Jointly owned fund pursuant to the InvFG

Annual Report 2018/19

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# **General Information about the Investment Firm**

The company	Erste Asset Management GmbH Am Belvedere 1, A-1100 Vienna Telephone: +43 05 0100-19777, Fax: +43 05 0100-919777
Registered capital	EUR 2.50 million
Shareholders	Erste Group Bank AG (64.67%) VIENNA INSURANCE GROUP AG Wiener Versicherung Gruppe (0.76%) Erste Bank der österreichischen Sparkassen AG (22.17%) DekaBank Deutsche Girozentrale, Frankfurt (1.65%) NÖ-Sparkassen Beteiligungsgesellschaft m. b. H. (0.76%) Salzburger Sparkasse Bank Aktiengesellschaft (1.65%) Sieben Tiroler Sparkassen Beteiligungsgesellschaft m. b. H. (1.65%) Steiermärkische Bank und Sparkassen Aktiengesellschaft (3.30%) "Die Kärntner" Trust-Vermögensverwaltungsgesellschaft m. b. H. & Co KG (1.65%) Tiroler Sparkasse Bankaktiengesellschaft Innsbruck (1.74%)
Supervisory Board	Rudolf SAGMEISTER (Chairman) Thomas SCHAUFLER (Deputy Chairman) Ingo BLEIER Harald GASSER Gerhard GRABNER Oswald HUBER Radovan JELASITY Robert LASSHOFER Martin SIMHANDL (until 22 February 2019) Gerald WEBER (from 22 February 2019) Appointed by the Works Council: Martin CECH Heinrich Hubert REINER Peter RIEDERER Nicole WEINHENGST Manfred ZOUREK
Managing directors	Heinz BEDNAR Winfried BUCHBAUER Peter KARL Wolfgang TRAINDL
Prokuristen (proxies)	Achim ARNHOF (from 15 December 2018) Karl FREUDENSCHUSS Manfred LENTNER Günther MANDL Gerold PERMOSER Magdalena REISCHL
State commissioners	Caroline HABERFELLNER Philipp VISKI-HANKA
Auditor	Ernst & Young Wirtschaftsprüfungsgesellschaft m.b.H.
Depositary bank	Erste Group Bank AG

# Dear Unit-holder,

We are pleased to present you the following annual report for the ERSTE RESPONSIBLE BOND EURO CORPORATE jointly owned fund pursuant to the InvFG for the period from 1 May 2018 to 30 April 2019.

The former management company, ERSTE-SPARINVEST Kapitalanlagegesellschaft m.b.H., was merged into Erste Asset Management GmbH effective 31 December 2017 and with entry of this merger in the trade register of Vienna Commercial Court on 3 November 2018. Erste Asset Management GmbH became the Management Company of ERSTE RESPONSIBLE BOND EURO CORPORATE as of the effective date of the merger.

# **Development of the Fund**

## **Development of the capital markets:**

The capital markets were again driven in large part by the expansive monetary policies during the reporting period. Inflation rose somewhat due to the climbing commodity prices, but remained at low levels. The bond purchase programme, which included not only government bonds, bonds from quasi-sovereign entities, and covered bonds but also corporate bonds from the Eurozone since June 2016, was gradually reduced and then terminated at the end of 2018. Capital market yields remained at low levels during the reporting period while spreads on many bonds, especially corporate paper, widened considerably in some cases for a time but then narrowed substantially again at the tail end of the period. The key interest rate in the Eurozone remained at a very low level while the US Fed continued its rate hikes. Demand from investors and central banks is still high, and many new issues are oversubscribed as a result. The supply of bonds in the period was somewhat lower than in the previous years, but green bonds and social bonds gained in importance and market breadth. Among the bonds from periphery countries, Italy was considerably weaker than its counterparts.

Currencies in the developed industrialised countries fluctuated quite strongly during the reporting period, and the euro gained against numerous major world currencies. The USD moved sideways versus the EUR.

## Outlook

We expect the key rate to remain unchanged in the Eurozone for the coming financial year and the global economy to grow moderately. As the inflation rates in the Eurozone are still stuck beneath the ECB's target and because of the heterogeneous developments in the individual countries, there is little leeway for rising interest rates and yields. We also expect economic growth in the USA to slow, which should cause the Fed to keep its interest rates stable. In currency terms, the USD should move sideways within technical ranges.

Investment grade corporate bonds are somewhat attractive at the current spread level, and the economic trend makes any significant increase in bond default rates unlikely. In terms of bond categories, sectors, and issuers, an active management approach is still being pursued that aims to make use of opportunities within sectors and relating to individual issuers both on the primary and secondary markets. Political and economic risks will be relevant drivers for the capital markets in the current year.

ERSTE RESPONSIBLE BOND EURO CORPORATE is a bond fund that invests primarily in euro-denominated investment grade bonds (minimum rating BBB-/Baa3). It focuses on OECD-domiciled bonds from industrial companies and financial services providers, with an average overall portfolio rating of A-/BBB+. The fund invests solely in issuers that facilitate socially and environmentally appropriate production processes. ERSTE RESPONSIBLE BOND EURO CORPORATE meets its investment objectives by optimising the data collected for vetting purposes about the target organisation's sustainability performance. Active and dynamic fund management are a second source for the alpha. A four-stage investment process guarantees the optimisation of the ESG (environmental, social, and governance) input data. This process includes the support of an advisory board for feedback from the individual stakeholders and collaboration with three ESG research agencies.

The fund's interest rate duration is kept stable, and varied between 4.3 and 5.0 years during the reporting period. In regional terms, the portfolio focuses on issuers from France, Germany, the USA, the UK, and the Netherlands. If appropriate, the fund can also invest in funds that are in line with the investment principles as well as in time deposits. Sub-investment grade bonds (ratings lower than BBB-/Baa3) and bonds that are not rated by the major international rating agencies are also held by the fund to a limited extent. Subordinated bonds from financial services providers, industrials, and utilities were weaker than the overall market. Slight front-end surcharges were earned for new issues in most cases. Because of the attractive market conditions, numerous corporate bonds were bought on the primary market during the reporting period. The share of subordinated issues remained stable. In the maturity segments, 7-10-year bonds were overweighted versus the market as a whole while short terms had in part negative yields and remained underweighted. Ultra-long terms with maturities in ten years or later were also underweighted because of the high interest rate risk.

Derivative financial instruments:

ERSTE RESPONSIBLE BOND EURO CORPORATE used listed futures for duration and yield curve management during the reporting period.

# **Method of Calculating the Global Exposure**

Method of calculating t	ne global exposure:	Commitment approach
Reference assets used:		-
Value at risk:	Lowest value: Average value: Highest value:	- - -
Model used:		-
Leverage* when using	the value-at-risk calculation method:	-
Leverage** according t Measurement and Rep	to § 4 of the 4 <sup>th</sup> Derivatives Risk prting Regulation:	-

\* Total nominal values of derivative instruments without taking into account offsetting and hedging (item 8.5. Schedule B InvFG 2011).

\*\* Total derivative risk taking offsetting and hedging into account = total of the equivalent values of the underlying assets as a percentage of the fund assets.

# **Asset Allocation**

	30 April	2019	30 April 2018	
	EUR millions	%	EUR millions	%
Bonds denominated in				
EUR	156.2	96.46	148.5	98.67
Securities	156.2	96.46	148.5	98.67
Bank balances	4.3	2.64	0.7	0.44
Financial futures	-	-	- 0.1	- 0.06
Interest entitlements	1.5	0.91	1.4	0.95
Other deferred items	- 0.0	- 0.00	- 0.0	- 0.00
Fund assets	161.9	100.00	150.5	100.00

# **Comparative Overview**

Accounting year	Fund assets
2016/2017	174,899,803.27
2017/2018	150,532,840.91
2018/2019	161,902,567.14

General information about performance:

The performance of unit categories with no outstanding units at the end of the reporting period or no outstanding units during the reporting period is generally based on the dividend-adjusted performance of the overall fund. In these cases, the performance is not reported below.

When a unit category is issued during the reporting period, the performance and reinvestment are calculated from the point in time that the unit category is launched. Because of this and possible other fees and currency classes, the performance and reinvestment of this unit category differ from those of comparable unit categories.

The performance is determined assuming the reinvestment of all paid dividends and amounts at their nominal value on the day of disbursement.

Accounting year	Fund type	ISIN	Currency	Calculated value per unit	Dividend disbursement/ payment	Re- investment	Development in per cent
2016/2017	Dividend- bearing units	AT0000A0PHH8	EUR	114.84	1.3000	-	2.34
2017/2018	Dividend- bearing units	AT0000A0PHH8	EUR	114.38	1.2500	1.1105	0.73
2018/2019	Dividend- bearing units	AT0000A0PHH8	EUR	115.34	1.2000	0.0000	1.96
Accounting year	Fund type	ISIN	Currency	Calculated value per unit	Dividend disbursement/ payment	Re- investment	Development in per cent
2016/2017	Dividend- bearing units	AT0000A1YSC6	EUR	-	-	-	-
2017/2018	Dividend- bearing units	AT0000A1YSC6	EUR	99.33	1.2500	0.0000	-0.67
2018/2019	Dividend-	AT0000A1YSC6	EUR	100.27	1.2000	0.0204	2.23

Accounting	-			Calculated	Dividend	Re-	Development
year	Fund type	ISIN	Currency	value per unit	disbursement/ payment	investment	in per cent
2016/2017	Dividend- bearing units	ATOOOOA1YSD4	EUR	-	-	-	-
2017/2018	Dividend- bearing units	ATOOOOA1YSD4	EUR	99.28	1.2500	0.0000	-0.72
2018/2019	Dividend- bearing units	AT0000A1YSD4	EUR	100.19	1.2000	0.0000	2.21
Accounting year	Fund type	ISIN	Currency	Calculated value per unit	Dividend disbursement/ payment	Re- investment	Development in per cent
2016/2017	Non-dividend- bearing units	ATOOOOAOPHJ4	EUR	125.94	0.6177	1.8150	2.34
2017/2018	Non-dividend- bearing units	ATOOOOAOPHJ4	EUR	126.24	0.6074	1.9830	0.73
2018/2019	Non-dividend- bearing units	ATOOOOAOPHJ4	EUR	128.09	0.3344	0.8815	1.96
Accounting year	Fund type	ISIN	Currency	Calculated value per unit	Dividend disbursement/ payment	Re- investment	Development in per cent
2016/2017	Non-dividend- bearing units	AT0000A1YSE2	EUR	-	-	-	-
2017/2018	Non-dividend- bearing units	AT0000A1YSE2	EUR	99.30	0.1629	0.4740	-0.70
2018/2019	Non-dividend- bearing units	ATOOOOA1YSE2	EUR	101.39	0.3493	0.9210	2.28
Accounting year	Fund type	ISIN	Currency	Calculated value per unit	Dividend disbursement/ payment	Re- investment	Development in per cent
2016/2017	Non-dividend- bearing units	AT0000A1YSF9	EUR	-	-	-	-
2017/2018	Non-dividend- bearing units	AT0000A1YSF9	EUR	99.28	-	-	-
2018/2019	Non-dividend- bearing units	AT0000A1YSF9	EUR	101.30	-	-	-
Accounting year	Fund type	ISIN	Currency	Calculated value per unit	Dividend disbursement/ payment	Re- investment	Development in per cent
2016/2017	KESt-exempt non-dividend- bearing units	ATOOOOAOPHK2	EUR	130.50	-	2.5171	2.34
2017/2018	KESt-exempt non-dividend- bearing units	ATOOOOAOPHK2	EUR	131.46	-	2.6936	0.74
2018/2019	KESt-exempt non-dividend- bearing units	ATOOOOAOPHK2	EUR	133.99	-	1.2323	1.92

Accounting year	Fund type	ISIN	Currency	Calculated value per unit	Dividend disbursement/ payment	Re- investment	Development in per cent
2016/2017	KESt-exempt non-dividend- bearing units	ATOOOOA1YSG7	EUR	-	-	-	-
2017/2018	KESt-exempt non-dividend- bearing units	ATOOOOA1YSG7	EUR	99.32	-	-	-
2018/2019	KESt-exempt non-dividend- bearing units	ATOOOOA1YSG7	EUR	101.52	-	0.8527	2.22
Accounting year	Fund type	ISIN	Currency	Calculated value per unit	Dividend disbursement/ payment	Re- investment	Development in per cent
2016/2017	KESt-exempt non-dividend- bearing units	AT0000A24UX5	SEK	-	-	-	-
2017/2018	KESt-exempt non-dividend- bearing units	AT0000A24UX5	SEK	-	-	-	-
2018/2019	KESt-exempt non-dividend- bearing units	AT0000A24UX5	SEK	1,108.08	-	-	-

# **Disbursement/Payment**

The following disbursement or payment will be made for the accounting year from 1 May 2018 to 30 April 2019. The coupon-paying bank is obligated to withhold capital gains tax from this disbursement if the respective investor is not exempt from the payment of this tax.

The disbursement or payment will be effected on or after 1 August 2019 at

Erste Group Bank AG, Vienna,

and the respective bank managing the Unit-holder's securities account.

			Dividend		KESt	KESt	Reinvest-
Fund type	ISIN	Currency	disbursement/		with option	w/o option	ment
			payment		declaration	declaration	ment
Dividend-bearing units	AT0000A0PHH8	EUR	1.2000		0.3013	0.3013	0.0000
Dividend-bearing units	AT0000A1YSC6	EUR	1.2000		0.3351	0.3351	0.0204
Dividend-bearing units	AT0000A1YSD4	EUR	1.2000		0.3269	0.3269	0.0000
Non-dividend-bearing units	ATOOOOAOPHJ4	EUR	0.3344		0.3344	0.3344	0.8815
Non-dividend-bearing units	AT0000A1YSE2	EUR	0.3493		0.3493	0.3493	0.9210
Non-dividend-bearing units	AT0000A1YSF9	EUR	-		-	-	-
KESt-exempt non-dividend-	AT0000A0PHK2	EUR		*			1.2323
bearing units	AT0000A0FTIK2	LUK	-		-	-	1.2323
KESt-exempt non-dividend-	AT0000A1YSG7	EUR		*			0.8527
bearing units	ATOOODATISGI	LUK	-		-	-	0.8527
KESt-exempt non-dividend-	AT0000A24UX5	SEK		*			
bearing units	A10000A240A5	JEN	-		-	-	-

\* Pursuant to the penultimate sentence of § 58 (2) of the Austrian Investment Fund Act, no capital gains tax will be paid.

# **Income Statement and Changes in Fund Assets**

# **<u>1. Value Development over the Accounting Year (Fund Performance)</u>**

Calculation according to the OeKB method per unit in the unit currency not accounting for an front-end surcharge

The performance of unit categories with no outstanding units at the end of the reporting period or no outstanding units during the reporting period is generally based on the dividend-adjusted performance of the overall fund. In these cases, the "performance", the "net earnings per unit", and the "total value including (notional) units gained through disbursement/payment" are not reported in the following.

When a unit category is issued during the reporting period, the performance is calculated from the point in time that the unit category is launched. Because of this and possible other fees and currency classes, the performance of this unit category differs from that of comparable unit categories.

AT0000A0PHH8 dividend-bearing units EUR	
Unit value at the beginning of the reporting period (253,933.296 units)	114.38
Disbursement/payment on 30.07.2018 (corresponds to roughly 0.0111 units at a calculated value of 112.80)	1.2500
Unit value at the end of the reporting period (248,752.233 units)	115.34
Total value including (notional) units gained through dividend disbursement/payment	116.62
Net earnings per unit	2.24
Value development of one unit in the period	1.96%

AT0000A1YSC6 dividend-bearing units EUR	
Unit value at the beginning of the reporting period (18,691.000 units)	99.33
Disbursement/payment on 30.07.2018 (corresponds to roughly 0.0128 units at a calculated value of 97.88)	1.2500
Unit value at the end of the reporting period (14,141.000 units)	100.27
Total value including (notional) units gained through dividend disbursement/payment	101.55
Net earnings per unit	2.22
Value development of one unit in the period	2.23%

AT0000A1YSD4 dividend-bearing units EUR	
Unit value at the beginning of the reporting period (205.000 units)	99.28
Disbursement/payment on 30.07.2018 (corresponds to roughly 0.0128 units at a calculated value of 97.81)	1.2500
Unit value at the end of the reporting period (205.000 units)	100.19
Total value including (notional) units gained through dividend disbursement/payment	101.47
Net earnings per unit	2.19
Value development of one unit in the period	2.21%

AT0000A0PHJ4 non-dividend-bearing units EUR	
Unit value at the beginning of the reporting period (902,926.101 units)	126.24
Disbursement/payment on 30.07.2018 (corresponds to roughly 0.0048 units at a calculated value of 125.28)	0.6074
Unit value at the end of the reporting period (971,642.313 units)	128.09
Total value including (notional) units gained through dividend disbursement/payment	128.71
Net earnings per unit	2.47
Value development of one unit in the period	1.96%

AT0000A1YSE2 non-dividend-bearing units EUR	
Unit value at the beginning of the reporting period (54,570.000 units)	99.30
Disbursement/payment on 30.07.2018 (corresponds to roughly 0.0016 units at a calculated value of 98.93)	0.1629
Unit value at the end of the reporting period (55,050.000 units)	101.39
Total value including (notional) units gained through dividend disbursement/payment	101.56
Net earnings per unit	2.26
Value development of one unit in the period	2.28%

AT0000A1YSF9 non-dividend-bearing units EUR	
Unit value at the beginning of the reporting period (0.000 units)	99.28
Disbursement/payment	0.0000
Unit value at the end of the reporting period (0.000 units)	101.30
Total value including (notional) units gained through dividend disbursement/payment	-
Net earnings per unit	-
Value development of one unit in the period	-

AT0000A0PHK2 KESt-exempt non-dividend-bearing units EUR	
Unit value at the beginning of the reporting period (1,497.920 units)	131.46
Disbursement/payment	0.0000
Unit value at the end of the reporting period (5,202.303 units)	133.99
Total value including (notional) units gained through dividend disbursement/payment	133.99
Net earnings per unit	2.53
Value development of one unit in the period	1.92%

AT0000A1YSG7 KESt-exempt non-dividend-bearing units EUR	
Unit value at the beginning of the reporting period (0.000 units)	99.32
Disbursement/payment	0.0000
Unit value at the end of the reporting period (10,121.483 units)	101.52
Total value including (notional) units gained through dividend disbursement/payment	101.52
Net earnings per unit	2.20
Value development of one unit in the period	2.22%

AT0000A24UX5 KESt-exempt non-dividend-bearing units SEK	
Unit value on issue date (0.000 units)	0.00
Disbursement/payment	0.0000
Unit value at the end of the reporting period (0.000 units)	1,108.08
Total value including (notional) units gained through dividend disbursement/payment	-
Net earnings per unit	-
Value development of one unit in the period	-

# 2. Fund Result

#### a. Realised fund result **Ordinary fund result** Income (without profit or loss from price changes) Interest income (excluding income adjustment) 3,005,422.19 **Dividend** income 0.00 Other income 8) 0.00 Total income (without profit or loss from price changes) 3,005,422.19 **Interest paid** - 7,068.11 Expenses - 891,434.74 Fees paid to Investment Firm Costs for the financial auditor and tax consultation - 6,004.00 Publication costs - 119,359.25 Securities account fees - 46,298.91 - 78,446.27 Depositary bank fees Costs for the external consultant 0.00 **Total expenses** - 1,141,543.17 Compensation for management costs from sub-funds 1) 0.00 Ordinary fund result (excluding income adjustment) 1,856,810.91 Realised profit or loss from price changes 2) 3) Realised gains 4) 200,797.43 Realised losses 5) - 567,135.33 Realised profit or loss from price changes (excluding income adjustment) - 366,337.90 Realised fund result (excluding income adjustment) 1,490,473.01 b. Unrealised profit or loss from price changes 2) 3) Changes in the unrealised profit or loss from price changes 7) 1,618,214.30 **Result for the reporting period 6)** 3,108,687.31 c. Income adjustment Income adjustment for income in the period 65,984.68 Income adjustment for profit carried forward from dividend-bearing units - 38,349.29 **Overall fund result** 3,136,322.70

# **3. Changes in Fund Assets**

Fund assets at the beginning of the reporting period	150,532,840.91
Disbursement/payment in the accounting year	- 904,312.47
Issue and redemption of units	9,137,716.00
Overall fund result	
(The fund result is shown in detail under item 2.)	3,136,322.70
Fund assets at the end of the reporting period	161,902,567.14
(The fund result is shown in detail under item 2.)	

- 1) Reimbursements (in the sense of commissions) paid by third parties are forwarded to the fund after deduction of any associated costs. Erste Bank der oesterreichischen Sparkassen AG receives 25% of the calculated commissions to cover administrative costs.
- 2) Realised profits and losses are not calculated precisely for the specific periods, which means that they, as is the case for the changes in the unrealised profit or loss, are not necessarily congruent with the changes in the value of the fund in the reporting year.
- Total profit or loss from price changes without income adjustment (realised profit or loss from price changes, without income adjustment, plus changes in the unrealised profit or loss): EUR 1,251,876.40.
- 4) Thereof profits from transactions with derivative financial instruments: EUR 22,050.00.
- 5) Thereof losses from transactions with derivative financial instruments: EUR -279,835.20.
- 6) The result for the accounting year includes explicitly reported transaction costs in the amount of EUR 4,830.90.
- 7) Thereof changes in unrealised gains EUR 1,294,428.24 and unrealised losses EUR 323,786.06.
- 8) The earnings reported under this item can be attributed to lending fees from securities lending transactions conducted with Erste Group Bank AG in the amount of EUR 0.00, to earnings from real estate funds in the amount of EUR 0.00, and to other earnings in the amount of EUR 0.00.

# Statement of Assets and Liabilities as of 30 April 2019

(including changes in securities assets from 1 May 2018 to 30 April 2019)

Security designation	ISIN number	Interest rate		disposals	Holding in 1,000, rou	Price Inded)	Value in EUR	% share of fund assets
Publicly traded securities								
Bonds denominated in EUR								
Issue country Denmark								
NYKREDIT 15/27 FLR MTN	XS1321920735	2.750	0	0	1,000 Total issue o	104.885 country Denmark	1,048,852.01 1,048,852.01	0.65 0.65
Issue country Germany								
DT.PFBR.BANK MTN.35254	DE000A13SWH9	1.125	0	0	1,000 Total issue	100.640 country Germany	1,006,401.98 1,006,401.98	0.62
Issue country Finland								
CRH FIN.SER. 13/20 MTN CT.BK.SAV.BKS 15/20 MTN	XS0981442931 XS1227609879	2.750 1.000			1,000 2,200 Total issue	103.410 100.858 e country Finland	1,034,097.52 2,218,872.50 3,252,970.02	0.64 1.37 2.01
Issue country Ireland								
LUNAR FUNDING V 14/21 MTN LUNAR FUNDING V 18/26 MTN	XS1051076922 XS1803247557	1.875 1.125			1,300 1,000 Total issu	104.470 103.388 e country Ireland	1,358,110.01 1,033,880.00 2,391,990.01	0.84 0.64 1.48
Issue country Italy								
ACEA S.P.A. 16/26 MTN 2 ATLANTIA 17/27 MTN	XS1508912646 XS1645722262	1.000 1.875			800 700	96.422 97.657	771,375.98 683,599.04	0.48 0.42
GENERALI 14/20 MTN GENERALI 15/47 FLR MTN	XS1014759648 XS1311440082	2.875 5.500		-	1,000 800	102.065 112.507	1,020,650.00 900,056.03	0.63 0.56
HERA 14/24 MTN	XS1084043451	2.375	0	0	1,250	108.047	1,350,592.14	0.83
INTESA SAN. 14/22 MTN ITALGAS 17/29 MTN	XS1018032950 XS1685542497	3.500 1.625			1,000 1,000	107.575 101.639	1,075,752.03 1,016,394.20	0.66 0.63
PRYSMIAN 15/22 SNAM 16/26 MTN	XS1214547777 XS1505573482	2.500 0.875			500 1,000	102.110 99.286	510,550.00 992,864.00	0.32 0.61
TERNA R.E.N. 16/28 MTN UNICREDIT 18/23 MTN	XS1503131713 XS1754213947	1.000 1.000	0	0	1,000 800	98.315 98.035	983,153.99	0.61
STROKED I 10/23 WITH	NOT I 07210041	1.000	. 0	0		ssue country Italy	784,277.16 10,089,264.57	0.48 6.23
Issue country Netherlands								
CITYCON TREAS. 16/26	XS1485608118	1.250	0	0	500	89.899	449,496.69	0.28

# Accounting Year 2018/19

Security designation	ISIN number	Interest rate	Purch./	Sales/ disposals	Holding	Price	Value in EUR	% share of
	number			•	in 1,000, roun	ded)	III LOIN	fund
			Units/ no	innai (nom	. III 2,000, 100II	louj		assets
REN FIN. 18/28 MTN	XS1753814737	1.750	0	0	1,300	102.983	1,338,776.14	0.83
TELEFON.EUROPE 16/UND.FLR	XS1490960942	3.750			1,000	102.303	1,041,092.00	0.64
	//01/1000000/12	5.750	. 0		otal issue count	-	2,829,364.83	1.75
						-	2,020,004.00	1.10
Issue country Norway								
NORSK HYDRO 19/25	XS1974922442	1.125	800	0	800	100.565	804,520.00	0.50
					Total issue of	ountry Norway	804,520.00	0.50
						-	·	
Issue country Austria								
AT+S AUSTR.T.+S. 17-UND.	XS1721410725	4.750	100	0	800	94.250	754,000.00	0.47
ERSTE GR.BK. 19/24 MTN	XS1982725159	0.375	800	0	800	100.330	802,640.00	0.50
KAERNT.ELEKTRIZ. 12-22MTN	AT0000A0X913	3.250	0	0	500	109.550	547,750.00	0.34
OMV AG 18-UND. FLR	XS1713462403	2.875	600	0	600	103.342	620,054.40	0.38
RAIF.BK INTL 14/25FLR MTN	XS1034950672	4.500	0	0	1,000	103.185	1,031,850.00	0.64
RLBK OBEROEST. 17/23 MTN	XS1720806774	0.750	0	0	900	100.788	907,087.97	0.56
VOESTALPINE 17/24 MTN	AT0000A1Y3P7	1.375	0	0	700	101.370	709,590.00	0.44
					Total issue	country Austria	5,372,972.37	3.32
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Issue country Sweden								
SKAND.ENSK. 16/21 MTN	XS1370669639	0.750	0	0	1,000	101.849	1,018,489.07	0.63
SVENSK.HDLSB.18/29 FLRMTN	XS1875333178	1.625	700	0	700	101.349	709,444.38	0.44
					Total issue c	ountry Sweden	1,727,933.45	1.07
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Issue country Spain								
ABERTIS INF. 19/24 MTN	XS1967635621	1.500	700	0	700	102.869	720,082.92	0.44
BBVA 18/25 MTN	XS1820037270	1.375	700	0	700	102.341	716,385.58	0.44
INMOBIL.COL.SOC.18/26 MTN	XS1808395930	2.000	0	0	800	103.553	828,420.78	0.51
SANTDR CONS.FIN.16/21 MTN	XS1413580579	1.000	0	0	1,300	102.070	1,326,908.71	0.82
TELEFONICA EM. 17/28 MTN	XS1550951138	2.318	; O	0	1,000	109.008	1,090,080.03	0.67
					Total issue	e country Spain	4,681,878.02	2.89
				То	Total bonds denominated in EUR		33,206,147.26	20.51
					Total publicly tra	aded securities	33,206,147.26	20.51
Securities admitted to organised	l markets					_		
Bonds denominated in EUR								
Issue country Australia								
A.N.Z. BKG GRP 18/23 MTN	XS1774629346	0.625	0	0	1,500	101.806	1,527,090.00	0.94
AURIZON NET.PTY.16/26 MTN	XS1418788599	3.125	0	0	700	110.952	776,662.74	0.48
AUSNET SVCS H.P.15/27 MTN	XS1191877452	1) 1.500	0	0	1,000	104.116	1,038,484.24	0.64
NATL AUSTR. BK 15/22 MTN	XS1167352613	0.875	0	0	2,000	102.313	2,046,259.00	1.26
TRANSURBAN FIN.CO. 13/20	XS0977502110	2.500	0	0	1,000	103.050	1,030,499.42	0.64
					Total issue co	ountry Australia	6,418,995.40	3.96

Security designation	ISIN number	Interest rate		disposals	Holding	Price unded)	Value in EUR	% share of fund assets
Issue country Belgium								
ELIA SYSTEM OP. 17-27 MTN	BE0002276450	1.375	0	500	1,000	101.443	1,014,429.63	0.63
KBC GROEP 16/23 MTN	BE0002266352	0.750	0	0	500	101.815	509,073.98	0.31
,					Total issue	e country Belgium	1,523,503.61	0.94
Issue country Denmark								
A.P.MOELLER-MAERSK 18/26	XS1789699607	1.750	1,000	0	1,000	100.499	1,004,989.09	0.62
CARLSBERG BREW. 12/19 MTN	XS0800572454	2.625	0	0	850	100.450	853,825.00	0.53
DSV AS 17/24	DK0030403993	1.750	0	0	600	103.145	618,870.00	0.38
ORSTED 17/29 MTN	XS1721760541	1.500	1,000	0	1,000	104.331	1,043,314.59	0.64
VESTAS WIND SYSTEMS 15/22	XS1197336263	2.750	0	0	1,000	106.475	1,064,750.00	0.66
					Total issue	country Denmark	4,585,748.68	2.83
Issue country Germany								
ALLIANZ SUB 2012/2042	DE000A1RE1Q3	5.625	0	0	1,000	116.666	1,166,661.07	0.72
ALSTRIA OFF.RE.ANL.17/27	XS1717584913	1.500			1,000	98.484	984,837.65	0.61
COBA MTN 16/23	DE000CZ40LR5	0.500			1,300	99.398	1,292,175.03	0.80
DVB BANK MTN.13/20	XS0999475196	2.375			1,000	103.195	1,031,953.89	0.64
DVB BANK MTN.17/22	XS1555094066	1.000			1,500	100.713	1,510,697.60	0.93
EVONIK IND.MTN 15/23	XS1170787797	1.000			1,500	103.532	1,552,974.47	0.96
LBBW SUB.MTN 16/26	DE000LB1B2E5	2.875			1,300	107.399	1,396,188.31	0.86
MUENCH.RUECK 12/42	XS0764278528	6.250			1,000	117.233	1,172,329.86	0.72
					,	country Germany	10,107,817.88	6.24
Issue country France						-		
ACCOR 15/23	FR0012949949	2.375	0	0	1,200	107.742	1,292,908.18	0.80
ARKEMA 17/27 MTN	FR0013252277	1.500	0	0	800	104.364	834,914.49	0.52
AXA S.A. 13/43 FLR MTN	XS0878743623	5.125	0	0	1,000	116.074	1,160,739.97	0.72
BANQUE POSTALE 15/27 FLR	FR0013054913	2.750	0	0	1,000	105.500	1,054,996.03	0.65
BNP PARIBAS 14/26 FLR MTN	XS1046827405	2.875	0	0	1,000	104.420	1,044,204.03	0.64
CAPGEMINI 18-24	FR0013327962	1.000	0	0	1,200	102.719	1,232,623.54	0.76
CARREFOUR 15/25 MTN	XS1179916017	1.250	0	0	1,000	102.800	1,027,995.07	0.63
COMP.DE STGOBAIN 12/22	XS0760364116	3.625	0	0	1,000	110.359	1,103,594.82	0.68
GECINA 17-27 MTN	FR0013266350	1.375	0	0	700	103.415	723,902.28	0.45
ICADE S.A. 17/27	FR0013281755	1.500	0	0	600	100.769	604,615.91	0.37
IMERYS 14-24 MTN	FR0012370872	2.000	0	0	1,000	105.991	1,059,910.28	0.65
INGENICO GROUP 17/24	FR0013281946	1.625	100	0	900	98.955	890,595.00	0.55
LAGARDERE 16/23	FR0013153160	2.750	0	0	1,200	103.900	1,246,800.00	0.77
LEGRAND 12/22	FR0011234921	3.375			500	109.862	549,311.41	0.34
ORANGE 14/UND. FLR MTN	XS1028600473	4.250			147	103.070	151,512.90	0.09
ORANGE 18/30 MTN	FR0013310224	1.375			1,900	102.309	1,943,862.98	1.20
RCI BANQUE 15/22 MTN	FR0012759744	1.250			1,700	102.792	1,747,464.00	1.08
SAINT-GOBAIN 19/31	XS1962571011	1.875			1,500	103.706	1,555,591.50	0.96
SOC GENERALE 12/22 MTN	XS0802756683	4.250			1,000	113.442	1,134,422.68	0.70
SUEZ 17/UND. FLR	FR0013252061	2.875	0	0	500	103.100	515,499.99	0.32

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Security designation	ISIN number	Interest rate	Purch./ additions	Sales/ disposals	Holding	Price	Value in EUR	% share of
				•	. in 1,000, rou	nded)		fund
								assets
TELEPERFORM. 17-24	FR0013248465	1.500	0	0	600	102.818	616,908.01	0.38
TOTAL 16/UND.	XS1413581205	3.875	0	0	1,000	108.928	1,089,280.01	0.67
UNIBAIL-ROD. 18/UND. FLR	FR0013330537	2.875	0	0	600	101.402	608,409.62	0.38
UNIBAIL-RODAMCO 16/27 MTN	XS1401196958	1.125	0	0	1,000	102.397	1,023,967.90	0.63
VALLOUREC 14/24	FR0012188456	2.250	0	0	500	70.234	351,170.81	0.22
WPP FINANCE 14/26 MTN	XS1112013666	2.250	0	0	1,000	107.506	1,075,064.01	0.66
					Total issue	e country France	25,640,265.42	15.84
Issue country Great Britain								
BRAMBLES FIN. 17/27	XS1577950667	1.500	0	0	800	102.498	819,984.01	0.51
ITV 16/23	XS1525536840	2.000	0	0	500	103.912	519,560.02	0.32
LLOYDS BANK 14/21 MTN	XS1139091372	1.000	0	0	1,250	102.407	1,280,091.76	0.79
LLOYDS BKG GRP 17/27 MTN	XS1681050610	1.500	0	0	800	101.188	809,503.11	0.50
MONDI FINANCE 12/20 MTN	XS0834719303	3.375	0	0	1,200	104.592	1,255,100.92	0.78
MONDI FINANCE 16/24 MTN	XS1395010397	1.500	0	0	1,000	104.270	1,042,696.91	0.64
NGG FINANCE 13/76 FLR	XS0903531795	4.250	0	0	1,000	104.018	1,040,179.98	0.64
ROYAL MAIL 14/24	XS1091654761	2.375		0	1,550	105.808	1,640,025.98	1.01
SMITHS GROUP 17/27 MTN	XS1570260460	2.000		0	1,250	103.428	1,292,854.98	0.80
VODAFONE GRP 16/24 MTN	XS1499604905	0.500		0	/	100.227	2,004,548.04	1.24
VODAFONE GRP 18/78 FLR	XS1888179550	4.200	1,300	0	/	101.398	1,318,178.30	0.81
				Т	otal issue cour	ntry Great Britain	13,022,724.01	8.04
Issue country Ireland								
ABB.IRE.FIN. 18/23	XS1883354620	0.875	1,000	0	1,000	102.834	1,028,341.37	0.64
SMURF.KAPP.ACQ.17/24 REGS	XS1555147369	2.375	0	0	500	105.531	527,654.99	0.33
					Total issue	e country Ireland	1,555,996.36	0.96
Issue country Italy								
ERG 19/25 MTN	XS1981060624	1.875	700	0	700	101.455	710,185.00	0.44
TELECOM ITAL 18/26 MTN	XS1846631049	2.875		0		97.708	977,076.03	0.60
TERNA R.E.N. 19/26 MTN	XS1980270810	1.000		0		102.115	510,575.00	0.32
					Total is	sue country Italy	2,197,836.03	1.36
Issue country Japan						-		
MIZUHO FINL GRP 18/28 MTN	XS1801905628	1.598	0	0	1,000	107.850	1,078,499.98	0.67
TAKEDA PHARMA.18/22 REGS	XS1843449049	1.125	800	0	800	103.256	826,050.17	0.51
					Total issu	ie country Japan	1,904,550.15	1.18
Issue country Mexico								
FOM.ECON.MEX.SAB 16/23	XS1378895954	1.750	0	0	1,500	104.500	1,567,500.00	0.97
		2.1.00	Ū	Ū	,	e country Mexico	1,567,500.00	0.97
Issue country Netherlands								
	V61400044700		-	-	4 000	404.055	4 040 504 64	0.00
ABB FIN.B.V. 16/23 MTN	XS1402941790	0.625		0		101.950	1,019,504.01	0.63
ADECCO INTL FINL S. 16/24	XS1527526799	1.000	0	0	1,000	102.596	1,025,963.21	0.63

Security designation	ISIN	Interest	Purch./	Sales/	Holding	Price	Value	% share
	number	rate	additions	s disposals			in EUR	of
			Units/no	minal (nom	. in 1,000, rour	nded)		fund
								assets
AHOLD DELHA. 17/24	XS1685798370	0.875	0	0	1,000	102.305	1,023,049.47	0.63
ALLIANDER 12/24	XS0792977984	2.875			,	113.308	1,699,619.99	1.05
ALLIANDER 18/UND. FLR	XS1757377400	1.625		0		100.777	151,165.20	0.09
ASML HOLDING N.V. 16/26	XS1405780963	1.375	0	0	600	105.353	632,118.89	0.39
COCA COLA HBC F.16/24 MTN	XS1377682676	1.875	0	0	1,000	107.068	1,070,675.96	0.66
ENEXIS HOLDING 12/20 MTN	XS0854400800	1.875	0	0		103.040	1,030,398.64	0.64
ING GROEP 18/30 MTN	XS1909186451	2.500	1,500	0	1,500	110.713	1,660,701.48	1.03
INNOGY FINANCE 17/25 MTN	XS1595704872	1.000	0	0	900	103.317	929,849.37	0.57
KON. KPN 16/28 MTN	XS1485533431	1.125	0	0	1,000	97.946	979,459.99	0.60
KONINKLIJKE DSM 14/24 MTN	XS1041772986	2.375	0	0	1,200	110.725	1,328,704.84	0.82
NED. GASUNIE 11/21 MTN	XS0690606172	3.625	0	0	1,400	109.127	1,527,772.43	0.94
NIBC BANK 19/24 MTN	XS1978668298	2.000	500	0	500	101.425	507,125.00	0.31
NN GROUP 14/UND. FLR	XS1028950290	4.500	0	0	1,000	108.936	1,089,359.97	0.67
TENNET HOLDING 17/UND.FLR	XS1591694481	2.995	0	0	1,000	103.771	1,037,714.00	0.64
TENNET HOLDING 18/34 MTN	XS1828037827	2.000	800	0		109.635	877,077.82	0.54
				1	otal issue cour	try Netherlands	17,590,260.27	10.86
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Issue country Norway								
EQUINOR ASA 13/20 MTN	XS0969574325	2.000	0	0	1,000	102.888	1,028,882.52	0.64
TELENOR ASA 13/25 MTN	XS0933241456	2.500			,	110.838	1,108,384.02	0.68
,					,	country Norway	2,137,266.54	1.32
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Issue country Austria								
BAWAG GROUP 19/29 FLR MTN	XS1968814332	2.375	1.000	0	1,000	100.360	1,003,600.01	0.62
VIENNA INS.GRP 15-46 FLR	AT0000A1D5E1	3.750	,		,	108.254	1,082,537.61	0.67
		011.00	· · ·	· · ·	,	country Austria	2,086,137.62	1.29
							2,000,101.02	1.20
Issue country Panama								
CARNIVAL 16/21	XS1319820624	1.625	0	0	1,000	103.012	1,030,115.28	0.64
					Total issue of	country Panama	1,030,115.28	0.64
Issue country Sweden						_		
issue country Sweden								
AKZO NOBEL 12/22 MTN	XS0809847667	2.625	0	0	1,400	108.564	1,519,891.77	0.94
ATLAS COPCO 13/23 MTN	XS0896144655	2.500	0	0	1,350	109.536	1,478,736.04	0.91
NORDEA BK 10/20 MTN	XS0520755488	4.000	0	0	1,250	104.798	1,309,977.25	0.81
SBAB BK 16/21 MTN	XS1392159825	0.500	0	0	1,500	100.984	1,514,765.97	0.94
SKF AB 15/22	XS1327531486	1.625	0	0	1,300	104.860	1,363,180.01	0.84
TELE2 AB 18/28 MTN	XS1907150780	2.125	1,300	0	1,300	104.602	1,359,831.23	0.84
TELIA CO 17/78 FLR	XS1590787799	3.000	0	0	500	101.994	509,970.02	0.31
TELIA CO AB 19/34MTN	XS1953240261	2.125	500	0	500	102.450	512,252.01	0.32
					Total issue	country Sweden	9,568,604.30	5.91
Issue country Spain								
ABERTIS INFRA. 16-26	ES0211845302	1.375				100.094	1,000,938.03	0.62
ENAGAS FINANC. 15/23	XS1203859415	1.000	0	0 0	1,300	103.174	1,341,259.37	0.83

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Security designation	ISIN number	Interest rate	Purch./	disposals	Holding n 1,000, rour	Price Ided)	Value in EUR	% share of fund assets
ENAGAS FINANC. 16/28	XS1403388694	1.375	0	0	1,000	103.936	1,039,355.62	0.64
RED ELECTR. F. 15/25 MTN	XS1219462543	1.125	0	0	1.000	104.224	1,042,239.99	0.64
					Total issu	e country Spain	4,423,793.01	2.73
Issue country USA								
ABBVIE 16/24	XS1520899532	1.375	0	0	1,500	104.454	1,566,804.44	0.97
AMGEN 16/22	XS1369278251	1.250	0	0	750	103.322	774,913.50	0.48
AT + T 15/35	XS1196380031	2.450	0	0	700	101.869	713,084.41	0.44
AVERY DENNISON 17/25	XS1533922263	1.250	0	0	1,000	101.421	1,014,207.00	0.63
ECOLAB 16/24	XS1529859321	1.000	0	0	1,000	103.632	1,036,320.04	0.64
ELI LILLY 15/26	XS1240751062	1.625	0	0	1,400	108.076	1,513,057.64	0.93
GENL MILLS 15/27	XS1223837250	1.500	0	0	1,000	102.747	1,027,472.38	0.63
MONDELEZ INTL 15/27	XS1197270819	1.625	0	0	1,500	104.521	1,567,818.03	0.97
MORGAN STANLEY 17/26 FLR	XS1706111793	1.342	1,400	0	1,400	102.216	1,431,020.63	0.88
PERKINELMER INC. 18/21	XS1713466578	0.600	0	0	1,500	100.800	1,512,000.00	0.93
PRAXAIR 14/25	XS1143916465	1.625	0	0	1,000	108.238	1,082,378.01	0.67
PROCTER GAMBLE 05/20	XS0237323943	4.125	0	0	1,000	106.912	1,069,122.31	0.66
THERMO FISH.SCI. 15/20	XS1322986537	1.500	0	0	1,000	102.057	1,020,569.99	0.63
THERMO FISH.SCI. 17/37	XS1651072099	2.875	0	0	1,000	112.745	1,127,453.99	0.70
VERIZON COMM 14/31	XS1146286205	2.625	0	0	1,000	114.909	1,149,094.77	0.71
					Total iss	sue country USA	17,605,317.14	10.87
				Tota	al honds deno	minated in FUR	122 966 /31 70	75.95

Total bonds denominated in EUR 122,966,431.70 75.95

Total securities admitted to organised markets 122,966,431.70 75.95

#### Breakdown of fund assets

Transferable securities				156,172,578.96	96.46
Bank balances				4,267,196.38	2.64
Interest entitlements				1,466,959.09	0.91
Other deferred items				-4,167.29	- 0.00
Fund assets				161,902,567.14	100.00
Dividend-bearing units outstanding	AT0000A0PHH8	units	248,752.233		
Value of dividend-bearing unit	ATOOOOA0PHH8	EUR	115.34		
Dividend-bearing units outstanding	AT0000A1YSC6	units	14,141.000		
Value of dividend-bearing unit	AT0000A1YSC6	EUR	100.27		
Dividend-bearing units outstanding	AT0000A1YSD4	units	205.000		
Value of dividend-bearing unit	AT0000A1YSD4	EUR	100.19		
Non-dividend-bearing units outstanding	ATOOOOAOPHJ4	units	971,642.313		
Value of non-dividend-bearing unit	ATOOOOAOPHJ4	EUR	128.09		
Non-dividend-bearing units outstanding	AT0000A1YSE2	units	55.050.000		
Value of non-dividend-bearing unit	AT0000A1YSE2	EUR	101.39		
Non-dividend-bearing units outstanding	AT0000A1YSF9	units	0.000		
Value of non-dividend-bearing unit	ATOOOOA1YSF9	EUR	101.30		

KEST-exempt non-dividend-bearing units outstanding Value of KEST-exempt non-dividend-bearing unit	AT0000A0PHK2	units	5,202.303
	AT0000A0PHK2	EUR	133.99
KEST-exempt non-dividend-bearing units outstanding Value of KEST-exempt non-dividend-bearing unit	ATOOOOA1YSG7	units	10,121.483
	ATOOOOA1YSG7	EUR	101.52
KEST-exempt non-dividend-bearing units outstanding	AT0000A24UX5	units	0.000
KEST-exempt non-dividend-bearing units outstanding	AT0000A24UX5	SEK	1,108.08

1) Price contains deferred interest.

The fund is not permitted to engage in securities lending agreements pursuant to Regulation (EU) No. 2015/2365 (Regulation on Transparency of Securities Financing Transactions and of Reuse). For this reason, securities lending agreements were not employed.

The fund is not permitted to engage in repurchase agreements pursuant to Regulation (EU) No. 2015/2365 (Regulation on Transparency of Securities Financing Transactions and of Reuse). For this reason, repurchase agreements were not employed.

The fund is not permitted to engage in total return swaps pursuant to Regulation (EU) No. 2015/2365 (Regulation on Transparency of Securities Financing Transactions and of Reuse). For this reason, total return swaps were not employed.

# Explanation on disclosure pursuant to the Delegated Regulation (EU) No. 2016/2251 supplementing Regulation (EU) No. 648/2012 of the European Parliament and of the Council on OTC derivatives, central counterparties and trade repositories with regard to regulatory technical standards for risk-mitigation techniques for OTC derivative contracts not cleared by a central counterparty:

All OTC derivatives are traded through Erste Group Bank AG.

Collateral in the form of cash or bonds is pledged to Erste Group Bank AG in the amount of the negative exposure of the derivatives.

EUR-denominated government bonds from the Republic of Austria and/or the Federal Republic of Germany are pledged by Erste Group Bank AG to the fund in the amount of the positive exposure of the derivatives. A one-time discount of 4% is agreed with the counterparty for this collateral. Collateral that would require a higher discount pursuant to Annex II to the Delegated Regulation (EU) No. 2016/2251 is not accepted.

### Investor note:

The values of assets in illiquid markets may deviate from their actual selling prices.

Security designation	ISIN number	Interest rate	Purch./ additions Units/nominal (nom. in 1,00	Sales/ disposals 00, rounded)
Publicly traded securities				
Bonds denominated in EUR				
Issue country France				
SCHNEIDER ELECTRIC 11/18	FR0011075183	3.750	0	700
Securities admitted to organised markets				
Bonds denominated in EUR				
Issue country France				
CAPGEMINI 15-20 CAPGEMINI 15-23	FR0012821932 FR0012821940	1.750 2.500	0 1,000	200 1,000
Issue country Great Britain				
SKY 14/26 MTN TESCO C.TR.SERV.14/19 MTN	XS1109741329 XS1082970853	2.500 1.375	0 0	700 799
Issue country Ireland				
GE CAP.EURO.FUND.13/23MTN	XS0874840845	2.625	0	1,000
Issue country Netherlands				
GEMALTO 14/21 ING BK NV 16/21 MTN TENNET HOLDING 16/36	XS1113441080 XS1368576572 XS1432384409	2.125 0.750 1.875	0 0 0	1,000 1,000 800
Issue country USA				
BECTON,DICKINS. 16/26 THERMO FISH.SCI. 16/28 VERIZON COMM 17/38	XS1531347661 XS1405775534 XS1708335978	1.900 1.375 2.875	0 0 0	1,600 800 500
Unlisted securities				
Bonds denominated in EUR				
Issue country Australia				
AMCOR LTD 11/19 MTN	XS0604462704	4.625	0	1,200

Purchases and sales of transferable securities in the reporting period not listed in the statement of assets and liabilities

Security designation	ISIN number	Interest rate	Purch./ additions Units/nominal (nom. in :	Sales/ disposals 1,000, rounded)
Issue country Germany				
LBBW 16/19	XS1353555003	0.375	0	1,000
Issue country Netherlands				
RABOBK NEDERLD 11/18 MTN	XS0691801327	3.500	0	1,200

Vienna, 1 July 2019

## Erste Asset Management GmbH Electronically signed

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# **Remuneration Policy**

# Remuneration paid to employees of Erste Asset Management GmbH in EUR (2017 financial year of Erste Asset Management GmbH)

No investment success bonuses are paid, and no other amounts are paid directly from the investment funds.

Number of employees as of 31.12.17	83
Number of risk bearers as of 31.12.17	45
Fixed remuneration	6,255,431
Variable remuneration (bonuses)	1,931,863
Total employee remuneration	8,187,294
Thereof remuneration for managing directors	668,440
Thereof remuneration for managers and risk bearers	160,215
Thereof remuneration for risk bearers with control functions	409,883
Thereof remuneration for other risk bearers	4,136,628
Thereof remuneration for employees in the same income bracket as managers ar	nd
risk bearers due to the amount of their total remuneration	0
Total remuneration for risk bearers	<u>5,375,166</u>

## Principles governing performance-based remuneration components

The Management Company has adopted remuneration principles to prevent possible conflicts of interest and to ensure compliance with the standard rules of conduct when awarding remuneration to relevant persons.

Fixed salary components make up a large enough share of the total remuneration of all employees of the Management Company that a variable remuneration policy can be applied on an individualised basis.

The total remuneration (fixed and variable components) is governed by the principle of balance and is linked to sustainability so that the acceptance of excessive risks is not rewarded. Therefore, the variable remuneration forms no more than a balanced portion of the total remuneration awarded to an employee.

The performance-based remuneration components serve the short-term and long-term interests of the Management Company and contribute to preventing risky behaviour. The performance-based remuneration components take into account individual performance as well as the profitability of the Management Company.

The size of the bonus pool is calculated based on the bonus potential that can be applied to the different employee categories. Bonus potential is a percentage of the fixed annual gross remuneration. The bonus potential can be no more than 100% of the fixed annual gross remuneration. The bonus pool is adjusted depending on the success of the Management Company. The personal bonus is linked to individual performance. The total of personal bonuses is limited by the size of the bonus pool after deduction of penalties.

The performance-based payments are capped at 100% of the annual gross remuneration for all employees, including the material risk bearers (according to the definition in the remuneration policy) and managing directors of the Management Company.

The remuneration system is made up of three components:

- 1) Fixed remuneration
- 2) Variable remuneration
- 3) Fringe benefits

The bonus potential is based on the fixed annual gross remuneration. The target agreements concluded with the employees contain qualitative and/or quantitative objectives. The payment of performance-based remuneration components is subject to a minimum profitability level for the Management Company and to performance targets.

Sixty per cent of the performance-based remuneration components are paid immediately; for employees who are involved directly in fund and portfolio management, 50% of this is paid immediately in cash and 50% is paid one year later in the form of non-cash instruments. The remaining 40% of the performance-based remuneration components are retained and paid out over a period of three years, with 50% of this also being paid in cash and 50% in the form of non-cash instruments for employees who are involved directly in fund and portfolio management. The non-cash instruments can consist of units in an investment fund that is administered by the Management Company, equivalent holdings or instruments linked to units, or equivalent non-cash instruments. Based on the principle of proportionality, the Management Company has set a materiality threshold below which there is no incentive to enter into inappropriate risks, for which reason there is no need to make delayed payment or payment in the form of a non-cash instrument. Other non-cash benefits are fringe benefits that are not associated with performance but with a specific position (e.g. company car) or that apply for all employees (e.g. holiday).

The Supervisory Board of the Management Company has set up a Remuneration Committee to ensure that the remuneration policy and its application are independently assessed. This committee consists of the following persons: Rudolf Sagmeister, Harald Gasser (remuneration expert), and Heinrich Hubert Reiner.

The complete remuneration policy of the Management Company can be viewed at http://www.erste-am.at/de/private\_anleger/wer-sind-wir/investmentprozess.

The last audit of compliance with the requirements of the remuneration policy by the Supervisory Board on 3 April 2019 revealed no deviations. There were also no material findings during the last audit by the Internal Auditing department.

No material changes were made to the remuneration policy during the past accounting year.

# Remuneration paid to employees of ERSTE-SPARINVEST KAG in EUR (2017 financial year of ERSTE-SPARINVEST KAG)

No investment success bonuses are paid, and no other amounts are paid directly from the investment funds.

Number of employees as of 31.12.17	148
Number of risk bearers as of 31.12.17	60
Fixed remuneration	11,990,882
Variable remuneration (bonuses)	3,065,433
Total employee remuneration	<u> 15,056,315</u>
Thereof remuneration for managing directors	1,540,398
Thereof remuneration for managers and risk bearers	918,143
Thereof remuneration for risk bearers with control functions*	1,111,224
Thereof remuneration for other risk bearers	5,430,036
Thereof remuneration for employees in the same income bracket as managers	and
risk bearers due to the amount of their total remuneration	0
Total remuneration for risk bearers	8,999,801

\* Includes the Head of Compliance

## Principles governing performance-based remuneration components

The Management Company has adopted remuneration principles to prevent possible conflicts of interest and to ensure compliance with the standard rules of conduct when awarding remuneration to relevant persons.

Fixed salary components make up a large enough share of the total remuneration of all employees of the Management Company that a variable remuneration policy can be applied on an individualised basis.

The total remuneration (fixed and variable components) is governed by the principle of balance and is linked to sustainability so that the acceptance of excessive risks is not rewarded. Therefore, the variable remuneration forms no more than a balanced portion of the total remuneration awarded to an employee.

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The remuneration system is made up of three components:

- 1) Fixed remuneration
- 2) Variable remuneration
- 3) Fringe benefits

The bonus potential is based on the fixed annual gross remuneration. The target agreements concluded with the employees contain qualitative and/or quantitative objectives. The qualitative objectives must make up at least 25%. The payment of performance-based remuneration components is subject to a minimum profitability level for the Management Company and to performance targets.

Sixty per cent of the performance-based remuneration components are paid immediately; for employees who are involved directly in fund and portfolio management, 50% of this is paid immediately in cash and 50% is paid one year later in the form of non-cash instruments. The remaining 40% of the performance-based remuneration components are retained and paid out over a period of three years, with 50% of this also being paid in cash and 50% in the form of non-cash instruments for employees who are involved directly in fund and portfolio management. The non-cash instruments can consist of units in an investment fund that is administered by the Management Company, equivalent holdings or instruments linked to units, or equivalent non-cash instruments. Based on the principle of proportionality, the Management Company has set a materiality threshold below which there is no incentive to enter into inappropriate risks, for which reason there is no need to make delayed payment or payment in the form of a non-cash instrument. Other non-cash benefits are fringe benefits that are not associated with performance but with a specific position (e.g. company car) or that apply for all employees (e.g. holiday).

The Supervisory Board of the Management Company has set up a Remuneration Committee to ensure that the remuneration policy and its application are independently assessed. This committee consists of the following persons: Rudolf Sagmeister (remuneration expert), Franz-Nikolaus Hörmann, and Heinrich Hubert Reiner.

The complete remuneration policy of the Management Company can be viewed at http://www.erste-am.at/de/private\_anleger/wer-sind-wir/investmentprozess.

The last audit of compliance with the requirements of the remuneration policy by the Supervisory Board on 4 April 2018 revealed no deviations. There were also no material findings during the last audit by the Internal Auditing department.

No material changes were made to the remuneration policy during the past accounting year.

# Audit Report\*

## Statement on the annual report

## Audit opinion

We have audited the annual report prepared by Erste Asset Management GmbH, Vienna, for the fund under its management

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consisting of the fund portfolio as of 30 April 2019, the income statement for the financial year ending on this date, and the other information specified in Annex I Scheme B of the Austrian Investment Fund Act 2011 (InvFG 2011).

Based on the findings of our audit, we believe that the annual report satisfies the legal requirements and provides a true and fair view of the assets and financial position as of 30 April 2019 and of the earnings position of the fund for the financial year ending on this date in accordance with Austrian commercial law and the provisions of the InvFG 2011.

## Basis for the audit opinion

We conducted our audit in accordance with § 49 (5) InvFG 2011 and in accordance with the Austrian principles of good auditing. These principles require the application of the International Standards on Auditing (ISA). Our responsibilities under these regulations and standards are described in the section "Responsibilities of the auditor in auditing the annual report" of our audit report. We are independent from the company as specified by the Austrian commercial and industry regulations and fulfilled our other professional obligations in accordance with these requirements. We feel that the audit evidence that we obtained is sufficient and suitable to serve as a basis for our audit opinion.

## Management and supervisory board responsibilities relating to the annual report

The legal representatives are responsible for preparing the annual report and for ensuring that this report provides a true and fair view of the assets and financial and earnings position of the fund in accordance with Austrian commercial law and the provisions of the InvFG 2011. The legal representatives are also responsible for implementing the internal controls that they deem necessary to facilitate the preparation of an annual report that is free from material misstatements due to error or fraud.

The supervisory board is responsible for monitoring the accounting process of the company as it applies to the fund under its management.

## Responsibilities of the auditor in auditing the annual report

Our goals are to ascertain with sufficient certainty whether the annual report contains material misstatements due to error or fraud and to issue an audit report that includes our audit opinion. Sufficient certainty is a high degree of certainty but no guarantee that an audit conducted in accordance with the Austrian standards on good auditing, which require the application of the ISA, will always discover material misstatements that may be present. Misstatements can result from fraud or errors and are considered to be material when it can be reasonably expected that individual misstatements or a combination of misstatements can influence economic decisions made by readers on the basis of this annual report.

As part of an audit conducted in accordance with the Austrian standards on good auditing, which require the application of the ISA, we exercise professional judgement and maintain professional scepticism during the entire audit process.

## In addition:

- We identify and assess the risks of material misstatements in the annual report due to error or fraud, plan audit steps in response to these risks, perform the planned audit steps, and collect audit evidence that is sufficient and suitable to form a basis for our audit opinion. The risk that a material misstatement resulting from fraud will remain undiscovered is greater than for misstatements resulting from error because fraudulent activity can include collusion, the falsification of documents, intentional incomplete or misleading representations, and the circumvention of internal controls.
- We familiarise ourselves with the internal control systems that are relevant for the audit to plan audit steps that
  are appropriate under the specific circumstances, but not so as to state an opinion on the effectiveness of the
  company's internal control system.
- We assess the appropriateness of the accounting methods applied by the legal representatives and the reasonableness of the estimates made by the legal representatives in the accounts and of the associated information.
- We assess the overall presentation, the structure, and the content of the annual report including the figures as well
  as whether the annual report depicts the underlying transactions and events in a manner that provides a true and
  fair view.
- We discuss the planned scope and scheduling of the audit and any material audit findings, including material
  defects that we discover in the internal control system during our audit, with the supervisory board, among other
  issues.

## **Other information**

The legal representatives are responsible for the other information. The other information includes all information in the annual report except for the statement of assets and liabilities, the income statement, the other information specified in Annex I Schedule B of the InvFG 2011, and the audit report.

Our audit opinion does not cover this other information, and we provide no assurance whatsoever for this other information.

In connection with our audit of the annual report, it is our responsibility to read this other information and to consider whether there are material discrepancies between the other information and the annual report or the information gathered by us during our audit, or if this other information appears materially incorrect in some other manner. If we come to the conclusion on the basis of our audit steps that the other information is materially incorrect, we are obligated to report this. We have nothing to report in this regard.

Vienna, 1 July 2019

Ernst & Young Wirtschaftsprüfungsgesellschaft m.b.H.

Mag. Andrea Stippl (Certified Public Accountant) ppa MMag. Roland Unterweger (Certified Public Accountant)

\* In the case of the publication or dissemination of the annual report in a form that deviates from the confirmed (unabridged German) version (e.g. an abridged version or translation), reference may not be made to the audit report or our audit without our approval.

# Fund Rules for ERSTE RESPONSIBLE BOND EURO CORPORATE

## Jointly owned fund pursuant to the InvFG

The Fund Rules for ERSTE RESPONSIBLE BOND EURO CORPORATE, jointly owned fund pursuant to the Austrian Investment Fund Act (Investmentfondsgesetz; InvFG) 2011 as amended, were approved by the Austrian Financial Market Authority (FMA).

The Fund is an undertaking for the collective investment of transferable securities (UCITS) and is managed by Erste Asset Management GmbH (the "Management Company" in the following), which has its registered office in Vienna.

#### Article 1 Fund Units

The joint ownership of the fund assets is evidenced by certificates having the characteristics of a bearer unit.

The unit certificates are depicted in global certificates for each unit category. For this reason, individual unit certificates cannot be issued.

### Article 2 Depositary Bank (Depositary)

The depositary bank (depositary) appointed for the Fund is Erste Group Bank AG, Vienna.

The payment offices for unit certificates are the depositary bank (depositary) or other payment offices mentioned in the prospectus.

### Article 3 Investment Instruments and Principles

The following assets may be selected for the Fund in accordance with the InvFG.

The Fund invests predominantly, in other words at least 51% of its assets, in EUR-denominated corporate bonds from issuers registered in Europe in the form of directly purchased instruments, in other words not indirectly or directly through investment funds or derivatives; the bonds must be in the investment grade (or other comparable) segment in terms of ratings assigned by recognised rating agencies.

The Fund invests predominantly in corporate bonds from issuers that have been categorised as socially responsible on the basis of a predefined screening process.

The fund assets are invested in the following instruments in accordance with the investment focus described above.

a) Transferable securities

Transferable securities (including securities with embedded derivative financial instruments) comprise at least 51% of the fund assets.

b) Money market instruments

Money market instruments may comprise up to 49% of the fund assets.

c) Transferable securities and money market instruments

The Fund may purchase transferable securities and money market instruments that are not fully paid up as well as subscription rights for these types of instruments and other financial instruments that are not fully paid up amounting to a maximum of 10% of the fund assets.

Transferable securities and money market instruments may only be purchased for the Fund when they meet the criteria regarding listing or trading on a regulated market or a securities exchange pursuant to the InvFG.

Transferable securities and money market instruments that do not meet the criteria described in the previous paragraph may comprise up to 10% of the fund assets in total.

d) Units in investment funds

Units in investment funds (UCITS, UCI) may comprise up to 10% of the fund assets per individual issue and may comprise up to 10% in aggregate total, provided that the target funds themselves (UCITS, UCI) do not invest more than 10% of their fund assets in units of other investment funds.

e) Derivative financial instruments

Derivative financial instruments can be used for hedging purposes and as part of the investment strategy, and may comprise up to 35% of the fund assets.

f) Risk measurement method(s) of the Fund

The Fund applies the following risk measurement methods: commitment approach

The commitment value is determined according to § 3 of the 4th FMA Regulation on Risk Calculation and Reporting of Derivative Instruments (4. Derivate-Risikoberechnungs- und MeldeV) as amended.

Please refer to the prospectus for detailed information.

g) Demand deposits or deposits with the right to be withdrawn

Demand deposits and deposits with the right to be withdrawn with a maximum term of 12 months may comprise up to 49% of the fund assets.

There are no minimum bank balance requirements.

However, in the course of the restructuring of the fund portfolio and/or in the case of the justified expectation of impending losses experienced by transferable securities, the Fund can hold a lower proportion of transferable securities and a higher proportion of demand deposits or deposits with the right to be withdrawn with a maximum term of 12 months.

h) Acceptance of short-term loans

The Management Company may accept short-term loans for the account of the Fund up to an amount of 10% of the total fund assets.

i) Repurchase agreements

Does not apply.

j) Securities lending

Does not apply.

Investment instruments may only be purchased for the entire Fund and not for individual unit categories or groups of unit categories.

This does not apply to currency hedging transactions, however. Such transactions can also be concluded solely for a single unit category. Expenses and income resulting from currency hedging transactions shall be allocated solely to the respective unit category.

#### Article 4 Issue and Redemption Procedure

The unit value shall be calculated in the currency of the respective unit category.

The unit value is calculated at the same time as the issue and redemption price.

#### Issue of units and front-end surcharge

The issue price will be calculated and units issued on each Austrian exchange trading day with the exception of bank holidays.

The issue price shall be made up of the unit value plus a surcharge per unit amounting to up to 3.5% to cover the costs incurred by the Management Company in issuing the unit, rounded up to the next equivalent sub-unit of the currency unit specified for the respective unit category in the prospectus.

The Management Company shall be entitled to apply a sliding front-end surcharge scale at its own discretion.

There is no limit on the issue of units in principle. However, the Management Company reserves the right to temporarily or permanently suspend the issue of unit certificates.

#### Redemption of units and back-end commission

The redemption price will be calculated and units redeemed on each Austrian exchange trading day with the exception of bank holidays.

The redemption price is the unit value rounded down to the next equivalent sub-unit of the currency unit specified for the respective unit category in the prospectus. No back-end commission will be charged.

Upon request by the Unit-holder, his units shall be redeemed at the current redemption price in return for the unit certificate.

### Article 5 Accounting Year

The accounting year of the Fund is from 1 May to 30 April.

#### Article 6 Unit Categories and Use of Earnings

The Fund features three different unit categories and the corresponding certificates: dividend-bearing units, non-dividend-bearing units with capital gains tax withholding, and non-dividend-bearing units without capital gains tax withholding, with certificates being issued for one unit each and also for fractional units.

Various unit categories may be issued for this Fund. The creation of unit categories and the issue of units of a specific category shall be decided at the discretion of the Management Company.

### Use of earnings for dividend-bearing units

The earnings generated during the accounting year (interest and dividends) less all costs can be distributed as deemed appropriate by the Management Company. Dividend disbursement may be suspended in the interests of the Unit-holders. Dividends may also be disbursed at the discretion of the Management Company from earnings generated by the sale of fund assets, including subscription rights. Fund assets may be paid out in the form of dividends and interim dividends.

The fund assets may in no case fall below the legally stipulated minimum volume for termination as a result of dividend disbursements.

The amounts shall be paid to the holders of dividend-bearing units on or after 1 August of the following accounting year. The remaining amount shall be carried forward.

An amount calculated in accordance with the InvFG must also be paid out on or after 1 August to cover the capital gains tax assessed by the tax authorities on the dividend-equivalent earnings from the fund units unless the Management Company provides suitable proof from the banks managing the corresponding securities accounts that the unit certificates can only be held by Unit-holders who are not subject to Austrian personal or corporate income tax or who meet the conditions for exemption from capital gains tax according to § 94 of the Austrian Income Tax Act (Einkommensteuergesetz) at the time of payment.

#### Use of earnings for non-dividend-bearing units with capital gains tax withholding

The earnings generated by the Fund during the accounting year less all costs will not be paid out. In the case of non-dividend-bearing units, an amount calculated in accordance with the InvFG must be paid out on or after 1 August to cover the capital gains tax assessed by the tax authorities on the dividend-equivalent earnings from the fund units unless the Management Company provides suitable proof from the banks managing the corresponding securities accounts that the unit certificates can only be held by Unit-holders who are not subject to Austrian personal or corporate income tax or who meet the conditions for exemption from capital gains tax according to § 94 of the Austrian Income Tax Act (Einkommensteuergesetz) at the time of payment.

# Use of earnings for non-dividend-bearing units without capital gains tax withholding (KESt-exempt non-dividend domestic and foreign unit category)

The earnings generated by the Fund during the accounting year less all costs will not be paid out. No payment pursuant to the InvFG will be made. The reference date for the exemption from KESt payment for the profit for the year for the purposes of the InvFG shall be 1 August of the following accounting year.

The Management Company shall provide suitable proof from the banks managing the corresponding securities accounts that the unit certificates could only be held by Unit-holders who are not subject to Austrian personal or corporate income tax or who met the conditions for exemption from capital gains tax according to § 94 of the Austrian Income Tax Act (Einkommensteuergesetz) at the time of payment.

If these requirements are not met at the time of payment, the amount calculated pursuant to the InvFG must be paid out by the credit institution managing the respective securities account.

### Article 7 Management Fee, Compensation for Expenses, Liquidation Fee

The Management Company shall receive an annual fee for its administrative activities of up to 0.6% of the fund assets, which shall be accrued on a daily basis and calculated using the month-end values adjusted for the accrued fees.

The Management Company shall be entitled to compensation for all expenses incurred in the administration of the Fund.

The Management Company shall be entitled to apply a sliding management fee scale at its own discretion.

The costs for the introduction of new unit categories for existing investment funds shall be assessed against the unit price of the new unit categories.

Upon liquidation of the Fund, the party processing the liquidation shall receive a fee in the amount of 0.5% of the fund assets.

Further information and details about this Fund can be found in the prospectus.

## Annex to the Fund Rules

List of exchanges with official trading and organised markets

(As of September 2018)

# 1. Exchanges with official trading and organised markets in the Member States of the EEA as well as exchanges in European countries outside of the EEA considered to be equivalent to regulated markets

Every Member State must maintain a current list of the authorised markets within its territory. This list must be submitted to the other Member States and the Commission.

According to this provision, the Commission is required to publish a list of the regulated markets registered with it by the Member States once per year.

Because of lower entry barriers and specialisation in different trading segments, the list of "regulated markets" is subject to significant changes. For this reason, the Commission will publish an up-to-date version of the list on its official website in addition to the annual publication of a list in the Official Journal of the European Union.

#### 1.1. The currently valid list of regulated markets can be found at

https://registers.esma.europa.eu/publication/searchRegister?core=esma\_registers\_upreg \*

1.2. The following exchanges are included in the list of regulated markets:

1.2.1	Luxembourg:	Euro MTF Luxembourg
1.2.2.	Switzerland:	SIX Swiss Exchange AG, BX Swiss AG

#### 1.3. Recognised markets in the EEA according to § 67 (2) 2 InvFG:

Markets in the EEA that have been classified as recognised markets by the competent supervisory authorities.

#### 2. Exchanges in European countries outside of the EEA

2.1.	Bosnia and Herzegovina:	Sarajevo, Banja Luka
2.2.	Montenegro:	Podgorica
2.3.	Russia:	Moscow (RTS Stock Exchange)
		Moscow Interbank Currency Exchange (MICEX)
2.4.	Serbia:	Belgrade
2.5.	Turkey:	Istanbul (only "National Market" on the stock market)

#### 3. Exchanges in non-European countries

3.1. 3.2. 3.3. 3.4. 3.5. 3.6. 3.7. 3.8. 3.9. 3.10. 3.11. 3.12. 3.13. 3.14. 3.15. 3.16. 3.17 3.18. 3.19. 3.20.	Australia: Argentina: Brazil: Chile: China: Hong Kong: India: Indonesia: Israel: Japan: Canada: Colombia: Korea: Malaysia: Mexico: New Zealand: Peru: Philippines: Singapore: South Africa:	Sydney, Hobart, Melbourne, Perth Buenos Aires Rio de Janeiro, Sao Paulo Santiago Shanghai Stock Exchange, Shenzhen Stock Exchange Hong Kong Stock Exchange Mumbai Jakarta Tel Aviv Tokyo, Osaka, Nagoya, Kyoto, Fukuoka, Niigata, Sapporo, Hiroshima Toronto, Vancouver, Montreal Bolsa de Valores de Colombia Korea Exchange (Seoul, Busan) Kuala Lumpur, Bursa Malaysia Berhad Mexico City Wellington, Christchurch/Invercargill, Auckland Bolsa de Valores de Lima Manila Singapore Stock Exchange
3.18.	Philippines:	Manila
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3.20.	South Africa:	Johannesburg
3.21.	Taiwan:	Taipei
3.22.	Thailand:	Bangkok
3.23.	USA:	New York, NYCE American, New York Stock Exchange (NYSE), Philadelphia, Chicago, Boston, Cincinnati

3.24.	Venezuela:	Caracas
3.25.	United Arab Emirates:	Abu Dhabi Securities Exchange (ADX)

### 4. Organised markets in countries outside of the European Community

4.1.	Japan:	over the counter market
4.2.	Canada:	over the counter market
4.3.	Korea:	over the counter market
4.4.	Switzerland:	over the counter market of the members of the International Capital Market Association (ICMA), Zurich
4.5.	USA:	over the counter market (under the supervision of an authority such as the SEC, FINRA, etc.)

#### 5. Exchanges with futures and options markets

5.1.	Argentina:	Bolsa de Comercio de Buenos Aires
5.2.	Australia:	Australian Options Market, Australian Securities Exchange (ASX)
5.3.	Brazil:	Bolsa Brasiliera de Futuros, Bolsa de Mercadorias & Futuros, Rio de
		Janeiro Stock Exchange, Sao Paulo Stock Exchange
5.4.	Hong Kong:	Hong Kong Futures Exchange Ltd.
5.5.	Japan:	Osaka Securities Exchange, Tokyo International Financial Futures
		Exchange, Tokyo Stock Exchange
5.6.	Canada:	Montreal Exchange, Toronto Futures Exchange
5.7.	Korea:	Korea Exchange (KRX)
5.8.	Mexico:	Mercado Mexicano de Derivados
5.9.	New Zealand:	New Zealand Futures & Options Exchange
5.10.	Philippines:	Manila International Futures Exchange
5.11.	Singapore:	The Singapore Exchange Limited (SGX)
5.12.	Slovakia:	RM System Slovakia
5.13.	South Africa:	Johannesburg Stock Exchange (JSE), South African Futures Exchange (SAFEX)
5.14.	Switzerland:	EUREX
5.15.	Turkey:	TurkDEX
5.16.	USA:	NYCE American, Chicago Board Options Exchange, Chicago Board of Trade, Chicago
		Mercantile Exchange, Comex, FINEX, ICE Future US Inc. New York, Nasdaq PHLX, New
		York Stock Ex-change, Boston Options Exchange (BOX)

\*) To open the list, select "Regulated market" under "Entity type" in the column on the left side of the page and then click "Search" (or "Show table columns" and "Update"). The link can be changed by the ESMA.

When the expected withdrawal of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland (GB) from the EU takes effect, GB will lose its status as an EEA member state and, in turn, the exchanges/regulated markets located there will also lose their status as EEA exchanges/regulated markets. In this event, we hereby inform you that the following exchanges and regulated markets located in GB shall be considered exchanges or recognised regulated markets in a third country that are expressly designated in the Fund Rules as defined by the InvFG 2011 and the UCITS Directive:

Cboe Europe Equities Regulated Market – Integrated Book Segment, London Metal Exchange, Cboe Europe Equities Regulated Market – Reference Price Book Segment, Cboe Europe Equities Regulated Market – Off-Book Segment, London Stock Exchange Regulated Market (derivatives), NEX Exchange Main Board (non-equity), London Stock Exchange Regulated Market, NEX Exchange Main Board (equity), Euronext London Regulated Market, ICE FUTURES EUROPE, ICE FUTURES EUROPE – AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS DIVISION, ICE FUTURES EUROPE – EQUITY PRODUCTS DIVISION, and Gibraltar Stock Exchange.

#### Note regarding the data used

The sections Income Statement and Changes in Fund Assets, Statement of Assets and Liabilities and Tax Treatment in this annual report were prepared on the basis of data from the depositary bank for the Fund.

# The data and information provided by the depositary bank were collected with the greatest possible care and were checked solely for plausibility.

Unless indicated otherwise, source: Erste Asset Management GmbH. Our languages of communication are German and English. Both the full prospectus and the simplified prospectus as well as the key investor information (and any applicable changes to these documents) were published in Amtsblatt zur Wiener Zeitung in accordance with the provisions of the InvFG 2011 in the currently amended version and are available for free at the registered office of the Investment Firm and at the head office of the depositary bank. The exact date of the most recent publication, the languages in which the simplified prospectus and the key investor information are available, and any additional locations where the documents can be obtained can be viewed on the website www.erste-am.at.

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