ANNEX IV

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

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.

Product name: CARMIGNAC PORTFOLIO CLIMATE TRANSITION
Legal entity identifier: 54930057GC9U64S2L480

Environmental and/or social characteristics

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

☐ **Yes**	☒ **No**
☐ It made **sustainable investments with an environmental objective:** ___%	☒ 4. It **promoted Environmental/Social (E/S) characteristics** and while it did not have as its objective a sustainable investment, it had a proportion of 30 % of sustainable investments
☐ in economic activities that qualify as environmentally sustainable under the EU Taxonomy	☒ 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	☒ with an environmental objective in economic activities that do not qualify as environmentally sustainable under the EU Taxonomy
	☐ with a social objective
☐ It made **sustainable investments with a social objective:** ___%	☐ It promoted E/S characteristics, but **did not make any sustainable investments**

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.

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

The Sub-Fund promoted 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) Minimums of sustainable investments with an environmental objective (30%) and mininimum of taxonomy alignment (10%), 4) Active Stewardship to promote Environment and Social characteristics, 5) Monitoring of Principal Adverse Impacts

No breach of environmental and social characteristics promoted have been identified during the year.

How did the sustainability indicators perform?

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

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

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 more than 90% of issuers. In 2023, the coverage rate of ESG analysis was 100% of issuers, on average, based on 4 quarters ends data.

2) Amount the equity universe is reduced by (minimum 20%):

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: Companies which do not:

a) derive more than 10% of their revenues or capital expenditure towards eligible EU Taxonomy ("Taxonomy") activities; or
b) invest at least 10% of their capital expenditure in companies performing efficient commodity extraction, key to industrial supply chains that contribute to mitigating climate change

In 2023, the equity universe was reduced by 82.3% of the portfolio, on average, based on 4 quarters ends data.

3) Minimum of Sustainable investments : The Sub-Fund makes sustainable investments whereby a minimum of 30% of the Sub-Fund's net assets are invested in shares of companies which:

a) derive more than 10% of their revenues or capital expenditure towards eligible EU Taxonomy activities; or
b) invest at least 10% of their capital expenditure performing efficient commodity extraction, key to industrial supply chains that contribute to mitigating climate change.

To qualify as a sustainable investment, if a company meets one of the above critiera but has a heavy emitting business model (defined as being in the top 25% of polluting firms within the benchmark MSCI ACWI using the metric tonnes of Scope 1, 2 and 3 per euro of enterprise value including cash), it needs to have a science-based GHG reduction target, defined as having a Science Based Greenhouse Gas Target approved by the Science Based Targets initiative.

In addition, the minimum proportion of Taxonomy aligned investments is 10% of the Sub-Fund's net assets. For the minimum Taxonomy alignment calculation, the Technical Annex also serves as reference. The 4-step process is followed according to this guidance:

1. Determine if a company has eligible turnover
2. Assess the eligible activity's substantial contribution,
3. Ensure that the companies activities as a whole do not cause significant harm against the Taxonomy environmental objectives,
4. Determine if minimum safeguards are undertaken and the company does not violate important business norms such as the OECD Guidelines for Multinational Enterprises and the UN Guiding Principles on Business and Human Rights.

In 2023, 69.2% of the Sub-Fund's net assets were invested according to this positive screening, on average, based on 4 quarters ends data.

4) Active stewardship: Environmental and social related company engagements leading to improvement in companies sustainability policies are measured by folloiwng 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 5 companies at Carmignac Portfolio Climate Transition level. At Sub-fund level, we voted for 98% of the meetings where we had shareholder rights to exercise.

5) Principal adverse impacts: this Sub-Fund 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) 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 were monitored for Social violations and GHG intensity indicators. Finally, and where applicable, sovereign bond indictators: social violence and GHG intensity are monitored.

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	49363.19	99%
GHG Scope 2	Scope 2 GHG emissions	4231.82	99%
GHG Scope 3	From 1 January 2023, Scope 3 GHG emissions	128390.72	99%
Total GHG	Total GHG emissions	178099.38	99%
Carbon footprint	Carbon footprint	801.12	99%
GHG intensity	GHG intensity of investee companies	1503.32	99%
Exposure to fossil fuels	Share of investments in companies active in the fossil fuel sector	36%	99%
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	71%	86%
Energy consumptionintensity - Total	Energy consumption in GWh per million EUR of revenue of investee companies - Total	1.89	89%
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	89%
Energy consumption intensity - NACE SectorB	Energy consumption in GWh per million EUR of revenue of investee companies - NACE Sector B (Mining and quarrying)	1.56	89%
Energy consumption intensity - NACE SectorC	Energy consumption in GWh per million EUR of revenue of investee companies - NACE Sector C (Manufacturing)	0.70	89%
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)	6.07	89%
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)	0.67	89%
Energy consumption intensity - NACE Sector F	Energy consumption in GWh per million EUR of revenue of investee companies - NACE Sector F (Construction)	0.17	89%
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)	0.00	89%
Energy consumption intensity - NACE SectorH	Energy consumption in GWh per million EUR of revenue of investee companies - NACE Sector H (Transporting and storage)	0.00	89%
Energy consumption intensity - NACE Sector L	Energy consumption in GWh per million EUR of revenue of investee companies - NACE Sector L (Real estate activities)	0.00	89%
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%	99%
Emissions to water	Tons of emissions to water generated by investee companies per million EUR invested, expressed as a weighted average	4.71	4%
Hazardous waste	Tons of hazardous waste generated by investee companies per million EUR invested, expressed as a weighted average	61.18	50%

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	9%
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	100%
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	0.43	99%
Gender pay gap	Average unadjusted gender pay gap of investee companies	14%	24%
Board gender diversity	Average ratio of female to male board members in investee companies	33%	97%
Controversial weapons	Share of investments in investee companies involved in the manufacture or selling of controversial weapons	0.00	99%
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)	131.72	70%

…and compared to previous periods?

This Sub-Fund has used the following sustainability indicators to measure the attainment of the sustainable objective :

- Sustainable investments that are eligible companies within the Taxonomy regulation (EU) 2020/852 (minimum 60% of the Sub-Fund's net assets, as described above) As of 30/12/2022, the proportion of taxonomy eligible investments was 88,59% of net assets.
- Alignment with Taxonomy regulation (EU) 2020/852 (minimum 10% of the Sub-Fund's net assets). As of 30/12/2022, the proportion of taxonomy aligned investments was 16.29%

The Sub-Fund has also used the following approaches and indicators to demonstrate its level of commitment to sustainability:

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 100% of issuers.

2) Amount the equity universe is reduced by (minimum 20%): Negative screening and exclusions of unsustainable activities based on following indicators: (a) controversies against the OECD business guidelines and UN Global compact principles, (b) companies involved in the manufacture of controversial weapons (c) coal mining activity (d) power companies that do not respect certain carbon intensity limits, (e) companies involved in tobacco (f) companies involved in adult entertainment. The universe is further reduced by excluding companies not meeting the aforementioned sustainable objectives. As of 30/12/2022, the universe was reduced by 78% of the portfolio.

3) Active stewardship: Environmental and social related company engagements leading to improvement in companies sustainability policies were measured by the 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 2022, we engaged with 81 companies at Carmignac level, and 7 companies at Carmignac Portfolio Climate Transition level. At Sub-fund level, we voted for close to 100% of the meetings where we have shareholder or bondholder righs to exercise (96.30%).

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 Responsible Investment team for pertinence and coverage) 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, Board gender diversity, Exposure to controversial weapons, Excessive CEO pay ratio (optional choice).

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	Fund	Coverage
GHG Scope 1	Scope 1 GHG emissions	**69 583**	99%
GHG Scope 2	Scope 2 GHG emissions	**7 775**	99%
GHG Scope 3	From 1 January 2023, Scope 3 GHG emissions	**172 165**	99%
Total GHG	Total GHG emissions	**249 523**	99%
Carbon footprint	Carbon footprint	**858,08**	99%
GHG intensity	GHG intensity of investee companies	**1 558,39**	99%
Exposure to fossil fuels	Share of investments in companies active in thefossil fuel sector	**16,83%**	99%
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	**70,77%**	99%
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	**30,81%**	99%
Energy consumptionintensity - Total	Energy consumption in GWh per million EUR of revenue of investee companies - Total	**1,27**	99%
Energy consumption intensity - NACE SectorA	Energy consumption in GWh per million EUR of revenue of investee companies - NACE Sector A(Agriculture, forestry and fishing)	**0,16**	99%
Energy consumption intensity - NACE SectorB	Energy consumption in GWh per million EUR of revenue of investee companies - NACE Sector B(Mining and quarrying)	**1,02**	99%
Energy consumption intensity - NACE SectorC	Energy consumption in GWh per million EUR of revenue of investee companies - NACE Sector C(Manufacturing)	**0,68**	99%
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)	**6,29**	99%
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)	**0,48**	99%
Energy consumption intensity - NACE Sector F	Energy consumption in GWh per million EUR of revenue of investee companies - NACE Sector F(Construction)	**0,20**	99%
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)	**N/A**	0%
Energy consumption intensity - NACE SectorH	Energy consumption in GWh per million EUR of revenue of investee companies - NACE Sector H(Transporting and storage)	**0,27**	99%
Energy consumption intensity - NACE Sector L	Energy consumption in GWh per million EUR of revenue of investee companies - NACE Sector L (Real estate activities)	**N/A**	0%
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	**1,24%**	99%
Emissions to water	Tons of emissions to water generated by investee companies per million EUR invested, expressed as a weighted average	**527,16**	99%
Hazardous waste	Tons of hazardous waste generated by investee companies per million EUR invested, expressed as a weighted average	**161,60**	99%
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	**24 727,05**	99%
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	**0,30%**	99%
Processes to monitor UNGC	Share of investments in investee companies without policies to monitor	**59,88%**	99%

/ OECD compliance	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		
Gender pay gap	Average unadjusted gender pay gap of investee companies	**84,13%**	99%
Board gender diversity	Average ratio of female to male board members in investee companies	**28,00%**	99%
Controversial weapons	Share of investments in investee companies involved in the manufacture or selling of controversial weapons	**0,00%**	99%
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)	**61,16**	99%

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 made sustainable investments whereby a minimum of 30% of the Sub-Fund's net assets, are invested shares of companies which:

1) derive more than 10% of their revenues or capital expenditure towards eligible EU Green Taxonomy activities; or
2) invest at least 10% of their capital expenditure performing efficient commodity extraction, key to industrial supply chains that contribute to mitigating climate change.

To qualify as a sustainable investment, if a company meets one of the above critiera but has a heavy emitting business model (defined as being in the top 25% of polluting firms within the benchmark MSCI ACWI using the metric tonnes of Scope 1, 2 and 3 per euro of enterprise value including cash), it needs to have a science-based GHG reduction target, defined as having a Science Based Greenhouse Gas Target approved by the Science Based Targets initiative.

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

We used 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: Companies which do not:

1) derive more than 10% of their revenues or capital expenditure towards eligible EU Taxonomy ("Taxonomy") activities; or
2) invest at least 10% of their capital expenditure in companies performing efficient commodity extraction, key to industrial supply chains that contribute to mitigating climate change.

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 Indicators were monitored on a quarterly basis. Outlier adverse impacts are identified for degree of severity. After discussion with the investment team an action plan was established including a timeline for execution. Company dialogue was usually the preferred course of action to influence the company's mitigation of adverse impacts, in which case the company engagement was included in the quarterly 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?

Carmignac applied 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 acted 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 applied 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 indentification 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 was applied using data extracted from ISS ESG as the research data base.

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 indictators: social violence and GHG intensity can also be monitored.

As part of its PAI strategy, Carmignac identifies companies that underperform the benchmark in terms of PAI Indicators. Our third party data provider, MSCI enables us to monitor the impact of our funds for each PAI. The PAI values of the fund are compared to the values of the benchmark. When the fund PAI underperforms the benchmark PAI by a certain threshold, we look for the issuers that are the main contributors to the underperformance of the given PAI. Those companies are considered outliers.

Identifying outliers for each PAI indicator enables us to engage with companies in order to ensure they are committed to reducing their impact. We identified that Total Energies was one of the main contributors to the underperformance of Carmignac Portolio Climate Transition for the GHG intensity PAI in 2022. As a result, Carmignac held two meetings with Total Energies in 2023.

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.

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 bonds section of the portfolio :

Larger investments	Sector	% Assets	Country
NEXTERA ENERGY INC	Utilities	7.27%	United States
SAMSUNG ELECTRONICS	Information Technology	6.44%	Korea, South
MICROSOFT CORP	Information Technology	6.17%	United States
RWE AG	Utilities	5.73%	Germany
WASTE MANAGEMENT INC	Industrials	5.15%	United States
THERMO FISHER SCIENTIFIC INC	Health Care	4.46%	United States
DANAHER CORP	Health Care	4.17%	United States
LG CHEM LTD	Materials	3.77%	Korea, South
SSE PLC	Utilities	3.35%	United Kingdom
TAIWAN SEMICONDUCTOR	Information Technology	3.24%	Taiwan
ANSYS	Information Technology	2.64%	United States
TPI COMPOSITES INC	Industrials	2.02%	United States
ECOLAB INC	Materials	1.96%	United States
S.O.I.T.E.C.	Information Technology	1.84%	France
ORSTED AS	Utilities	1.77%	Denmark

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

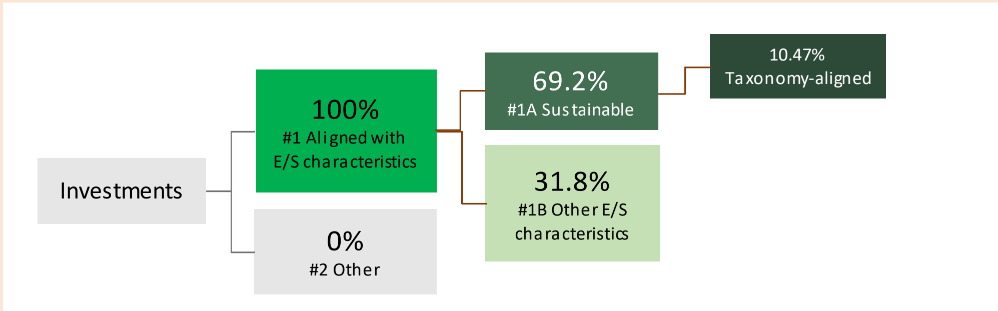
Source: Carmignac, 29.12.2023

What was the proportion of sustainability-related investments?

In 2023, the Sub-Fund had 69.2% 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.



#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.

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

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 are aligned with this E/S characteristics, on average, based on 4 quarters ends data.

The minimum levels of sustainable investments with environmental objective is 30% of the Sub-Fund's net assets and a minimum of 10% is aligned with the taxonomy. In 2023, 69.2% of the Sub-Fund's net assets were invested in sustainable investments and 10.47% were invested in taxonomy aligned assets, on average, based on 4 quarters ends data.

The #2 Other investments (in additional to cash and derivatives which may be used for hedging purposes, if applicable) were corporate bonds or sovereign bonds investments which were not classified as sustainable investment. They were 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 were made subject to ESG analysis (including through our ESG proprietary sovereign model for sovereign bonds) and for equity and corporate bonds were subject to a screening of minimum safeguards to ensure that their business activities were aligned with the OECD Guidelines for Multinational Enterprises and the UN Guiding Principles on Business and Human Rights. These instruments were not used to achieve the environmental or social characteristics promoted by the Sub-Fund.

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 corporate bonds section of the portfolio:

Larger economic sectors	% Assets
Information Technology	25.31%
Industrials	19.3%
Utilities	19.27%
Materials	9.22%
Health Care	8.6%
Energy	5.1%
Oil, Gas & Consumable Fuels	4.9%
Energy Equipment & Services	0.2%
Consumer Discretionary	3.2%
Consumer Staples	0.6%
Telecommunication Services	0.32%

Source: Carmignac, 29.12.2023

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

In 2023, 10.47% of the sustainable investments with an environmental objective were aligned with the EU Taxonomy.

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.

Did the financial product invest in fossil gas and/or nuclear energy related activties complying with the EU Taxonomy[2]?

☐ Yes:

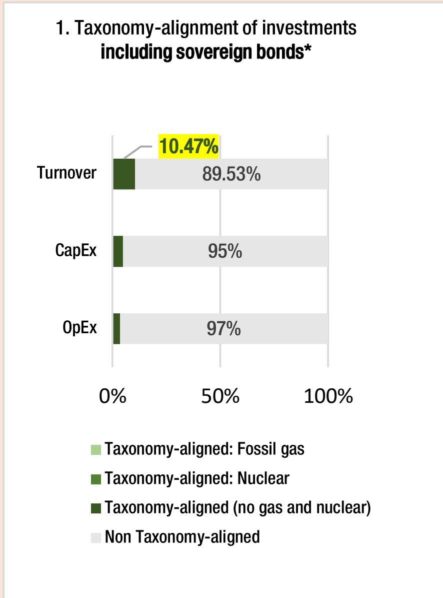
☐ In fossil gas ☐ In nuclear energy

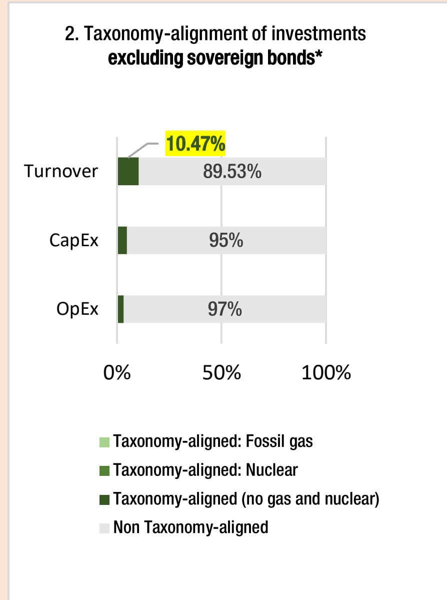
☒ No:

[2] 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 de 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?

Non Applicable

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

In 2022, 16.29% of investments were aligned with the EU Taxonomy.

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

The minimum level of sustainable investments with environmental objectives that are not aligned with the EU Taxonomy is 20% of the Sub-Fund's net assets (when calculated with a minimum of 10% taxonomy aligned investments invested and 30% minimum of sustainable investments). As of 29/12/2023, 58.73% of the Sub-Fund's net assets were invested in sustainable investments with environmental objectives not aligned with the EU Taxonomy.

What was the share of socially sustainable investments?

Non applicable.

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 unlisted securities 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. The Sub-Fund may also be invested, on an ancillary basis, in corporate bonds.

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 :

<u>ESG Integration</u>

- 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.

<u>Sustainability Reporting</u>

- 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.

<u>Stewardship</u>

- 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 invpi estment 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+.

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.

In 2023, we engaged with 60 companies on ESG specific topics at Carmignac level, and with 5 companies in this particular Sub-Fund as Hyundai described below.

We engaged with Hyundai in 2023, following our two engagements with the company in 2022, the topics discussed were the following:

- **Cross-shareholdings:** we flagged our expectations and the need for more clarity from the company regarding their plans to simplify the shareholding structure.
- **Board composition:** the company is increasing the number of board members from 11 to 13. Focus on broadening the skillset and considering diversity considerations such as nationality and gender.
- **Presence of one inside director (the CFO) on the remuneration committee.** We flagged this is an issue and told the company this would trigger a vote against the re-election of this director at the 2023 AGM.
- **Social:** following the recent controversy related to the presence of children in their Alabama supply chains, the company has taken a series of robust steps including the audit of 19 plants in Alabama. They explained their ambition to enhance the review of their global supply chains from a social perspective. We will monitor the steps taken by the company.
- **Environmental:** they are in the process of setting science-based targets. We mentioned our expectation around the development of their approach to Life Cycle Assessments.

This call helped inform our vote at the 2023 AGM and monitor the progress made by the company following our previous engagements with them. We voted against the election of the CFO given their presence on the remuneration committee in line with our voting policy.

We will continue to engage with the company on the topics mentioned above.

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

Non Applicable

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

Non 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?

Non Applicable

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

Non Applicable

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

Non Applicable

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