

ANNEX IV

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 lay down a list of socially sustainable economic activities. Sustainable investments with an environmental objective might be aligned with the Taxonomy or not.

Template periodic disclosure for the financial products referred to in Article 8, paragraphs 1, 2 and 2a, of Regulation (EU) 2019/2088 and Article 6, first paragraph, of Regulation (EU) 2020/852

Product name: CARMIGNAC PORTFOLIO PATRIMOINE
Legal entity identifier: 549300J21XEI5I1G8W89

Environmental and/or social characteristics

19. Did this financial product have a sustainable investment objective?

☒ ☒ ☐ Yes

☒ ☐ ☒ No

☐ It made **sustainable investments with an environmental objective**: ____%

- ☐ in economic activities that qualify as environmentally sustainable under the EU Taxonomy
- ☐ in economic activities that do not qualify as environmentally sustainable under the EU Taxonomy

☐ It made **sustainable investments with a social objective**: ____%

☒ 20. It **promoted Environmental/Social (E/S) characteristics** and while it did not have as its objective a sustainable investment, it did have a minimum proportion of 10 % 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 promoted E/S characteristics, but **did not make any sustainable investments**



To what extent were the environmental and/or social characteristics promoted by this financial product met?

The Sub-Fund promotes environmental and social characteristics by applying best-in-universe and best-effort approaches to invest in a sustainable manner: 1) ESG integration, 2) Negative screening, 3) Positive screening applying a UN SDG alignment approach, 4) Active Stewardship to promote Environment and Social characteristic, 5) Monitoring of Principal Adverse Impacts.

No breach of the attainment of the sustainable objective have been identified during the year.

How did the sustainability indicators perform?

This Sub-Fund has used the following sustainability indicators to measure the attainment of each of the environmental or social characteristics promoted :

1) The coverage rate of ESG analysis: ESG integration through ESG scoring using Carmignac's proprietary ESG platform "START" (System for Tracking and Analysis of a Responsible Trajectory) is applied to at least 90% of issuers. In 2023, the coverage rate of ESG analysis was 100% of issuers (excluding cash and derivatives), on average, based on 4 quarters ends data.

2)) Amount the universe is reduced by (minimum 20% for the equities and corporate bonds section of the portfolio):

i) Firm-wide exclusion: Negative screening and exclusions of unsustainable activities and practices are identified using an international norms and rules-based approach on the following: (a) controversies against the OECD business guidelines, the International Labour Organization (ILO) Declaration on Fundamental Principles and Rights at Work and UN Global compact principles, (b) controversial weapons, (c) thermal coal mining, (d) power generation companies, (e) tobacco, (f) adult entertainment.

ii) Fund-specific negative screening: Equity positions with an MSCI rating below 1.4 (rating from "0" to "10") on environmental or social pillars and Fixed income positions with an MSCI rating below 2.5 (rating from "0" to "10") on environmental or social pillars, or having an overall MSCI rating of "CCC" or "B" (rating from "CCC" to "AAA") are a priori excluded of the Sub-Fund's investment universe. Companies rated "C" and above on the START (rating from "E" to "A") are reintegrated into the Sub-Fund's investment universe after an ad-hoc analysis which may involve an engagement with the company.

In 2023, the universe was reduced by 20.8% (for the equity section) and 20.3% (for the bonds section) of the portfolio, on average, based on 4 quarters ends data.

3) Positive screening (Sustainable Investments): the Sub-Fund makes sustainable investments whereby a minimum of 10% of the Sub-Fund's net assets are invested in shares of companies that are considered aligned with relevant United Nations Sustainable Development Goals. The minimum levels of sustainable investments with environmental and social objectives are respectively 1% and 3% of the Sub-Fund's net assets.

Alignment is defined for each investment / investee company by meeting at least one of the following three thresholds:

- a) **Products and services:** derive at least 50% of their revenue from goods and services that are related to one of the following nine SDGs (1) No Poverty, (2) No Hunger, (3) Good Health and Well Being, (4) Quality Education, (6) Clean Water, (7) Affordable and Clean Energy, (9) Industry, Innovation and Infrastructure, (11) Sustainable Cities and Communities, (12) Responsible Consumption and Production; or
- b) **Capital expenditure:** invest at least 30% of their capital expenditure in business activities that are related to one of the following nine SDGs (1) No Poverty, (2) No Hunger, (3) Good Health and Well Being, (4) Quality Education, (6) Clean Water, (7) Affordable and Clean Energy, (9) Industry, Innovation and Infrastructure, (11) Sustainable Cities and Communities, (12) Responsible Consumption and Production; or
- c) **Operations:**
 - i. the company achieves an "aligned" status for operational alignment for at least three (3) out of all seventeen (17) of the SDGs, based on the evidence provided by the investee company of available policies, practices and targets addressing such SDGs. An "aligned" status represents an operational alignment score of ≥ 2 (on a scale of -10 to +10) as determined by the external scoring provider; and
 - ii. the company does not achieve a "misaligned" status for operational alignment for any SDG. A company is considered "misaligned" when its score is ≤ -2 (on a scale of -10 to +10), as determined by the external scoring provider.

These thresholds represent a significant intentionality of the company in regards to the contributing activity. For further information on the United Nations Sustainable Development Goals, please refer to <https://sdgs.un.org/goals>.

In 2023, 25.8% of the Sub-Fund's net assets were invested according to this positive screening, on average, based on 4 quarters ends data. The levels of sustainable investments with environmental and social objectives were respectively 10.1% and 15.7% of the Sub-Fund's net assets, on average,

based on 4 quarters ends data. Our sustainable investment definition changed in July 2023 to incorporate the SDG alignment to operations and a change to the capex alignment threshold to 50% from 30%. Therefore, the average percentage of sustainable investments given the above, reflects the sustainable investment definition in place at the time: using the previous SDG framework in Q1 and Q2 and the current SDG framework in Q3 and Q4 2023 respectively.

4) Active stewardship: Environmental and social related company engagements leading to improvement in companies sustainability policies have been measured by following indicators: (a) level of active engagement and voting policies, (b) number of engagements, (c) rate of voting and (d) participation at shareholder and bondholder meetings).

In 2023, we engaged with 60 companies at Carmignac level, and 22 companies at the Sub-Fund level. At Sub-fund level, we voted for 98.2% of the meetings where we had shareholder or bondholder rights to exercise.

5) Principal adverse impacts: Furthermore, this Sub-Fund is committed to applying the SFDR level II 2019/2088 Regulatory Technical Standards (RTS) annex 1 related to Principal Adverse Impacts whereby 14 mandatory and 2 optional environmental and social indicators (selected by the Sustainable Investment team for pertinence and coverage) will be monitored to show the impact of such sustainable investments against these indicators: Greenhouse gas emissions, Carbon footprint, GHG intensity (investee companies), Exposure to companies in fossil fuel sector, Non-renewable energy consumption and production, Energy consumption intensity per high-impact climate sector, Activities negatively affecting biodiversity-sensitive areas, Emissions to water, Hazardous waste ratio, Water usage and recycling (optional choice), Violations of UN Global Compact principles or OECD Guidelines for Multinational Enterprises, Lack of processes and compliance mechanisms to monitor compliance with UN Global Compact and OECD Guidelines for Multinational Enterprises, Unadjusted gender pay gap, Board gender diversity, Exposure to controversial weapons, Excessive CEO pay ratio (optional choice). Sovereign bond issuers are monitored for Social violations and GHG intensity indicators.

In 2023, we switched to MSCI as our data provider to monitor the PAIs from Impact Cubed in 2022 because it offered more transparency and greater flexibility to build our own tools using the raw data provided by MSCI. Please find below the performance of the principal adverse impacts indicators for the year 2023, based on average quarter-end data, for the equity and corporate bond portions of the portfolio:

| PAI Indicators | Based on company reported | Sub-Fund | Coverage |
|---|--|-----------|----------|
| GHG Scope 1 | Scope 1 GHG emissions | 53153.51 | 90.79% |
| GHG Scope 2 | Scope 2 GHG emissions | 9810.01 | 90.79% |
| GHG Scope 3 | From 1 January 2023, Scope 3 GHG emissions | 423518.03 | 90.79% |
| Total GHG | Total GHG emissions | 486016.65 | 90.27% |
| Carbon footprint | Carbon footprint | 578.20 | 90.27% |
| GHG intensity | GHG intensity of investee companies | 1240.96 | 95.96% |
| Exposure to fossil fuels | Share of investments in companies active in the fossil fuel sector | 15% | 95.96% |
| Non-renewable energy consumption and production | Share of non-renewable energy consumption and production of investee companies from non-renewable energy sources compared to renewable energy sources, expressed as a percentage | 65% | 79.27% |
| Energy consumption intensity - Total | Energy consumption in GWh per million EUR of revenue of investee companies - Total | 0.61 | 87.01% |
| Energy consumption intensity - NACE SectorA | Energy consumption in GWh per million EUR of revenue of investee companies - NACE Sector A(Agriculture, forestry and fishing) | 0.00 | 87.01% |
| Energy consumption intensity - NACE SectorB | Energy consumption in GWh per million EUR of revenue of investee companies - NACE Sector B (Mining and quarrying) | 1.58 | 87.01% |
| Energy consumption intensity - NACE SectorC | Energy consumption in GWh per million EUR of revenue of investee companies - NACE Sector C (Manufacturing) | 0.21 | 87.01% |
| Energy consumption intensity - NACE Sector D | Energy consumption in GWh per million EUR of revenue of investee companies - NACE Sector D (Electricity, gas, steam and air | 4.83 | 87.01% |

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

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| Energy consumption intensity - NACE Sector E | Energy consumption in GWh per million EUR of revenue of investee companies - NACE Sector E (Water supply; sewerage; waste management and remediation activities) | 0.00 | 87.01% |
| Energy consumption intensity - NACE Sector F | Energy consumption in GWh per million EUR of revenue of investee companies - NACE Sector F (Construction) | 0.00 | 87.01% |
| Energy consumption intensity - NACE Sector G | Energy consumption in GWh per million EUR of revenue of investee companies - NACE Sector G (Wholesale and retail trade; repair of motor vehicles and motorcycles) | 0.07 | 87.01% |
| Energy consumption intensity - NACE Sector H | Energy consumption in GWh per million EUR of revenue of investee companies - NACE Sector H (Transporting and storage) | 2.14 | 87.01% |
| Energy consumption intensity - NACE Sector L | Energy consumption in GWh per million EUR of revenue of investee companies - NACE Sector L (Real estate activities) | 0.81 | 87.01% |
| Biodiversity | Share of investments in investee companies with sites/operations located in or near to biodiversity-sensitive areas where activities of those investee companies negatively affect those areas | 0% | 93.45% |
| Emissions to water | Tons of emissions to water generated by investee companies per million EUR invested, expressed as a weighted average | 0.00 | 0.22% |
| Hazardous waste | Tons of hazardous waste generated by investee companies per million EUR invested, expressed as a weighted average | 89.53 | 33.18% |
| Water usage and recycling | Average amount of water consumed and reclaimed by the investee companies (in cubic meters) per million EUR of revenue of investee companies | 0.00 | 7.02% |
| Violations of UNGC/OECD | Share of investments in investee companies that have been involved in violations of the UNGC principles or OECD Guidelines for Multinational Enterprises | 0.00 | 98.15% |
| Processes to monitor UNGC / OECD compliance | Share of investments in investee companies without policies to monitor compliance with the UNGC principles or OECD Guidelines for Multinational Enterprises or grievance /complaints handling mechanisms to address violations of the UNGC principles or OECD Guidelines for Multinational Enterprises | 0.32 | 93.22% |
| Gender pay gap | Average unadjusted gender pay gap of investee companies | 11% | 29.48% |
| Board gender diversity | Average ratio of female to male board members in investee companies | 37% | 93.90% |
| Controversial weapons | Share of investments in investee companies involved in the manufacture or selling of controversial weapons | 0.00 | 93.55% |
| Excessive CEO pay ratio | Average ratio within investee companies of the annual total compensation for the highest compensated individual to the median annual total compensation for all employees (excluding the highest-compensated individual) | 286.47 | 64.62% |
| Greenhouse gas intensity (sovereign and supranational) | GHG intensity of investee countries (tons of CO ₂ e emissions per million EUR of the country's GDP) | 316.92 | 98.79% |
| Social violations (sovereign and supranational) | Number of investee countries subject to social violations (as an absolute number and in proportion to the total number of countries receiving investments), as referred to in international treaties and conventions, United Nations principles and, where applicable, national law | 0.50 | 98.79% |

● ...and compared to previous periods?

This Sub-Fund has used the following sustainability indicators of its four pillar approach to measure the attainment of each of the environmental or social characteristics promoted :

1) The coverage rate of ESG analysis: ESG integration through ESG scoring using Carmignac's proprietary ESG platform "START" (System for Tracking and Analysis of a Responsible Trajectory) is applied to at least 90% of issuers. As of 30/12/2022, the coverage rate of ESG analysis was 99.37% of issuers (excluding cash and derivatives).

2) The amount the universe is reduced by (minimum 20% for the equities and corporate bonds section of the portfolio): Negative screening and exclusions of unsustainable activities and practices

reflected in low ESG scores from START, MSCI and or ISS scores have been performed based on following indicators: (a) practices that are harmful to society and the environment, (b) controversies against the OECD business guidelines and UN Global compact principles, (c) controversial weapons (d) coal mining activity, (e) power companies that have not Paris alignment objectives in place, (f) companies involved in tobacco production, (g) companies involved in adult entertainment. As of 30/12/2022, the universe was reduced by 21.17% (for the equity section) and 21.77% (for the bonds section) of the portfolio.

3) Positive screening: the Sub-Fund makes sustainable investments whereby a minimum of 10% of the Sub-Fund's net assets are invested in shares of companies that derive at least 50% of their revenue from goods and services in relation to business activities which align positively with one of the 9 out of 17 United Nations Sustainable Development Goals. The minimum levels of sustainable investments with environmental and social objectives are respectively 1% and 3% of the Sub-Fund's net assets. As of 30/12/2022, 24.2% of the Sub-Fund's net assets were invested according to this positive screening.

4) Active stewardship: Environmental and social related company engagements leading to improvement in companies sustainability policies have been measured by following indicators: (a) level of active engagement and voting policies, (b) number of engagements, (c) rate of voting and (d) participation at shareholder and bondholder meetings).

In addition, Principal Adverse Impact (PAI) monitoring : Sub-Fund has applied the SFDR level II 2019/2088 Regulatory Technical Standards (RTS) annex 1 whereby 16 mandatory and 2 optional environmental and social indicators have been monitored to show the impact of such sustainable investments against these indicators : Greenhouse gas emissions, Carbon footprint, GHG intensity (investee companies), Exposure to companies in fossil fuel sector, Non-renewable energy consumption and production, Energy consumption intensity per high-impact climate sector, Activities negatively affecting biodiversity-sensitive areas, Emissions to water, Hazardous waste ratio, Water usage and recycling (optional choice), Violations of UN Global Compact principles or OECD Guidelines for Multinational Enterprises, Lack of processes and compliance mechanisms to monitor compliance with UN Global Compact and OECD Guidelines for Multinational Enterprises, Unadjusted gender pay gap (optional choice), Board gender diversity, Exposure to controversial weapons, Excessive CEO pay ratio. Sovereign bond issuers are monitored for Social violations and GHG intensity indicators.

In 2022, we engaged with 81 companies at Carmignac level, and 19 companies at the Sub-Fund level. For example, we have engaged with several companies, including Essilor, L'Oreal and TEVA Pharmaceuticals. Thus, we exercised almost 100% of the votes for the companies in which we had stakes (98.11%).

Please find below the performance of the principal adverse impacts indicators for the year 2022, based on average quarter-end data, for the equity and corporate bond portions of the portfolio:

| PAI Indicators | Based on company reported | Sub-Fund | Coverage |
|--------------------------------------|---|-----------|----------|
| GHG Scope 1 | Scope 1 GHG emissions | 63242,5 | 56% |
| GHG Scope 2 | Scope 2 GHG emissions | 11175 | 56% |
| GHG Scope 3 | From 1 January 2023, Scope 3 GHG emissions | 519155 | 56% |
| Total GHG | Total GHG emissions | 593572,5 | 56% |
| Carbon footprint | Carbon footprint | 403,135 | 56% |
| GHG intensity | GHG intensity of investee companies | 1005,5725 | 56% |
| Exposure to fossil fuels | Share of investments in companies active in the fossil fuel sector | 8% | 56% |
| Non-renewable energy consumption | Share of non-renewable energy consumption of investee companies from non-renewable energy sources compared to renewable energy sources, expressed as a percentage | 68% | 56% |
| Non-renewable energy production | Share of non-renewable energy production of investee companies from non-renewable energy sources compared to renewable energy sources, expressed as a percentage | 22% | 56% |
| Energy consumption intensity - Total | Energy consumption in GWh per million EUR of revenue of investee companies - Total | 0,3525 | 56% |
| Energy consumption | Energy consumption in GWh per million EUR of revenue of investee | N/A | 56% |

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| intensity - NACE Sector A | companies - NACE Sector A (Agriculture, forestry and fishing) | | |
| Energy consumption intensity - NACE Sector B | Energy consumption in GWh per million EUR of revenue of investee companies - NACE Sector B (Mining and quarrying) | 0,885 | 56% |
| Energy consumption intensity - NACE Sector C | Energy consumption in GWh per million EUR of revenue of investee companies - NACE Sector C (Manufacturing) | 0,26 | 56% |
| Energy consumption intensity - NACE Sector D | Energy consumption in GWh per million EUR of revenue of investee companies - NACE Sector D (Electricity, gas, steam and air conditioning supply) | 5,79 | 56% |
| Energy consumption intensity - NACE Sector E | Energy consumption in GWh per million EUR of revenue of investee companies - NACE Sector E (Water supply; sewerage; waste management and remediation activities) | N/A | 56% |
| Energy consumption intensity - NACE Sector F | Energy consumption in GWh per million EUR of revenue of investee companies - NACE Sector F (Construction) | N/A | 56% |
| Energy consumption intensity - NACE Sector G | Energy consumption in GWh per million EUR of revenue of investee companies - NACE Sector G (Wholesale and retail trade; repair of motor vehicles and motorcycles) | 0,03 | 56% |
| Energy consumption intensity - NACE Sector H | Energy consumption in GWh per million EUR of revenue of investee companies - NACE Sector H (Transporting and storage) | 1,785 | 56% |
| Energy consumption intensity - NACE Sector L | Energy consumption in GWh per million EUR of revenue of investee companies - NACE Sector L (Real estate activities) | 0,5025 | 56% |
| Biodiversity | Share of investments in investee companies with sites/operations located in or near to biodiversity-sensitive areas where activities of those investee companies negatively affect those areas | 1% | 56% |
| Emissions to water | Tons of emissions to water generated by investee companies per million EUR invested, expressed as a weighted average | 199,265 | 56% |
| Hazardous waste | Tons of hazardous waste generated by investee companies per million EUR invested, expressed as a weighted average | 121,845 | 56% |
| Water usage and recycling | Average amount of water consumed and reclaimed by the investee companies (in cubic meters) per million EUR of revenue of investee companies | 3096,4975 | 56% |
| Violations of UNGC/OECD | Share of investments in investee companies that have been involved in violations of the UNGC principles or OECD Guidelines for Multinational Enterprises | 1% | 56% |
| Processes to monitor UNGC / OECD compliance | Share of investments in investee companies without policies to monitor compliance with the UNGC principles or OECD Guidelines for Multinational Enterprises or grievance /complaints handling mechanisms to address violations of the UNGC principles or OECD Guidelines for Multinational Enterprises | 24% | 56% |
| Gender pay gap | Average unadjusted gender pay gap of investee companies | 85% | 56% |
| Board gender diversity | Average ratio of female to male board members in investee companies | 0,32085 | 56% |
| Controversial weapons | Share of investments in investee companies involved in the manufacture or selling of controversial weapons | 0% | 56% |
| Excessive CEO pay ratio | Average ratio within investee companies of the annual total compensation for the highest compensated individual to the median annual total compensation for all employees (excluding the highest-compensated individual) | 92,4 | 56% |

● ***What were the objectives of the sustainable investments that the financial product partially made and how did the sustainable investment contribute to such objectives?***

The Sub-Fund makes sustainable investments whereby a minimum of 10% of the Sub-Fund's net assets, are invested in shares of companies that are aligned with relevant United Nations Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs). The minimum levels of sustainable investments with environmental and social objectives are respectively 1% and 3% of the Sub-Fund's net assets.

As mentioned above, alignment is defined for each investment / investee company by meeting at least one of the following three thresholds:

- a) **Products and services:** derive at least 50% of their revenue from goods and services that are related to one of the following nine SDGs (1) No Poverty, (2) No Hunger, (3) Good Health and Well Being, (4) Quality Education, (6) Clean Water, (7) Affordable and Clean Energy, (9)

Industry, Innovation and Infrastructure, (11) Sustainable Cities and Communities, (12) Responsible Consumption and Production; or

- b) **Capital expenditure:** invest at least 30% of their capital expenditure in business activities that are related to one of the following nine SDGs (1) No Poverty, (2) No Hunger, (3) Good Health and Well Being, (4) Quality Education, (6) Clean Water, (7) Affordable and Clean Energy, (9) Industry, Innovation and Infrastructure, (11) Sustainable Cities and Communities, (12) Responsible Consumption and Production; or

- c) **Operations:**

- i. the company achieves an “aligned” status for operational alignment for at least three (3) out of all seventeen (17) of the SDGs, based on the evidence provided by the investee company of available policies, practices and targets addressing such SDGs. An “aligned” status represents an operational alignment score of ≥ 2 (on a scale of -10 to +10) as determined by the external scoring provider; and
- ii. the company does not achieve a “misaligned” status for operational alignment for any SDG. A company is considered “misaligned” when its score is ≤ -2 (on a scale of -10 to +10), as determined by the external scoring provider.

These thresholds represent a significant intentionality of the company in regards to the contributing activity. For further information on the United Nations Sustainable Development Goals, please refer to <https://sdgs.un.org/goals>.

● ***How did the sustainable investments that the financial product partially made not cause significant harm to any environmental or social sustainable investment objective?***

We use the following mechanisms to ensure our sustainable investments do not cause significant harm to any environmental or social sustainable investment objective:

1) Universe reduction process:

i) Firm-wide: Negative screening and exclusions of unsustainable activities and practices are identified using an international norms and rules-based approach on the following: (a) controversies against the OECD business guidelines, the International Labour Organization (ILO) Declaration on Fundamental Principles and Rights at Work and UN Global compact principles, (b) controversial weapons, (c) thermal coal mining, (d) power generation companies, (e) tobacco, (f) adult entertainment.

ii) Fund-specific: Equity positions with an MSCI rating below 1.4 (rating from “0” to “10”) on environmental or social pillars and Fixed income positions with an MSCI rating below 2.5 (rating from “0” to “10”) on environmental or social pillars, or having an overall MSCI rating of “CCC” or “B” (rating from “CCC” to “AAA”) are a priori excluded of the Sub-Fund’s investment universe. Companies rated “C” and above on the START (rating from “E” to “A”) are reintegrated into the Sub-Fund’s investment universe after an ad-hoc analysis which may involve an engagement with the company.

2) Active stewardship: ESG-related company engagements contributing to better awareness or improvement in companies’ sustainability policies are measured by following indicators: (a) level of active engagement and voting policies, (b) number of engagements, (c) rate of voting and (d) participation at shareholder and bondholder meetings.

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, anti-corruption and anti-bribery matters.

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

The Principal Adverse Impacts indicators are monitored on a quarterly basis. Adverse impacts are identified for degree of severity. After discussion with the investment team concerned an action plan is established including a timeline for execution.

Company dialogue is usually the preferred course of action to influence the company’s mitigation of adverse impacts, in which case the company engagement is included in the quarterly Carmignac Engagement plan according to the Carmignac Shareholder Engagement policy. Disinvestment may be considered with a predetermined exit strategy within the confines of this aforementioned policy.

Were sustainable investments aligned with the OECD Guidelines for Multinational Enterprises and the UN Guiding Principles on Business and Human Rights? Details:

Carmignac applies a controversy screening process on OECD Guidelines for Multinational Enterprises and the UN Guiding Principles on Business and Human Rights for all its investments across all Sub-funds.

Carmignac acts in accordance with the United Nations Global Compact (UNGC) principles, the International Labour Organization (ILO) Declaration on Fundamental Principles and Rights at Work, and the Organisation for Economic Co-operation and Development (OECD) guidelines for multinational enterprises to assess companies' norms, including but not limited to human rights abuses, labour laws and standard climate related practices.

This Sub-Fund applies a controversy screening process for all of its investments. Companies that have committed significant controversies against the environment, human rights and international labour laws to name the key infractions are excluded. This screening process bases the identification of controversies on the OECD Business Guidelines and UN Global compact principles and is commonly called norms-based screening, integrating a restrictive screening monitored and measured through Carmignac's proprietary ESG system START. A company controversy scoring and research is applied using data extracted from ISS ESG as the research data base.

The list includes the investments constituting **the greatest proportion of investments** of the financial product during the reference period which is:

The EU Taxonomy sets out a “do not significant harm” principle by which Taxonomy-aligned investments should not significantly harm EU Taxonomy objectives and is accompanied by specific Union criteria.

The “do no significant harm” principle applies only to those investments underlying the financial product that take into account the Union criteria for environmentally sustainable economic activities. The investments underlying the remaining portion of this financial product do not take into account the Union criteria for environmentally sustainable economic activities.

Any other sustainable investments must also not significantly harm any environmental or social objectives.



How did this financial product consider principal adverse impacts on sustainability factors?

Carmignac has committed to apply the SFDR level II 2019/2088 Regulatory Technical Standards (RTS) annex 1 whereby 14 mandatory and 2 optional environmental and social indicators will be monitored to show the impact of such sustainable investments against these indicators: Greenhouse gas emissions, Carbon footprint, GHG intensity (investee companies), Exposure to companies in fossil fuel sector, Non-renewable energy consumption and production, Energy consumption intensity per high-impact climate sector, Activities negatively affecting biodiversity-sensitive areas, Emissions to water, Hazardous waste ratio, Water usage and recycling, Violations of UN Global Compact principles or OECD Guidelines for Multinational Enterprises, Lack of processes and compliance mechanisms to monitor compliance with UN Global Compact and OECD Guidelines for Multinational Enterprises, Unadjusted gender pay gap, Board gender diversity, Exposure to controversial weapons, Excessive CEO pay ratio. In addition and where applicable, sovereign bond indicators: social violence and GHG intensity can also be monitored.



What were the top investments of this financial product?

Please find below the average top investments based on 12 month end data for 2023, for the equity and corporate bonds sections of the portfolio :

| Larger investments | Sector | % Assets | Country |
|----------------------------|----------------------------|----------|----------------|
| ELI LILLY & CO | Health Care | 2.04% | United States |
| MICROSOFT CORP | Information Technology | 2.01% | United States |
| AMAZON.COM INC | Consumer Discretionary | 1.66% | United States |
| ADVANCED MICRO DEVICES INC | Information Technology | 1.45% | United States |
| AIRBUS GROUP | Industrials | 1.41% | France |
| AGNICO EAGLE MINES | Materials | 1.33% | Canada |
| ASTRAZENECA PLC | Health Care | 1.27% | United Kingdom |
| NOVO NORDISK AS | Health Care | 1.27% | Denmark |
| S&P GLOBAL INC | Financials | 1.25% | United States |
| ALIBABA GROUP HOLDING | Consumer Discretionary | 1.19% | China |
| NEWMONT MINING | Materials | 1.17% | United States |
| FACEBOOK INC | Telecommunication Services | 1.13% | United States |
| UBS AG | Financials | 1.13% | Switzerland |
| SCHLUMBERGER | Energy | 1.06% | United States |
| INTERCONTINENTAL EXCHANGE | Financials | 1.04% | United States |

| Larger investments | Sector | % Assets | Country |
|---------------------------------|-----------------|----------|----------------|
| ITALY 3.50% 15/01/2026 | Sovereign bonds | 4.28% | Italy |
| ITALY 0.50% 01/02/2026 | Sovereign bonds | 2.53% | Italy |
| USA 1.12% 15/01/2033 | Sovereign bonds | 2.09% | United States |
| UNITED STATES 0.12% 15/04/2025 | Sovereign bonds | 1.30% | United States |
| UNITED STATES 0.12% 15/04/2026 | Sovereign bonds | 1.12% | United States |
| FRANCE 0.10% 01/03/2029 | Sovereign bonds | 1.10% | France |
| GREECE 4.25% 15/06/2033 | Sovereign bonds | 0.89% | Greece |
| UNITED STATES 1.12% 15/01/2033 | Sovereign bonds | 0.74% | United States |
| ITALY 1.25% 17/02/2026 | Sovereign bonds | 0.62% | Italy |
| CZECH REPUBLIC 1.95% 30/07/2037 | Sovereign bonds | 0.51% | Czech Republic |
| PEMEX 4.88% 21/02/2028 | Energy | 0.44% | Mexico |
| BNP PARIBAS 11/06/2030 | Financials | 0.43% | France |
| PEMEX 4.88% 21/02/2028 | Energy | 0.43% | Mexico |
| BNP PARIBAS S 7.38% 11/06/2030 | Financials | 0.42% | France |
| ROMANIA 4.62% 03/04/2049 | Sovereign bonds | 0.37% | Romania |

Source: Carmignac, 29.12.2023

What was the proportion of sustainability-related investments?

In 2023, the Sub-Fund had 25.8% of the portfolio's net assets invested in sustainable investments as per our definition above mentioned, on average, based on 4 quarters ends data.

What was the asset allocation?

Asset allocation describes the share of investments in specific assets.

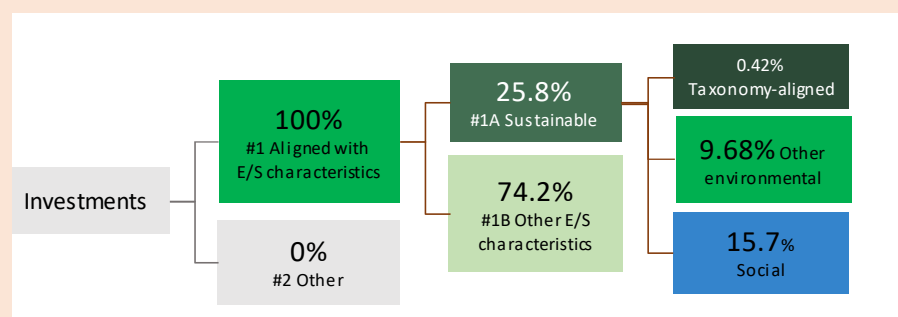
A minimum proportion of 90% of the investments of this Sub-Fund is used to meet the environmental or social characteristics promoted by the financial product in accordance with the binding elements of the investment strategy. In 2023, 100% of issuers have been covered by the ESG analysis thus 100% of issuers were aligned with these E/S characteristics, on average, based on 4 quarters ends data.

Minimum Proportion of sustainable investments:

The Sub-Fund makes sustainable investments whereby a minimum of 10% of the Sub-Fund's net assets are invested in shares considered aligned with relevant United Nations Sustainable Development Goals ("the SDGs"). In 2023, this positive screening has been applied and 25.8% of the Sub-Fund's net assets were invested in shares of companies in relation to business activities which align positively with one of the 17 United Nations Sustainable Development Goals.

The minimum levels of sustainable investments with environmental and social objectives are respectively 1% and 3% of the Sub-Fund's net assets. In 2023, 10.1% of the Sub-Fund's net assets were invested in sustainable investments with environmental objectives, and 15.7% in sustainable investment with social objectives.

The #2 Other investment (in addition to cash and derivatives which may be used for hedging purposes, if applicable) are equity, corporate bonds or sovereign bonds investments which are not used to achieve the environmental or social characteristics promoted by the Sub-Fund. They are investments made strictly in accordance with the Sub-Fund's investment strategy and have the purpose of implementing the Sub-Fund's investment strategy. All such investments are made subject to ESG analysis (including through our ESG proprietary sovereign model for sovereign bonds) and for equity and corporate bonds are subject to a screening of minimum safeguards to ensure that their business activities are aligned with the OECD Guidelines for Multinational Enterprises and the UN Guiding Principles on Business and Human Rights. In 2023, this proportion is 0% of the net assets of the Fund.



#1 Aligned with E/S characteristics includes the investments of the financial product used to attain the environmental or social characteristics promoted by the financial product.

#2 Other includes the remaining investments of the financial product which are neither aligned with the environmental or social characteristics, nor are qualified as sustainable investments.

The category **#1 Aligned with E/S characteristics** covers:

- The sub-category **#1A Sustainable** covers environmentally and socially sustainable investments.
- The sub-category **#1B Other E/S characteristics** covers investments aligned with the environmental or social characteristics that do not qualify as sustainable investments.

● ***In which economic sectors were the investments made?***

Please find below the average top sectors based on 12 month end data for 2023 for the equity section of the portfolio :

| Larger economic sectors | % Assets |
|-------------------------|----------|
| Health Care | 7.9% |
| Information Technology | 6.2% |
| Materials | 5.1% |

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| Consumer Discretionary | 4.3% |
| Financials | 3.8% |
| Industrials | 3.4% |
| Telecommunication Services | 2.7% |
| Consumer Staples | 2.4% |
| Energy | 1.2% |
| Energy Equipment & Services | 1.0% |
| Oil, Gas & Consumable Fuels | 0.2% |
| Real Estate | 0.5% |
| Utilities | 0.3% |

Please find below the average top sectors based on 12 month end data for 2023 for the corporate bonds section of the portfolio :

| Larger economic sectors | % Assets |
|-----------------------------|----------|
| Financials | 8.6% |
| Energy | 6.6% |
| Energy Equipment & Services | 3.9% |
| Oil, Gas & Consumable Fuels | 2.7% |
| Discretionary | 1.4% |
| Real Estate | 1.0% |
| Telecommunication Services | 1.0% |
| Utilities | 0.8% |
| Information Technology | 0.3% |
| Health Care | 0.3% |
| Industrials | 0.3% |

To comply with the EU Taxonomy, the criteria for **fossil gas** include limitations on emissions and switching to fully 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 and among others have greenhouse gas emission levels corresponding to the best performance.



Source: Carmignac, 29.12.2023

To what extent were the sustainable investments with an environmental objective aligned with the EU Taxonomy?

As of 29/12/2023, 0.42% of the sustainable investments with an environmental objective were aligned with the EU Taxonomy.

Did the financial product invest in fossil gas and/or nuclear energy related activities complying with the EU Taxonomy¹⁰?

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Yes:

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In fossil gas

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In nuclear energy



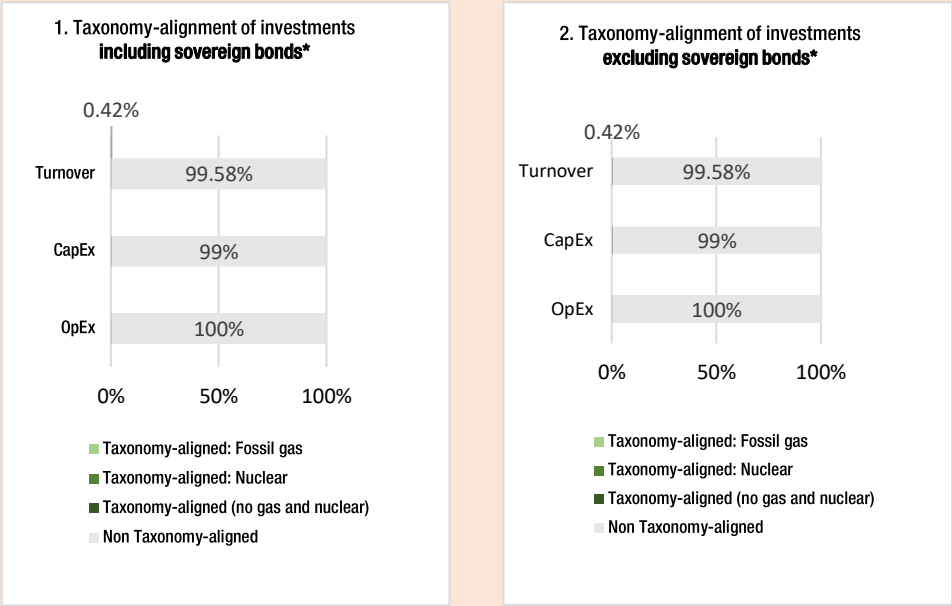
No:

¹⁰ 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 objectives - see explanatory note in the left hand margin. The full criteria for fossil gas and nuclear energy economic activities that comply with the EU Taxonomy are laid down in Commission Delegated Regulation (EU) 2022/1214.

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

The graphs below show in green the percentage of investments that were aligned with the EU Taxonomy. As there is no appropriate methodology to determine the taxonomy-alignment of sovereign bonds*, the first graph shows the Taxonomy alignment in relation to all the investments of the financial product including sovereign bonds, while the second graph shows the Taxonomy alignment only in relation to the investments of the financial product other than sovereign bonds.



* For the purpose of these graphs, 'sovereign bonds' consist of all sovereign exposures.

● **What was the share of investments made in transitional and enabling activities?**

Not Applicable

● **How did the percentage of investments that were aligned with the EU Taxonomy compare with previous reference periods?**

In 2022, the percentage of investments that were aligned with the EU Taxonomy was 2.51%.



What was the share of sustainable investments with an environmental objective not aligned with the EU Taxonomy?

In 2023, 9.68% of the Sub-Fund's net assets were invested in sustainable investments with environmental objectives not aligned with the EU Taxonomy, on average, based on 4 quarters ends data.



What was the share of socially sustainable investments?

In 2023, 15.7% of the Sub-Fund's net assets were invested in sustainable investments with social objectives, on average, based on 4 quarters ends data.



are sustainable investments with an environmental objective that **do not take into account the criteria** for environmentally sustainable economic activities under the EU Taxonomy.



What investments were included under “other”, what was their purpose and were there any minimum environmental or social safeguards?

The remaining portion of the portfolio (outside the minimum proportion of 90%) may also promote environmental and social characteristics but are not systematically covered by ESG analysis. Such assets may include derivatives instruments or securities that have been subject to an initial public offering, the ESG analysis of which may be carried out after the acquisition of said financial instrument by the Sub-Fund.

At issuer level (for equities and corporate bonds), non sustainable assets are examined for adherence to global norms on environmental protection, human rights, labor standards and anti-corruption, through controversy (“norms-based”) screening. The investments are subject to a screening of minimum safeguards to ensure that their business activities are aligned with the OECD Guidelines for Multinational Enterprises and the UN Guiding Principles on Business and Human Rights.

What actions have been taken to meet the environmental and/or social characteristics during the reference period?

The below listed actions were conducted at Carmignac in 2023 in order to support the investment process in meeting environmental /social characteristics :

ESG Integration

- We have continued to develop our proprietary ESG system called START that aggregates raw ESG-related company data into one interface, which includes impact, carbon and controversy data as well as proprietary analysis from our analysts.
- We developed a United Nation’s Sustainable Development Goal (SDGs) operational alignment methodology for use across a broad selection of our funds. This methodology helps us to assess the extent to which a company’s operational practices are aligned with the UN SDGs.

Sustainability Reporting

- We have added ESG data into our fund level reports for our Article 8 and 9 funds detailing ESG indicators performance versus our benchmarks and their investment alignment to the UN Sustainable Development Goals.
- We have further refined our focus on 3 key sustainability themes: climate change (C), empowerment (E) and leadership (L). We have published a guide for our investee companies about our ESG expectations related to these themes: https://carmidoc.carmignac.com/ESGGUIDE_FR_en.pdf.

Stewardship

- 100% Voting Target: we have succeeded in participating in close to 100% (95% in 2023) of all possible annual general meeting votes. We have engaged with 60 companies on ESG issues and started to report quarterly on key voting stats and examples of engagements.
- Stewardship code: We have been approved by the FRC to become signatory of the Stewardship Code by complying with all principles, as formalized in our annual Stewardship Report: https://carmidoc.carmignac.com/SWR_FR_en.pdf
- Regulatory Consultation: Comprehensive input to the European Commission’s consultations either directly, or through our fund associations working groups EFAMA, AI,UK, Alfi Luxembourg and AFG, France. We have been asked to present to the French Regulator our methodology for reducing investment universe based on ESG criteria without sector biases, which has been retained in the context of new industry-wide guidelines.

Transparency

- We have created a new Sustainable Investment Hub on our website to value our ESG approach, policies and reports: https://www.carmignac.fr/en_GB/sustainable-investment/overview
- We have launched an ESG Outcomes Calculator so that investors can assess the social and environmental contributions of their investments in our responsible and sustainable funds. Our ESG Outcomes Calculator is primarily an educational tool to help them understand what their savings are indirectly funding. It reflects our commitment to transparency, reinforcing our sustainable investment approach. It is available here: https://www.carmignac.fr/en_GB/sustainable-investment/esg-outcomes-calculator

Collaborative engagements

Carmignac sees value in both direct and collaborative engagement, and it is the combination of both which leads to the most influential and effective stewardship. It is by joining forces that investors can most effectively influence investee companies on material ESG issues, including market-wide and systemic risks, and ultimately help improve the functioning of markets. With this in mind, we have increased our involvement with Climate 100+, in particular for the collective engagement with Pemex as bondholder of the company.

More specifically regarding engagements, our fiduciary responsibility involves the full exercise of our rights as shareholders and engagement with the companies in which we are invested. Dialogue is maintained by financial analysts, portfolio managers and ESG team. We believe that our engagement leads to a better understanding of how companies manage their extra-financial risks and significantly improve their ESG profile while delivering long-term value creation for our clients, society and the environment. Our engagement may concern one of five considerations: 1) ESG risks, 2) an ESG theme, 3) a desired impact, 4) controversial behaviour, or 5) a voting decision at a General Meeting. Carmignac may collaborate with other shareholders and bondholders when doing so would help influence the actions and governance of companies held in the portfolio. In order to ensure that the company correctly identifies, foresees and manages any potential or confirmed conflict of interest situation, Carmignac has put in place and maintains policies and guidelines. For more information on our engagement policies, please visit the website.

Reference benchmarks are indexes to measure whether the financial product attains the environmental or social characteristics that they promote.

In 2023, we engaged with 60 companies on ESG specific topics at Carmignac level, and with 22 companies in this particular Sub-Fund.

For example, in 2023, Carmignac held two meetings with Total Energies.

These two meetings were an opportunity for Carmignac to provide feedback to the company on its climate strategy. We acknowledged the company's efforts regarding its performance on a range of sustainability issues and the maturing of its energy transition strategy.

We highlight below the key points of discussion with the company:

- Responsibility for indirect CO2 emissions (Scope 3);
- Evolution of low-carbon energies capex;
- Use of offsetting mechanisms instead of technology to reduce carbon emissions directly;
- Articulation of environmental benefits of the gas expansion strategy using forward looking scenario analysis against other viable technologies.

As a result, Carmignac voted against the company's 2023 sustainability & climate progress report. We remain concerned that the company's report is missing material information to enable us to understand and compare its energy transition strategy with peers. Also, we think there is insufficient appetite by management to acknowledge the company's responsibility for its products' emissions. We think this stance will not be tenable in the medium to long term from a legal perspective.

How did this financial product perform compared to the reference benchmark?

Not Applicable



- ***How does the reference benchmark differ from a broad market index?***

Not Applicable

- ***How did this financial product perform with regard to the sustainability indicators to determine the alignment of the reference benchmark with the environmental or social characteristics promoted?***

Not Applicable

- ***How did this financial product perform compared with the reference benchmark?***

Not Applicable

- ***How did this financial product perform compared with the broad market index?***

Not Applicable