Multinational Enterprises</u>

Data considered: instances where an investee company is lacking policies to monitor compliance with the UNGC Principles or OECD Guidelines.

The Fund Manager uses external tools and research to assertain the existence/non-existence of these policies and identify those companies that do not satisfy credible policy standards in all those areas that speak to UNGC principles or the OECD Guidelines.

#### Unadjusted gender pay gap

Data considered: an investee company's average gross hourly earnings of male paid employees and of female paid employees as a percentage of average gross hourly earnings of male paid employees.

Companies are assessed for their pay equity through review of the pay gap, where available, alongside a broader set of KPIs related to Equality, Diversity & Inclusion (ED&I). Companies are tiered between those demonstrating state of the art management processes and those with no ED&I disclosure.

#### **Board gender diversity**

Data considered: an investee company's number of women on the board of directors and percentage of board members that are female.

Companies are assessed for their board gender diversity alongside other key roles which influence company strategy alongside a broader set of metrics related to leadership diversity. Companies are tiered between those achieving 40%-60% women on the board and in executive management as well as demonstrating diversity in key roles and those with no women on the board or in executive management.

Exposure to controversial weapons (anti-personnel mines, cluster munitions, chemical weapons and biological weapons)

Data considered: an investee company's exposure to controversial weapons through business activity and ownership.

Companies are screened by business activity in an effort to ensure, using a combination of screen activity and the Fund Manager's qualitative judgement that they are not involved in the activity of manufacturing tailor-made components, using, repairing, putting up for sale, selling, distributing, importing or exporting, storing or transporting controversial or indiscriminate weapons such as anti-personnel mines, submunitions, inert ammunition and armour

containing depleted uranium or any other industrial uranium, weapons containing white phosphorus, biological, chemical or nuclear weapons. The Fund Manager seeks to exclude all companies with any involvement in controversial weapons from investment, and in addition uses qualitative judgement as part of the analysis. If the Fund Manager determines that one of these activities takes place within a subsidiary, the direct parent company is also considered to be involved in controversial weapons if it holds a majority equity interest in the subsidiary. Likewise, if one of the above-mentioned activities is determined to take place within a parent company, any majority-owned subsidiary of this parent company is also deemed to be involved.

#### **Voluntary Indicators**

#### Investments in companies without carbon emission reduction initiatives

Data considered: instances where an investee company is lacking of all of the following: near- term GHG reduction target, long-term GHG reduction target (10+ years), science-based GHG reduction target, Net Zero commitment.

The Fund Manager actively seeks to engage with companies to encourage the implementation of effective performance management systems, with the objective to establish GHG emissions baseline data (scope 1, 2 and 3), set science-based long-term carbon emission reduction targets with a viable action plan to deliver on these targets, and regularly report.

#### Water usage and recycling

Data considered: an investee company's operational water use (cubic meters of water consumed), and water management (percentage of water recycled and reused).

Companies are tiered between those providing state of the art management processes and reporting for all environmental key issues through certified management systems referencing international or industry standards, challenging long term and interim targets relevant to key issues, relevant KPIs and reporting aligned with internationally recognised frameworks such as ISSB, GRI and CDP, versus companies with limited management processes and reporting, for example providing only qualitative KPIs and anecdotal disclosures.

## Number of convictions and amount of fines for violation of anti-corruption and anti-bribery laws

Data considered: an investee company's number of convictions per severity category in the past three to five years (three years for minor controversies or incidents; five years for more significant controversies or incidents).

The materiality and severity of convictions and fines for violation of anticorruption and anti- bribery laws are reviewed as part of the Fundamental ESG analysis. How are the sustainable investments aligned with the OECD Guidelines for Multinational Enterprises and the UN Guiding Principles on Business and Human Rights?

The Fund Manager uses a Global Standards Screening which assesses companies' impact on stakeholders and the extent to which a company causes, contributes or is linked to violations of international norms and standards. The underlying research provides assessments covering the OECD Guidelines for Multinational Enterprises and the UN's Global Compact Principles, as well as International Labour Organization's (ILO) Conventions, and the UN Guiding Principles on Business and Human Rights (UNGPs). A company found to be in breach of these international norms and standards is excluded from the investable universe and divested. Where a company is flagged for potential breaches, the Fund Manager will monitor and seek to engage, as appropriate.

On top of the Fund Manager's specific assessment, the Fund's specific exclusion list screens out companies based on their involvement in controversial practices against international norms. The core normative framework consists of the Principles of the UN Global Compact, the OECD Guidelines for Multinational Enterprises and the UN Guiding Principles for Business and Human Rights. Securities issued by companies having a severe violation of these frameworks will be restricted from investment universe. Equally excluded are companies linked to controversial weapons (anti-personnel mines, cluster munitions, chemical weapons, biological weapons, depleted uranium, white phosphorus, and nuclear weapons).



# Does this financial product consider principal adverse impacts on sustainability factors?

Yes. The Fund Manager considers principal adverse impacts (PAIs) on sustainability factors by identifying, assessing, and managing negative effects of portfolio-related investment decisions on environmental, social and employee matters, respect for human rights, and anti-bribery & corruption matters.

The following illustrates how it is intended that this exposure is managed, once identified and assessed, taking into account each of the mandatory and voluntary indicators listed above.

1. All companies and other issuers must meet financial and ESG criteria before entering the Sub-Fund's list of investable companies. When all the data is gathered, an ESG report is written and a proprietary aggregate ESG score assigned. The highest rated will be those assessed as managing the risks identified as part of the ESG analysis most effectively. The lowest rated will be assessed as not managing ESG risks to a standard acceptable enough to warrant investment and will be excluded from eligibility for Sub-Fund investment. Companies/issuers managing such risks at a lower, but still acceptable, standard will be subject to a weighting cap within the

portfolio for risk management purposes. The Fund Manager does not seek to exclude a certain number or percentage of companies or issuers, but rather seeks an absolute level of ESG quality based on a qualitative judgement.

2. Bottom-up company-specific engagement: As part of the Fund Manager's ongoing, proprietary company and issuer-level ESG analysis, it identifies company and issuer-specific matters and risks and actively engages with companies and issuers about these matters. For the bottom-up, company specific engagements, the objective is typically to solve or improve the issue that has been identified as part of ESG analysis and when that objective has been achieved, move to the next objective or pause the engagement.

Top-down strategic engagement: Every year the Fund Manager assesses and outlines the engagement priorities for the next 12 months. These priorities are based on market developments and emerging sustainability issues that are considered relevant and material for companies and issuers. The Fund Manager then identifies the companies and issuers which it considers are most exposed to these topics and focuses its engagement on specific companies and issuers. For the strategic engagement areas, the Fund Manager sets up specific steps as objectives that it seeks to reach with the engagements. The strategic engagement areas have analysts assigned as leads for each of the areas of engagement.

3. Where the Fund Manager identifies unmanaged risk, and its usual management approach to engagement fails to produce positive outcomes, its Escalation Policy takes hold.

If the Fund Manager views the investee company or issuer as unresponsive to engagement or unwilling to consider alternative options posing less significant risks to shareholders, the Fund Manager will escalate the dialogue by:

- Seeking alternative or more senior contacts within the company or issuer
- Intervening or engaging together with other shareholders
- Intervening or engaging together with other institutions or organisations (multi- stakeholder)
- Highlighting the issue and/or joint engagements regarding the issue through institutional platforms and/or
- Filing or o-filing resolutions at General Meetings

If interventions are unsuccessful and the Fund Manager considers that the risk profile of the company has significantly deteriorated or company strategy/governance structures have altered because of an incident, to a degree where the return outlook and the company's strategy and quality no longer meet expectations, the company would be excluded from the investable universe and/or sold.



The investment strategy guides investment decisions based on factors such as investment objectives and risk tolerance.

#### What investment strategy does this financial product follow?

This Sub-Fund is actively managed and invests in equities from issuers across global equity markets, in accordance with the Sub-Fund's investment restrictions.

The Sub-Fund follows a thematic approach which means that the Sub-Fund invests in companies that provide products and services providing solutions to specific environmental and/or social challenges, seeking to benefit from future growth anticipated in these areas while contributing capital towards the transition towards a more sustainable economy. With respect to this Sub-Fund's thematic strategy, the applicable environmental challenges focus on a number of long term macro-economic themes: growing populations, rising living standards, increasing urbanisation, rising consumption, and depletion of limited natural resources.

The thematic approach is implemented by investing in equities of companies which have more than 20% of their underlying revenue generated by environmental sales of products or services in the energy efficiency, renewable energy, water, waste and sustainable food and agriculture markets.

The Sub-Fund will apply the Fund Manager's fossil fuel policy. Categories of fossil fuel companies include companies that the Fund Manager determines are:

- deriving any revenues or profits (defined as EBITDA) from fossil fuel exploration and production<sup>1</sup>; or
- deriving > 5% of revenues or profits (defined as EBITDA) from fossil fuel refining, processing, storage, transportation and distribution, as well as utility power generation<sup>2</sup>.

The Fund Manager will not invest in companies in the first category above as he believes they face significant climate transition risks. Nor will the Fund Manager invest in companies in the second category above, unless the Fund Manager has determined that they have credible plans for climate risk mitigation aligned with the transition to net zero.

The Fund Manager will not have any exposure to traditional (upstream) exploration and production companies. The Fund Manager's focus is on investing in those companies well positioned to benefit from the transition to a more sustainable economy. This may include, in limited cases, companies that either displace higher carbon activity (in the case of emerging markets) and/or have credible plans to transition their businesses to align with a Net Zero economy.

 $<sup>^{1}</sup>$  Whether coal mining, or conventional oil and gas, or non-conventional sources such as shale gas.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> The fossil fuel policy does not apply to companies with indirect exposure to fossil fuels such as automotives, transport, industrials and financials. For example, emerging market utility, storage or distribution companies, as these companies are providing transitional air quality solutions, e.g., replacing coal in regions where coal represents a high proportion of the energy mix in the grid system.

The Fund Manager's Sustainability & Stewardship team is responsible for the oversight, peer-review and scoring of the ESG analysis (into which the PAI process is integrated), coordination of focus areas of engagement and further development of ESG, sustainability and stewardship approaches and methodologies. Additional oversight comes from the Fund Manager's Compliance team, which conducts monitoring on the investment process, with investment risk oversight.

The Sub-Fund's investment approach is detailed in the Fund's Issue Document.

# What are the binding elements of the investment strategy used to select the investments to attain the sustainable investment objective?

The Sub-Fund has a revenue threshold in place which ensures that, with respect to sustainable investments, investments are made in companies which have more than 20% of their underlying revenue generated by sales of environmental products or services in the energy efficiency, renewable energy, water, waste and sustainable food and agriculture markets.

The Fund Manager also ensures sustainable investments do not cause significant harm to any environmental sustainable investment objective via its ESG analysis. As described above, for a number of indicators companies are tiered and assessed based on certain data, or, for PAI 10 (Violation of UN global compact principles & OECD guidelines for Multinational Enterprises), a screening process is used, supported by an external research provider.

On top of this, the Fund's specific exclusion list screens out companies based on their involvement in controversial practices against international norms. The core normative framework consists of the Principles of the UN Global Compact, the OECD Guidelines for Multinational Enterprises and the UN Guiding Principles for Business and Human Rights. Securities issued by companies having a severe violation of these frameworks will be restricted from investment universe. Equally excluded are companies linked to controversial weapons (anti-personnel mines, cluster munitions, chemical weapons, biological weapons, depleted uranium, white phosphorus, and nuclear weapons).

#### What is the policy to assess good governance practices of the investee companies?

#### Pre investment

The Fund Manager analyses companies' governance structures taking into account what constitutes common and best global practice for governance and identifying potential outliers. Once the governance and other ESG analytical data is gathered, an ESG report is produced and a proprietary ESG score is assigned as part of the Fundamental ESG analysis as described above.

#### Post investment

The Fund Manager's proxy voting is predominantly related to governance issues such as the election of directors, board structures and management remuneration. When practicable, the Fund Manager seeks to engage with the investee company before voting against management's recommendation on an AGM resolution. The

Good governance practices include sound management structures, employee relations, remuneration of staff ad tax compliance.

Fund Manager is also in dialogue with companies throughout the year to discuss and comment on proposed governance structures. The exercise of voting rights does not fall within the competence the Fund Manager for this Sub-Fund.

Asset allocation describes the share of investments in specific assets.

Taxonomy-aligned activities are expressed as a share of:

- turnover reflecting the share of revenue from green activities of investee companies
- capital expenditure (CapEx) showing the green investments made by investee companies, e.g. for a transition to a green economy.
- operational expenditure (OpEx) reflecting green operational activities of investee companies.

To comply with the EU Taxonomy, the criteria for fossil gas include limitations on emissions and switching to renewable power or low-carbon fuels by the end of 2035. For nuclear energy, the criteria include comprehensive safety and waste management rules.

Enabling activities directly enable other activities to make a substantial contribution to an environmental objective.

Transitional activities are activities for which low-carbon alternatives are not yet available ad among others have greenhouse gas emission levels corresponding to the best performance.

#### What is the asset allocation and the minimum share of sustainable investments?

The Sub-Fund will invest in equities as described herein, and will invest a minimum of (i) 90% of total investments in sustainable investments with an environmental objective, and (ii) 0% of total investments in sustainable investments with a social objective. The Sub-Fund does not commit to a minimum share of Taxonomy-aligned investments. The Sub-Fund may hold up to 10% of total investments in "#Not sustainable" investments, which may subject to the Sub-Fund's investment restrictions in the Fund's Issue Document, be in cash, cash equivalents, derivative transactions, and exchange traded or money market funds, and may be used for treasury or liquidity purposes, or for hedging/efficient portfolio management purposes.



How does the use of derivatives attain the sustainable investment objective?

The Fund Manager does not use derivatives to attain the sustainable investment objective of the Sub-Fund.



To what minimum extent are sustainable investments with an environmental objective aligned with the EU Taxonomy? Does the financial product invest in fossil gas and/or nuclear energy related activities that comply with the EU Taxonomy<sup>3</sup>?

The Sub-Fund does not aim or commit to invest in sustainable investments with an environmental objective aligned with the EU Taxonomy.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> Fossil gas and/or nuclear related activities will only comply with the EU Taxonomy where they contribute to limiting climate change ("climate change mitigation") and do not significantly harm any EU Taxonomy objective. Fossil gas criteria include limitations on emissions and switching to renewable power or low-carbon fuels by the end of 2035. Nuclear energy criteria include comprehensive safety and waste management rules. The full criteria are laid down in Commission Delegated Regulation (EU) 2022/1214.

The Sub-Fund does not aim or commit to invest in invest in fossil gas and/or nuclear energy related activities that comply with the EU Taxonomy.

What is the minimum share of investments in transitional and enabling activities?

The Sub-Fund does not commit to a minimum share in transitional and enabling activities.



What is the minimum share of sustainable investments with an environmental objective that are not aligned with the EU Taxonomy?

The Sub-Fund will make a minimum of 90% of total investments in sustainable investments with an environmental objective that are not aligned with the EU Taxonomy. The Fund Manager has determined that the economic activities contribute to an environmental objective without using the EU Taxonomy classification system. The Fund Manager has determined that such economic activities contribute to an environmental objective due to the fact that investments are made in companies which have more than 20% of their underlying revenue generated by sales of products or services in environmental markets.



What is the minimum share of sustainable investments with a social objective?

The Sub-Fund's does not commit to a minimum share of sustainable investment with a social objective.



What investments are included under "#2 Not sustainable", what is their purpose and are there any minimum environmental or social safeguards?

Under "#2 Other" the Sub-Fund may hold cash, cash equivalents and financial derivative instruments for the purposes of efficient portfolio management and/or risk hedging. For those investments no environmental or social safeguards are applied.

Is a specific index designated as a reference benchmark to meet the sustainable investment objective?

No reference benchmark has been designated for the purpose of attaining the sustainable investment objective of the Sub-Fund.

How does the reference benchmark take into account sustainability factors in a way that is continuously aligned with the sustainable investment objective?
Not applicable.

Reference benchmarks are indexes to measure whether the financial product attains the sustainable investment objective.

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activities under the EU

How is the alignment of the investment strategy with the methodology of the index ensured on a continuous basis?

Not applicable.

- How does the designated index differ from a relevant broad market index?
  Not applicable.
- Where can the methodology used for the calculation of the designated index be found?

Not applicable.



### Where can I find more product-specific information online?

More product-specific information can be found on websites:

- https://www.fdc.lu
- <a href="https://fdc.public.lu/en/investissement-responsable/approches-durables-gerants-fdc.html">https://fdc.public.lu/en/investissement-responsable/approches-durables-gerants-fdc.html</a>