#### 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

**Product name:** Euro Income Bond Fund **Legal entity identifier:** SEK18YSZLD2OP25KSR60

# Environmental and/or social characteristics

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



Sustainable investment means

an investment in an economic activity that contributes to an environmental or social objective, provided that the investment does not significantly harm any environmental or social objective and that the investee companies follow good governance practices.

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

establishing a list of environmentally sustainable economic activities. That Regulation does not lay down a list of socially sustainable economic activities. Sustainable investments with an environmental

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

The Fund promoted environmental characteristics through the screening of all direct investments against the Fund's exclusion policy. The Fund also promoted environmental characteristics by actively engaging with issuers on material climate related matters which included encouraging companies to align to the Paris Agreement, adopt science-based targets for carbon emissions reduction and/or broadly advance their sustainability commitments.

How did the sustainability indicators perform?

The Fund's sustainability-related impact was measured through the Investment Advisor's implementation of its issuer engagement policy and exclusion strategy. The Fund's exclusion strategy and exclusion screening process applies to 100% of its direct investments.

Sustainability indicators measure how the environmental or social characteristics promoted by the financial product are attained.

For example, the Fund's screening process resulted in the exclusion of certain sectors including issuers involved in coal and unconventional oil (such as arctic oil and oil sands). In addition, as part of the Fund's screening process, the Investment Advisor referred to globally accepted norms such as the UN Global Compact Principles, where appropriate.



# What were the top investments of this financial product?

The list includes the investments constituting **the** greatest proportion of investments of the financial product during the reference period which is as at 31 December 2022

Largest investments	Sector	% Net Assets	Country
PIMCO ETFs plc - PIMCO Euro Short Maturity UCITS ETF	Net Other Short Duration Instruments	8.87%	Ireland
Uniform Mortgage-Backed Security, TBA 5.000% due 01/02/2053	Securitized	3.48%	United States
Japan Treasury Bills (0.179)% due 27/03/2023	Net Other Short Duration Instruments	2.87%	Japan
Japan Treasury Bills (0.198)% due 27/03/2023	Net Other Short Duration Instruments	2.32%	Japan
Uniform Mortgage-Backed Security, TBA 5.500% due 01/02/2053	Securitized	1.76%	United States
Uniform Mortgage-Backed Security, TBA 3.000% due 01/02/2053	Securitized	1.53%	United States
Fairfax Financial Holdings Ltd. 2.750% due 29/03/2028	Investment Grade Credit	1.40%	Canada
Nykredit Realkredit A/S 1.000% due 01/10/2053	Investment Grade Credit	1.24%	Denmark
PIMCO Funds: Global Investors Series plc - PIMCO European High Yield Bond Fund	High Yield Credit	1.09%	Ireland
Lincoln Financing SARL 3.625% due 01/04/2024	High Yield Credit	1.05%	Luxembourg
HSBC Holdings PLC 1.589% due 24/05/2027	Investment Grade Credit	1.05%	United Kingdom
Loxam S.A.S. 3.250% due 14/01/2025	High Yield Credit	1.03%	France
France Treasury Bills 0.253% due 04/01/2023	Net Other Short Duration Instruments	1.01%	France
Societa per Azioni Esercizi Aeroportuali SEA SpA 3.500% due 09/10/2025	High Yield Credit	0.96%	Italy
Syngenta Finance NV 3.375% due 16/04/2026	Invest. Grade Credit	0.95%	Netherlands

For the purposes of compiling the information disclosed above, the investments of the Fund as at 31 December 2022 have been used.

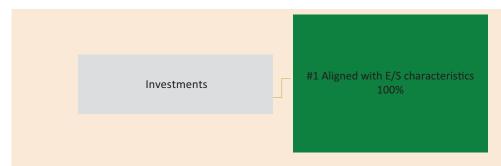


# What was the proportion of sustainability-related investments?

Information on the proportion of the Fund which promoted environmental/social characteristics as at 31 December 2022 is provided below.

#### What was the asset allocation?

As at 31 December 2022, 100% of the Fund's direct investments were considered to promote environmental characteristics as the Fund's exclusion strategy and exclusion screening process was applied to all of its direct investments. Minimum environmental or social safeguards were provided for such direct investments only and did not apply to indirect investments.



- **#1 Aligned with E/S characteristics** includes the investments of the financial product used to attain the environmental or social characteristics promoted by the financial product.
- #2 Other includes the remaining investments of the financial product which are neither aligned with the environmental or social characteristics, nor are qualified as sustainable investments.

### In which economic sectors were the investments made?

Sector	% of Net Assets	
Net Other Short Duration Instruments	66.61%	
Investment Grade Credit	32.98%	
High Yield Credit	20.82%	
Securitized	10.00%	
Emerging Market	2.25%	
Government Related	-32.66%	

For the purposes of compiling the information disclosed above, the holdings of the Fund as at 31 December 2022 have been used.



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

As at 31 December 2022, the percentage of investments that were aligned with the EU Taxonomy is 0%. This figure has not been subject to an assurance provided by an auditor nor has it been reviewed by any other third party.

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

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**Enabling activities** 

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 activities that comply with the EU Taxonomy<sup>1</sup>?

> Yes: In fossil gas In nuclear energy

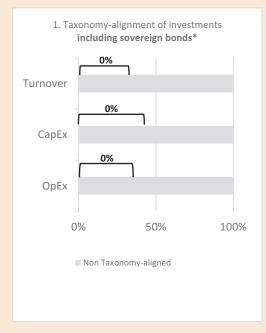
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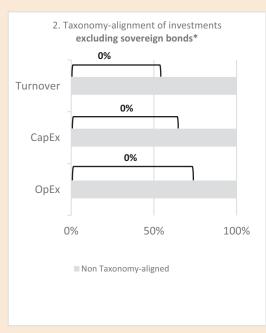
<sup>1</sup> Fossil gas and/or nuclear related activities will only comply with the EU Taxonomy where they contribute to limiting climate change ("climate change mitigation") and do not significantly harm any EU Taxonomy objective - see explanatory note in the left hand margin. The full criteria for 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 companies.

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 taxonomyalignment 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?

As at 31 December 2022, the proportion of investments of the Fund in transitional and enabling activities during the reference period was 0%.



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

As noted above, as at 31 December 2022, 100% of the Fund's direct investments were considered to promote environmental characteristics as the Fund's exclusion strategy and exclusion screening process was applied to all of its direct investments.

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Minimum environmental or social safeguards were provided for such direct investments only and did not apply to indirect investments.



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

During the reference period, the Investment Advisor engaged with companies and issuers on material climate related matters and sought to encourage companies to align to the Paris Agreement, adopt science-based targets for carbon emissions reduction and/or broadly advance their sustainability commitment.