

# European Specialist Investment Funds

**Annual Report and audited Financial Statements for the year ended 31 December 2022** 

Société d'investissement à capital variable (SICAV) under Luxembourg Law

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No subscription can be made solely on the basis of the Annual Report and audited Financial Statements. Subscriptions are only valid if made on the basis of the current Prospectus accompanied by the Key Investor Information Document and the most recently published Annual Report and audited Financial Statements, or the most recent unaudited Interim Report, if published thereafter.

Please remember that past performance is not a guide to future performance and it might not be repeated. The value of investments and the income from them may go down as well as up and investors may not get back the amount originally invested. Because of this, investors are not certain to make a profit on their investments and may lose money.

# Management and administration

### **Registered office**

16, Boulevard Royal L-2449 Luxembourg Grand Duchy of Luxembourg

# Management Company, Global Distributor\* and Domiciliary Agent

M&G Luxembourg S.A. 16, Boulevard Royal L-2449 Luxembourg Grand Duchy of Luxembourg

\* In order to reorganise and simplify the structure of the group of companies to which both M&G International Investments S.A. (MGII) and M&G Luxembourg S.A. (MGL) belong, MGII merged into MGL on 31 March 2022. Upon the merger, MGII (being the absorbed company) transferred all of its assets and liabilities to MGL (being the absorbing company). Accordingly, MGL has taken on the activities of MGII as Global Distributor.

#### Investment manager

M&G Investment Management Limited 10 Fenchurch Avenue London EC3M 5AG United Kingdom

# Depositary and Paying Agent, Administrative Agent, Registrar and Transfer Agent

State Street Bank International GmbH, Luxembourg Branch 49, Avenue John F. Kennedy L-1855 Luxembourg Grand Duchy of Luxembourg

### Independent auditor

Deloitte Audit Société à responsabilité limitée 20, Boulevard de Kockelscheuer L-1821 Luxembourg Grand Duchy of Luxembourg

#### Legal adviser

Elvinger Hoss Prussen S.A. 2, Place Winston Chruchill L-1340 Luxembourg Grand Duchy of Luxembourg

### Investment objective and policy

For information on the latest Investment Objective and Policy, Strategy, Benchmark and EU Sustainable Finance Disclosure Regulation, investors should refer to the Prospectus which is available on our website at mandq.com/investments/lu

#### Board of Directors of the fund

Laurence Mumford (Chairperson) 10 Fenchurch Avenue London EC3M 5AG United Kingdom

Philip Jelfs 10 Fenchurch Avenue London EC3M 5AG United Kingdom

Susanne van Dootingh (Independent Director)\*
16, Boulevard Royal
L-2449 Luxembourg
Grand Duchy of Luxembourg

\* Susanne van Dootingh was appointed as Independent Director on 12 January 2023.

Yves Wagner (Independent Director)
19, Rue de Bitbourg
L-1273 Luxembourg
Grand Duchy of Luxembourg

# Sub-funds, sub-fund managers and launch dates

As at the financial year ended 31 December 2022, the following sub-funds are available for investment. Please note the sub-fund managers are employed by M&G FA Limited.

#### M&G European Credit Investment Fund

Launched: 12 April 2011

Sub-fund manager: Gaurav Chatley

### M&G European High Yield Credit Investment Fund

Launched: 6 March 2013

Co-sub-fund managers: David Fancourt and Richard

Ryan

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#### M&G Senior Asset Backed Credit Fund

Launched: 28 August 2020

Co-sub-fund managers: Joseph Rice, Matthew Wardle

and Scott Ellerby

### M&G Sustainable European Credit Investment Fund

Launched: 7 October 2021

Sub-fund manager: Gaurav Chatley

### M&G Sustainable Total Return Credit Investment Fund

Launched: 14 October 2021 Sub-fund manager: Richard Ryan

### **M&G Total Return Credit Investment Fund**

Launched: 4 March 2013

Co-sub-fund managers: Richard Ryan and David

Fancourt

# Management and administration

# **Important Information**

The events in Ukraine continue to shock and bring widespread condemnation. Western nations responded to Russia's attack which started on 24 February 2022, with sweeping sanctions: the US, the UK and the European Union have imposed sanctions on Russian banks, state-owned enterprises (SOEs) and individuals with close links to President Putin.

From the perspective of financial markets, Russia's attack has sparked considerable volatility. There have been direct impacts, particularly with Russian exposed assets and indirect impacts affecting asset classes globally with commodity prices surging. Given the uncertainty around the continuing conflict, it is likely that financial markets will remain volatile as investors react to developments.

As at the date of this report, the most recent Visa Stamped Prospectus was approved by the CSSF on 1 January 2023.

The sub-funds below are launched and available for investment:

M&G European Credit Investment Fund

M&G European High Yield Credit Investment Fund

M&G Senior Asset Backed Credit Fund

M&G Sustainable European Credit Investment Fund

M&G Sustainable Total Return Credit Investment Fund

M&G Total Return Credit Investment Fund

Please see the Shares in Issue table on pages 142 to 147 for the share class launch details.

# **Directors' report**

# **Directors of the Company**

#### Philip Jelfs

Mr Jelfs has been a director of the Company since inception. He joined M&G in 2006 and is responsible for products throughout the product life-cycle. He is also a Director of M&G Securities Limited, a UK based Authorised Corporate Director. Mr Jelfs has an honours degree in Geography & War Studies from Kings College, London University and an MBA.

#### **Laurence Mumford**

Mr Mumford has been a director of the Company since inception and is Chair of the Fund Board. He is Distribution Governance Director and currently Chair of M&G Securities Limited, a UK based Authorised Corporate Director. Mr Mumford has previously been Chair of the Investment Association's Investment Funds Operations Committee which aimed to facilitate understanding and issue resolution across the industry of relevant operational matters. Mr Mumford is a chartered accountant and joined M&G in 2000 having previously worked at PricewaterhouseCoopers.

#### Susanne van Dootingh – Independent Director

Ms van Dootingh has been an independent non-executive director of the Company since 12 January 2023. Ms van Dootingh is an independent non-executive director of several Luxembourg domiciled investment funds and management companies. Ms van Dootingh was previously at State Street Global Advisors (SSGA) from 2002 to 2017 with her final position being Senior Managing Director, Head of European Governance and Regulatory Strategy EMEA. Prior to this she held various senior positions at SSGA in Global Product Development and Global Fixed Income Strategy. Before joining SSGA in 2002 she was a fixed income strategist and portfolio manager at Fortis Investment Management, Barclays Global Investors, and ABN AMRO Asset Management.

#### Yves Wagner - Independent Director

Dr. Wagner has been an independent non-executive director of the Company since inception. Dr. Wagner started his non-academic career with Banque Générale du Luxembourg where he became Director of Asset

Management, before becoming the Chief Executive Officer and Board member of Fortis Investments, Luxembourg. He founded 'The Directors' Office' and is today an independent director for several financial institutions. He has been an advisor to the Luxembourg School of Finance (LSF), a business school of the University of Luxembourg.

Dr. Wagner holds a 'Doctorat ès Sciences Economiques' (PhD) from the University of Aix-Marseille III, France.

Dr. Wagner was for many years the Chairman of the Luxembourg Society of Financial Analysts (ALGAFI) and Board Member of the European Federation of Financial Analysts Societies (EFFAS).

# **Directors' responsibilities**

The Directors are responsible for the overall management and control of the Company in accordance with the Articles. The Directors are further responsible for the implementation of each sub-fund's investment objective and policies, as well as for oversight of the administration and operations of each sub-fund.

The Directors shall have the broadest powers to act in any circumstances on behalf of the Company, subject to the powers reserved by law to the Shareholders.

The following persons have been appointed as Directors of the Company:

Philip Jelfs, Director.

Laurence Mumford, Director.

Susanne van Dootingh, Independent Director\*.

Yves Wagner, Independent Director.

\* Susanne van Dootingh was appointed as Independent Director on 12 January 2023.

The Directors may appoint one or more committees, authorised delegates or agents to act on their behalf.

# **Directors' report**

# **Delegation of functions**

### **Management Company**

The Company has appointed M&G Luxembourg S.A. pursuant to the Management Agreement to serve as its management company within the meaning of the UCI Law. The Management Company performs certain functions, subject to the overall supervision of the Directors, for the provision of investment management services, administrative services and marketing services to the Company.

The Management Company acts as the management company of the Company under the freedom to provide services organised by the UCITS Directive. In accordance with the relevant provisions of the UCI Law, the Management Company will be required to comply with the CSSF Rules (being the rules of the Management Company's 'home member state' for the purposes of the UCI Law) in relation to the organisation of the Management Company, including its delegation arrangements, risk management procedures, prudential rules and supervision, applicable prudential rules regarding the Management Company's management of UCITS authorised under the UCITS Directive and the Management Company's reporting requirements. The Management Company shall comply with the UCI Law as regards the constitution and functioning of the Company.

The Company has appointed the Management Company as its corporate and domiciliary agent. The Management Company will be responsible for the domiciliation of the Company and will perform, inter alia, the functions as foreseen in the Luxembourg law of 31 May 1999 on the domiciliation of companies, as amended from time to time, and, in particular, allow the Company to establish its registered office at the registered office of the Management Company, and provide facilities necessary for the meetings of the Company's officers, Directors and/or of the Shareholders of the Company.

#### **Distributor**

The Management Company is also the principal distributor of shares under the terms of the Management Agreement.

#### Investment manager

The Management Company has appointed M&G Investment Management Limited as investment manager to manage and invest the assets of the sub-funds pursuant to their respective investment objectives and policies.

The Investment Manager was appointed pursuant to the Investment Management Agreement. Under the Investment Management Agreement, the Investment Manager has full discretion, subject to the overall review and control of the Management Company and the Directors, to purchase and sell securities and otherwise to manage the assets of the Company on a discretionary basis. The Investment Manager is also entitled to delegate investment management under the terms set out in the Investment Management Agreement.

#### Registrar and transfer agent

The Management Company has appointed State Street Bank International GmbH, Luxembourg Branch as registrar and transfer agent of the Company on behalf of the Board of Directors.

Under the Registrar and Transfer Agency Agreement, the registrar and transfer agent is responsible for processing the issue, redemption and transfer of shares, as well as for the keeping of the register of Shareholders, subject to the overall review and control of the Management Company and the Directors.

#### Administrator

The Management Company has appointed State Street Bank International GmbH, Luxembourg Branch as the Administrator of the Company on behalf of the Board of Directors. The Administrator will carry out certain administrative duties related to the administration of the Company, including the calculation of the Net Asset Value of the shares and the provision of accounting

# **Directors' report**

services to the Company, subject to the overall review and control of the Management Company and the Directors.

#### **Depositary**

The Management Company in conjunction with the Board of Directors has appointed State Street Bank International GmbH, Luxembourg Branch as the Depositary.

The Depositary shall perform all of the duties and obligations of a depositary under the UCITS Directive and the Luxembourg implementing laws and regulations with respect to each sub-fund.

The Depositary has been entrusted with the following main functions:

- ensuring that the sale, issue, repurchase, redemption and cancellation of shares are carried out in accordance with applicable law and the Articles;
- ensuring that the value of the shares is calculated in accordance with applicable law and the Articles;
- carrying out the instructions of the Management Company or the Company (as the case may be), unless such instructions conflict with applicable law or the Articles;
- ensuring that, in transactions involving the assets of the Company, any consideration is remitted to the Company within the usual time limits;
- ensuring that the income of the Company is applied in accordance with applicable law and the Articles:
- monitoring and oversight of the Company's cash and cashflows in accordance with the UCITS Directive and the Luxembourg implementing laws and regulations; and
- safe-keeping of the Company's assets, including the safekeeping of financial instruments that can be held in custody and ownership verification and record-keeping in relation to other assets.

#### Fair Valuation and liquidity

There have not been any significant difficulties in valuing the portfolios since the year end.

#### Directors' statement

This report has been prepared in accordance with the requirements of the UCITS Directive 2009/65/EC of the European Parliament and Council of 13 July 2009.

P R Jelfs, Director L J Mumford, Director

24 April 2023

# Independent Auditor's Report

# Independent Auditor's Report to the Shareholders of European Specialist Investment Funds

### **Opinion**

We have audited the financial statements of European Specialist Investment Funds (the 'Fund') and of each of its sub-funds, which comprise the statement of net assets and the statement of investments as at 31 December 2022 and the statement of operations and changes in net assets for the year then ended and notes to the financial statements, including a summary of significant accounting policies.

In our opinion, the accompanying financial statements give a true and fair view of the financial position of the Fund and of each of its sub-funds as at 31 December 2022 and of the results of their operations and changes in their net assets for the year then ended in accordance with Luxembourg legal and regulatory requirements relating to the preparation and presentation of the financial statements.

### **Basis for Opinion**

We conducted our audit in accordance with the Law of 23 July 2016 on the audit profession (Law of 23 July 2016) and with International Standards on Auditing (ISAs) as adopted for Luxembourg by the 'Commission de Surveillance du Secteur Financier' (CSSF). Our responsibilities under the Law of 23 July 2016 and ISAs as adopted for Luxembourg by the CSSF are further described in the 'Responsibilities of the independent auditor for the Audit of the Financial statements' section of our report. We are also independent of the Fund in accordance with the International Code of Ethics for Professional Accountants, including International Independence Standards, issued by the International Ethics Standards Board for Accountants (IESBA Code) as adopted for Luxembourg by the CSSF together with the ethical requirements that are relevant to our audit of the financial statements, and have fulfilled our other ethical responsibilities under those ethical requirements. We believe that the audit

evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion.

#### Other Information

The Board of Directors of the Fund is responsible for the other information. The other information comprises the information stated in the annual report but does not include the financial statements and our report of the independent auditor thereon.

Our opinion on the financial statements does not cover the other information and we do not express any form of assurance conclusion thereon.

In connection with our audit of the financial statements, our responsibility is to read the other information and, in doing so, consider whether the other information is materially inconsistent with the financial statements or our knowledge obtained in the audit or otherwise appears to be materially misstated. If, based on the work we have performed, we conclude that there is a material misstatement of this other information we are required to report this fact. We have nothing to report in this regard.

# Responsibilities of the Board of Directors of the Fund for the Financial Statements

The Board of Directors of the Fund is responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of the financial statements in accordance with Luxembourg legal and regulatory requirements relating to the preparation and presentation of the financial statements, and for such internal control as the Board of Directors of the Fund determines is necessary to enable the preparation of financial statements that are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

In preparing the financial statements, the Board of Directors is responsible for assessing the Fund's ability to continue as a going concern, disclosing, as applicable, matters related to going concern and using the going concern basis of accounting unless the Board of Directors either intends to liquidate the Fund or to cease operations, or has no realistic alternative but to do so.

# **Independent Auditor's Report**

# Responsibilities of the independent auditor for the Audit of the Financial Statements

Our objectives are to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements as a whole are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error, and to issue a report of the independent auditor that includes our opinion. Reasonable assurance is a high level of assurance, but is not a guarantee that an audit conducted in accordance with the Law of 23 July 2016 and with ISAs as adopted for Luxembourg by the CSSF will always detect a material misstatement when it exists. Misstatements can arise from fraud or error and are considered material if, individually or in the aggregate, they could reasonably be expected to influence the economic decisions of users taken on the basis of these financial statements.

As part of an audit in accordance with the Law of 23 July 2016 and with ISAs as adopted for Luxembourg by the CSSF, we exercise professional judgment and maintain professional skepticism throughout the audit. We also:

- Identify and assess the risks of material misstatement of the financial statements, whether due to fraud or error, design and perform audit procedures responsive to those risks, and obtain audit evidence that is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion. The risk of not detecting a material misstatement resulting from fraud is higher than for one resulting from error, as fraud may involve collusion, forgery, intentional omissions, misrepresentations, or the override of internal control.
- Obtain an understanding of internal control relevant to the audit in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the Fund's internal control.
- Evaluate the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of accounting estimates and related disclosures made by the Board of Directors of the Fund.

- Conclude on the appropriateness of the Board of Directors of the Fund's use of the going concern basis of accounting and, based on the audit evidence obtained, whether a material uncertainty exists related to events or conditions that may cast significant doubt on the Fund's ability to continue as a going concern. If we conclude that a material uncertainty exists, we are required to draw attention in our report of the independent auditor to the related disclosures in the financial statements or, if such disclosures are inadequate, to modify our opinion. Our conclusions are based on the audit evidence obtained up to the date of our 'report of the independent auditor'. However, future events or conditions may cause the Fund to cease to continue as a going concern.
- Evaluate the overall presentation, structure and content of the financial statements, including the disclosures, and whether the financial statements represent the underlying transactions and events in a manner that achieves fair presentation.

We communicate with those charged with governance regarding, among other matters, the planned scope and timing of the audit and significant audit findings, including any significant deficiencies in internal control that we identify during our audit.

For Deloitte Audit, Cabinet de révision agréé

Jean-Philippe Bachelet, Réviseur d'entreprises agréé Partner

Luxembourg 24 April 2023

# Investment review (unaudited)

# For the year ended 31 December 2022

The M&G European Credit Investment Fund ('the subfund') aims to take advantage of opportunities primarily in investment grade corporate bonds denominated in Euros. The sub-fund may also invest in GBP, USD and CHF denominated debt, and use futures and swaps for efficient portfolio management. The sub-fund utilises M&G's global research and sub-fund management capabilities to identify fundamental value in corporate and asset backed bonds. The sub-fund focuses on credit management; currency, interest rate, and other macro-economic risks are closely controlled. The subfund aims to outperform the ICE BofA Euro Corporate Index.

The sub-fund outperformed the index by 72 basis points (Euro E Acc share class, gross of fees) in Q1 2022. The outperformance was driven by credit related decisions within security and sector selection. The sub-fund benefitted from being underweight in energy, utility and basic industry issuers relative to the index, how ever being overweight in capital goods was a marginal detractor to performance. As yield curve, duration and currency exposures are fully hedged to index levels, there was no material impact on performance from these factors.

The sub-fund underperformed the index by 38 basis points (Euro E Acc share class, gross of fees) in Q2 2022. The underperformance was driven by credit related decisions within security and sector selection. The sub-fund benefitted from being underweight in telecommunications, consumer goods and utility issuers relative to the index, however being overweight real estate was a detractor to performance. In terms of individual positions, underweight exposure to Santander was a positive contributor to performance, whilst overweight positions in SBB, Heimstaden Bostad

and Adler was a drag on returns. As yield curve, duration and currency exposures are fully hedged to index levels, there was no material impact on performance from these factors.

The sub-fund outperformed the index by 23 basis points (Euro E Acc share class, gross of fees) in Q3 2022. The outperformance was driven by credit related decisions within security and sector selection. The sub-fund benefitted from being overweight Real Estate issuers relative to the index, however being underweight Banking, Automotive and Utility was a detractor to performance. In terms of individual positions, overweight exposures to SBB, Heimstaden Bostad and Castellum were positive contributors to performance, whilst an overweight position in AroundTown was a drag on returns. As yield curve, duration and currency exposures are fully hedged to index levels, there was no material impact on performance from these factors.

The sub-fund underperformed the index by 28 basis points (Euro E Acc share class, gross of fees) in Q4 2022. The underperformance was driven by credit related decisions within security and sector selection, however, we believe that our positioning will be rewarded over the medium term. The portfolio benefitted from being overweight utility issuers relative to the index, however being underweight healthcare, telecommunications and consumer goods was a detractor to performance. In terms of individual positions, overweight exposure to ENBW was a positive contributor to performance, whilst overweight positions in CPI Property, AroundTown and Grand City Property was a drag on returns. As yield curve, duration and currency exposures are fully hedged to index levels, there was no material impact on performance from these factors.

# Investment review (unaudited)

Looking ahead, global growth continues to slow, and whilst there is some slowing of inflationary pressures, headline inflation rates in the major economies still remain stubbornly high relative to targeted levels. Although there may be further volatility ahead, we believe that will continue to be attractive stock specific opportunities to add to credit exposure in current markets.

Investment review information as at 31 December 2022.

Please note that the views expressed in this Report should not be taken as a recommendation or advice on how the sub-fund or any holding mentioned in the Report is likely to perform. If you wish to obtain financial advice as to whether an investment is suitable for your needs, you should consult a Financial Adviser.

# **Statement of investments**

#### Statement of investments

| Investment description                                     | Holdings/<br>contracts | Currency | Maturity date | Commitment<br>value €'000 | Market value<br>€'000 | % of net<br>assets |
|--|------------------------|----------|---------------|---------------------------|-----------------------|--------------------|
| Corporate bonds  |                        |          |               |                           | 3,062,104             | 87.97              |
| Australia  |                        |          |               |                           | 37,922                | 1.09               |
| APA Infrastructure 0.75%                                   | 4,087,000              | €        | 15.03.2029    |                           | 3,289                 | 0.09               |
| Ausgrid Finance 0.875%                                     | 3,865,000              | €        | 07.10.2031    |                           | 2,884                 | 0.08               |
| AusNet Services Holdings 1.5%                              | 6,000,000              | €        | 26.02.2027    |                           | 5,411                 | 0.16               |
| AusNet Services Holdings 0.625%                            | 2,871,000              | €        | 25.08.2030    |                           | 2,203                 | 0.06               |
| BHP Billiton Finance 3.125%                                | 2,600,000              | €        | 29.04.2033    |                           | 2,375                 | 0.07               |
| National Australia Bank 0.25%                              | 6,986,000              | €        | 20.05.2024    |                           | 6,726                 | 0.19               |
| National Australia Bank 2.125%                             | 5,501,000              | €        | 24.05.2028    |                           | 5,120                 | 0.15               |
| Origin Energy Finance 1%                                   | 4,996,000              | €        | 17.09.2029    |                           | 3,994                 | 0.12               |
| Scentre Group Trust 1 Via Scentre Group<br>Trust 2 1.75%   | 2,850,000              | €        | 11.04.2028    |                           | 2,411                 | 0.07               |
| Toyota Finance Australia 2.28%                             | 3,692,000              | €        | 21.10.2027    |                           | 3,509                 | 0.10               |
| Austria  |                        |          |               |                           | 43,738                | 1.26               |
| Erste Group Bank 0.25%                                     | 7,700,000              | €        | 14.09.2029    |                           | 5,988                 | 0.17               |
| Erste Group Bank FRN                                       | 2,200,000              | €        | 07.06.2033    |                           | 2,020                 | 0.06               |
| Mondi Finance Europe 2.375%                                | 12,422,000             | €        | 01.04.2028    |                           | 11,510                | 0.33               |
| OMV FRN  | 3,100,000              | €        | 31.12.2099    |                           | 2,771                 | 0.08               |
| Raiffeisen Bank International 5.75%                        | 600,000                | €        | 27.01.2028    |                           | 618                   | 0.02               |
| Raiffeisen Bank International FRN                          | 15,600,000             | €        | 17.06.2033    |                           | 11,110                | 0.32               |
| UNIQA Insurance Group FRN                                  | 6,700,000              | €        | 09.12.2041    |                           | 4,681                 | 0.13               |
| Vienna Insurance Group AG Wiener Versicherung<br>Gruppe 1% | 7,700,000              | €        | 26.03.2036    |                           | 5,040                 | 0.15               |
| Belgium  |                        |          |               |                           | 71,184                | 2.05               |
| AG Insurance FRN   | 5,900,000              | €        | 30.06.2047    |                           | 5,407                 | 0.15               |
| Ageas FRN  | 400,000                | €        | 02.07.2049    |                           | 339                   | 0.01               |
| Ageas FRN  | 700,000                | €        | 24.11.2051    |                           | 502                   | 0.01               |
| Anheuser-Busch InBev 3.7%                                  | 3,332,000              | €        | 02.04.2040    |                           | 3,083                 | 0.09               |
| Argenta Spaarbank FRN                                      | 4,400,000              | €        | 29.11.2027    |                           | 4,391                 | 0.13               |
| Argenta Spaarbank FRN                                      | 9,100,000              | €        | 08.02.2029    |                           | 7,428                 | 0.21               |
| Belfius Bank 0.125%  | 5,700,000              | €        | 08.02.2028    |                           | 4,771                 | 0.14               |
| Cofinimmo 0.875%   | 2,200,000              | €        | 02.12.2030    |                           | 1,603                 | 0.05               |
| Elia System Operator 1.375%                                | 5,200,000              | €        | 14.01.2026    |                           | 4,849                 | 0.14               |
| Elia Transmission Belgium 0.875%                           | 8,700,000              | €        | 28.04.2030    |                           | 7,034                 | 0.20               |

The accompanying notes to the financial statements are an integral part of these financial statements.

# **Statement of investments**

### Statement of investments (continued)

| Investment description                    | Holdings/<br>contracts | Currency | Maturity date | Commitment<br>value €'000 | Market value<br>€'000 | % of net assets |
|---|------------------------|----------|---------------|---------------------------|-----------------------|-----------------|
| Corporate bonds (continued)               |                        |          |               |                           |                       |                 |
| Belgium (continued)                       |                        |          |               |                           |                       |                 |
| FLUVIUS System Operator 0.625%            | 3,800,000              | €        | 24.11.2031    |                           | 2,866                 | 0.08            |
| FLUVIUS System Operator 4%                | 1,600,000              | €        | 06.07.2032    |                           | 1,596                 | 0.05            |
| KBC Group FRN                             | 5,000,000              | €        | 29.03.2026    |                           | 4,714                 | 0.14            |
| KBC Group FRN                             | 4,800,000              | €        | 16.06.2027    |                           | 4,245                 | 0.12            |
| KBC Group 3%                              | 8,300,000              | €        | 25.08.2030    |                           | 7,635                 | 0.22            |
| KBC Group FRN                             | 3,600,000              | €        | 07.12.2031    |                           | 2,984                 | 0.09            |
| Silfin 2.875%                             | 9,100,000              | €        | 11.04.2027    |                           | 7,737                 | 0.22            |
| Bermuda                                   |                        |          |               |                           |                       |                 |
| Bacardi 2.75%                             | 10,282,000             | €        | 03.07.2023    |                           | 10,261                | 0.29            |
| Canada                                    |                        |          |               |                           | 28,997                | 0.83            |
| Great-West Lifeco 1.75%                   | 2,800,000              | €        | 07.12.2026    |                           | 2,572                 | 0.07            |
| Great-West Lifeco 4.7%                    | 3,652,000              | €        | 16.11.2029    |                           | 3,752                 | 0.11            |
| Mercedes-Benz Finance 3%                  | 10,135,000             | €        | 23.02.2027    |                           | 9,930                 | 0.28            |
| Toronto-Dominion Bank 0.625%              | 3,800,000              | €        | 20.07.2023    |                           | 3,760                 | 0.11            |
| Toronto-Dominion Bank 0.5%                | 10,312,000             | €        | 18.01.2027    |                           | 8,983                 | 0.26            |
| Denmark                                   |                        |          |               |                           |                       |                 |
| Orsted 3.25%                              | 5,670,000              | €        | 13.09.2031    |                           | 5,457                 | 0.16            |
| Finland                                   |                        |          |               |                           | 50,406                | 1.45            |
| Balder Finland 1%                         | 575,000                | €        | 20.01.2029    |                           | 385                   | 0.01            |
| Balder Finland 2%                         | 7,200,000              | €        | 18.01.2031    |                           | 4,636                 | 0.13            |
| Castellum Helsinki Finance Holding 0.875% | 1,200,000              | €        | 17.09.2029    |                           | 784                   | 0.02            |
| Elenia Verkko 0.375%                      | 4,380,000              | €        | 06.02.2027    |                           | 3,719                 | 0.11            |
| Fingrid 3.5%                              | 7,255,000              | €        | 03.04.2024    |                           | 7,275                 | 0.21            |
| Kojamo 0.875%                             | 4,319,000              | €        | 28.05.2029    |                           | 3,218                 | 0.09            |
| Metso Outotec 4.875%                      | 3,362,000              | €        | 07.12.2027    |                           | 3,378                 | 0.10            |
| Metso Outotec 0.875%                      | 4,935,000              | €        | 26.05.2028    |                           | 4,044                 | 0.12            |
| Nordea Bank Abp 0.375%                    | 6,900,000              | €        | 28.05.2026    |                           | 6,276                 | 0.18            |
| Nordea Bank Abp 0.5%                      | 2,100,000              | €        | 14.05.2027    |                           | 1,851                 | 0.05            |
| Sampo FRN                                 | 1,771,000              | €        | 23.05.2049    |                           | 1,555                 | 0.04            |
| Sampo FRN                                 | 3,500,000              | €        | 03.09.2052    |                           | 2,631                 | 0.08            |
| SATO 1.375%                               | 1,630,000              | €        | 31.05.2024    |                           | 1,534                 | 0.04            |

The accompanying notes to the financial statements are an integral part of these financial statements.

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| Investment description                    | Holdings/<br>contracts | Currency | Maturity date | Commitment<br>value €'000 | Market value<br>€'000 | % of net assets |
|---|------------------------|----------|---------------|---------------------------|-----------------------|-----------------|
| Corporate bonds (continued)               |                        |          |               |                           |                       |                 |
| Finland (continued)                       |                        |          |               |                           |                       |                 |
| SATO 1.375%                               | 5,500,000              | €        | 24.02.2028    |                           | 3,994                 | 0.12            |
| SBB Treasury 1.125%                       | 8,000,000              | €        | 26.11.2029    |                           | 5,126                 | 0.15            |
| France                                    |                        |          |               |                           | 576,532               | 16.56           |
| Aéroports de Paris 2.75%                  | 11,600,000             | €        | 02.04.2030    |                           | 10,676                | 0.31            |
| Alstom 0.5%                               | 5,200,000              | €        | 27.07.2030    |                           | 3,958                 | 0.11            |
| Altarea 1.875%                            | 7,500,000              | €        | 17.01.2028    |                           | 5,837                 | 0.17            |
| Arval Service Lease 0%                    | 7,400,000              | €        | 30.09.2024    |                           | 6,968                 | 0.20            |
| Arval Service Lease 4.75%                 | 3,300,000              | €        | 22.05.2027    |                           | 3,350                 | 0.10            |
| Atos 2.5%                                 | 6,400,000              | €        | 07.11.2028    |                           | 4,233                 | 0.12            |
| Atos 1%                                   | 3,300,000              | €        | 12.11.2029    |                           | 2,086                 | 0.06            |
| AXA FRN                                   | 8,720,000              | €        | 10.07.2042    |                           | 6,527                 | 0.19            |
| AXA FRN                                   | 2,446,000              | €        | 10.03.2043    |                           | 2,237                 | 0.06            |
| Banque Fédérative du Crédit Mutuel 0.01%  | 8,500,000              | €        | 11.05.2026    |                           | 7,517                 | 0.22            |
| Banque Fédérative du Crédit Mutuel 4%     | 4,000,000              | €        | 21.11.2029    |                           | 4,011                 | 0.12            |
| Banque Fédérative du Crédit Mutuel 1.25%  | 11,600,000             | €        | 03.06.2030    |                           | 9,447                 | 0.27            |
| Banque Fédérative du Crédit Mutuel FRN    | 8,500,000              | €        | 16.06.2032    |                           | 8,000                 | 0.23            |
| Banque Fédérative du Crédit Mutuel 3.625% | 5,500,000              | €        | 14.09.2032    |                           | 5,306                 | 0.15            |
| Banque Fédérative du Crédit Mutuel 3.75%  | 14,100,000             | €        | 01.02.2033    |                           | 13,491                | 0.39            |
| BNP Paribas FRN                           | 22,800,000             | €        | 23.01.2027    |                           | 21,308                | 0.61            |
| BNP Paribas FRN                           | 7,000,000              | €        | 25.07.2028    |                           | 6,500                 | 0.19            |
| BNP Paribas 3.625%                        | 5,100,000              | €        | 01.09.2029    |                           | 4,903                 | 0.14            |
| BNP Paribas FRN                           | 12,000,000             | €        | 11.07.2030    |                           | 9,563                 | 0.27            |
| BNP Paribas FRN                           | 2,100,000              | €        | 31.03.2032    |                           | 1,862                 | 0.05            |
| BNP Paribas FRN                           | 15,800,000             | €        | 31.08.2033    |                           | 12,290                | 0.35            |
| Bouygues 4.625%                           | 13,400,000             | €        | 07.06.2032    |                           | 13,694                | 0.39            |
| Bouygues 5.375%                           | 1,500,000              | €        | 30.06.2042    |                           | 1,548                 | 0.04            |
| BPCE 0.01%                                | 7,500,000              | €        | 14.01.2027    |                           | 6,469                 | 0.19            |
| BPCE FRN                                  | 6,200,000              | €        | 02.03.2029    |                           | 5,413                 | 0.16            |
| BPCE FRN                                  | 7,100,000              | €        | 02.03.2032    |                           | 6,290                 | 0.18            |
| BPCE 4%                                   | 15,500,000             | €        | 29.11.2032    |                           | 15,139                | 0.44            |
| Bureau Veritas 1.875%                     | 7,200,000              | €        | 06.01.2025    |                           | 6,844                 | 0.20            |

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| Investment description                         | Holdings/<br>contracts | Currency | Maturity date | Commitment<br>value €'000 | Market value<br>€'000 | % of net assets |
|--|------------------------|----------|---------------|---------------------------|-----------------------|-----------------|
| Corporate bonds (continued)                    |                        |          |               |                           |                       |                 |
| France (continued)                             |                        |          |               |                           |                       |                 |
| Carmila 1.625%                                 | 9,900,000              | €        | 01.04.2029    |                           | 7,070                 | 0.20            |
| Carrefour 4.125%                               | 3,300,000              | €        | 12.10.2028    |                           | 3,309                 | 0.10            |
| Carrefour 4.125%                               | 2,700,000              | €        | 12.10.2028    |                           | 2,716                 | 0.08            |
| CNP Assurances FRN                             | 5,500,000              | €        | 30.06.2051    |                           | 4,477                 | 0.13            |
| CNP Assurances FRN                             | 5,600,000              | €        | 12.10.2053    |                           | 3,988                 | 0.11            |
| Coentreprise de Transport d'Electricite 0.875% | 6,600,000              | €        | 29.09.2024    |                           | 6,301                 | 0.18            |
| Coentreprise de Transport d'Electricite 2.125% | 600,000                | €        | 29.07.2032    |                           | 509                   | 0.01            |
| Covivio Hotels SACA 1%                         | 2,000,000              | €        | 27.07.2029    |                           | 1,531                 | 0.04            |
| Crédit Agricole 2.375%                         | 7,400,000              | €        | 20.05.2024    |                           | 7,316                 | 0.21            |
| Crédit Agricole 1.25%                          | 17,000,000             | €        | 14.04.2026    |                           | 15,783                | 0.45            |
| Crédit Agricole 1.75%                          | 14,600,000             | €        | 05.03.2029    |                           | 12,716                | 0.37            |
| Crédit Agricole 1%                             | 7,200,000              | €        | 03.07.2029    |                           | 6,048                 | 0.17            |
| Crédit Agricole FRN                            | 10,300,000             | €        | 21.09.2029    |                           | 8,348                 | 0.24            |
| Crédit Agricole 3.875%                         | 22,600,000             | €        | 28.11.2034    |                           | 21,739                | 0.62            |
| Crédit Agricole Assurances 1.5%                | 7,900,000              | €        | 06.10.2031    |                           | 5,813                 | 0.17            |
| Crédit Mutuel Arkéa 1.125%                     | 6,600,000              | €        | 23.05.2029    |                           | 5,510                 | 0.16            |
| Crédit Mutuel Arkéa 0.75%                      | 11,300,000             | €        | 18.01.2030    |                           | 8,934                 | 0.26            |
| Crédit Mutuel Arkéa 4.25%                      | 2,400,000              | €        | 01.12.2032    |                           | 2,377                 | 0.07            |
| Électricité de France 4.375%                   | 10,000,000             | €        | 12.10.2029    |                           | 9,866                 | 0.28            |
| Électricité de France 2%                       | 2,100,000              | €        | 02.10.2030    |                           | 1,757                 | 0.05            |
| Électricité de France 5.625%                   | 6,100,000              | €        | 21.02.2033    |                           | 6,625                 | 0.19            |
| Électricité de France 4.75%                    | 10,000,000             | €        | 12.10.2034    |                           | 9,933                 | 0.29            |
| Électricité de France 4.5%                     | 3,350,000              | €        | 12.11.2040    |                           | 3,360                 | 0.10            |
| Engie 3.5%                                     | 3,300,000              | €        | 27.09.2029    |                           | 3,230                 | 0.09            |
| Engie 0.375%                                   | 4,900,000              | €        | 26.10.2029    |                           | 3,886                 | 0.11            |
| Engie 2.125%                                   | 2,300,000              | €        | 30.03.2032    |                           | 1,964                 | 0.06            |
| Engie 1.5%                                     | 8,600,000              | €        | 13.03.2035    |                           | 6,336                 | 0.18            |
| Engie 2%                                       | 400,000                | €        | 28.09.2037    |                           | 295                   | 0.01            |
| FFP 1.875%                                     | 7,600,000              | €        | 30.10.2026    |                           | 6,248                 | 0.18            |
| Groupe des Assurances du Crédit Mutuel FRN     | 3,200,000              | €        | 21.04.2042    |                           | 2,309                 | 0.07            |
| ICADE 1%                                       | 3,400,000              | €        | 19.01.2030    |                           | 2,513                 | 0.07            |

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| Investment description                             | Holdings/<br>contracts | Currency | Maturity date | Commitment<br>value €'000 | Market value<br>€'000 | % of net assets |
|--|------------------------|----------|---------------|---------------------------|-----------------------|-----------------|
| Corporate bonds (continued)                        |                        |          |               |                           |                       |                 |
| France (continued)                                 |                        |          |               |                           |                       |                 |
| ICADE 0.625%                                       | 4,000,000              | €        | 18.01.2031    |                           | 2,786                 | 0.08            |
| Imerys 1%  | 2,300,000              | €        | 15.07.2031    |                           | 1,594                 | 0.05            |
| Indigo Group 1.625%                                | 3,300,000              | €        | 19.04.2028    |                           | 2,858                 | 0.08            |
| La Banque Postale FRN                              | 8,500,000              | €        | 17.06.2026    |                           | 7,764                 | 0.22            |
| La Banque Postale FRN                              | 1,800,000              | €        | 05.03.2034    |                           | 1,769                 | 0.05            |
| La Poste 1.375%                                    | 9,100,000              | €        | 21.04.2032    |                           | 7,294                 | 0.21            |
| La Poste 0.625%                                    | 8,800,000              | €        | 18.01.2036    |                           | 5,733                 | 0.16            |
| Mercialys 4.625%                                   | 1,700,000              | €        | 07.07.2027    |                           | 1,519                 | 0.04            |
| Nerval SAS 2.875%                                  | 14,600,000             | €        | 14.04.2032    |                           | 11,753                | 0.34            |
| Orange 8.125%                                      | 7,900,000              | €        | 28.01.2033    |                           | 10,381                | 0.30            |
| Orano 5.375%                                       | 3,800,000              | €        | 15.05.2027    |                           | 3,868                 | 0.11            |
| Quadient 2.25%                                     | 4,200,000              | €        | 03.02.2025    |                           | 3,875                 | 0.11            |
| RCI Banque 1.125%                                  | 4,800,000              | €        | 15.01.2027    |                           | 4,195                 | 0.12            |
| RCI Banque 4.875%                                  | 4,200,000              | €        | 21.09.2028    |                           | 4,123                 | 0.12            |
| RTE Réseau de Transport d'Électricité SADIR 0.625% | 1,700,000              | €        | 08.07.2032    |                           | 1,268                 | 0.04            |
| RTE Réseau de Transport d'Électricité SADIR 2.625% | 1,000,000              | €        | 09.10.2034    |                           | 864                   | 0.03            |
| RTE Réseau de Transport d'Électricité SADIR 1.875% | 3,500,000              | €        | 23.10.2037    |                           | 2,627                 | 0.08            |
| RTE Réseau de Transport d'Électricité SADIR 1.125% | 3,600,000              | €        | 08.07.2040    |                           | 2,316                 | 0.07            |
| RTE Réseau de Transport d'Électricité SADIR 1.125% | 700,000                | €        | 09.09.2049    |                           | 377                   | 0.01            |
| Safran 0.125%                                      | 4,300,000              | €        | 16.03.2026    |                           | 3,898                 | 0.11            |
| SCOR FRN   | 5,500,000              | €        | 29.10.2049    |                           | 5,297                 | 0.15            |
| SEB 1.375%   | 7,600,000              | €        | 16.06.2025    |                           | 7,071                 | 0.20            |
| Société Générale FRN                               | 14,700,000             | €        | 17.11.2026    |                           | 13,174                | 0.38            |
| Société Générale 1.375%                            | 4,900,000              | €        | 13.01.2028    |                           | 4,236                 | 0.12            |
| Société Générale 1.25%                             | 9,100,000              | €        | 12.06.2030    |                           | 7,235                 | 0.21            |
| Société Générale FRN                               | 2,800,000              | €        | 30.06.2031    |                           | 2,398                 | 0.07            |
| Sogecap FRN  | 1,800,000              | €        | 29.12.2049    |                           | 1,727                 | 0.05            |
| Suez 5%  | 7,600,000              | €        | 03.11.2032    |                           | 7,803                 | 0.22            |
| Suez SACA 2.875%                                   | 2,600,000              | €        | 24.05.2034    |                           | 2,199                 | 0.06            |
| Teleperformance 3.75%                              | 3,900,000              | €        | 24.06.2029    |                           | 3,704                 | 0.11            |
| TOTAL FRN  | 8,500,000              | €        | 29.12.2049    |                           | 7,987                 | 0.23            |

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|--|------------------------|----------|---------------|---------------------------|-----------------------|-----------------|
| Corporate bonds (continued)                |                        |          |               |                           |                       |                 |
| France (continued)                         |                        |          |               |                           |                       |                 |
| TotalEnergies FRN                          | 1,800,000              | €        | 31.12.2099    |                           | 1,543                 | 0.04            |
| TotalEnergies FRN                          | 5,226,000              | €        | 31.12.2099    |                           | 3,989                 | 0.11            |
| TotalEnergies Capital International 1.375% | 2,900,000              | €        | 04.10.2029    |                           | 2,526                 | 0.07            |
| TotalEnergies Capital International 1.491% | 3,500,000              | €        | 04.09.2030    |                           | 3,027                 | 0.09            |
| TotalEnergies Capital International 1.535% | 2,700,000              | €        | 31.05.2039    |                           | 1,968                 | 0.06            |
| Unibail-Rodamco-Westfield FRN              | 10,000,000             | €        | 31.12.2099    |                           | 7,634                 | 0.22            |
| Veolia Environnement FRN                   | 10,900,000             | €        | 31.12.2099    |                           | 8,719                 | 0.25            |
| Vilmorin & Cie 1.375%                      | 9,100,000              | €        | 26.03.2028    |                           | 6,749                 | 0.19            |
| Wendel 1%                                  | 11,300,000             | €        | 01.06.2031    |                           | 8,410                 | 0.24            |
| Germany                                    |                        |          |               |                           | 338,594               | 9.73            |
| Allianz FRN                                | 4,400,000              | €        | 07.09.2038    |                           | 4,292                 | 0.12            |
| Allianz FRN                                | 2,000,000              | €        | 25.09.2049    |                           | 1,564                 | 0.05            |
| Allianz FRN                                | 5,000,000              | €        | 08.07.2050    |                           | 4,051                 | 0.12            |
| Allianz FRN                                | 7,400,000              | €        | 05.07.2052    |                           | 6,813                 | 0.20            |
| Alstria Office 1.5%                        | 2,300,000              | €        | 15.11.2027    |                           | 1,791                 | 0.05            |
| Amprion 3.971%                             | 3,900,000              | €        | 22.09.2032    |                           | 3,855                 | 0.11            |
| Amprion 0.625%                             | 10,500,000             | €        | 23.09.2033    |                           | 7,399                 | 0.21            |
| BASF 3.75%                                 | 3,300,000              | €        | 29.06.2032    |                           | 3,261                 | 0.09            |
| BASF 3%                                    | 7,500,000              | €        | 07.02.2033    |                           | 6,740                 | 0.19            |
| BASF 1.625%                                | 9,500,000              | €        | 15.11.2037    |                           | 7,042                 | 0.20            |
| Bayer FRN                                  | 1,600,000              | €        | 12.11.2079    |                           | 1,440                 | 0.04            |
| Bayer FRN                                  | 5,000,000              | €        | 12.11.2079    |                           | 4,258                 | 0.12            |
| Bayerische Landesbank FRN                  | 15,000,000             | €        | 22.11.2032    |                           | 11,406                | 0.33            |
| Clearstream Banking 0%                     | 9,900,000              | €        | 01.12.2025    |                           | 8,967                 | 0.26            |
| Commerzbank FRN                            | 9,000,000              | €        | 14.09.2027    |                           | 8,391                 | 0.24            |
| Commerzbank FRN                            | 4,000,000              | €        | 21.03.2028    |                           | 3,917                 | 0.11            |
| Commerzbank FRN                            | 6,000,000              | €        | 29.12.2031    |                           | 4,859                 | 0.14            |
| Covestro 4.75%                             | 7,100,000              | €        | 15.11.2028    |                           | 7,132                 | 0.21            |
| Covestro 1.375%                            | 3,624,000              | €        | 12.06.2030    |                           | 2,904                 | 0.08            |
| Deutsche Bahn Finance 0.875%               | 3,700,000              | €        | 11.07.2031    |                           | 2,970                 | 0.09            |
| Deutsche Bahn Finance 1.5%                 | 2,914,000              | €        | 08.12.2032    |                           | 2,401                 | 0.07            |

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|---|------------------------|----------|---------------|---------------------------|-----------------------|-----------------|
| Corporate bonds (continued)                         |                        |          |               |                           |                       |                 |
| Germany (continued)                                 |                        |          |               |                           |                       |                 |
| Deutsche Bahn Finance 0.75%                         | 8,627,000              | €        | 16.07.2035    |                           | 6,099                 | 0.18            |
| Deutsche Bahn Finance 0.625%                        | 6,600,000              | €        | 15.04.2036    |                           | 4,479                 | 0.13            |
| Deutsche Bahn Finance 3.875%                        | 625,000                | €        | 13.10.2042    |                           | 637                   | 0.02            |
| Deutsche Bahn Finance 0.625%                        | 2,057,000              | €        | 08.12.2050    |                           | 1,026                 | 0.03            |
| Deutsche Bank FRN                                   | 9,900,000              | €        | 19.11.2025    |                           | 9,251                 | 0.27            |
| Deutsche Bank FRN                                   | 8,400,000              | €        | 17.02.2027    |                           | 7,335                 | 0.21            |
| Deutsche Bank FRN                                   | 9,000,000              | €        | 05.09.2030    |                           | 8,729                 | 0.25            |
| Deutsche Bank FRN                                   | 7,000,000              | €        | 24.06.2032    |                           | 6,212                 | 0.18            |
| Deutsche Boerse 1.5%                                | 1,800,000              | €        | 04.04.2032    |                           | 1,507                 | 0.04            |
| Deutsche Pfandbriefbank 0.125%                      | 5,000,000              | €        | 05.09.2024    |                           | 4,628                 | 0.13            |
| E.ON 2.875%   | 4,312,000              | €        | 26.08.2028    |                           | 4,134                 | 0.12            |
| E.ON 1.625%   | 2,600,000              | €        | 22.05.2029    |                           | 2,288                 | 0.07            |
| E.ON 0.625%   | 6,000,000              | €        | 07.11.2031    |                           | 4,535                 | 0.13            |
| EnBW Energie Baden-Württemberg FRN                  | 7,800,000              | €        | 31.08.2081    |                           | 5,796                 | 0.17            |
| Eurogrid 3.279%                                     | 1,700,000              | €        | 05.09.2031    |                           | 1,634                 | 0.05            |
| Eurogrid 0.741%                                     | 4,500,000              | €        | 21.04.2033    |                           | 3,293                 | 0.09            |
| EWE 0.375%  | 10,135,000             | €        | 22.10.2032    |                           | 6,880                 | 0.20            |
| Fraport Frankfurt Airport Services Worldwide 1.875% | 10,000,000             | €        | 31.03.2028    |                           | 8,636                 | 0.25            |
| Fresenius 5%  | 3,900,000              | €        | 28.11.2029    |                           | 3,802                 | 0.11            |
| Fresenius 2.875%                                    | 17,000,000             | €        | 24.05.2030    |                           | 14,605                | 0.42            |
| Hamburger Hochbahn 0.125%                           | 2,700,000              | €        | 24.02.2031    |                           | 2,092                 | 0.06            |
| Hannover Rueck FRN                                  | 5,100,000              | €        | 30.06.2042    |                           | 3,666                 | 0.11            |
| Hannover Rueck FRN                                  | 3,400,000              | €        | 26.08.2043    |                           | 3,482                 | 0.10            |
| HOWOGE Wohnungs-baugesellschaft 0.625%              | 1,700,000              | €        | 01.11.2028    |                           | 1,383                 | 0.04            |
| Landesbank Baden-Württemberg 2.2%                   | 7,100,000              | €        | 09.05.2029    |                           | 5,819                 | 0.17            |
| Landesbank Baden-Württemberg 0.375%                 | 1,600,000              | €        | 21.02.2031    |                           | 1,164                 | 0.03            |
| Landesbank Hessen-Thüringen Girozentrale FRN        | 12,600,000             | €        | 15.09.2032    |                           | 11,994                | 0.34            |
| LANXESS 1.75%                                       | 4,500,000              | €        | 22.03.2028    |                           | 3,959                 | 0.11            |
| LANXESS 0.625%                                      | 6,000,000              | €        | 01.12.2029    |                           | 4,639                 | 0.13            |
| LEG Immobilien 0.875%                               | 7,700,000              | €        | 28.11.2027    |                           | 6,400                 | 0.18            |
| LEG Immobilien 0.875%                               | 2,800,000              | €        | 30.03.2033    |                           | 1,805                 | 0.05            |

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| Investment description   | Holdings/<br>contracts | Currency | Maturity date | Commitment<br>value €'000 | Market value<br>€'000 | % of net assets |
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| Corporate bonds (continued)  |                        |          |               |                           |                       |                 |
| Germany (continued)  |                        |          |               |                           |                       |                 |
| Mahle 2.375%   | 8,500,000              | €        | 14.05.2028    |                           | 6,189                 | 0.18            |
| Münchener Rüeckversicherungs-Gesellschaft FRN                      | 4,100,000              | €        | 26.05.2042    |                           | 2,884                 | 0.08            |
| RWE 2.75%  | 6,827,000              | €        | 24.05.2030    |                           | 6,232                 | 0.18            |
| Santander Consumer Bank 0.25%                                      | 6,400,000              | €        | 15.10.2024    |                           | 6,004                 | 0.17            |
| Vier Gas Transport 1.5%  | 10,300,000             | €        | 25.09.2028    |                           | 8,886                 | 0.26            |
| Vier Gas Transport 4.625%  | 5,300,000              | €        | 26.09.2032    |                           | 5,341                 | 0.15            |
| Volkswagen Bank 1.25%  | 7,500,000              | €        | 10.06.2024    |                           | 7,210                 | 0.21            |
| Volkswagen Bank 2.5%   | 6,400,000              | €        | 31.07.2026    |                           | 5,980                 | 0.17            |
| Volkswagen Financial Services 1.5%                                 | 5,200,000              | €        | 01.10.2024    |                           | 4,983                 | 0.14            |
| Volkswagen Financial Services 0.875%                               | 3,954,000              | €        | 31.01.2028    |                           | 3,283                 | 0.09            |
| Volkswagen Leasing 1.375%  | 9,750,000              | €        | 20.01.2025    |                           | 9,237                 | 0.27            |
| Vonovia 0.25%  | 8,600,000              | €        | 01.09.2028    |                           | 6,600                 | 0.19            |
| Vonovia 0.625%   | 6,500,000              | €        | 14.12.2029    |                           | 4,791                 | 0.14            |
| Vonovia 5%   | 1,400,000              | €        | 23.11.2030    |                           | 1,377                 | 0.04            |
| Vonovia 2.375%   | 2,800,000              | €        | 25.03.2032    |                           | 2,235                 | 0.06            |
| Iceland  |                        |          |               |                           | 32,156                | 0.92            |
| Arion Banki 0.625%   | 20,658,000             | €        | 27.05.2024    |                           | 18,928                | 0.54            |
| Islandsbanki 0.75%   | 6,800,000              | €        | 25.03.2025    |                           | 5,863                 | 0.17            |
| Landsbankinn 0.375%  | 7,760,000              | €        | 23.05.2025    |                           | 6,637                 | 0.19            |
| Landsbankinn 0.75%   | 905,000                | €        | 25.05.2026    |                           | 728                   | 0.02            |
| Ireland  |                        |          |               |                           | 75,763                | 2.18            |
| AIB Group FRN  | 5,600,000              | €        | 17.11.2027    |                           | 4,748                 | 0.14            |
| Aon 2.875%   | 5,550,000              | €        | 14.05.2026    |                           | 5,301                 | 0.15            |
| Atlas Copco Finance 0.75%  | 2,524,000              | €        | 08.02.2032    |                           | 1,946                 | 0.06            |
| CCEP Finance 1.5%  | 1,362,000              | €        | 06.05.2041    |                           | 913                   | 0.03            |
| Dell Bank International 4.5%                                       | 8,913,000              | €        | 18.10.2027    |                           | 8,914                 | 0.26            |
| ESB Finance 1.875%   | 3,900,000              | €        | 14.06.2031    |                           | 3,353                 | 0.10            |
| ESB Finance 4%   | 9,145,000              | €        | 03.05.2032    |                           | 9,149                 | 0.26            |
| Experian Europe 1.56%  | 1,945,000              | €        | 16.05.2031    |                           | 1,609                 | 0.05            |
| GAS Networks Ireland 0.125%  | 6,641,000              | €        | 04.12.2024    |                           | 6,212                 | 0.18            |
| Johnson Controls International Via Tyco Fire & Security Finance 3% | 3,475,000              | €        | 15.09.2028    |                           | 3,296                 | 0.09            |

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| Corporate bonds (continued)                 |                        |          |               |                           |                       |                 |
| Ireland (continued)                         |                        |          |               |                           |                       |                 |
| Lunar Funding V for Swisscom 1.125%         | 9,908,000              | €        | 12.10.2026    |                           | 9,075                 | 0.26            |
| Ryanair 0.875%                              | 4,679,000              | €        | 25.05.2026    |                           | 4,194                 | 0.12            |
| Silverback Finance 3.1261% <sup>a</sup>     | 9,293,952              | €        | 25.02.2037    |                           | 447                   | 0.01            |
| Smurfit Kappa Acquisitions 2.75%            | 3,637,000              | €        | 01.02.2025    |                           | 3,543                 | 0.10            |
| Transmission Finance 0.375%                 | 4,200,000              | €        | 18.06.2028    |                           | 3,317                 | 0.09            |
| Vodafone International Financing 3.75%      | 7,000,000              | €        | 02.12.2034    |                           | 6,634                 | 0.19            |
| Zurich Finance FRN                          | 3,934,000              | €        | 17.09.2050    |                           | 3,112                 | 0.09            |
| Italy                                       |                        |          |               |                           | 142,130               | 4.08            |
| A2A 1.5%                                    | 4,000,000              | €        | 16.03.2028    |                           | 3,467                 | 0.10            |
| A2A 4.5%                                    | 7,721,000              | €        | 19.09.2030    |                           | 7,598                 | 0.22            |
| ACEA 0.5%                                   | 5,722,000              | €        | 06.04.2029    |                           | 4,458                 | 0.13            |
| Aeroporti di Roma 1.625%                    | 5,975,000              | €        | 02.02.2029    |                           | 4,882                 | 0.14            |
| Assicurazioni Generali 5.8%                 | 7,000,000              | €        | 06.07.2032    |                           | 7,463                 | 0.21            |
| ASTM 1.5%                                   | 5,400,000              | €        | 25.01.2030    |                           | 4,182                 | 0.12            |
| Autostrade per l'Italia 2%                  | 3,000,000              | €        | 04.12.2028    |                           | 2,478                 | 0.07            |
| Autostrade per l'Italia 1.875%              | 6,150,000              | €        | 26.09.2029    |                           | 4,901                 | 0.14            |
| Autostrade per l'Italia 2%                  | 8,629,000              | €        | 15.01.2030    |                           | 6,864                 | 0.20            |
| Autostrade per l'Italia 2.25%               | 6,540,000              | €        | 25.01.2032    |                           | 5,013                 | 0.14            |
| Credito Emiliano FRN                        | 6,374,000              | €        | 19.01.2028    |                           | 5,467                 | 0.16            |
| Enel FRN                                    | 6,500,000              | €        | 31.12.2099    |                           | 4,663                 | 0.13            |
| Eni 0.625%                                  | 4,800,000              | €        | 23.01.2030    |                           | 3,766                 | 0.11            |
| Eni 1%                                      | 1,000,000              | €        | 11.10.2034    |                           | 703                   | 0.02            |
| Eni FRN                                     | 2,990,000              | €        | 31.12.2099    |                           | 2,496                 | 0.07            |
| Eni FRN                                     | 9,350,000              | €        | 31.12.2099    |                           | 7,236                 | 0.21            |
| Eni FRN                                     | 3,320,000              | €        | 31.12.2099    |                           | 2,765                 | 0.08            |
| Esercizi Aeroportuali SEA 3.5%              | 15,000,000             | €        | 09.10.2025    |                           | 13,952                | 0.40            |
| Hera 0.25%                                  | 7,563,000              | €        | 03.12.2030    |                           | 5,590                 | 0.16            |
| Intesa Sanpaolo 1%                          | 3,700,000              | €        | 19.11.2026    |                           | 3,297                 | 0.09            |
| Intesa Sanpaolo 1.75%                       | 3,377,000              | €        | 20.03.2028    |                           | 2,952                 | 0.08            |
| Intesa Sanpaolo 5.25%                       | 6,472,000              | €        | 13.01.2030    |                           | 6,658                 | 0.19            |
| Mediobanca Banca di Credito Finanziario FRN | 4,788,000              | €        | 07.02.2029    |                           | 4,740                 | 0.14            |

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| Corporate bonds (continued)                        |                        |          |               |                           |                       |                    |
| Italy (continued)                                  |                        |          |               |                           |                       |                    |
| UniCredit FRN                                      | 19,505,000             | €        | 25.06.2025    |                           | 18,689                | 0.54               |
| UniCredit FRN                                      | 7,724,000              | €        | 15.11.2027    |                           | 7,850                 | 0.23               |
| Japan  |                        |          |               |                           | 50,697                | 1.46               |
| East Japan Railway 3.245%                          | 4,000,000              | €        | 08.09.2030    |                           | 3,855                 | 0.11               |
| East Japan Railway 0.773%                          | 3,641,000              | €        | 15.09.2034    |                           | 2,568                 | 0.08               |
| Mitsubishi UFJ Financial Group 3.556%              | 7,000,000              | €        | 15.06.2032    |                           | 6,716                 | 0.19               |
| Mizuho Financial Group 0.184%                      | 6,580,000              | €        | 13.04.2026    |                           | 5,830                 | 0.17               |
| Mizuho Financial Group 2.096%                      | 7,500,000              | €        | 08.04.2032    |                           | 6,284                 | 0.18               |
| NTT Finance 0.01%                                  | 7,085,000              | €        | 03.03.2025    |                           | 6,578                 | 0.19               |
| Sumitomo Mitsui Financial Group 0.819%             | 10,500,000             | €        | 23.07.2023    |                           | 10,398                | 0.30               |
| Takeda Pharmaceutical 3%                           | 9,000,000              | €        | 21.11.2030    |                           | 8,468                 | 0.24               |
| Jersey   |                        |          |               |                           | 15,350                | 0.44               |
| Heathrow Funding 1.5%                              | 9,700,000              | €        | 12.10.2027    |                           | 9,030                 | 0.26               |
| Heathrow Funding 1.875%                            | 1,000,000              | €        | 12.07.2032    |                           | 781                   | 0.02               |
| Heathrow Funding 1.125%                            | 1,750,000              | €        | 08.10.2032    |                           | 1,372                 | 0.04               |
| Kennedy Wilson Europe Real Estate 3.25%            | 5,300,000              | €        | 12.11.2025    |                           | 4,167                 | 0.12               |
| Luxembourg   |                        |          |               |                           | 162,020               | 4.65               |
| ACEF Holding 0.75%                                 | 4,465,000              | €        | 14.06.2028    |                           | 3,303                 | 0.09               |
| ACEF Holding 1.25%                                 | 4,059,000              | €        | 26.04.2030    |                           | 2,803                 | 0.08               |
| ADLER Group 2.25%                                  | 3,900,000              | €        | 27.04.2027    |                           | 1,381                 | 0.04               |
| ADLER Group 2.25%                                  | 4,800,000              | €        | 14.01.2029    |                           | 1,628                 | 0.05               |
| Aroundtown 0.375%                                  | 10,000,000             | €        | 15.04.2027    |                           | 6,633                 | 0.19               |
| Aroundtown FRN                                     | 2,100,000              | €        | 31.12.2099    |                           | 785                   | 0.02               |
| Bevco Lux 1%                                       | 5,000,000              | €        | 16.01.2030    |                           | 3,768                 | 0.1                |
| Blackstone Property Partners Europe Holdings 1%    | 5,978,000              | €        | 20.10.2026    |                           | 4,753                 | 0.14               |
| Blackstone Property Partners Europe Holdings 1%    | 8,185,000              | €        | 04.05.2028    |                           | 5,990                 | 0.17               |
| Blackstone Property Partners Europe Holdings 1.75% | 5,000,000              | €        | 12.03.2029    |                           | 3,663                 | 0.11               |
| CBRE Global Investors Open-Ended Funds 0.5%        | 9,197,000              | €        | 27.01.2028    |                           | 7,127                 | 0.20               |
| CBRE Global Investors Open-Ended Funds 0.9%        | 4,600,000              | €        | 12.10.2029    |                           | 3,361                 | 0.10               |
| CPI Property Group 1.625%                          | 9,167,000              | €        | 23.04.2027    |                           | 6,549                 | 0.19               |
| CPI Property Group 1.5%                            | 1,200,000              | €        | 27.01.2031    |                           | 697                   | 0.02               |

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| Corporate bonds (continued)              |                        |          |               |                           |                       |                 |
| Luxembourg (continued)                   |                        |          |               |                           |                       |                 |
| CPI Property Group FRN                   | 7,600,000              | €        | 31.12.2099    |                           | 3,872                 | 0.11            |
| DH Europe Finance II 0.2%                | 7,514,000              | €        | 18.03.2026    |                           | 6,786                 | 0.19            |
| Euroclear Investments 1.125%             | 5,200,000              | €        | 07.12.2026    |                           | 4,780                 | 0.14            |
| Euroclear Investments 1.5%               | 3,200,000              | €        | 11.04.2030    |                           | 2,736                 | 0.08            |
| Eurofins Scientific 4%                   | 5,957,000              | €        | 06.07.2029    |                           | 5,864                 | 0.17            |
| GELF Bond Issuer I 1.125%                | 4,400,000              | €        | 18.07.2029    |                           | 3,346                 | 0.10            |
| Grand City Properties FRN                | 5,800,000              | €        | 31.12.2099    |                           | 2,430                 | 0.07            |
| Grand City Properties FRN                | 3,000,000              | €        | 31.12.2099    |                           | 1,362                 | 0.04            |
| GTC Aurora Luxembourg 2.25%              | 3,568,000              | €        | 23.06.2026    |                           | 2,615                 | 0.08            |
| Helvetia Europe FRN                      | 1,650,000              | €        | 30.09.2041    |                           | 1,283                 | 0.04            |
| Logicor Financing 2.25%                  | 11,888,000             | €        | 13.05.2025    |                           | 10,880                | 0.31            |
| Logicor Financing 3.25%                  | 6,081,000              | €        | 13.11.2028    |                           | 5,131                 | 0.15            |
| Medtronic Global Holdings 3.375%         | 3,500,000              | €        | 15.10.2034    |                           | 3,297                 | 0.09            |
| Medtronic Global Holdings 1.625%         | 3,500,000              | €        | 15.10.2050    |                           | 2,099                 | 0.06            |
| Mohawk Capital Finance 1.75%             | 8,200,000              | €        | 12.06.2027    |                           | 7,420                 | 0.21            |
| Nestle Finance International 1.25%       | 5,100,000              | €        | 29.03.2031    |                           | 4,322                 | 0.12            |
| Nestle Finance International 1.5%        | 3,323,000              | €        | 29.03.2035    |                           | 2,678                 | 0.08            |
| P3 Group 1.625%                          | 9,100,000              | €        | 26.01.2029    |                           | 6,712                 | 0.19            |
| Prologis International Funding II 3.625% | 1,062,000              | €        | 07.03.2030    |                           | 1,005                 | 0.03            |
| Prologis International Funding II 3.125% | 6,200,000              | €        | 01.06.2031    |                           | 5,523                 | 0.16            |
| Prologis International Funding II 1.625% | 4,200,000              | €        | 17.06.2032    |                           | 3,194                 | 0.09            |
| Richemont International Holding 1.625%   | 2,500,000              | €        | 26.05.2040    |                           | 1,811                 | 0.05            |
| Segro Capital 1.875%                     | 2,230,000              | €        | 23.03.2030    |                           | 1,902                 | 0.05            |
| SELP Finance 1.5%                        | 3,850,000              | €        | 20.11.2025    |                           | 3,494                 | 0.10            |
| SELP Finance 3.75%                       | 2,939,000              | €        | 10.08.2027    |                           | 2,739                 | 0.08            |
| SES 3.5%                                 | 2,660,000              | €        | 14.01.2029    |                           | 2,428                 | 0.07            |
| TLG Finance FRN                          | 7,100,000              | €        | 31.12.2099    |                           | 3,449                 | 0.10            |
| Traton Finance Luxembourg 0.75%          | 8,000,000              | €        | 24.03.2029    |                           | 6,421                 | 0.18            |
| Netherlands (The)                        |                        |          |               |                           | 497,121               | 14.28           |
| ABN AMRO Bank 0.6%                       | 11,000,000             | €        | 15.01.2027    |                           | 9,705                 | 0.28            |
| ABN AMRO Bank 4.25%                      | 2,000,000              | €        | 21.02.2030    |                           | 1,981                 | 0.06            |

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| Corporate bonds (continued)                  |                        |          |               |                           |                       |                 |
| Netherlands (The) (continued)                |                        |          |               |                           |                       |                 |
| ABN AMRO Bank 3%                             | 4,700,000              | €        | 01.06.2032    |                           | 4,270                 | 0.12            |
| ABN AMRO Bank FRN                            | 4,000,000              | €        | 22.02.2033    |                           | 3,969                 | 0.11            |
| ABN AMRO Bank 4.5%                           | 9,000,000              | €        | 21.11.2034    |                           | 8,913                 | 0.26            |
| Aegon Bank 0.625%                            | 10,900,000             | €        | 21.06.2024    |                           | 10,404                | 0.30            |
| Akelius Residential Property Financing 1%    | 4,500,000              | €        | 17.01.2028    |                           | 3,634                 | 0.10            |
| Akelius Residential Property Financing 0.75% | 12,115,000             | €        | 22.02.2030    |                           | 8,735                 | 0.25            |
| Akzo Nobel 1.625%                            | 1,138,000              | €        | 14.04.2030    |                           | 980                   | 0.03            |
| Alcon Finance 2.375%                         | 4,489,000              | €        | 31.05.2028    |                           | 4,121                 | 0.12            |
| Alliander 0.875%                             | 7,426,000              | €        | 24.06.2032    |                           | 5,825                 | 0.17            |
| American Medical Systems Europe 1.625%       | 2,238,000              | €        | 08.03.2031    |                           | 1,890                 | 0.05            |
| American Medical Systems Europe 1.875%       | 1,072,000              | €        | 08.03.2034    |                           | 863                   | 0.02            |
| Argentum Netherlands BV for Swiss Life FRN   | 3,150,000              | €        | 29.12.2049    |                           | 3,069                 | 0.09            |
| ASR Nederland FRN                            | 8,897,000              | €        | 07.12.2043    |                           | 8,933                 | 0.26            |
| Bunge Finance Europe 1.85%                   | 8,750,000              | €        | 16.06.2023    |                           | 8,702                 | 0.25            |
| Coca-Cola HBC Finance 0.625%                 | 2,469,000              | €        | 21.11.2029    |                           | 2,004                 | 0.06            |
| Cooperatieve Rabobank 1.25%                  | 15,200,000             | €        | 23.03.2026    |                           | 14,291                | 0.41            |
| Cooperatieve Rabobank FRN                    | 11,500,000             | €        | 05.05.2028    |                           | 9,998                 | 0.29            |
| CRH Funding 1.625%                           | 3,500,000              | €        | 05.05.2030    |                           | 2,990                 | 0.09            |
| CTP 0.625%                                   | 1,800,000              | €        | 27.11.2023    |                           | 1,713                 | 0.05            |
| CTP 1.25%                                    | 2,000,000              | €        | 21.06.2029    |                           | 1,333                 | 0.04            |
| CTP 1.5%                                     | 5,100,000              | €        | 27.09.2031    |                           | 3,066                 | 0.09            |
| Daimler Truck International Finance 1.625%   | 11,400,000             | €        | 06.04.2027    |                           | 10,341                | 0.30            |
| Deutsche Telekom International Finance 7.5%  | 4,200,000              | €        | 24.01.2033    |                           | 5,361                 | 0.15            |
| Digital Intrepid Holding 1.375%              | 9,911,000              | €        | 18.07.2032    |                           | 7,089                 | 0.20            |
| DSV Finance 1.375%                           | 3,000,000              | €        | 16.03.2030    |                           | 2,512                 | 0.07            |
| DSV Finance 0.875%                           | 4,973,000              | €        | 17.09.2036    |                           | 3,192                 | 0.09            |
| E.ON International Finance 5.75%             | 13,210,000             | €        | 14.02.2033    |                           | 14,743                | 0.42            |
| easyJet 1.875%                               | 3,700,000              | €        | 03.03.2028    |                           | 2,993                 | 0.09            |
| EDP Finance 3.875%                           | 1,242,000              | €        | 11.03.2030    |                           | 1,228                 | 0.04            |
| EnBW International Finance 0.5%              | 4,300,000              | €        | 01.03.2033    |                           | 2,992                 | 0.09            |
| EnBW International Finance 1.875%            | 6,530,000              | €        | 31.10.2033    |                           | 5,219                 | 0.15            |

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| Corporate bonds (continued)       |                        |          |               |                           |                       |                 |
| Netherlands (The) (continued)     |                        |          |               |                           |                       |                 |
| EnBW International Finance 6.125% | 2,750,000              | €        | 07.07.2039    |                           | 3,291                 | 0.09            |
| Enel Finance International 0%     | 4,454,000              | €        | 28.05.2026    |                           | 3,934                 | 0.11            |
| Enel Finance International 0.375% | 7,100,000              | €        | 17.06.2027    |                           | 6,136                 | 0.18            |
| Enel Finance International 3.875% | 4,570,000              | €        | 09.03.2029    |                           | 4,527                 | 0.13            |
| Enel Finance International 0.5%   | 7,267,000              | €        | 17.06.2030    |                           | 5,579                 | 0.16            |
| Enel Finance International 0.875% | 11,700,000             | €        | 28.09.2034    |                           | 7,880                 | 0.23            |
| Enel Finance International 1.125% | 5,000,000              | €        | 17.10.2034    |                           | 3,525                 | 0.10            |
| Enexis Holding 0.75%              | 4,692,000              | €        | 02.07.2031    |                           | 3,694                 | 0.11            |
| Enexis Holding 0.375%             | 10,500,000             | €        | 14.04.2033    |                           | 7,495                 | 0.22            |
| EXOR 0.875%                       | 4,600,000              | €        | 19.01.2031    |                           | 3,458                 | 0.10            |
| Heimstaden Bostad Treasury 1.375% | 2,600,000              | €        | 24.07.2028    |                           | 1,954                 | 0.06            |
| Heimstaden Bostad Treasury 0.75%  | 4,600,000              | €        | 06.09.2029    |                           | 3,095                 | 0.09            |
| Heimstaden Bostad Treasury 1.625% | 1,200,000              | €        | 13.10.2031    |                           | 769                   | 0.02            |
| Iberdrola International FRN       | 9,000,000              | €        | 31.12.2099    |                           | 6,889                 | 0.20            |
| Iberdrola International FRN       | 10,800,000             | €        | 31.12.2099    |                           | 8,685                 | 0.25            |
| ING Groep 1%                      | 5,800,000              | €        | 20.09.2023    |                           | 5,720                 | 0.16            |
| ING Groep 2.125%                  | 4,000,000              | €        | 10.01.2026    |                           | 3,812                 | 0.11            |
| ING Groep 1.375%                  | 7,900,000              | €        | 11.01.2028    |                           | 6,946                 | 0.20            |
| ING Groep FRN                     | 2,500,000              | €        | 18.02.2029    |                           | 2,018                 | 0.06            |
| ING Groep FRN                     | 6,900,000              | €        | 16.11.2032    |                           | 5,694                 | 0.16            |
| ING Groep FRN                     | 3,800,000              | €        | 24.08.2033    |                           | 3,585                 | 0.10            |
| ING Groep FRN                     | 10,100,000             | €        | 14.11.2033    |                           | 10,583                | 0.30            |
| JAB Holdings 2.25%                | 1,800,000              | €        | 19.12.2039    |                           | 1,229                 | 0.04            |
| Koninklijke KPN 0.875%            | 2,100,000              | €        | 15.11.2033    |                           | 1,500                 | 0.04            |
| Koninklijke Philips 2.125%        | 6,900,000              | €        | 05.11.2029    |                           | 5,982                 | 0.17            |
| Koninklijke Philips 2%            | 3,800,000              | €        | 30.03.2030    |                           | 3,227                 | 0.09            |
| LeasePlan 1%                      | 4,500,000              | €        | 02.05.2023    |                           | 4,470                 | 0.13            |
| LeasePlan 1.375%                  | 2,700,000              | €        | 07.03.2024    |                           | 2,623                 | 0.08            |
| LeasePlan 0.25%                   | 8,071,000              | €        | 07.09.2026    |                           | 6,925                 | 0.20            |
| Nationale-Nederlanden Bank 0.375% | 5,500,000              | €        | 31.05.2023    |                           | 5,451                 | 0.16            |
| NE Property 2%                    | 12,212,000             | €        | 20.01.2030    |                           | 8,479                 | 0.24            |

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| Investment description                   | Holdings/<br>contracts | Currency | Maturity date | Commitment<br>value €'000 | Market value<br>€'000 | % of net assets |
|--|------------------------|----------|---------------|---------------------------|-----------------------|-----------------|
| Corporate bonds (continued)              |                        |          |               |                           |                       |                 |
| Netherlands (The) (continued)            |                        |          |               |                           |                       |                 |
| Nederlandse Gasunie 1.375%               | 3,800,000              | €        | 16.10.2028    |                           | 3,334                 | 0.10            |
| Nederlandse Gasunie 3.375%               | 5,011,000              | €        | 11.07.2034    |                           | 4,801                 | 0.14            |
| NN Group FRN                             | 4,644,000              | €        | 01.03.2043    |                           | 4,322                 | 0.12            |
| PACCAR Financial Europe 3.25%            | 2,518,000              | €        | 29.11.2025    |                           | 2,491                 | 0.07            |
| PACCAR Financial Europe 0%               | 3,600,000              | €        | 01.03.2026    |                           | 3,199                 | 0.09            |
| Prosus 2.085%                            | 2,200,000              | €        | 19.01.2030    |                           | 1,719                 | 0.05            |
| Prosus 2.031%                            | 4,800,000              | €        | 03.08.2032    |                           | 3,414                 | 0.10            |
| Rentokil Initial Finance 4.375%          | 8,260,000              | €        | 27.06.2030    |                           | 8,399                 | 0.24            |
| Royal Schiphol Group 0%                  | 5,900,000              | €        | 22.04.2025    |                           | 5,400                 | 0.16            |
| Sagax 0.75%                              | 3,800,000              | €        | 26.01.2028    |                           | 2,863                 | 0.08            |
| Sagax 1%                                 | 4,310,000              | €        | 17.05.2029    |                           | 3,034                 | 0.09            |
| Shell International Finance 0.5%         | 7,700,000              | €        | 08.11.2031    |                           | 5,901                 | 0.17            |
| Shell International Finance 0.875%       | 2,800,000              | €        | 08.11.2039    |                           | 1,742                 | 0.05            |
| Siemens Financieringsmaatschappij 0.375% | 1,200,000              | €        | 05.06.2026    |                           | 1,087                 | 0.03            |
| Stedin Holding 0.875%                    | 4,800,000              | €        | 24.10.2025    |                           | 4,452                 | 0.13            |
| Stedin Holding 1.375%                    | 3,000,000              | €        | 19.09.2028    |                           | 2,651                 | 0.08            |
| Stedin Holding 0.5%                      | 1,600,000              | €        | 14.11.2029    |                           | 1,295                 | 0.04            |
| Stellantis 1.25%                         | 10,274,000             | €        | 20.06.2033    |                           | 7,239                 | 0.21            |
| TenneT Holding 1.375%                    | 1,500,000              | €        | 05.06.2028    |                           | 1,331                 | 0.04            |
| TenneT Holding 0.125%                    | 3,100,000              | €        | 30.11.2032    |                           | 2,136                 | 0.06            |
| TenneT Holding 2.375%                    | 4,133,000              | €        | 17.05.2033    |                           | 3,576                 | 0.10            |
| TenneT Holding 4.5%                      | 6,000,000              | €        | 28.10.2034    |                           | 6,254                 | 0.18            |
| TenneT Holding 0.875%                    | 7,400,000              | €        | 16.06.2035    |                           | 5,166                 | 0.15            |
| TenneT Holding 1.5%                      | 2,200,000              | €        | 03.06.2039    |                           | 1,561                 | 0.04            |
| TenneT Holding 4.75%                     | 3,885,000              | €        | 28.10.2042    |                           | 4,129                 | 0.12            |
| Thermo Fisher Scientific Finance I 0%    | 2,663,000              | €        | 18.11.2025    |                           | 2,416                 | 0.07            |
| Triodos Bank FRN                         | 10,700,000             | €        | 05.02.2032    |                           | 8,042                 | 0.23            |
| Upjohn Finance 1.362%                    | 5,362,000              | €        | 23.06.2027    |                           | 4,682                 | 0.13            |
| Urenco Finance 3.25%                     | 2,810,000              | €        | 13.06.2032    |                           | 2,599                 | 0.07            |
| Vesteda Finance 0.75%                    | 2,591,000              | €        | 18.10.2031    |                           | 1,887                 | 0.05            |
| Viterra Finance 1%                       | 13,314,000             | €        | 24.09.2028    |                           | 10,703                | 0.31            |

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| Investment description                 | Holdings/<br>contracts | Currency | Maturity date | Commitment<br>value €'000 | Market value<br>€'000 | % of net assets |
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| Corporate bonds (continued)            |                        |          |               |                           |                       |                 |
| Netherlands (The) (continued)          |                        |          |               |                           |                       |                 |
| Volkswagen International Finance FRN   | 5,500,000              | €        | 31.12.2099    |                           | 4,888                 | 0.14            |
| Volkswagen International Finance FRN   | 9,300,000              | €        | 31.12.2099    |                           | 7,620                 | 0.22            |
| Volkswagen International Finance FRN   | 7,900,000              | €        | 31.12.2099    |                           | 7,023                 | 0.20            |
| Vonovia Finance 1.625%                 | 9,600,000              | €        | 07.10.2039    |                           | 5,733                 | 0.16            |
| Wabtec Transportation 1.25%            | 8,772,000              | €        | 03.12.2027    |                           | 7,459                 | 0.21            |
| Wintershall Dea Finance 1.332%         | 11,700,000             | €        | 25.09.2028    |                           | 9,502                 | 0.27            |
| Wintershall Dea Finance 1.823%         | 2,000,000              | €        | 25.09.2031    |                           | 1,485                 | 0.04            |
| Wintershall Dea Finance 2 FRN          | 3,900,000              | €        | 31.12.2099    |                           | 3,168                 | 0.09            |
| WPC Eurobond 2.125%                    | 2,460,000              | €        | 15.04.2027    |                           | 2,204                 | 0.06            |
| New Zealand                            |                        |          |               |                           | 20,671                | 0.59            |
| Chorus 0.875%                          | 9,950,000              | €        | 05.12.2026    |                           | 8,860                 | 0.25            |
| Chorus 3.625%                          | 1,512,000              | €        | 07.09.2029    |                           | 1,467                 | 0.04            |
| Westpac Securities 0.427%              | 3,628,000              | €        | 14.12.2026    |                           | 3,158                 | 0.09            |
| Westpac Securities 0.1%                | 8,643,000              | €        | 13.07.2027    |                           | 7,186                 | 0.21            |
| Norway                                 |                        |          |               |                           | 22,767                | 0.65            |
| Avinor 1.25%                           | 13,258,000             | €        | 09.02.2027    |                           | 11,993                | 0.34            |
| Equinor 1.625%                         | 6,500,000              | €        | 17.02.2035    |                           | 5,229                 | 0.15            |
| Santander Consumer Bank 0.125%         | 6,300,000              | €        | 14.04.2026    |                           | 5,545                 | 0.16            |
| Portugal                               |                        |          |               |                           |                       |                 |
| Caixa Geral de Depositos FRN           | 3,700,000              | €        | 31.10.2028    |                           | 3,751                 | 0.11            |
| Spain                                  |                        |          |               |                           | 74,897                | 2.15            |
| Abertis Infraestructuras 1.125%        | 3,400,000              | €        | 26.03.2028    |                           | 2,844                 | 0.08            |
| Abertis Infraestructuras 2.25%         | 3,000,000              | €        | 29.03.2029    |                           | 2,594                 | 0.07            |
| Banco Bilbao Vizcaya Argentaria 0.375% | 3,100,000              | €        | 15.11.2026    |                           | 2,722                 | 0.08            |
| Banco Bilbao Vizcaya Argentaria FRN    | 8,900,000              | €        | 24.03.2027    |                           | 7,878                 | 0.23            |
| Banco Bilbao Vizcaya Argentaria FRN    | 1,500,000              | €        | 14.01.2029    |                           | 1,258                 | 0.04            |
| Banco Bilbao Vizcaya Argentaria 4.375% | 6,400,000              | €        | 14.10.2029    |                           | 6,496                 | 0.19            |
| CaixaBank FRN                          | 14,900,000             | €        | 21.01.2028    |                           | 12,962                | 0.37            |
| CaixaBank FRN                          | 9,100,000              | €        | 26.05.2028    |                           | 7,662                 | 0.22            |
| CaixaBank FRN                          | 1,300,000              | €        | 14.11.2030    |                           | 1,330                 | 0.04            |
| CaixaBank FRN                          | 4,900,000              | €        | 23.02.2033    |                           | 4,913                 | 0.14            |

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|--------------------------------------|------------------------|----------|---------------|---------------------------|-----------------------|-----------------|
| Corporate bonds (continued)          |                        |          |               |                           |                       |                 |
| Spain (continued)                    |                        |          |               |                           |                       |                 |
| Kutxabank FRN                        | 2,400,000              | €        | 14.10.2027    |                           | 2,063                 | 0.06            |
| Merlin Properties Socimi 1.375%      | 4,600,000              | €        | 01.06.2030    |                           | 3,560                 | 0.10            |
| Prosegur Cash 1.375%                 | 3,400,000              | €        | 04.02.2026    |                           | 3,117                 | 0.09            |
| Prosegur Cia de Seguridad 2.5%       | 4,700,000              | €        | 06.04.2029    |                           | 3,919                 | 0.11            |
| Santander Consumer Finance 1.125%    | 3,500,000              | €        | 09.10.2023    |                           | 3,453                 | 0.10            |
| Santander Consumer Finance 0.375%    | 8,500,000              | €        | 27.06.2024    |                           | 8,126                 | 0.23            |
| Sweden                               |                        |          |               |                           | 47,531                | 1.37            |
| Castellum 0.75%                      | 1,350,000              | €        | 04.09.2026    |                           | 1,049                 | 0.03            |
| Castellum FRN                        | 8,503,000              | €        | 31.12.2099    |                           | 5,421                 | 0.16            |
| Fastighets Balder 1.25%              | 8,369,000              | €        | 28.01.2028    |                           | 5,831                 | 0.17            |
| Heimstaden Bostad FRN                | 3,357,000              | €        | 14.10.2027    |                           | 1,814                 | 0.05            |
| Heimstaden Bostad FRN                | 8,700,000              | €        | 31.12.2099    |                           | 5,003                 | 0.14            |
| Investor AB 1.5%                     | 5,250,000              | €        | 12.09.2030    |                           | 4,518                 | 0.13            |
| Samhällsbyggnadsbolaget i Norden FRN | 9,400,000              | €        | 31.12.2099    |                           | 3,716                 | 0.11            |
| Sandvik 0.375%                       | 1,634,000              | €        | 25.11.2028    |                           | 1,313                 | 0.04            |
| Sandvik 3.75%                        | 4,383,000              | €        | 27.09.2029    |                           | 4,270                 | 0.12            |
| Swedbank 0.75%                       | 3,500,000              | €        | 05.05.2025    |                           | 3,273                 | 0.09            |
| Swedbank 0.25%                       | 9,700,000              | €        | 02.11.2026    |                           | 8,513                 | 0.25            |
| Telefonaktiebolaget LM Ericsson 1%   | 3,708,000              | €        | 26.05.2029    |                           | 2,810                 | 0.08            |
| Switzerland                          |                        |          |               |                           | 57,358                | 1.65            |
| Credit Suisse Group FRN              | 11,650,000             | €        | 02.04.2026    |                           | 10,481                | 0.30            |
| Credit Suisse Group FRN              | 3,710,000              | €        | 01.03.2029    |                           | 3,696                 | 0.11            |
| Credit Suisse Group FRN              | 26,449,000             | €        | 02.04.2032    |                           | 19,191                | 0.55            |
| Credit Suisse Group 0.625%           | 11,017,000             | €        | 18.01.2033    |                           | 6,138                 | 0.18            |
| UBS 0.01%                            | 6,700,000              | €        | 31.03.2026    |                           | 5,934                 | 0.17            |
| UBS Group FRN                        | 12,800,000             | €        | 15.06.2030    |                           | 11,918                | 0.34            |
| United Kingdom                       |                        |          |               |                           | 211,634               | 6.08            |
| Babcock International Group 1.375%   | 6,880,000              | €        | 13.09.2027    |                           | 5,747                 | 0.17            |
| Barclays FRN                         | 5,628,000              | €        | 24.01.2026    |                           | 5,274                 | 0.15            |
| Barclays FRN                         | 5,670,000              | €        | 28.01.2028    |                           | 4,855                 | 0.14            |
| Barclays FRN                         | 1,800,000              | €        | 22.03.2031    |                           | 1,534                 | 0.04            |

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### Statement of investments (continued)

| Investment description                                      | Holdings/<br>contracts | Currency | Maturity date | Commitment<br>value €'000 | Market value<br>€'000 | % of net assets |
|---|------------------------|----------|---------------|---------------------------|-----------------------|-----------------|
| Corporate bonds (continued)                                 |                        |          |               |                           |                       |                 |
| United Kingdom (continued)                                  |                        |          |               |                           |                       |                 |
| Barclays FRN  | 14,500,000             | €        | 29.01.2034    |                           | 14,389                | 0.41            |
| Boparan Finance 7.625%                                      | 8,585,000              | £        | 30.11.2025    |                           | 6,616                 | 0.19            |
| BP Capital Markets 1.231%                                   | 9,600,000              | €        | 08.05.2031    |                           | 7,762                 | 0.22            |
| BP Capital Markets 2.822%                                   | 5,320,000              | €        | 07.04.2032    |                           | 4,850                 | 0.14            |
| BP Capital Markets FRN                                      | 2,695,000              | €        | 31.12.2099    |                           | 2,487                 | 0.07            |
| BP Capital Markets FRN                                      | 8,900,000              | €        | 31.12.2099    |                           | 7,665                 | 0.22            |
| Coca-Cola Europacific Partners 1.875%                       | 7,542,000              | €        | 18.03.2030    |                           | 6,619                 | 0.19            |
| HSBC Holdings FRN   | 9,700,000              | €        | 16.11.2032    |                           | 9,888                 | 0.28            |
| Lloyds Bank Corporate Markets 0.375%                        | 5,900,000              | €        | 28.01.2025    |                           | 5,497                 | 0.16            |
| Lloyds Banking Group FRN                                    | 6,789,000              | €        | 24.08.2030    |                           | 6,233                 | 0.18            |
| National Grid 0.25%   | 3,216,000              | €        | 01.09.2028    |                           | 2,616                 | 0.08            |
| National Grid 2.949%  | 4,800,000              | €        | 30.03.2030    |                           | 4,415                 | 0.13            |
| National Grid Electricity Distribution East Midlands 3.949% | 11,800,000             | €        | 20.09.2032    |                           | 11,632                | 0.33            |
| Nationwide Building Society 0.25%                           | 11,003,000             | €        | 14.09.2028    |                           | 8,851                 | 0.25            |
| Nationwide Building Society 3.25%                           | 3,810,000              | €        | 05.09.2029    |                           | 3,593                 | 0.10            |
| NatWest Group FRN   | 5,450,000              | €        | 04.03.2025    |                           | 5,318                 | 0.15            |
| NatWest Group FRN   | 9,414,000              | €        | 14.09.2032    |                           | 7,554                 | 0.22            |
| Omnicom Finance Holdings 0.8%                               | 4,000,000              | €        | 08.07.2027    |                           | 3,510                 | 0.10            |
| Royal Bank of Scotland Group FRN                            | 6,400,000              | €        | 02.03.2026    |                           | 6,027                 | 0.17            |
| Santander UK Group Holdings FRN                             | 7,327,000              | €        | 25.08.2028    |                           | 6,861                 | 0.20            |
| Sky 2.25%   | 6,300,000              | €        | 17.11.2025    |                           | 6,068                 | 0.18            |
| Smith & Nephew 4.565%                                       | 6,086,000              | €        | 11.10.2029    |                           | 6,098                 | 0.18            |
| SSE 2.875%  | 4,230,000              | €        | 01.08.2029    |                           | 3,962                 | 0.11            |
| SSE 1.75%   | 5,808,000              | €        | 16.04.2030    |                           | 4,961                 | 0.14            |
| Standard Chartered FRN                                      | 6,100,000              | €        | 27.01.2028    |                           | 5,218                 | 0.15            |
| Swiss Re Finance FRN  | 3,700,000              | €        | 04.06.2052    |                           | 2,894                 | 0.08            |
| Thames Water Utilities Finance 0.875%                       | 3,630,000              | €        | 31.01.2028    |                           | 3,096                 | 0.09            |
| Thames Water Utilities Finance 1.25%                        | 6,750,000              | €        | 31.01.2032    |                           | 5,277                 | 0.15            |
| Tritax EuroBox 0.95%  | 7,425,000              | €        | 02.06.2026    |                           | 6,063                 | 0.17            |
| Virgin Money FRN  | 2,401,000              | €        | 27.05.2024    |                           | 2,356                 | 0.07            |
| Vodafone Group FRN  | 7,150,000              | €        | 27.08.2080    |                           | 5,724                 | 0.17            |

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# Statement of investments

| Investment description              | Holdings/<br>contracts | Currency | Maturity date | Commitment<br>value €'000 | Market value<br>€'000 | % of net assets |
|-------------------------------------|------------------------|----------|---------------|---------------------------|-----------------------|-----------------|
| Corporate bonds (continued)         |                        |          |               |                           |                       |                 |
| United Kingdom (continued)          |                        |          |               |                           |                       |                 |
| Wellcome Trust 1.125%               | 3,950,000              | €        | 21.01.2027    |                           | 3,635                 | 0.11            |
| Yorkshire Building Society 0.5%     | 8,000,000              | €        | 01.07.2028    |                           | 6,489                 | 0.19            |
| United States                       |                        |          |               |                           | 485,167               | 13.94           |
| Air Products and Chemicals 0.8%     | 3,500,000              | €        | 05.05.2032    |                           | 2,710                 | 0.08            |
| American Honda Finance 0.3%         | 4,100,000              | €        | 07.07.2028    |                           | 3,400                 | 0.10            |
| American International Group 1.875% | 3,229,000              | €        | 21.06.2027    |                           | 2,917                 | 0.08            |
| American Tower 0.45%                | 4,489,000              | €        | 15.01.2027    |                           | 3,855                 | 0.11            |
| Apple 0%                            | 12,182,000             | €        | 15.11.2025    |                           | 11,214                | 0.32            |
| Apple 1.625%                        | 4,500,000              | €        | 10.11.2026    |                           | 4,279                 | 0.12            |
| Bank of America FRN                 | 9,850,000              | €        | 25.04.2028    |                           | 8,838                 | 0.25            |
| Bank of America FRN                 | 6,600,000              | €        | 31.03.2029    |                           | 6,383                 | 0.18            |
| Bank of America FRN                 | 9,534,000              | €        | 26.10.2031    |                           | 7,203                 | 0.21            |
| Berkshire Hathaway Finance 2%       | 5,860,000              | €        | 18.03.2034    |                           | 4,721                 | 0.14            |
| Booking Holdings 2.375%             | 6,100,000              | €        | 23.09.2024    |                           | 5,986                 | 0.17            |
| Booking Holdings 0.1%               | 3,200,000              | €        | 08.03.2025    |                           | 2,963                 | 0.09            |
| Booking Holdings 4.75%              | 2,314,000              | €        | 15.11.2034    |                           | 2,359                 | 0.07            |
| BorgWarner 1%                       | 7,700,000              | €        | 19.05.2031    |                           | 5,739                 | 0.17            |
| Celanese US Holdings 0.625%         | 9,600,000              | €        | 10.09.2028    |                           | 7,006                 | 0.20            |
| Celanese US Holdings 5.337%         | 6,387,000              | €        | 19.01.2029    |                           | 6,064                 | 0.17            |
| Chubb INA Holdings 0.875%           | 5,000,000              | €        | 15.06.2027    |                           | 4,384                 | 0.13            |
| Chubb INA Holdings 1.55%            | 6,102,000              | €        | 15.03.2028    |                           | 5,401                 | 0.16            |
| Citigroup FRN                       | 18,272,000             | €        | 06.07.2026    |                           | 17,052                | 0.49            |
| Citigroup FRN                       | 7,044,000              | €        | 22.09.2033    |                           | 6,808                 | 0.20            |
| Coca-Cola 0.95%                     | 4,200,000              | €        | 06.05.2036    |                           | 3,010                 | 0.09            |
| Coca-Cola 1%                        | 1,937,000              | €        | 09.03.2041    |                           | 1,260                 | 0.04            |
| Comcast 0.25%                       | 8,600,000              | €        | 20.05.2027    |                           | 7,418                 | 0.21            |
| Comcast 0.75%                       | 4,489,000              | €        | 20.02.2032    |                           | 3,423                 | 0.10            |
| Digital Euro Finco 2.5%             | 4,200,000              | €        | 16.01.2026    |                           | 3,898                 | 0.11            |
| Duke Energy 3.1%                    | 5,000,000              | €        | 15.06.2028    |                           | 4,690                 | 0.13            |
| DXC Technology 1.75%                | 11,000,000             | €        | 15.01.2026    |                           | 10,181                | 0.29            |
| Euronet Worldwide 1.375%            | 9,732,000              | €        | 22.05.2026    |                           | 8,654                 | 0.25            |

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|--|------------------------|----------|---------------|---------------------------|-----------------------|-----------------|
| Corporate bonds (continued)                  |                        |          |               |                           |                       |                 |
| United States (continued)                    |                        |          |               |                           |                       |                 |
| Exxon Mobil 0.142%                           | 11,000,000             | €        | 26.06.2024    |                           | 10,515                | 0.30            |
| Exxon Mobil 0.835%                           | 1,305,000              | €        | 26.06.2032    |                           | 982                   | 0.03            |
| FedEx 0.45%                                  | 4,970,000              | €        | 04.05.2029    |                           | 3,952                 | 0.11            |
| Fidelity National Information Services 0.75% | 9,200,000              | €        | 21.05.2023    |                           | 9,132                 | 0.26            |
| Fidelity National Information Services 1%    | 6,177,000              | €        | 03.12.2028    |                           | 5,147                 | 0.15            |
| General Electric 4.125%                      | 6,930,000              | €        | 19.09.2035    |                           | 6,885                 | 0.20            |
| General Mills 0.125%                         | 2,623,000              | €        | 15.11.2025    |                           | 2,382                 | 0.07            |
| General Mills 1.5%                           | 892,000                | €        | 27.04.2027    |                           | 810                   | 0.02            |
| General Motors Financial 0.65%               | 6,611,000              | €        | 07.09.2028    |                           | 5,224                 | 0.15            |
| Goldman Sachs Group 0.25%                    | 11,730,000             | €        | 26.01.2028    |                           | 9,630                 | 0.28            |
| Goldman Sachs Group 2%                       | 6,500,000              | €        | 22.03.2028    |                           | 5,842                 | 0.17            |
| Goldman Sachs Group 0.875%                   | 1,220,000              | €        | 09.05.2029    |                           | 981                   | 0.03            |
| Goldman Sachs Group 4%                       | 6,861,000              | €        | 21.09.2029    |                           | 6,674                 | 0.19            |
| Goldman Sachs Group 1%                       | 4,100,000              | €        | 18.03.2033    |                           | 2,961                 | 0.09            |
| Harley Davidson Financial Services 3.875%    | 8,400,000              | €        | 19.05.2023    |                           | 8,427                 | 0.24            |
| Honeywell International 4.125%               | 7,798,000              | €        | 02.11.2034    |                           | 7,726                 | 0.22            |
| International Business Machines 0.95%        | 8,200,000              | €        | 23.05.2025    |                           | 7,742                 | 0.22            |
| International Business Machines 1.5%         | 4,900,000              | €        | 23.05.2029    |                           | 4,294                 | 0.12            |
| International Business Machines 0.875%       | 3,400,000              | €        | 09.02.2030    |                           | 2,803                 | 0.08            |
| Johnson & Johnson 1.15%                      | 3,400,000              | €        | 20.11.2028    |                           | 3,046                 | 0.09            |
| Johnson & Johnson 1.65%                      | 1,000,000              | €        | 20.05.2035    |                           | 838                   | 0.02            |
| JPMorgan Chase FRN                           | 31,837,000             | €        | 24.02.2028    |                           | 27,296                | 0.78            |
| KKR Group Finance V 1.625%                   | 1,860,000              | €        | 22.05.2029    |                           | 1,517                 | 0.04            |
| ManpowerGroup 3.5%                           | 4,602,000              | €        | 30.06.2027    |                           | 4,531                 | 0.13            |
| Mastercard 1%                                | 4,159,000              | €        | 22.02.2029    |                           | 3,614                 | 0.10            |
| McDonald's 0.25%                             | 11,003,000             | €        | 04.10.2028    |                           | 9,120                 | 0.26            |
| Merck & Co 1.875%                            | 1,500,000              | €        | 15.10.2026    |                           | 1,432                 | 0.04            |
| Merck & Co 1.375%                            | 1,510,000              | €        | 02.11.2036    |                           | 1,171                 | 0.03            |
| Metropolitan Life Global Funding I 0.375%    | 5,250,000              | €        | 09.04.2024    |                           | 5,058                 | 0.15            |
| Metropolitan Life Global Funding I 0.5%      | 15,231,000             | €        | 25.05.2029    |                           | 12,462                | 0.36            |
| Morgan Stanley FRN                           | 7,350,000              | €        | 29.10.2027    |                           | 6,353                 | 0.18            |

# Statement of investments

| Investment description             | Holdings/<br>contracts | Currency | Maturity date | Commitment<br>value €'000 | Market value<br>€'000 | % of net assets |
|------------------------------------|------------------------|----------|---------------|---------------------------|-----------------------|-----------------|
| Corporate bonds (continued)        |                        |          |               |                           |                       |                 |
| United States (continued)          |                        |          |               |                           |                       |                 |
| Morgan Stanley FRN                 | 14,937,000             | €        | 07.02.2031    |                           | 11,366                | 0.33            |
| Morgan Stanley FRN                 | 9,713,000              | €        | 25.01.2034    |                           | 10,112                | 0.29            |
| Mylan 2.25%                        | 5,700,000              | €        | 22.11.2024    |                           | 5,508                 | 0.16            |
| Mylan 3.125%                       | 2,450,000              | €        | 22.11.2028    |                           | 2,249                 | 0.06            |
| New York Life Global Funding 0.25% | 17,160,000             | €        | 23.01.2027    |                           | 15,018                | 0.43            |
| PepsiCo 0.4%                       | 7,750,000              | €        | 09.10.2032    |                           | 5,811                 | 0.17            |
| PPG Industries 2.75%               | 8,890,000              | €        | 01.06.2029    |                           | 8,284                 | 0.24            |
| Prologis Euro Finance 1.875%       | 5,526,000              | €        | 05.01.2029    |                           | 4,862                 | 0.14            |
| PVH 3.625%                         | 7,900,000              | €        | 15.07.2024    |                           | 7,883                 | 0.23            |
| Stryker 2.625%                     | 3,000,000              | €        | 30.11.2030    |                           | 2,733                 | 0.08            |
| US Bancorp 0.85%                   | 8,700,000              | €        | 07.06.2024    |                           | 8,412                 | 0.24            |
| Verizon Communications 0.75%       | 6,060,000              | €        | 22.03.2032    |                           | 4,536                 | 0.13            |
| Verizon Communications 4.75%       | 10,885,000             | €        | 31.10.2034    |                           | 11,261                | 0.32            |
| Visa 2%                            | 5,984,000              | €        | 15.06.2029    |                           | 5,489                 | 0.16            |
| Wells Fargo 2.125%                 | 7,730,000              | €        | 04.06.2024    |                           | 7,576                 | 0.22            |
| Wells Fargo 1.625%                 | 4,500,000              | €        | 02.06.2025    |                           | 4,271                 | 0.12            |
| Wells Fargo 1%                     | 12,187,000             | €        | 02.02.2027    |                           | 10,711                | 0.31            |
| Wells Fargo FRN                    | 9,528,000              | €        | 04.05.2030    |                           | 8,088                 | 0.23            |
| Westlake Chemical 1.625%           | 13,108,000             | €        | 17.07.2029    |                           | 10,634                | 0.31            |
| Equities                           |                        |          |               |                           | 0                     | 0.00            |
| Netherlands (The)                  |                        |          |               |                           |                       |                 |
| New World Resources 'A'a           | 6,376,386              | £        |               |                           | 0                     | 0.00            |
| Government bonds                   |                        |          |               |                           | 326,829               | 9.39            |
| France                             |                        |          |               |                           | 8,435                 | 0.24            |
| Société Nationale 0.625%           | 7,200,000              | €        | 17.04.2030    |                           | 5,942                 | 0.17            |
| Société Nationale 0.875%           | 5,200,000              | €        | 28.02.2051    |                           | 2,493                 | 0.07            |
| Germany                            |                        |          |               |                           | 318,394               | 9.15            |
| Germany (Federal Republic of) 0.5% | 212,000,000            | €        | 15.02.2025    |                           | 203,197               | 5.84            |
| Germany (Federal Republic of) 0%   | 70,800,000             | €        | 15.08.2026    |                           | 64,841                | 1.86            |
| Germany (Federal Republic of) 0%   | 46,727,886             | €        | 15.11.2028    |                           | 40,555                | 1.16            |
| Germany (Federal Republic of) 0%   | 6,062,122              | €        | 15.02.2032    |                           | 4,851                 | 0.14            |

# **Statement of investments**

| Statement of investments   | (continued) |
|----------------------------|-------------|
| Statement of investments i | (COHUHUEU)  |

| Investment description                               | Holdings/<br>contracts | Currency | Maturity date | Commitment<br>value €'000 | Market value<br>€'000 | % of net assets |
|--|------------------------|----------|---------------|---------------------------|-----------------------|-----------------|
| Government bonds (continued)                         |                        |          |               |                           |                       |                 |
| Germany (continued)                                  |                        |          |               |                           |                       |                 |
| Germany (Federal Republic of) 0%                     | 5,020,000              | €        | 15.08.2050    |                           | 2,629                 | 0.08            |
| GEWOBAG Wohnungsbau 0.125%                           | 2,800,000              | €        | 24.06.2027    |                           | 2,321                 | 0.07            |
| Interest rate futures                                |                        |          |               |                           | 8,722                 | 0.25            |
| Deutscher Bobl 5 year Futures                        | (377)                  | €        | 08.03.2023    | 437                       | 1,565                 | 0.04            |
| Deutscher Bund 10 year Futures                       | (1,433)                | €        | 08.03.2023    | 1,914                     | 11,768                | 0.34            |
| Deutscher Bund 30 year Futures                       | 109                    | €        | 08.03.2023    | 150                       | (2,882)               | (0.08)          |
| Deutscher Schatz 2 year Futures                      | 1,281                  | €        | 08.03.2023    | 1,351                     | (1,729)               | (0.05)          |
| Currency   |                        |          |               |                           | 82                    | 0.00            |
| Forward currency contracts                           |                        |          |               |                           | 82                    | 0.00            |
| Bought for £ 674,902.72, Sold for € 784,383.34       |                        |          | 02.02.2023    |                           | (25)                  | 0.00            |
| Bought for € 8,317,339.15, Sold for £ 7,292,817.63   |                        |          | 02.02.2023    |                           | 107                   | 0.00            |
| Portfolio of investments                             |                        |          |               |                           | 3,397,737             | 97.61           |
| Share class hedging                                  |                        |          |               |                           | (1,660)               | (0.05)          |
| Bought for £ 58,404,764.15, Sold for € 67,464,648.16 |                        |          | 13.01.2023    |                           | (1,662)               | (0.05)          |
| Bought for ¥ 2,227,868.00, Sold for € 15,503.31      |                        |          | 13.01.2023    |                           | 0                     | 0.00            |
| Bought for € 1,825,692.92, Sold for £ 1,601,484.87   |                        |          | 13.01.2023    |                           | 21                    | 0.00            |
| Bought for € 383.92, Sold for ¥ 54,643.00            |                        |          | 13.01.2023    |                           | 0                     | 0.00            |
| Bought for € 118,233.96, Sold for CHF 116,677.93     |                        |          | 13.01.2023    |                           | 0                     | 0.00            |
| Bought for € 1,165.48, Sold for US\$ 1,217.48        |                        |          | 13.01.2023    |                           | 0                     | 0.00            |
| Bought for CHF 4,577,831.19, Sold for € 4,656,823.37 |                        |          | 13.01.2023    |                           | (19)                  | 0.00            |
| Bought for US\$ 18,708.27, Sold for € 17,974.63      |                        |          | 13.01.2023    |                           | 0                     | 0.00            |
| Total portfolio                                      |                        |          |               |                           | 3,396,077             | 97.56           |
| Net other assets/(liabilities)                       |                        |          |               |                           | 84,878                | 2.44            |
| Net assets   |                        |          |               |                           | 3,480,955             | 100.00          |
| Portfolio summary                                    |                        |          |               |                           |                       |                 |
| Investment assets                                    |                        |          |               |                           |                       |                 |
| Debt securities                                      |                        |          |               |                           | 3,388,933             | 97.36           |
| Unrealised gains on futures contracts                |                        |          |               |                           | 13,333                | 0.38            |
| Unrealised gains on forward currency contracts       |                        |          |               |                           | 128                   | 0.00            |
| Total Investment assets                              |                        |          |               |                           | 3,402,394             | 97.74           |

# Statement of investments

#### Statement of investments (continued)

| Portfolio summary                               |           |        |
|---|-----------|--------|
| Investment liabilities                          |           |        |
| Unrealised losses on futures contracts          | (4,611)   | (0.13) |
| Unrealised losses on forward currency contracts | (1,706)   | (0.05) |
| Total Investment liabilities                    | (6,317)   | (0.18) |
| Portfolio of investments                        | 3,396,077 | 97.56  |
| Net other assets/(liabilities)                  | 84,878    | 2.44   |
| Net assets                                      | 3,480,955 | 100.00 |

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All securities are on an official stock exchange listing except where referenced.

Interest rates represent either the stated coupon rate or, for floating rate securities, the current reset rate which is based upon interest rates indices. Maturity dates represent either the stated date on the security, or the next interest reset date for floating rate securities or the prerefunded date for those types of securities.

Variable and floating coupon rates are those quoted as of 31 December 2022.

# Counterparty exposure

#### Counterparty exposure

| Counterparty                        | Deriva                                    | Derivative exposures |  |  |
|-------------------------------------|---|----------------------|--|--|
|                                     | Forward<br>currency<br>contracts<br>€'000 | Futures<br>€'000     | Collateral<br>held as<br>cash<br>€'000 |  |
| HSBC Bank Plc                       | 1,545                                     | 0                    | 0                                      |  |
| JP Morgan London                    | 0   | 3,852                | 0                                      |  |
| State Street Bank and Trust Company | 146,523                                   | 0                    | 1,510                                  |  |
| UBS AG London                       | 16,537                                    | 0                    | 0                                      |  |

Exposure represents the sub-fund's exposure to that counterparty.

# **Financial highlights**

# **Sub-fund performance (unaudited)**

Please note past performance is not a guide to future performance and the value of investments, and the income from them, will fluctuate. This will cause the sub-fund price to fall as well as rise and you may not get back the original amount you invested.

To give an indication of the performance of the sub-fund, the following table shows the compound rate of return, per annum, over the period. Calculated on a price to price basis with income reinvested.

Long-term performance by share class as at 31 December 2022

|                          | One<br>year<br>31.12.21<br>% | Three<br>years<br>31.12.19<br>% pa | Five<br>years<br>31.12.17<br>% pa | Since<br>launch<br>% pa | Launch date<br>of the sub-fund<br>share class |
|--------------------------|------------------------------|------------------------------------|-----------------------------------|-------------------------|---|
| Euro                     |                              |                                    |                                   |                         |   |
| Class 'A' Accumulation   | -13.8                        | n/a                                | n/a                               | -7.8                    | 25.02.21                                      |
| Class 'A' Distribution   | -13.8                        | n/a                                | n/a                               | -11.6                   | 27.09.21                                      |
| Class 'B' Accumulation   | -13.8                        | n/a                                | n/a                               | -11.6                   | 27.09.21                                      |
| Class 'B' Distribution   | -13.8                        | n/a                                | n/a                               | -10.7                   | 22.07.21                                      |
| Class 'E' Accumulation   | -13.8                        | -3.1                               | -0.6                              | +2.7                    | 12.04.11                                      |
| Class 'E' Distribution   | -13.8                        | -3.1                               | n/a                               | -3.1                    | 16.08.19                                      |
| Class 'F' Accumulation   | -13.8                        | n/a                                | n/a                               | -3.1                    | 07.05.20                                      |
| Class 'P' Accumulation   | n/a                          | n/a                                | n/a                               | -2.1                    | 22.06.22                                      |
| Class 'P' Distribution   | n/a                          | n/a                                | n/a                               | -2.1                    | 22.06.22                                      |
| Class 'Q' Accumulation   | -13.9                        | n/a                                | n/a                               | -6.5                    | 03.11.20                                      |
| Class 'Q' Distribution   | -13.9                        | n/a                                | n/a                               | -6.5                    | 03.11.20                                      |
| Class 'QI' Accumulation  | -13.9                        | n/a                                | n/a                               | -6.4                    | 03.11.20                                      |
| Class 'QI' Distribution  | -13.9                        | n/a                                | n/a                               | -6.4                    | 03.11.20                                      |
| Class 'W' Accumulation   | -13.9                        | n/a                                | n/a                               | -11.7                   | 27.09.21                                      |
| Class 'W' Distribution   | -13.9                        | n/a                                | n/a                               | -11.8                   | 27.09.21                                      |
| Class 'WI' Accumulation  | -13.9                        | n/a                                | n/a                               | -11.7                   | 27.09.21                                      |
| Class 'WI' Distribution  | -13.4                        | n/a                                | n/a                               | -11.3                   | 27.09.21                                      |
| Japanese yen             |                              |                                    |                                   |                         |   |
| Class 'A-H' Accumulation | -14.2                        | n/a                                | n/a                               | -14.0                   | 10.12.21                                      |
| Class 'A-H' Distribution | -14.2                        | n/a                                | n/a                               | -14.0                   | 10.12.21                                      |
| Sterling                 |                              |                                    |                                   |                         |   |
| Class 'E-H' Accumulation | -12.7                        | -2.4                               | n/a                               | +0.4                    | 28.11.18                                      |
| Class 'E-H' Distribution | -12.7                        | n/a                                | n/a                               | -10.5                   | 27.09.21                                      |

### **M&G** European Credit Investment Fund

# **Financial highlights**

|                          | One<br>year<br>31.12.21<br>% | Three<br>years<br>31.12.19<br>% pa | Five<br>years<br>31.12.17<br>% pa | Since<br>launch<br>% pa | Launch date<br>of the sub-fund<br>share class |
|--------------------------|------------------------------|------------------------------------|-----------------------------------|-------------------------|---|
| Swiss franc              |                              |                                    |                                   |                         |   |
| Class 'A-H' Accumulation | -14.3                        | n/a                                | n/a                               | -7.9                    | 11.12.20                                      |
| Class 'A-H' Distribution | -14.3                        | n/a                                | n/a                               | -12.1                   | 27.09.21                                      |
| US dollar                |                              |                                    |                                   |                         |   |
| Class 'A-H' Accumulation | -12.1                        | n/a                                | n/a                               | -10.0                   | 27.09.21                                      |
| Class 'A-H' Distribution | -12.1                        | n/a                                | n/a                               | -10.0                   | 27.09.21                                      |

#### **M&G European Credit Investment Fund**

# Financial highlights

### Net Asset Values (NAV) and Total Expense Ratios (TER) (unaudited)

The following table shows Net Asset Values (NAV) inclusive of any swing price adjustment as described in note 9 to the Financial Statements (also known as the price per share) at 31 December 2022 and Total Expense Ratio (TER) for the year ended to 31 December 2022.

#### Net Asset Values and Total Expense Ratios (unaudited)

| NAV per share            | 31.12.22   | 31.12.21   | 31.12.20 |
|--------------------------|------------|------------|----------|
| Euro                     | €          | €          | €        |
| Class 'A' Accumulation   | 86.0834    | 99.8936    | n/a      |
| Class 'A' Distribution   | 84.9998    | 99.3557    | n/a      |
| Class 'B' Accumulation   | 119.6725   | 138.8468   | n/a      |
| Class 'B' Distribution   | 84.2287    | 98.4464    | n/a      |
| Class 'E' Accumulation   | 136.8659   | 158.7004   | 159.8297 |
| Class 'E' Distribution   | 87.7039    | 102.5099   | 103.8894 |
| Class 'F' Accumulation   | 91.9415    | 106.6941   | 107.5387 |
| Class 'P' Accumulation   | 98.4064    | n/a        | n/a      |
| Class 'P' Distribution   | 98.4054    | n/a        | n/a      |
| Class 'Q' Accumulation   | 86.5792    | 100.5409   | 101.4077 |
| Class 'Q' Distribution   | 85.6649    | 100.1264   | 101.4066 |
| Class 'QI' Accumulation  | 86.6522    | 100.5858   | 101.4107 |
| Class 'QI' Distribution  | 85.6811    | 100.1423   | 101.4202 |
| Class 'W' Accumulation   | 85.4904    | 99.3261    | n/a      |
| Class 'W' Distribution   | 85.4297    | 99.3255    | n/a      |
| Class 'WI' Accumulation  | 85.5356    | 99.3354    | n/a      |
| Class 'WI' Distribution  | 85.4646    | 99.3354    | n/a      |
| Japanese yen             | ¥          | ¥          | ¥        |
| Class 'A-H' Accumulation | 8,523.2068 | 9,934.4639 | n/a      |
| Class 'A-H' Distribution | 8,464.5701 | 9,934.4639 | n/a      |
| Sterling                 | £          | £          | £        |
| Class 'E-H' Accumulation | 101.6532   | 116.4360   | 130.2368 |
| Class 'E-H' Distribution | 86.1881    | 99.5472    | n/a      |
| Swiss franc              | CHF        | CHF        | CHF      |
| Class 'A-H' Accumulation | 84.5446    | 98.6898    | 99.7500  |
| Class 'A-H' Distribution | 84.4485    | 99.2897    | n/a      |
| US dollar                | US\$       | US\$       | US\$     |
| Class 'A-H' Accumulation | 87.5574    | 99.5822    | n/a      |
| Class 'A-H' Distribution | 86.9519    | 99.5824    | n/a      |

# Financial highlights

Class 'A-H' Distribution

| NAV at fund level                     | 31.12.22<br>€'000 | 31.12.21<br>€'000 | 31.12.20<br>€'000 |
|---------------------------------------|-------------------|-------------------|-------------------|
| Net assets                            | 3,480,955         | 3,268,875         | 2,055,128         |
| Swing pricing adjustment (see note 9) | n/a               | n/a               | n/a               |
| Swing net assets                      | 3,480,955         | 3,268,875         | 2,055,128         |
| Total Expense Ratio 31.12.22          |                   |                   | TER               |
| Euro                                  |                   |                   | %                 |
| Class 'A' Accumulation                |                   |                   | 0.18              |
| Class 'A' Distribution                |                   |                   | 0.18              |
| Class 'B' Accumulation                |                   |                   | 0.16              |
| Class 'B' Distribution                |                   |                   | 0.16              |
| Class 'E' Accumulation                |                   |                   | 0.10              |
| Class 'E' Distribution                |                   |                   | 0.10              |
| Class 'F' Accumulation                |                   |                   | 0.18              |
| Class 'P' Accumulation                |                   |                   | 0.49              |
| Class 'P' Distribution                |                   |                   | 0.49              |
| Class 'Q' Accumulation                |                   |                   | 0.25              |
| Class 'Q' Distribution                |                   |                   | 0.25              |
| Class 'QI' Accumulation               |                   |                   | 0.21              |
| Class 'QI' Distribution               |                   |                   | 0.21              |
| Class 'W' Accumulation                |                   |                   | 0.29              |
| Class 'W' Distribution                |                   |                   | 0.29              |
| Class 'WI' Accumulation               |                   |                   | 0.25              |
| Class 'WI' Distribution               |                   |                   | 0.25              |
| Japanese yen                          |                   |                   | %                 |
| Class 'A-H' Accumulation              |                   |                   | 0.18              |
| Class 'A-H' Distribution              |                   |                   | 0.18              |
| Sterling                              |                   |                   | %                 |
| Class 'E-H' Accumulation              |                   |                   | 0.10              |
| Class 'E-H' Distribution              |                   |                   | 0.10              |
| Swiss franc                           |                   |                   | %                 |
| Class 'A-H' Accumulation              |                   |                   | 0.18              |
| Class 'A-H' Distribution              |                   |                   | 0.18              |
| US dollar                             |                   |                   | %                 |
| Class 'A-H' Accumulation              |                   |                   | 0.18              |

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## Investment review (unaudited)

# For the year ended 31 December 2022

The M&G European High Yield Credit Investment Fund ('the sub-fund') invests in a diversified portfolio of high yield bonds primarily denominated in Euros. The subfund utilises M&G's global research and fixed income sub-fund management capabilities to identify fundamental value in Euro corporate and asset backed bonds, and may allocate to non-Euro denominated debt (USD, GBP and CHF). The sub-fund aims to outperform the benchmark ICE BofA European Currency Developed Markets Non-Financial High Yield 2% Constrained Index. The sub-fund focuses on credit management, while currency, interest rate, and other macroeconomic risks are closely controlled.

The Euro E Acc share class posted a gross return of -3.77% for the first quarter, which was +0.27% relative to its benchmark index. From a sector perspective, the sub-fund's underweight position relative to the benchmark in the capital goods, automotive and basic industry sectors contributed positively to performance, whilst an overweight position relative to the benchmark in the telecommunications sector was a negative contributor. From a stock selection perspective, the manager's underweight positions in Renault and Bayer, and overweight position in Adler were positive contributors, whilst an overweight position in Casino Guichard-Perrachon detracted modestly from performance.

The Euro E Acc share class posted a gross return of -12.47% for the second quarter, which was -1.02% relative to its benchmark index. From a sector perspective, the sub-fund's underweight position relative to the benchmark in the transportation sector contributed positively to performance, whilst overweight positions relative to the benchmark in the automotive, telecommunications and consumer goods sectors were negative contributors. From a stock selection perspective, the manager's underweight position in Douglas Finance was a positive contributor, whilst overweight positions in Casino Guichard-

Perrachon, Adler and CPI Property Group detracted from performance.

The Euro E Acc share class posted a gross return of 0.38% for the third quarter, which was 0.83% relative to its benchmark index. From a sector perspective, the sub-fund's overweight position relative to the benchmark in the Telecommunications, Automotive and Consumer goods sectors contributed positively to performance, whilst an underweight position relative to the benchmark in the Services sector was a negative contributor. From a stock selection perspective, the manager's overweight positions in Atalain, Sigma Global, and CPI Property Group were positive contributors, whilst an overweight position in Casino Guichard-Perrachon detracted from performance.

The Euro E Acc share class posted a gross return of 5.60% for the fourth quarter, which was 0.83% relative to its benchmark index. From a sector perspective, the sub-fund's overweight position relative to the benchmark in the Telecommunications, Automotive and Consumer goods sectors contributed positively to performance, whilst an underweight position relative to the benchmark in the Basic Industry sector was a negative contributor. From a stock selection perspective, the manager's overweight positions in Casino Guichard-Perrachon, Autostrade and Naturgy were positive contributors, whilst an overweight position in Lufthansa detracted from performance.

Looking ahead, global growth continues to slow, and whilst there is some slowing of inflationary pressures, headline inflation rates in the major economies still remain stubbornly high relative to targeted levels. Although there may be further volatility ahead, we believe that will continue to be attractive stock specific opportunities to add to credit exposure in current markets.

Investment review information as at 31 December 2022.

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|---|------------------------|----------|---------------|---------------------------|-----------------------|-----------------|
| Corporate bonds                           |                        |          |               |                           | 260,976               | 94.37           |
| Austria                                   |                        |          |               |                           | 2,153                 | 0.78            |
| Ams 6%                                    | 1,375,000              | €        | 31.07.2025    |                           | 1,291                 | 0.47            |
| Sappi Papier Holding 3.625%               | 1,000,000              | €        | 15.03.2028    |                           | 862                   | 0.31            |
| Belgium                                   |                        |          |               |                           | 4,224                 | 1.53            |
| Ontex Group 3.5%                          | 3,000,000              | €        | 15.07.2026    |                           | 2,549                 | 0.92            |
| Solvay FRN                                | 1,000,000              | €        | 31.12.2099    |                           | 885                   | 0.32            |
| Solvay FRN                                | 800,000                | €        | 31.12.2099    |                           | 790                   | 0.29            |
| Finland                                   |                        |          |               |                           | 1,299                 | 0.47            |
| Castellum Helsinki Finance Holding 0.875% | 1,000,000              | €        | 17.09.2029    |                           | 654                   | 0.24            |
| SBB Treasury 0.75%                        | 1,000,000              | €        | 14.12.2028    |                           | 645                   | 0.23            |
| France                                    |                        |          |               |                           | 49,185                | 17.79           |
| Altice France 5.875%                      | 2,408,000              | €        | 01.02.2027    |                           | 2,110                 | 0.76            |
| Altice France 3.375%                      | 2,303,000              | €        | 15.01.2028    |                           | 1,743                 | 0.63            |
| Altice France 4.125%                      | 1,900,000              | €        | 15.01.2029    |                           | 1,456                 | 0.53            |
| Atos 2.5%                                 | 2,200,000              | €        | 07.11.2028    |                           | 1,455                 | 0.53            |
| Atos 1%                                   | 600,000                | €        | 12.11.2029    |                           | 379                   | 0.14            |
| Banijay Group 6.5%                        | 1,430,000              | €        | 01.03.2026    |                           | 1,353                 | 0.49            |
| Casino Guichard Perrachon 4.498%          | 2,000,000              | €        | 07.03.2024    |                           | 1,672                 | 0.60            |
| Casino Guichard Perrachon 3.58%           | 300,000                | €        | 07.02.2025    |                           | 203                   | 0.07            |
| Casino Guichard Perrachon 6.625%          | 1,143,000              | €        | 15.01.2026    |                           | 627                   | 0.23            |
| Casino Guichard Perrachon 5.25%           | 3,550,000              | €        | 15.04.2027    |                           | 1,824                 | 0.66            |
| Électricité de France FRN                 | 1,400,000              | €        | 31.12.2029    |                           | 1,398                 | 0.51            |
| Électricité de France FRN                 | 3,200,000              | €        | 31.12.2099    |                           | 2,504                 | 0.91            |
| Électricité de France FRN                 | 3,200,000              | €        | 31.12.2099    |                           | 2,632                 | 0.95            |
| Électricité de France FRN                 | 800,000                | €        | 31.12.2099    |                           | 657                   | 0.24            |
| Elior Group 3.75%                         | 2,891,000              | €        | 15.07.2026    |                           | 2,453                 | 0.89            |
| Faurecia 7.25%                            | 556,000                | €        | 15.06.2026    |                           | 562                   | 0.20            |
| Faurecia 2.375%                           | 2,500,000              | €        | 15.06.2027    |                           | 2,096                 | 0.76            |
| Faurecia 3.75%                            | 2,850,000              | €        | 15.06.2028    |                           | 2,432                 | 0.88            |
| iliad 5.375%                              | 1,000,000              | €        | 14.06.2027    |                           | 996                   | 0.36            |
| Iliad Holding 5.125%                      | 2,159,000              | €        | 15.10.2026    |                           | 2,008                 | 0.73            |
| Iliad Holding 5.625%                      | 1,500,000              | €        | 15.10.2028    |                           | 1,365                 | 0.49            |

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| Corporate bonds (continued)                    |                        |          |               |                           |                       |                 |
| France (continued)                             |                        |          |               |                           |                       |                 |
| La Financiere Atalian 4%                       | 956,000                | €        | 15.05.2024    |                           | 826                   | 0.30            |
| La Financiere Atalian 5.125%                   | 565,000                | €        | 15.05.2025    |                           | 395                   | 0.14            |
| Paprec Holding 4%                              | 1,000,000              | €        | 31.03.2025    |                           | 970                   | 0.35            |
| RCI Banque FRN                                 | 1,000,000              | €        | 18.02.2030    |                           | 896                   | 0.32            |
| Renault 2%                                     | 2,100,000              | €        | 28.09.2026    |                           | 1,851                 | 0.67            |
| Renault 2.5%                                   | 1,200,000              | €        | 02.06.2027    |                           | 1,047                 | 0.38            |
| Rexel 2.125%                                   | 1,000,000              | €        | 15.12.2028    |                           | 871                   | 0.32            |
| SPCM 2.625%                                    | 1,500,000              | €        | 01.02.2029    |                           | 1,262                 | 0.46            |
| Tereos Finance Groupe I 7.5%                   | 1,266,000              | €        | 30.10.2025    |                           | 1,280                 | 0.46            |
| Tereos Finance Groupe I 4.75%                  | 2,534,000              | €        | 30.04.2027    |                           | 2,308                 | 0.83            |
| Valeo 5.375%                                   | 600,000                | €        | 28.05.2027    |                           | 586                   | 0.21            |
| Valeo 1%                                       | 1,000,000              | €        | 03.08.2028    |                           | 772                   | 0.28            |
| Vallourec 8.5%                                 | 2,004,398              | €        | 30.06.2026    |                           | 1,972                 | 0.71            |
| Veolia Environnement FRN                       | 1,900,000              | €        | 31.12.2099    |                           | 1,520                 | 0.55            |
| Verallia 1.875%                                | 900,000                | €        | 10.11.2031    |                           | 704                   | 0.25            |
| Germany  |                        |          |               |                           | 25,142                | 9.09            |
| Bayer FRN                                      | 2,000,000              | €        | 25.03.2082    |                           | 1,829                 | 0.66            |
| Bayer FRN                                      | 1,400,000              | €        | 25.03.2082    |                           | 1,232                 | 0.45            |
| Bertelsmann FRN                                | 2,000,000              | €        | 23.04.2075    |                           | 1,828                 | 0.66            |
| DEMIRE Deutsche Mittelstand Real Estate 1.875% | 1,800,000              | €        | 15.10.2024    |                           | 1,256                 | 0.45            |
| Deutsche Lufthansa 2.875%                      | 1,300,000              | €        | 11.02.2025    |                           | 1,229                 | 0.44            |
| Gruenenthal 4.125%                             | 1,567,000              | €        | 15.05.2028    |                           | 1,414                 | 0.51            |
| HT Troplast 9.25%                              | 400,000                | €        | 15.07.2025    |                           | 367                   | 0.13            |
| IHO Verwaltungs 3.625%                         | 750,000                | €        | 15.05.2025    |                           | 686                   | 0.25            |
| IHO Verwaltungs 3.875%                         | 1,076,082              | €        | 15.05.2027    |                           | 913                   | 0.33            |
| INEOS Styrolution Group 2.25%                  | 500,000                | €        | 16.01.2027    |                           | 408                   | 0.15            |
| Mahle 2.375%                                   | 2,000,000              | €        | 14.05.2028    |                           | 1,456                 | 0.53            |
| Nidda Healthcare Holding 7.5%                  | 1,500,000              | €        | 21.08.2026    |                           | 1,437                 | 0.52            |
| ProGroup 3%                                    | 1,100,000              | €        | 31.03.2026    |                           | 973                   | 0.35            |
| Renk 5.75%                                     | 1,765,000              | €        | 15.07.2025    |                           | 1,661                 | 0.60            |
| Schaeffler 3.375%                              | 2,500,000              | €        | 12.10.2028    |                           | 2,184                 | 0.79            |

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| Corporate bonds (continued)                    |                        |          |               |                           |                       |                 |
| Germany (continued)                            |                        |          |               |                           |                       |                 |
| TK Elevator Holdco 6.625%                      | 1,350,000              | €        | 15.07.2028    |                           | 1,122                 | 0.41            |
| Vertical Midco 4.375%                          | 1,700,000              | €        | 15.07.2027    |                           | 1,517                 | 0.55            |
| ZF Finance 2.75%                               | 1,500,000              | €        | 25.05.2027    |                           | 1,268                 | 0.46            |
| ZF Finance 3.75%                               | 2,800,000              | €        | 21.09.2028    |                           | 2,362                 | 0.85            |
| Gibraltar                                      |                        |          |               |                           |                       |                 |
| 888 Acquisitions 7.558%                        | 800,000                | €        | 15.07.2027    |                           | 690                   | 0.25            |
| Guernsey                                       |                        |          |               |                           |                       |                 |
| Summit Properties 2%                           | 1,050,000              | €        | 31.01.2025    |                           | 908                   | 0.33            |
| Ireland  |                        |          |               |                           | 1,306                 | 0.47            |
| James Hardie International Finance 3.625%      | 662,000                | €        | 01.10.2026    |                           | 621                   | 0.22            |
| Virgin Media Vendor Financing Notes III 4.875% | 750,000                | £        | 15.07.2028    |                           | 685                   | 0.25            |
| Isle Of Man                                    |                        |          |               |                           |                       |                 |
| Playtech 4.25%                                 | 1,200,000              | €        | 07.03.2026    |                           | 1,137                 | 0.41            |
| Italy  |                        |          |               |                           | 14,703                | 5.32            |
| Atlantia 1.875%                                | 2,204,000              | €        | 13.07.2027    |                           | 1,878                 | 0.68            |
| Autostrade per l'Italia 2%                     | 1,500,000              | €        | 04.12.2028    |                           | 1,239                 | 0.45            |
| Autostrade per l'Italia 1.875%                 | 1,000,000              | €        | 26.09.2029    |                           | 797                   | 0.29            |
| Gamma Bidco 6.25%                              | 1,903,000              | €        | 15.07.2025    |                           | 1,863                 | 0.67            |
| International Design Group 6.5%                | 1,510,000              | €        | 15.11.2025    |                           | 1,376                 | 0.50            |
| Telecom Italia 2.75%                           | 3,000,000              | €        | 15.04.2025    |                           | 2,790                 | 1.01            |
| Telecom Italia 3%                              | 1,000,000              | €        | 30.09.2025    |                           | 932                   | 0.34            |
| Telecom Italia 2.875%                          | 1,000,000              | €        | 28.01.2026    |                           | 914                   | 0.33            |
| Telecom Italia 3.625%                          | 750,000                | €        | 25.05.2026    |                           | 704                   | 0.25            |
| Telecom Italia 1.625%                          | 1,250,000              | €        | 18.01.2029    |                           | 959                   | 0.35            |
| Telecom Italia 5.25%                           | 200,000                | €        | 17.03.2055    |                           | 150                   | 0.05            |
| Terna - Rete Elettrica Nazionale FRN           | 1,310,000              | €        | 31.12.2099    |                           | 1,101                 | 0.40            |
| Japan  |                        |          |               |                           |                       |                 |
| Rakuten Group FRN                              | 1,651,000              | €        | 31.12.2099    |                           | 958                   | 0.35            |
| Jersey   |                        |          |               |                           | 1,994                 | 0.72            |
| AA Bond 6.5%                                   | 608,000                | £        | 31.01.2026    |                           | 550                   | 0.20            |
| Adient Global Holdings 3.5%                    | 1,500,000              | €        | 15.08.2024    |                           | 1,444                 | 0.52            |

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| Corporate bonds (continued)                    |                        |          |               |                           |                       |                 |
| Luxembourg                                     |                        |          |               |                           | 17,655                | 6.38            |
| ADLER Group 1.5%                               | 1,800,000              | €        | 26.07.2024    |                           | 1,243                 | 0.45            |
| ADLER Group 3.25%                              | 800,000                | €        | 05.08.2025    |                           | 332                   | 0.12            |
| ADLER Group 1.875%                             | 500,000                | €        | 14.01.2026    |                           | 204                   | 0.07            |
| ADLER Group 2.75%                              | 800,000                | €        | 13.11.2026    |                           | 323                   | 0.12            |
| ADLER Group 2.25%                              | 1,500,000              | €        | 27.04.2027    |                           | 531                   | 0.19            |
| Albion Financing 1 Via Aggreko Holdings 5.25%  | 1,000,000              | €        | 15.10.2026    |                           | 878                   | 0.32            |
| Altice Financing 2.25%                         | 500,000                | €        | 15.01.2025    |                           | 461                   | 0.17            |
| Altice Financing 4.25%                         | 1,000,000              | €        | 15.08.2029    |                           | 812                   | 0.29            |
| Altice France Holding 8%                       | 1,600,000              | €        | 15.05.2027    |                           | 1,186                 | 0.43            |
| ARD Finance 5%                                 | 585,584                | €        | 30.06.2027    |                           | 396                   | 0.14            |
| B&M European Value Retail 3.625%               | 500,000                | £        | 15.07.2025    |                           | 527                   | 0.19            |
| Cirsa Finance International 6.25%              | 410,256                | €        | 20.12.2023    |                           | 408                   | 0.15            |
| ContourGlobal Power Holdings 2.75%             | 1,500,000              | €        | 01.01.2026    |                           | 1,338                 | 0.48            |
| CPI Property Group FRN                         | 1,000,000              | €        | 25.07.2028    |                           | 521                   | 0.19            |
| CPI Property Group FRN                         | 750,000                | €        | 31.12.2099    |                           | 382                   | 0.14            |
| Dana Financing Luxembourg 3%                   | 1,257,000              | €        | 15.07.2029    |                           | 967                   | 0.35            |
| Eurofins Scientific FRN                        | 1,750,000              | €        | 31.12.2099    |                           | 1,574                 | 0.57            |
| PLT VII Finance 4.625%                         | 1,694,000              | €        | 05.01.2026    |                           | 1,600                 | 0.58            |
| SES FRN  | 1,500,000              | €        | 31.12.2099    |                           | 1,202                 | 0.43            |
| Summer (BC) Holdco A 9.25%                     | 1,216,421              | €        | 31.10.2027    |                           | 928                   | 0.33            |
| Summer (BC) Holdco B 5.75%                     | 775,000                | €        | 31.10.2026    |                           | 664                   | 0.24            |
| Telecom Italia Finance 7.75%                   | 459,000                | €        | 24.01.2033    |                           | 486                   | 0.18            |
| Vivion Investments 3%                          | 500,000                | €        | 08.08.2024    |                           | 391                   | 0.14            |
| Vivion Investments 3.5%                        | 400,000                | €        | 01.11.2025    |                           | 301                   | 0.11            |
| Netherlands (The)                              |                        |          |               |                           | 35,582                | 12.87           |
| Abertis Infraestructuras Finance FRN           | 1,200,000              | €        | 31.12.2099    |                           | 1,019                 | 0.37            |
| Axalta Coating Systems Dutch Holding 'B' 3.75% | 1,100,000              | €        | 15.01.2025    |                           | 1,057                 | 0.38            |
| Dufry One 2%                                   | 1,000,000              | €        | 15.02.2027    |                           | 821                   | 0.30            |
| Durfy One 3.375%                               | 750,000                | €        | 15.04.2028    |                           | 624                   | 0.23            |
| Goodyear Europe 2.75%                          | 1,464,000              | €        | 15.08.2028    |                           | 1,182                 | 0.43            |
| Heimstaden Bostad Treasury 1.375%              | 1,000,000              | €        | 24.07.2028    |                           | 751                   | 0.27            |

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| Corporate bonds (continued)                         |                        |          |               |                           |                       |                 |
| Netherlands (The) (continued)                       |                        |          |               |                           |                       |                 |
| IPD 3 5.5%  | 500,000                | €        | 01.12.2025    |                           | 476                   | 0.17            |
| Koninklijke FRN                                     | 370,000                | €        | 31.12.2099    |                           | 370                   | 0.13            |
| Maxeda DIY Holding 5.875%                           | 400,000                | €        | 01.10.2026    |                           | 281                   | 0.10            |
| Naturgy Finance FRN                                 | 2,300,000              | €        | 31.12.2099    |                           | 2,005                 | 0.73            |
| Nobian Finance 3.625%                               | 737,000                | €        | 15.07.2026    |                           | 625                   | 0.23            |
| OI European Group 3.125%                            | 1,000,000              | €        | 15.11.2024    |                           | 972                   | 0.35            |
| Promontoria Holding 264 6.375%                      | 479,000                | €        | 01.03.2027    |                           | 448                   | 0.16            |
| Q-Park Holding I 1.5%                               | 2,000,000              | €        | 01.03.2025    |                           | 1,841                 | 0.67            |
| Q-Park Holding I 2%                                 | 1,168,000              | €        | 01.03.2027    |                           | 980                   | 0.35            |
| Repsol International Finance FRN                    | 648,000                | €        | 31.12.2099    |                           | 559                   | 0.20            |
| Repsol International Finance FRN                    | 2,350,000              | €        | 31.12.2099    |                           | 2,185                 | 0.79            |
| Repsol International Finance FRN                    | 952,000                | €        | 31.12.2099    |                           | 852                   | 0.31            |
| Samvardhana Motherson Automotive Systems Group 1.8% | 1,250,000              | €        | 06.07.2024    |                           | 1,163                 | 0.42            |
| Sigma Holdco 5.75%                                  | 2,850,000              | €        | 15.05.2026    |                           | 2,066                 | 0.75            |
| Telefonica Europe FRN                               | 1,000,000              | €        | 31.12.2099    |                           | 843                   | 0.30            |
| Telefonica Europe FRN                               | 1,500,000              | €        | 31.12.2099    |                           | 1,258                 | 0.46            |
| Telefonica Europe FRN                               | 1,800,000              | €        | 31.12.2099    |                           | 1,463                 | 0.53            |
| Telefonica Europe FRN                               | 2,000,000              | €        | 31.12.2099    |                           | 1,913                 | 0.69            |
| Telefonica Europe FRN                               | 500,000                | €        | 31.12.2099    |                           | 512                   | 0.19            |
| United Group 4%                                     | 2,250,000              | €        | 15.11.2027    |                           | 1,683                 | 0.61            |
| United Group 5.25%                                  | 1,111,000              | €        | 01.02.2030    |                           | 805                   | 0.29            |
| VZ Vendor Financing II 2.875%                       | 2,500,000              | €        | 15.01.2029    |                           | 1,934                 | 0.70            |
| Wintershall Dea Finance 2 FRN                       | 2,600,000              | €        | 31.12.2099    |                           | 2,112                 | 0.76            |
| WP/AP Telecom Holdings III 5.5%                     | 1,628,000              | €        | 15.01.2030    |                           | 1,338                 | 0.48            |
| ZF Europe Finance 2%                                | 1,000,000              | €        | 23.02.2026    |                           | 865                   | 0.31            |
| ZF Europe Finance 2.5%                              | 700,000                | €        | 23.10.2027    |                           | 579                   | 0.21            |
| Norway  |                        |          |               |                           |                       |                 |
| Adevinta 3%   | 1,500,000              | €        | 15.11.2027    |                           | 1,332                 | 0.48            |
| Panama  |                        |          |               |                           |                       |                 |
| Carnival 10.125%                                    | 1,400,000              | €        | 01.02.2026    |                           | 1,396                 | 0.50            |

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| Corporate bonds (continued)                                |                        |          |               |                           |                       |                 |
| Portugal   |                        |          |               |                           | 2,936                 | 1.06            |
| EDP - Energias de Portugal FRN                             | 300,000                | €        | 20.07.2080    |                           | 269                   | 0.10            |
| EDP - Energias de Portugal FRN                             | 1,200,000              | €        | 02.08.2081    |                           | 1,032                 | 0.37            |
| EDP - Energias de Portugal FRN                             | 2,000,000              | €        | 14.03.2082    |                           | 1,635                 | 0.59            |
| Spain  |                        |          |               |                           | 10,842                | 3.92            |
| Cellnex Finance 0.75%                                      | 2,000,000              | €        | 15.11.2026    |                           | 1,716                 | 0.62            |
| Cellnex Telecom 1.875%                                     | 1,000,000              | €        | 26.06.2029    |                           | 817                   | 0.30            |
| Cellnex Telecom 0.75%                                      | 3,400,000              | €        | 20.11.2031    |                           | 2,489                 | 0.90            |
| Grifols 1.625%   | 500,000                | €        | 15.02.2025    |                           | 474                   | 0.17            |
| Grifols 3.2%   | 2,000,000              | €        | 01.05.2025    |                           | 1,852                 | 0.67            |
| Kaixo Bondco Telecom 5.125%                                | 500,000                | €        | 30.09.2029    |                           | 428                   | 0.15            |
| Lorca Telecom Bondco 4%                                    | 3,411,000              | €        | 18.09.2027    |                           | 3,066                 | 1.11            |
| Supranational  |                        |          |               |                           | 2,992                 | 1.08            |
| Ardagh Metal Packaging Finance 2%                          | 500,000                | €        | 01.09.2028    |                           | 405                   | 0.14            |
| Ardagh Packaging Finance Via Ardagh Holdings USA<br>2.125% | 950,000                | €        | 15.08.2026    |                           | 798                   | 0.29            |
| Ardagh Packaging Finance Via Ardagh Holdings USA 2.125%    | 2,133,000              | €        | 15.08.2026    |                           | 1,789                 | 0.65            |
| Sweden   |                        |          |               |                           | 6,452                 | 2.33            |
| Castellum FRN  | 828,000                | €        | 31.12.2099    |                           | 528                   | 0.19            |
| Fastighets Balder FRN                                      | 1,400,000              | €        | 02.06.2081    |                           | 959                   | 0.34            |
| Heimstaden Bostad FRN                                      | 4,100,000              | €        | 31.12.2099    |                           | 2,363                 | 0.85            |
| Samhällsbyggnadsbolaget i Norden FRN                       | 1,728,000              | €        | 31.12.2099    |                           | 683                   | 0.25            |
| Verisure Holding 9.25%                                     | 335,000                | €        | 15.10.2027    |                           | 352                   | 0.13            |
| Verisure Midholding 5.25%                                  | 1,235,000              | €        | 15.02.2029    |                           | 991                   | 0.36            |
| Volvo Car 4.25%  | 625,000                | €        | 31.05.2028    |                           | 576                   | 0.21            |
| United Kingdom   |                        |          |               |                           | 57,351                | 20.74           |
| BCP V Modular Services Finance II 4.75%                    | 500,000                | €        | 30.11.2028    |                           | 421                   | 0.15            |
| Bellis Acquisition 3.25%                                   | 3,494,000              | £        | 16.02.2026    |                           | 3,219                 | 1.16            |
| Bellis Acquisition 4.5%                                    | 1,500,000              | £        | 16.02.2026    |                           | 1,422                 | 0.51            |
| Bellis Finco 4%  | 500,000                | £        | 16.02.2027    |                           | 417                   | 0.15            |
| Boparan Finance 7.625%                                     | 3,418,000              | £        | 30.11.2025    |                           | 2,634                 | 0.95            |
| Centrica FRN   | 1,000,000              | £        | 10.04.2075    |                           | 1,038                 | 0.38            |
|  |                        |          |               |                           |                       |                 |

The accompanying notes to the financial statements are an integral part of these financial statements.

## **Statement of investments**

| Investment description                    | Holdings/<br>contracts | Currency | Maturity date | Commitment<br>value €'000 | Market value<br>€'000 | % of net assets |
|---|------------------------|----------|---------------|---------------------------|-----------------------|-----------------|
| Corporate bonds (continued)               |                        |          |               |                           |                       |                 |
| United Kingdom (continued)                |                        |          |               |                           |                       |                 |
| Constellation Automotive Financing 4.875% | 1,447,000              | £        | 15.07.2027    |                           | 1,077                 | 0.39            |
| Co-operative Group Holdings FRN           | 1,149,000              | £        | 08.07.2026    |                           | 1,163                 | 0.42            |
| Daily Mail & General Trust 6.375%         | 450,000                | £        | 21.06.2027    |                           | 455                   | 0.17            |
| Deuce Finco 5.5%                          | 1,050,000              | £        | 15.06.2027    |                           | 950                   | 0.34            |
| Elli Finance 8.75% <sup>a</sup>           | 260,000                | £        | 15.06.2019    |                           | 189                   | 0.07            |
| Gatwick Airport Finance 4.375%            | 900,000                | £        | 07.04.2026    |                           | 918                   | 0.33            |
| Heathrow Finance 5.75%                    | 800,000                | £        | 03.03.2025    |                           | 878                   | 0.32            |
| Heathrow Finance FRN                      | 100,000                | £        | 01.03.2027    |                           | 95                    | 0.03            |
| Iceland Bondco 4.625%                     | 525,000                | £        | 15.03.2025    |                           | 494                   | 0.18            |
| Iceland Bondco 4.375%                     | 1,200,000              | £        | 15.05.2028    |                           | 980                   | 0.35            |
| INEOS Finance 3.375%                      | 2,900,000              | €        | 31.03.2026    |                           | 2,595                 | 0.94            |
| INEOS Quattro Finance 2 2.5%              | 3,250,000              | €        | 15.01.2026    |                           | 2,772                 | 1.00            |
| International Game Technology 2.375%      | 1,000,000              | €        | 15.04.2028    |                           | 871                   | 0.32            |
| Jaguar Land Rover Automotive 2.2%         | 500,000                | €        | 15.01.2024    |                           | 477                   | 0.17            |
| Jaguar Land Rover Automotive 4.5%         | 1,925,000              | €        | 15.01.2026    |                           | 1,663                 | 0.60            |
| Jaguar Land Rover Automotive 6.875%       | 1,150,000              | €        | 15.11.2026    |                           | 1,026                 | 0.37            |
| Marks & Spencer 6%                        | 1,000,000              | £        | 12.06.2025    |                           | 1,087                 | 0.39            |
| Marks & Spencer 4.5%                      | 775,000                | £        | 10.07.2027    |                           | 752                   | 0.27            |
| NGG Finance FRN                           | 2,000,000              | £        | 18.06.2073    |                           | 2,137                 | 0.77            |
| NGG Finance FRN                           | 1,000,000              | €        | 05.12.2079    |                           | 933                   | 0.34            |
| Nomad Foods Bondco 2.5%                   | 2,100,000              | €        | 24.06.2028    |                           | 1,788                 | 0.65            |
| Ocado Group 3.875%                        | 2,200,000              | £        | 08.10.2026    |                           | 1,926                 | 0.70            |
| Pinewood Finance 3.25%                    | 693,000                | £        | 30.09.2025    |                           | 723                   | 0.26            |
| Pinewood Finance 3.625%                   | 855,000                | £        | 15.11.2027    |                           | 851                   | 0.31            |
| Pinnacle Bidco 5.5%                       | 1,130,000              | €        | 15.02.2025    |                           | 994                   | 0.36            |
| Pinnacle Bidco 6.375%                     | 942,000                | £        | 15.02.2025    |                           | 925                   | 0.34            |
| Premier Foods Finance 3.5%                | 1,025,000              | £        | 15.10.2026    |                           | 1,018                 | 0.37            |
| Punch Finance 6.125%                      | 1,309,000              | £        | 30.06.2026    |                           | 1,254                 | 0.45            |
| Rolls-Royce 4.625%                        | 1,000,000              | €        | 16.02.2026    |                           | 972                   | 0.35            |
| Rolls-Royce 3.375%                        | 600,000                | £        | 18.06.2026    |                           | 585                   | 0.21            |
| Rolls-Royce 5.75%                         | 1,750,000              | £        | 15.10.2027    |                           | 1,816                 | 0.66            |

## **Statement of investments**

| Investment description                            | Holdings/<br>contracts | Currency | Maturity date | Commitment<br>value €'000 | Market value<br>€'000 | % of net<br>assets |
|---|------------------------|----------|---------------|---------------------------|-----------------------|--------------------|
| Corporate bonds (continued)                       |                        |          |               |                           |                       |                    |
| United Kingdom (continued)                        |                        |          |               |                           |                       |                    |
| Stonegate Pub Co Financing 8.25%                  | 2,100,000              | £        | 31.07.2025    |                           | 2,149                 | 0.78               |
| Synthomer 3.875%                                  | 1,000,000              | €        | 01.07.2025    |                           | 920                   | 0.33               |
| Thames Water Kemble Finance 4.625%                | 750,000                | £        | 19.05.2026    |                           | 717                   | 0.26               |
| Virgin Media Secured Finance 5.25%                | 1,450,000              | £        | 15.05.2029    |                           | 1,408                 | 0.51               |
| Virgin Media Secured Finance 4.25%                | 2,081,000              | £        | 15.01.2030    |                           | 1,830                 | 0.66               |
| Viridian Power & Energy 4%                        | 435,000                | €        | 15.09.2025    |                           | 427                   | 0.16               |
| Vmed O2 UK Financing I 4%                         | 750,000                | £        | 31.01.2029    |                           | 662                   | 0.24               |
| Vmed O2 UK Financing I 4.5%                       | 1,000,000              | £        | 15.07.2031    |                           | 866                   | 0.31               |
| Vodafone Group FRN                                | 1,000,000              | £        | 03.10.2078    |                           | 1,059                 | 0.38               |
| Vodafone Group FRN                                | 3,310,000              | €        | 27.08.2080    |                           | 2,917                 | 1.06               |
| Vodafone Group FRN                                | 1,100,000              | €        | 27.08.2080    |                           | 881                   | 0.32               |
| United States                                     |                        |          |               |                           | 20,739                | 7.50               |
| Avantor Funding 3.875%                            | 848,000                | €        | 15.07.2028    |                           | 786                   | 0.28               |
| Belden 3.375%                                     | 1,000,000              | €        | 15.07.2027    |                           | 920                   | 0.33               |
| Belden 3.875%                                     | 1,532,000              | €        | 15.03.2028    |                           | 1,404                 | 0.51               |
| Boxer Parent 6.5%                                 | 1,313,000              | €        | 02.10.2025    |                           | 1,255                 | 0.45               |
| Catalent Pharma Solutions 2.375%                  | 1,900,000              | €        | 01.03.2028    |                           | 1,557                 | 0.56               |
| Chemours 4%                                       | 750,000                | €        | 15.05.2026    |                           | 676                   | 0.25               |
| Coty 3.875%                                       | 1,000,000              | €        | 15.04.2026    |                           | 934                   | 0.34               |
| Ford Motor Credit 1.355%                          | 1,000,000              | €        | 07.02.2025    |                           | 932                   | 0.34               |
| Ford Motor Credit 3.25%                           | 2,000,000              | €        | 15.09.2025    |                           | 1,905                 | 0.69               |
| IQVIA 2.875%                                      | 2,500,000              | €        | 15.06.2028    |                           | 2,237                 | 0.81               |
| IQVIA 2.25%                                       | 1,050,000              | €        | 15.03.2029    |                           | 888                   | 0.32               |
| Kronos International 3.75%                        | 510,000                | €        | 15.09.2025    |                           | 449                   | 0.16               |
| Levi Strauss 3.375%                               | 900,000                | €        | 15.03.2027    |                           | 846                   | 0.31               |
| MPT Operating Partnership 3.325%                  | 2,200,000              | €        | 24.03.2025    |                           | 1,993                 | 0.72               |
| MPT Operating Partnership Via MPT Finance 0.993%  | 985,000                | €        | 15.10.2026    |                           | 754                   | 0.27               |
| MPT Operating Partnership Via MPT Finance 3.692%  | 500,000                | £        | 05.06.2028    |                           | 414                   | 0.15               |
| MPT Operating Partnership Via MPT Finance 3.375%  | 600,000                | £        | 24.04.2030    |                           | 443                   | 0.16               |
| Organon Via Organon Foreign Debt Co-Issuer 2.875% | 1,000,000              | €        | 30.04.2028    |                           | 879                   | 0.32               |
| Silgan Holdings 2.25%                             | 1,100,000              | €        | 01.06.2028    |                           | 940                   | 0.34               |

## **Statement of investments**

| Statement | of investments ( | continued) |
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| Statement | or investments ( | continuear |

| Investment description                               | Holdings/<br>contracts | Currency | Maturity date | Commitment<br>value €'000 | Market value<br>€'000 | % of net assets |
|--|------------------------|----------|---------------|---------------------------|-----------------------|-----------------|
| Corporate bonds (continued)                          |                        |          |               |                           |                       |                 |
| United States (continued)                            |                        |          |               |                           |                       |                 |
| WMG Acquisition 2.75%                                | 364,000                | €        | 15.07.2028    |                           | 330                   | 0.12            |
| WMG Acquisition 2.25%                                | 250,000                | €        | 15.08.2031    |                           | 197                   | 0.07            |
| Equities   |                        |          |               |                           | 0                     | 0.00            |
| Netherlands (The)                                    |                        |          |               |                           |                       |                 |
| New World Resources 'A'b                             | 2,052,247              | £        |               |                           | 0                     | 0.00            |
| Interest rate futures                                |                        |          |               |                           |                       |                 |
| UK Treasury Notes Futures                            | (23)                   | £        | 29.03.2023    | 26                        | 181                   | 0.06            |
| Currency   |                        |          |               |                           | 528                   | 0.19            |
| Forward currency contracts                           |                        |          |               |                           | 528                   | 0.19            |
| Bought for £ 720,077.97, Sold for € 835,932.34       |                        |          | 02.02.2023    |                           | (25)                  | (0.01)          |
| Bought for € 42,854,042.65, Sold for £ 37,573,668.49 |                        |          | 02.02.2023    |                           | 553                   | 0.20            |
| Portfolio of investments                             |                        |          |               |                           | 261,685               | 94.62           |
| Share class hedging                                  |                        |          |               |                           | (2)                   | 0.00            |
| Bought for £ 36,556.15, Sold for € 42,224.02         |                        |          | 13.01.2023    |                           | (2)                   | 0.00            |
| Bought for € 728.69, Sold for £ 632.47               |                        |          | 13.01.2023    |                           | 0                     | 0.00            |
| Bought for € 1,883.06, Sold for US\$ 1,956.49        |                        |          | 13.01.2023    |                           | 0                     | 0.00            |
| Bought for US\$ 38,350.18, Sold for € 36,845.15      |                        |          | 13.01.2023    |                           | 0                     | 0.00            |
| Total portfolio                                      |                        |          |               |                           | 261,683               | 94.62           |
| Net other assets/(liabilities)                       |                        |          |               |                           | 14,866                | 5.38            |
| Net assets   |                        |          |               |                           | 276,549               | 100.00          |
| Portfolio summary                                    |                        |          |               |                           |                       |                 |
| Investment assets                                    |                        |          |               |                           |                       |                 |
| Dahtaaayyitiaa                                       |                        |          |               |                           | 260,976               | 94.37           |
| Debt securities                                      |                        |          |               |                           |                       |                 |
| Unrealised gains on futures contracts                |                        |          |               |                           | 181                   | 0.06            |
|  |                        |          |               |                           | 181<br>553            | 0.06            |

## Statement of investments

#### Statement of investments (continued)

| Portfolio summary                               |         |        |
|---|---------|--------|
| Investment liabilities                          |         |        |
| Unrealised losses on forward currency contracts | (27)    | (0.01) |
| Total Investment liabilities                    | (27)    | (0.01) |
| Portfolio of investments                        | 261,683 | 94.62  |
| Net other assets/(liabilities)                  | 14,866  | 5.38   |
| Net assets                                      | 276,549 | 100.00 |

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All securities are on an official stock exchange listing except where referenced.

Interest rates represent either the stated coupon rate or, for floating rate securities, the current reset rate which is based upon interest rates indices. Maturity dates represent either the stated date on the security, or the next interest reset date for floating rate securities or the prerefunded date for those types of securities.

Variable and floating coupon rates are those quoted as of 31 December 2022.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>b</sup> Fair valued.

## Counterparty exposure

#### Counterparty exposure

| Counterparty                                       |   | posures          |
|--|---|------------------|
|  | Forward<br>currency<br>contracts<br>€'000 | Futures<br>€'000 |
| HSBC Bank Plc                                      | 1,648                                     | 0                |
| JP Morgan London                                   | 5,433                                     | 26               |
| State Street Bank and Trust Company                | 161                                       | 0                |
| State Street Bank and Trust Company, London Branch | 79,770                                    | 0                |

Exposure represents the sub-fund's exposure to that counterparty.

# Financial highlights

### **Sub-fund performance (unaudited)**

Please note past performance is not a guide to future performance and the value of investments, and the income from them, will fluctuate. This will cause the sub-fund price to fall as well as rise and you may not get back the original amount you invested.

To give an indication of the performance of the sub-fund, the following table shows the compound rate of return, per annum, over the period. Calculated on a price to price basis with income reinvested.

Long-term performance by share class as at 31 December 2022

|                          | One           | Three            | Five             | Since  | Launch date     |
|--------------------------|---------------|------------------|------------------|--------|-----------------|
|                          | year          | years            | years            | launch | of the sub-fund |
|                          | 31.12.21<br>% | 31.12.19<br>% pa | 31.12.17<br>% pa | % pa   | share class     |
| Euro                     |               |                  |                  |        |                 |
| Class 'A' Accumulation   | -11.0         | n/a              | n/a              | -9.1   | 27.09.21        |
| Class 'A' Distribution   | -11.0         | n/a              | n/a              | -9.1   | 27.09.21        |
| Class 'E' Accumulation   | -10.9         | -1.8             | +0.5             | +3.2   | 06.03.13        |
| Class 'E' Distribution   | -10.9         | n/a              | n/a              | -6.3   | 07.05.21        |
| Class 'P' Accumulation   | n/a           | n/a              | n/a              | +2.4   | 22.06.22        |
| Class 'P' Distribution   | n/a           | n/a              | n/a              | +2.4   | 22.06.22        |
| Class 'W' Accumulation   | -11.2         | n/a              | n/a              | -9.3   | 27.09.21        |
| Class 'W' Distribution   | -11.2         | n/a              | n/a              | -9.3   | 27.09.21        |
| Class 'WI' Accumulation  | -11.2         | n/a              | n/a              | -9.3   | 27.09.21        |
| Class 'WI' Distribution  | -11.2         | n/a              | n/a              | -9.3   | 27.09.21        |
| Sterling                 |               |                  |                  |        |                 |
| Class 'A-H' Accumulation | -9.8          | n/a              | n/a              | -8.0   | 27.09.21        |
| Class 'A-H' Distribution | -9.8          | n/a              | n/a              | -8.0   | 27.09.21        |
| Class 'E-H' Accumulation | -9.7          | n/a              | n/a              | -7.9   | 27.09.21        |
| Class 'E-H' Distribution | -9.7          | n/a              | n/a              | -7.9   | 27.09.21        |
| US dollar                |               |                  |                  |        |                 |
| Class 'A-H' Accumulation | -9.0          | n/a              | n/a              | -7.4   | 27.09.21        |
| Class 'A-H' Distribution | -9.0          | n/a              | n/a              | -7.4   | 27.09.21        |
| Class 'E-H' Accumulation | -9.0          | n/a              | n/a              | -7.3   | 27.09.21        |
| Class 'E-H' Distribution | -9.0          | n/a              | n/a              | -7.3   | 27.09.21        |

# **Financial highlights**

### **Net Asset Values (NAV) and Total Expense Ratios (TER) (unaudited)**

The following table shows Net Asset Values (NAV) inclusive of any swing price adjustment as described in note 9 to the Financial Statements (also known as the price per share) at 31 December 2022 and Total Expense Ratio (TER) for the year ended to 31 December 2022.

#### Net Asset Values and Total Expense Ratios (unaudited)

| NAV per share                         | 31.12.22          | 31.12.21          | 31.12.20          |
|---------------------------------------|-------------------|-------------------|-------------------|
| Euro                                  | €                 | €                 | €                 |
| Class 'A' Accumulation                | 88.6836           | 99.6154           | n/a               |
| Class 'A' Distribution                | 85.0228           | 99.6152           | n/a               |
| Class 'E' Accumulation                | 135.7300          | 152.3114          | 147.9750          |
| Class 'E' Distribution                | 84.7630           | 99.3024           | n/a               |
| Class 'P' Accumulation                | 101.7741          | n/a               | n/a               |
| Class 'P' Distribution                | 100.6338          | n/a               | n/a               |
| Class 'W' Accumulation                | 88.4055           | 99.5506           | n/a               |
| Class 'W' Distribution                | 84.9763           | 99.5496           | n/a               |
| Class 'WI' Accumulation               | 88.4430           | 99.5595           | n/a               |
| Class 'WI' Distribution               | 84.9831           | 99.5587           | n/a               |
| Sterling                              | £                 | £                 | £                 |
| Class 'A-H' Accumulation              | 90.0124           | 99.7797           | n/a               |
| Class 'A-H' Distribution              | 86.2642           | 99.7796           | n/a               |
| Class 'E-H' Accumulation              | 90.1259           | 99.8062           | n/a               |
| Class 'E-H' Distribution              | 86.2825           | 99.8062           | n/a               |
| US dollar                             | US\$              | US\$              | US\$              |
| Class 'A-H' Accumulation              | 90.8076           | 99.8415           | n/a               |
| Class 'A-H' Distribution              | 87.1412           | 99.8400           | n/a               |
| Class 'E-H' Accumulation              | 90.9194           | 99.8685           | n/a               |
| Class 'E-H' Distribution              | 87.1610           | 99.8674           | n/a               |
| NAV at fund level                     | 31.12.22<br>€'000 | 31.12.21<br>€'000 | 31.12.20<br>€'000 |
| Net assets                            | 276,549           | 328,841           | 270,894           |
| Swing pricing adjustment (see note 9) | n/a               | n/a               | n/a               |
| Swing net assets                      | 276,549           | 328,841           | 270,894           |

# Financial highlights

| Total Expense Ratio 31.12.22 | TER  |
|------------------------------|------|
| Euro                         | %    |
| Class 'A' Accumulation       | 0.30 |
| Class 'A' Distribution       | 0.30 |
| Class 'E' Accumulation       | 0.20 |
| Class 'E' Distribution       | 0.20 |
| Class 'P' Accumulation       | 0.95 |
| Class 'P' Distribution       | 0.95 |
| Class 'W' Accumulation       | 0.55 |
| Class 'W' Distribution       | 0.55 |
| Class 'WI' Accumulation      | 0.51 |
| Class 'WI' Distribution      | 0.51 |
| Sterling                     | %    |
| Class 'A-H' Accumulation     | 0.30 |
| Class 'A-H' Distribution     | 0.30 |
| Class 'E-H' Accumulation     | 0.20 |
| Class 'E-H' Distribution     | 0.20 |
| US dollar                    | %    |
| Class 'A-H' Accumulation     | 0.30 |
| Class 'A-H' Distribution     | 0.30 |
| Class 'E-H' Accumulation     | 0.20 |
| Class 'E-H' Distribution     | 0.20 |

## Investment review (unaudited)

### For the year ended 31 December 2022

The M&G Senior Asset Backed Credit Fund ('the subfund') aims to provide investors with a higher total return than that of the benchmark over any three-year period, net of fees. The sub-fund invests in a diversified pool of investment grade Asset-Backed Securities (ABS) and other floating rate instruments denominated in any currency. The types of ABS the sub-fund invests in may include, but are not limited to, Residential Mortgage-Backed Securities (RMBS), Commercial Mortgage-Backed Securities (CMBS), Collateralised Loan Obligations (CLO), Whole-Business Securitisations (WBS), Consumer ABS backed by such receivables as consumer loans, credit card debt, auto or equipment loans and leases and student loans. Other ABS may be backed by loans or receivables to corporates. In usual market conditions, the sub-fund will invest predominantly in senior traches of ABS, with 80% expected to be of a credit rating of at least AA- or higher.

During the first quarter, the sub-fund underperformed the GBP cash rate by 13 basis points (GBP A Dist share class, gross of fees). This was primarily driven by general widening of UK RMBS and European CLO spreads during the quarter. However, this should be viewed in context to the wider fixed income markets which suffered as interest rates rose.

During the second quarter, the sub-fund underperformed the GBP cash rate by 1.25% basis points (GBP A Dist share class, gross of fees). This was primarily driven by general widening of UK RMBS and European CLO spreads during the quarter. However, this should be viewed in context to the wider fixed income markets which suffered as interest rates rose and credit spreads widened across the developed markets.

During the third quarter, the sub-fund underperformed the GBP cash rate by 0.38% (GBP A Dist share class, gross of fees). This was primarily driven by general widening of European CLO spreads during the quarter. However, this should be viewed in context to the wider

fixed income markets which suffered as interest rates rose and credit spreads widened across the developed markets.

During the fourth quarter, the sub-fund outperformed the GBP cash rate by 0.68% (GBP A Dist share class, gross of fees). This was primarily driven by general tightening of European CLO spreads during the quarter, however in the context of the wider fixed income markets, although we saw some recovery following the LDI crisis, high inflation rates are still very much a strong theme across developed markets, which continue to drive credit spreads wider as we enter the new year.

Looking ahead to Q1 2023, we believe primary market supply will be strong highlighting that many issuers had to shelve transactions in the second half of 2022, owing to broader market volatility. This presents an opportunity to put cash to work at very compelling yields in the context of the past decade.

Fundamental performance remains very much in focus as economies enter a period of stress for both consumers and corporates. Whilst we are yet to see a significant broad based increase in arrears, the rising cost of living and the prospect of mortgage borrowers rolling off fixed rate loans thus being exposed to an interest rate shock in the coming months is a cause for concern. The ability to spot these trends and have the resources to evaluate in depth the underlying loan pools is more important than ever, despite the ability of these transaction structures to absorb very significant levels

Investment review information as at 31 December 2022.

Please note that the views expressed in this Report should not be taken as a recommendation or advice on how the sub-fund or any holding mentioned in the Report is likely to perform. If you wish to obtain financial advice as to whether an investment is suitable for your needs, you should consult a Financial Adviser.

## Statement of investments

#### Statement of investments

| Investment description                    | Holdings/<br>contracts | Currency | Maturity date | Commitment value £'000 | Market value<br>£'000 | % of net assets |
|---|------------------------|----------|---------------|------------------------|-----------------------|-----------------|
| Corporate bonds                           |                        |          |               |                        | 280,381               | 94.54           |
| Ireland                                   |                        |          |               |                        | 110,821               | 37.37           |
| Anchorage Capital Europe CLO 6 FRN        | 1,655,000              | €        | 25.08.2034    |                        | 1,466                 | 0.49            |
| Arbour CLO XI FRN                         | 3,500,000              | €        | 15.01.2036    |                        | 3,105                 | 1.05            |
| Atom Mortgage Securities FRN              | 5,990,907              | £        | 22.07.2031    |                        | 5,646                 | 1.90            |
| Bilbao CLO II FRN                         | 5,000,000              | €        | 20.08.2035    |                        | 4,251                 | 1.43            |
| Bosphorus CLO VII FRN                     | 4,000,000              | €        | 17.10.2034    |                        | 3,527                 | 1.19            |
| Cairn CLO VI FRN                          | 4,750,000              | €        | 25.07.2029    |                        | 4,079                 | 1.38            |
| Carlyle Global Market Strategies Euro FRN | 4,000,000              | €        | 16.01.2033    |                        | 3,440                 | 1.16            |
| CIFC European Funding CLO I FRN           | 5,000,000              | €        | 15.07.2032    |                        | 4,311                 | 1.45            |
| CIFC European Funding CLO II FRN          | 5,400,000              | €        | 15.04.2033    |                        | 4,627                 | 1.56            |
| CIFC European Funding CLO V FRN           | 2,500,000              | €        | 23.11.2034    |                        | 2,120                 | 0.72            |
| Contego CLO IX FRN                        | 1,615,000              | €        | 24.01.2034    |                        | 1,372                 | 0.46            |
| Contego CLO VIII FRN                      | 4,122,000              | €        | 25.01.2034    |                        | 3,515                 | 1.19            |
| CVC Cordatus Loan Fund XII FRN            | 4,500,000              | €        | 23.01.2032    |                        | 3,810                 | 1.28            |
| Dryden 35 Euro FRN                        | 5,000,000              | €        | 17.01.2033    |                        | 4,308                 | 1.45            |
| Euro-Galaxy V CLO FRN                     | 5,000,000              | €        | 15.02.2034    |                        | 4,289                 | 1.45            |
| Harvest CLO VII FRN                       | 1,000,000              | €        | 12.04.2031    |                        | 865                   | 0.29            |
| Hayfin Emerald CLO X FRN                  | 4,000,000              | €        | 15.04.2035    |                        | 3,515                 | 1.19            |
| Invesco Euro CLO IV FRN                   | 3,000,000              | €        | 15.04.2033    |                        | 2,574                 | 0.87            |
| Last Mile Logistics Pan Euro Finance FRN  | 2,239,954              | €        | 17.08.2033    |                        | 1,903                 | 0.64            |
| Last Mile Securities FRN                  | 4,788,014              | €        | 17.08.2031    |                        | 4,047                 | 1.36            |
| North Westerly VII ESG CLO FRN            | 5,769,000              | €        | 15.05.2034    |                        | 4,900                 | 1.65            |
| Palmer Square European Loan Funding FRN   | 3,640,408              | €        | 15.10.2031    |                        | 3,159                 | 1.07            |
| Penta CLO 7 FRN                           | 5,000,000              | €        | 25.01.2033    |                        | 4,306                 | 1.45            |
| Rockford Tower Europe CLO FRN             | 3,000,000              | €        | 20.01.2033    |                        | 2,580                 | 0.87            |
| RRE 2 Loan Management FRN                 | 4,000,000              | €        | 15.07.2035    |                        | 3,419                 | 1.15            |
| Scorpio European Loan Conduit No. 34 FRN  | 5,826,144              | £        | 17.05.2029    |                        | 5,554                 | 1.87            |
| Segovia European CLO FRN                  | 6,000,000              | €        | 20.07.2032    |                        | 5,149                 | 1.74            |
| St Paul's CLO XII FRN                     | 1,700,000              | €        | 15.04.2033    |                        | 1,461                 | 0.49            |
| Taurus FRN                                | 2,513,105              | €        | 20.02.2030    |                        | 2,159                 | 0.73            |
| Taurus UK FRN                             | 6,105,633              | £        | 17.08.2031    |                        | 5,845                 | 1.97            |
| Vita Scientia FRN                         | 2,999,317              | €        | 27.02.2033    |                        | 2,507                 | 0.85            |

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| Investment description                 | Holdings/<br>contracts | Currency | Maturity date | Commitment value £'000 | Market value<br>£'000 | % of net<br>assets |
|--|------------------------|----------|---------------|------------------------|-----------------------|--------------------|
| Corporate bonds (continued)            |                        |          |               |                        |                       |                    |
| Ireland (continued)                    |                        |          |               |                        |                       |                    |
| Voya Euro CLO III FRN                  | 3,500,000              | €        | 15.04.2033    |                        | 3,012                 | 1.02               |
| Netherlands (The)                      |                        |          |               |                        |                       |                    |
| Jubilee Place FRN                      | 1,493,630              | €        | 17.10.2057    |                        | 1,315                 | 0.44               |
| United Kingdom                         |                        |          |               |                        | 168,245               | 56.73              |
| Atlas Funding FRN                      | 6,128,506              | £        | 25.07.2058    |                        | 6,087                 | 2.05               |
| Barley Hill No. 2 FRN                  | 2,766,318              | £        | 27.08.2058    |                        | 2,738                 | 0.92               |
| Canada Square Funding FRN              | 7,359,830              | £        | 17.12.2057    |                        | 7,270                 | 2.45               |
| Canada Square Funding FRN              | 3,548,649              | £        | 17.06.2058    |                        | 3,475                 | 1.17               |
| Canada Square Funding FRN              | 4,086,878              | £        | 17.06.2058    |                        | 4,007                 | 1.35               |
| Canada Square Funding FRN              | 6,189,029              | £        | 17.01.2059    |                        | 6,039                 | 2.04               |
| Castell FRN                            | 1,465,900              | £        | 25.03.2053    |                        | 1,463                 | 0.49               |
| Castell FRN                            | 2,500,000              | £        | 25.03.2053    |                        | 2,489                 | 0.84               |
| Elstree Funding No. 1 FRN              | 7,757,936              | £        | 20.12.2053    |                        | 7,735                 | 2.61               |
| Elstree Funding No. 2 FRN              | 7,388,532              | £        | 21.12.2054    |                        | 7,264                 | 2.45               |
| Finsbury Square FRN                    | 2,175,479              | £        | 16.12.2067    |                        | 2,123                 | 0.72               |
| Harbour FRN                            | 1,494,763              | £        | 28.01.2054    |                        | 1,482                 | 0.50               |
| Hops Hill No. 1 FRN                    | 4,277,175              | £        | 27.05.2054    |                        | 4,239                 | 1.43               |
| Mortimer FRN                           | 2,989,613              | £        | 23.03.2054    |                        | 2,921                 | 0.98               |
| Mortimer BTL FRN                       | 1,781,371              | £        | 23.06.2053    |                        | 1,736                 | 0.58               |
| Newday Funding Master Issuer FRN       | 6,000,000              | £        | 15.07.2029    |                        | 5,900                 | 1.99               |
| Newday Funding Master Issuer FRN       | 3,600,000              | £        | 15.11.2029    |                        | 3,515                 | 1.18               |
| Newday Funding Master Issuer FRN       | 3,784,000              | £        | 15.04.2030    |                        | 3,700                 | 1.25               |
| Newday Partnership Funding FRN         | 2,000,000              | £        | 15.11.2028    |                        | 1,986                 | 0.67               |
| PCL Funding VI FRN                     | 2,600,000              | £        | 15.07.2026    |                        | 2,602                 | 0.88               |
| Polaris FRN                            | 4,871,948              | £        | 27.05.2057    |                        | 4,856                 | 1.64               |
| Polaris FRN                            | 3,000,000              | £        | 27.05.2057    |                        | 2,965                 | 1.00               |
| Polaris FRN                            | 4,297,868              | £        | 23.12.2058    |                        | 4,213                 | 1.42               |
| Polaris FRN                            | 2,112,988              | £        | 23.05.2059    |                        | 2,088                 | 0.70               |
| Polaris FRN                            | 3,349,202              | £        | 23.10.2059    |                        | 3,275                 | 1.10               |
| Precise Mortgage Funding FRN           | 1,708,835              | £        | 12.12.2055    |                        | 1,701                 | 0.57               |
| Residential Mortgage Securities 32 FRN | 4,940,431              | £        | 20.06.2070    |                        | 4,913                 | 1.66               |

## Statement of investments

| Investment description                            | Holdings/<br>contracts | Currency | Maturity date | Commitment<br>value £'000 | Market value<br>£'000 | % of net assets |
|---|------------------------|----------|---------------|---------------------------|-----------------------|-----------------|
| Corporate bonds (continued)                       |                        |          |               |                           |                       |                 |
| United Kingdom (continued)                        |                        |          |               |                           |                       |                 |
| Rochester Financing No. 3 FRN                     | 3,592,509              | £        | 18.12.2044    |                           | 3,464                 | 1.17            |
| Silverstone Master Issuer FRN                     | 1,711,000              | £        | 21.01.2070    |                           | 1,713                 | 0.58            |
| Stratton BTL Mortgage Funding FRN                 | 2,270,976              | £        | 20.01.2054    |                           | 2,229                 | 0.75            |
| Stratton Mortgage Funding FRN                     | 7,488,619              | £        | 25.09.2051    |                           | 7,403                 | 2.50            |
| Stratton Mortgage Funding FRN                     | 2,043,221              | £        | 12.03.2052    |                           | 2,008                 | 0.68            |
| Together Asset Backed Securitisation FRN          | 4,500,000              | £        | 15.07.2061    |                           | 4,471                 | 1.51            |
| Together Asset Backed Securitisation FRN          | 2,773,656              | £        | 15.07.2061    |                           | 2,764                 | 0.93            |
| Together Asset Backed Securitisation FRN          | 6,765,314              | £        | 15.12.2061    |                           | 6,727                 | 2.27            |
| Together Asset Backed Securitisation FRN          | 5,416,957              | £        | 12.07.2063    |                           | 5,302                 | 1.79            |
| Towd Point Mortgage Funding FRN                   | 7,500,000              | £        | 20.10.2051    |                           | 7,324                 | 2.47            |
| Tower Bridge Funding FRN                          | 2,561,000              | £        | 20.09.2063    |                           | 2,548                 | 0.86            |
| Tower Bridge Funding FRN                          | 4,167,114              | £        | 20.11.2063    |                           | 4,098                 | 1.38            |
| Tower Bridge Funding FRN                          | 8,187,736              | £        | 21.07.2064    |                           | 8,114                 | 2.74            |
| Turbo Finance 9 FRN                               | 2,030,000              | £        | 20.08.2028    |                           | 2,010                 | 0.68            |
| Twin Bridges FRN                                  | 3,962,302              | £        | 12.06.2055    |                           | 3,895                 | 1.31            |
| Twin Bridges FRN                                  | 1,447,625              | £        | 01.12.2055    |                           | 1,393                 | 0.47            |
| Mutual funds                                      |                        |          |               |                           |                       |                 |
| Morgan Stanley Sterling Liquidity Fund            | 12,430,000             | £        |               |                           | 12,430                | 4.19            |
| Currency  |                        |          |               |                           | (1,954)               | (0.66)          |
| Forward currency contracts                        |                        |          |               |                           |                       |                 |
| Bought for £ 93,508,433.82, Sold for € 107,509,3  | 70.75                  |          | 24.01.2023    |                           | (1,954)               | (0.66)          |
| Portfolio of investments                          |                        |          |               |                           | 290,857               | 98.07           |
| Share class hedging                               |                        |          |               |                           | 121                   | 0.04            |
| Bought for £ 2,094.36, Sold for US\$ 2,498.05     |                        |          | 13.01.2023    |                           | 0                     | 0.00            |
| Bought for ¥ 179,258,404.00, Sold for £ 1,093,356 | 5.64                   |          | 13.01.2023    |                           | 38                    | 0.01            |
| Bought for € 3,850,113.45, Sold for £ 3,333,399.7 | 1                      |          | 13.01.2023    |                           | 83                    | 0.03            |
| Bought for US\$ 62,804.14, Sold for £ 52,243.77   |                        |          | 13.01.2023    |                           | 0                     | 0.00            |
| Total portfolio                                   |                        |          |               |                           | 290,978               | 98.11           |
| Net other assets/(liabilities)                    |                        |          |               |                           | 5,596                 | 1.89            |
| Net assets  |                        |          |               |                           | 296,574               | 100.00          |

## Statement of investments

#### Statement of investments (continued)

| Portfolio summary                               |         |        |
|---|---------|--------|
| Investment assets                               |         |        |
| Debt securities                                 | 280,381 | 94.54  |
| Mutual funds                                    | 12,430  | 4.19   |
| Unrealised gains on forward currency contracts  | 121     | 0.04   |
| Total Investment assets                         | 292,932 | 98.77  |
| Investment liabilities                          |         |        |
| Unrealised losses on forward currency contracts | (1,954) | (0.66) |
| Total Investment liabilities                    | (1,954) | (0.66) |
| Portfolio of investments                        | 290,978 | 98.11  |
| Net other assets/(liabilities)                  | 5,596   | 1.89   |
| Net assets                                      | 296,574 | 100.00 |

All securities are on an official stock exchange listing except where referenced.

Interest rates represent either the stated coupon rate or, for floating rate securities, the current reset rate which is based upon interest rates indices. Maturity dates represent either the stated date on the security, or the next interest reset date for floating rate securities or the prerefunded date for those

Variable and floating coupon rates are those quoted as of 31 December 2022.

## Counterparty exposure

#### Counterparty exposure

| Counterparty                                       |   | xposures                               |
|--|---|--|
|  | Forward<br>currency<br>contracts<br>£'000 | Collateral<br>held as<br>cash<br>£'000 |
| Barclays Bank London                               | 645                                       | 0                                      |
| JP Morgan London                                   | 175,071                                   | 1,540                                  |
| State Street Bank and Trust Company                | 9,081                                     | 0                                      |
| State Street Bank and Trust Company, London Branch | 13,178                                    | 0                                      |

Exposure represents the sub-fund's exposure to that counterparty.

## Financial highlights

### **Sub-fund performance (unaudited)**

Please note past performance is not a guide to future performance and the value of investments, and the income from them, will fluctuate. This will cause the sub-fund price to fall as well as rise and you may not get back the original amount you invested.

To give an indication of the performance of the sub-fund, the following table shows the compound rate of return, per annum, over the period. Calculated on a price to price basis with income reinvested.

Long-term performance by share class as at 31 December 2022

|                           | One<br>year<br>31.12.21<br>% | Three<br>years<br>31.12.19<br>% pa | Five<br>years<br>31.12.17<br>% pa | Since<br>launch<br>% pa | Launch date<br>of the sub-fund<br>share class |
|---------------------------|------------------------------|------------------------------------|-----------------------------------|-------------------------|---|
| Euro                      |                              |                                    |                                   |                         |   |
| Class 'A-H' Accumulation  | -1.5                         | n/a                                | n/a                               | -0.9                    | 14.06.21                                      |
| Class 'A-H' Distribution  | -1.0                         | n/a                                | n/a                               | -0.8                    | 27.09.21                                      |
| Class 'Q-H' Accumulation  | -1.5                         | n/a                                | n/a                               | -0.7                    | 26.03.21                                      |
| Class 'Q-H' Distribution  | -1.1                         | n/a                                | n/a                               | -0.5                    | 26.03.21                                      |
| Class 'QI-H' Accumulation | -1.6                         | n/a                                | n/a                               | -0.7                    | 26.03.21                                      |
| Class 'QI-H' Distribution | -1.4                         | n/a                                | n/a                               | -0.7                    | 26.03.21                                      |
| Japanese yen              |                              |                                    |                                   |                         |   |
| Class 'A-H' Accumulation  | -1.6                         | n/a                                | n/a                               | -1.2                    | 27.09.21                                      |
| Class 'A-H' Distribution  | -1.2                         | n/a                                | n/a                               | -0.9                    | 27.09.21                                      |
| Class 'Q-H' Accumulation  | -1.7                         | n/a                                | n/a                               | -1.3                    | 27.09.21                                      |
| Class 'Q-H' Distribution  | -1.7                         | n/a                                | n/a                               | -1.2                    | 27.09.21                                      |
| Class 'QI-H' Accumulation | -1.3                         | n/a                                | n/a                               | -1.0                    | 27.09.21                                      |
| Class 'QI-H' Distribution | -1.2                         | n/a                                | n/a                               | -0.9                    | 27.09.21                                      |
| Sterling                  |                              |                                    |                                   |                         |   |
| Class 'A' Accumulation    | +0.1                         | n/a                                | n/a                               | +0.7                    | 30.10.20                                      |
| Class 'A' Distribution    | +0.1                         | n/a                                | n/a                               | +0.7                    | 28.08.20                                      |
| Class 'Q' Accumulation    | 0.0                          | n/a                                | n/a                               | +0.1                    | 27.09.21                                      |
| Class 'Q' Distribution    | +0.4                         | n/a                                | n/a                               | +0.4                    | 27.09.21                                      |
| Class 'QI' Accumulation   | 0.0                          | n/a                                | n/a                               | +0.1                    | 27.09.21                                      |
| Class 'QI' Distribution   | +0.4                         | n/a                                | n/a                               | +0.4                    | 27.09.21                                      |
|                           |                              |                                    |                                   |                         |   |

# Financial highlights

|                           | One<br>year<br>31.12.21<br>% | Three<br>years<br>31.12.19<br>% pa | Five<br>years<br>31.12.17<br>% pa | Since<br>launch<br>% pa | Launch date<br>of the sub-fund<br>share class |
|---------------------------|------------------------------|------------------------------------|-----------------------------------|-------------------------|---|
| US dollar                 |                              |                                    |                                   |                         |   |
| Class 'A-H' Accumulation  | +0.4                         | n/a                                | n/a                               | +0.5                    | 27.09.21                                      |
| Class 'A-H' Distribution  | +0.8                         | n/a                                | n/a                               | +0.8                    | 27.09.21                                      |
| Class 'Q-H' Accumulation  | +0.4                         | n/a                                | n/a                               | +0.7                    | 26.03.21                                      |
| Class 'Q-H' Distribution  | +0.4                         | n/a                                | n/a                               | +0.7                    | 26.03.21                                      |
| Class 'QI-H' Accumulation | +0.4                         | n/a                                | n/a                               | +0.7                    | 26.03.21                                      |
| Class 'QI-H' Distribution | +0.8                         | n/a                                | n/a                               | +0.9                    | 26.03.21                                      |

## Financial highlights

### Net Asset Values (NAV) and Total Expense Ratios (TER) (unaudited)

The following table shows Net Asset Values (NAV) inclusive of any swing price adjustment as described in note 9 to the Financial Statements (also known as the price per share) at 31 December 2022 and Total Expense Ratio (TER) for the year ended to 31 December 2022.

#### Net Asset Values and Total Expense Ratios (unaudited)

| NAV per share             | 31.12.22 | 31.12.21 | 31.12.20 |
|---------------------------|----------|----------|----------|
| Euro                      | €        | €        | €        |
| Class 'A-H' Accumulation  | 98.5350  | 100.0197 | n/a      |
| Class 'A-H' Distribution  | 98.0890  | 100.2154 | 89.5236  |
| Class 'Q-H' Accumulation  | 98.7291  | 100.2169 | n/a      |
| Class 'Q-H' Distribution  | 97.6778  | 99.8502  | n/a      |
| Class 'QI-H' Accumulation | 98.6894  | 100.2530 | n/a      |
| Class 'QI-H' Distribution | 97.3016  | 99.8565  | n/a      |
| Japanese yen              | ¥        | ¥        | ¥        |
| Class 'A-H' Accumulation  | 98.4520  | 100.1026 | n/a      |
| Class 'A-H' Distribution  | 97.7060  | 100.1026 | n/a      |
| Class 'Q-H' Accumulation  | 98.3885  | 100.0870 | n/a      |
| Class 'Q-H' Distribution  | 97.6901  | 100.0870 | n/a      |
| Class 'Ql-H' Accumulation | 98.4361  | 100.1026 | n/a      |
| Class 'QI-H' Distribution | 97.7060  | 100.1026 | n/a      |
| Sterling                  | £        | £        | £        |
| Class 'A' Accumulation    | 101.4160 | 101.3574 | 100.1949 |
| Class 'A' Distribution    | 99.5852  | 100.7073 | 100.3715 |
| Class 'Q' Accumulation    | 100.1092 | 100.1224 | n/a      |
| Class 'Q' Distribution    | 99.3978  | 100.1224 | n/a      |
| Class 'Ql' Accumulation   | 100.1592 | 100.1329 | n/a      |
| Class 'Ql' Distribution   | 99.4179  | 100.1327 | n/a      |
| US dollar                 | US\$     | US\$     | US\$     |
| Class 'A-H' Accumulation  | 100.6635 | 100.2183 | n/a      |
| Class 'A-H' Distribution  | 99.9323  | 100.2178 | n/a      |
| Class 'Q-H' Accumulation  | 101.1839 | 100.8082 | n/a      |
| Class 'Q-H' Distribution  | 99.7841  | 100.4409 | n/a      |
| Class 'QI-H' Accumulation | 101.2558 | 100.8379 | n/a      |
| Class 'QI-H' Distribution | 100.1532 | 100.4516 | n/a      |

# Financial highlights

| NAV at fund level                     | 31.12.22<br>£'000 | 31.12.21<br>£'000 | 31.12.20<br>£'000 |
|---------------------------------------|-------------------|-------------------|-------------------|
| Net assets                            | 296,574           | 431,581           | 214,240           |
| Swing pricing adjustment (see note 9) | n/a               | n/a               | n/a               |
| Swing net assets                      | 296,574           | 431,581           | 214,240           |

|                              | /    |
|------------------------------|------|
| Total Expense Ratio 31.12.22 | TER  |
| Euro                         | %    |
| Class 'A-H' Accumulation     | 0.20 |
| Class 'A-H' Distribution     | 0.20 |
| Class 'Q-H' Accumulation     | 0.27 |
| Class 'Q-H' Distribution     | 0.27 |
| Class 'QI-H' Accumulation    | 0.23 |
| Class 'QI-H' Distribution    | 0.23 |
| Japanese yen                 | %    |
| Class 'A-H' Accumulation     | 0.20 |
| Class 'A-H' Distribution     | 0.20 |
| Class 'Q-H' Accumulation     | 0.27 |
| Class 'Q-H' Distribution     | 0.27 |
| Class 'QI-H' Accumulation    | 0.23 |
| Class 'QI-H' Distribution    | 0.23 |
| Sterling                     | %    |
| Class 'A' Accumulation       | 0.20 |
| Class 'A' Distribution       | 0.20 |
| Class 'Q' Accumulation       | 0.27 |
| Class 'Q' Distribution       | 0.27 |
| Class 'Ql' Accumulation      | 0.23 |
| Class 'Ql' Distribution      | 0.23 |
| US dollar                    | %    |
| Class 'A-H' Accumulation     | 0.20 |
| Class 'A-H' Distribution     | 0.20 |
| Class 'Q-H' Accumulation     | 0.27 |
| Class 'Q-H' Distribution     | 0.27 |
| Class 'QI-H' Accumulation    | 0.23 |
| Class 'QI-H' Distribution    | 0.23 |

## Investment review (unaudited)

### For the year ended 31 December 2022

The M&G Sustainable European Credit Investment Fund ('the sub-fund') aims to take advantage of opportunities primarily in investment grade corporate bonds denominated in euros and applies a number of ESG focused exclusions to ensure all securities meet our minimum ESG and sustainability criteria. The sub-fund may also invest in GBP. USD and CHF denominated debt, and use futures and swaps for efficient portfolio management. The sub-fund utilises M&G's global research and sub-fund management capabilities to identify fundamental value in corporate and asset backed bonds. The sub-fund focuses on credit management; currency, interest rate and other macroeconomic risks are closely controlled. The sub-fund aims to outperform the benchmark Bloomberg Barclays MSCI Euro Corporate ESG BB+ Sustainable SRI Bond Index.

The sub-fund outperformed the index by 45 basis points in Q1 2022. The sub-fund benefitted from being underweight basic industry, insurance and healthcare sectors versus the index. In terms of individual positions, underweight exposures to Novolipetsk Steel and Prosus were positive contributors to performance, whilst an overweight position in SBB was a small drag on returns.

The sub-fund underperformed the index by 27 basis points in Q2 2022. The sub-fund benefitted from being underweight telecommunications, consumer goods and healthcare sectors versus the index, while being overweight real estate was a detractor. In terms of individual positions, underweight exposure to Santander was a contributor to performance, whilst overweight positions in SBB, Castellum and Adler was a drag on returns.

The sub-fund outperformed the index by 27 basis points in Q3 2022. The sub-fund benefitted from being overweight Real Estate sectors versus the index, while being underweight Banking, Automotive and Retail was a detractor. In terms of individual positions, overweight exposure to SBB was a contributor to performance,

whilst overweight positions in BNP Paribas, Credit Agricole and AroundTown were a drag on returns.

The sub-fund underperformed the index by 14 basis points in Q4 2022. The sub-fund benefitted from being overweight Real Estate versus the index, while being underweight Banking, Automotive and Retail was a detractor. In terms of individual positions, overweight exposure to SBB was a positive contributor to performance, whilst overweight positions in BNP Paribas, Credit Agricole and AroundTown were a drag on returns, however, we believe that our positioning will be rewarded over the medium term.

Looking ahead, global growth continues to slow, and whilst there is some slowing of inflationary pressures, headline inflation rates in the major economies still remain stubbornly high relative to targeted levels. Although there may be further volatility ahead, we believe that will continue to be attractive stock specific opportunities to add to credit exposure in current

Investment review information as at 31 December 2022.

Please note that the views expressed in this Report should not be taken as a recommendation or advice on how the sub-fund or any holding mentioned in the Report is likely to perform. If you wish to obtain financial advice as to whether an investment is suitable for your needs, you should consult a Financial Adviser.

## Compliance of the Fund with the Sustainable Finance Disclosure Regulation ('SFDR') and the EU **Taxonomy Regulation**

Information related to environmental and social characteristics promoted by the Fund required to be disclosed under SFDR is available on page 166 in

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| Investment description                                     | Holdings/<br>contracts | Currency | Maturity date | Commitment<br>value €'000 | Market value<br>€'000 | % of net assets |
|--|------------------------|----------|---------------|---------------------------|-----------------------|-----------------|
| Corporate bonds  |                        |          |               |                           | 497,664               | 85.99           |
| Australia  |                        |          |               |                           | 3,491                 | 0.60            |
| Australia & New Zealand Banking Group 0.75%                | 300,000                | €        | 29.09.2026    |                           | 271                   | 0.05            |
| National Australia Bank 0.25%                              | 1,034,000              | €        | 20.05.2024    |                           | 996                   | 0.17            |
| National Australia Bank 2.125%                             | 1,419,000              | €        | 24.05.2028    |                           | 1,321                 | 0.23            |
| Scentre Group Trust 1 Via Scentre Group<br>Trust 2 1.75%   | 766,000                | €        | 11.04.2028    |                           | 648                   | 0.11            |
| Transurban Finance 1.45%                                   | 300,000                | €        | 16.05.2029    |                           | 255                   | 0.04            |
| Austria  |                        |          |               |                           | 8,437                 | 1.46            |
| Erste Group Bank 0.25%                                     | 1,800,000              | €        | 14.09.2029    |                           | 1,400                 | 0.24            |
| Erste Group Bank FRN                                       | 500,000                | €        | 07.06.2033    |                           | 459                   | 0.08            |
| Mondi Finance Europe 2.375%                                | 2,400,000              | €        | 01.04.2028    |                           | 2,224                 | 0.38            |
| Raiffeisen Bank International 5.75%                        | 400,000                | €        | 27.01.2028    |                           | 412                   | 0.07            |
| Raiffeisen Bank International FRN                          | 2,800,000              | €        | 17.06.2033    |                           | 1,994                 | 0.35            |
| UNIQA Insurance Group FRN                                  | 1,300,000              | €        | 09.12.2041    |                           | 908                   | 0.16            |
| Vienna Insurance Group FRN                                 | 500,000                | €        | 15.06.2042    |                           | 451                   | 0.08            |
| Vienna Insurance Group AG Wiener Versicherung<br>Gruppe 1% | 900,000                | €        | 26.03.2036    |                           | 589                   | 0.10            |
| Belgium  |                        |          |               |                           | 11,304                | 1.95            |
| AG Insurance FRN   | 600,000                | €        | 30.06.2047    |                           | 550                   | 0.10            |
| Ageas FRN  | 600,000                | €        | 02.07.2049    |                           | 509                   | 0.09            |
| Ageas FRN  | 200,000                | €        | 24.11.2051    |                           | 143                   | 0.02            |
| Argenta Spaarbank FRN                                      | 700,000                | €        | 29.11.2027    |                           | 699                   | 0.12            |
| Argenta Spaarbank FRN                                      | 1,000,000              | €        | 08.02.2029    |                           | 816                   | 0.14            |
| Belfius Bank 0.125%  | 1,000,000              | €        | 08.02.2028    |                           | 837                   | 0.14            |
| Belfius Bank FRN   | 400,000                | €        | 06.04.2034    |                           | 309                   | 0.05            |
| Cofinimmo 0.875%   | 500,000                | €        | 02.12.2030    |                           | 364                   | 0.06            |
| Elia Transmission Belgium 0.875%                           | 2,700,000              | €        | 28.04.2030    |                           | 2,183                 | 0.38            |
| Groupe Bruxelles Lambert 0.125%                            | 900,000                | €        | 28.01.2031    |                           | 669                   | 0.12            |
| KBC Group FRN  | 900,000                | €        | 29.03.2026    |                           | 848                   | 0.15            |
| KBC Group FRN  | 1,300,000              | €        | 16.06.2027    |                           | 1,150                 | 0.20            |
| KBC Group 3%   | 1,700,000              | €        | 25.08.2030    |                           | 1,564                 | 0.27            |
| KBC Group FRN  | 800,000                | €        | 07.12.2031    |                           | 663                   | 0.11            |

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| Corporate bonds (continued)               |                        |          |               |                           |                       |                 |
| Canada                                    |                        |          |               |                           | 6,130                 | 1.06            |
| Great-West Lifeco 1.75%                   | 550,000                | €        | 07.12.2026    |                           | 505                   | 0.09            |
| Great-West Lifeco 4.7%                    | 671,000                | €        | 16.11.2029    |                           | 689                   | 0.12            |
| Mercedes-Benz Finance 3%                  | 2,540,000              | €        | 23.02.2027    |                           | 2,489                 | 0.43            |
| Royal Bank of Canada 2.125%               | 300,000                | €        | 26.04.2029    |                           | 269                   | 0.05            |
| Toronto-Dominion Bank 0.5%                | 2,500,000              | €        | 18.01.2027    |                           | 2,178                 | 0.37            |
| Denmark                                   |                        |          |               |                           | 1,229                 | 0.21            |
| Danske Bank FRN                           | 571,000                | €        | 17.02.2027    |                           | 520                   | 0.09            |
| ISS Global 1.5%                           | 300,000                | €        | 31.08.2027    |                           | 262                   | 0.04            |
| Nykredit Realkredit 0.375%                | 554,000                | €        | 17.01.2028    |                           | 447                   | 0.08            |
| Finland                                   |                        |          |               |                           | 8,781                 | 1.52            |
| Balder Finland 1%                         | 344,000                | €        | 20.01.2029    |                           | 230                   | 0.04            |
| Balder Finland 1.375%                     | 150,000                | €        | 24.05.2030    |                           | 96                    | 0.02            |
| Balder Finland 2%                         | 678,000                | €        | 18.01.2031    |                           | 437                   | 0.07            |
| Castellum Helsinki Finance Holding 0.875% | 652,000                | €        | 17.09.2029    |                           | 426                   | 0.07            |
| Kojamo 0.875%                             | 1,023,000              | €        | 28.05.2029    |                           | 762                   | 0.13            |
| Metso Outotec 4.875%                      | 727,000                | €        | 07.12.2027    |                           | 730                   | 0.13            |
| Metso Outotec 0.875%                      | 797,000                | €        | 26.05.2028    |                           | 653                   | 0.11            |
| Nordea Bank Abp 0.375%                    | 1,761,000              | €        | 28.05.2026    |                           | 1,602                 | 0.28            |
| Nordea Bank Abp 0.5%                      | 300,000                | €        | 14.05.2027    |                           | 264                   | 0.05            |
| OP Corporate Bank 0.25%                   | 644,000                | €        | 24.03.2026    |                           | 570                   | 0.10            |
| Sampo FRN                                 | 213,000                | €        | 23.05.2049    |                           | 187                   | 0.03            |
| Sampo FRN                                 | 842,000                | €        | 03.09.2052    |                           | 633                   | 0.11            |
| SATO 1.375%                               | 500,000                | €        | 31.05.2024    |                           | 471                   | 0.08            |
| SATO 1.375%                               | 800,000                | €        | 24.02.2028    |                           | 581                   | 0.10            |
| SBB Treasury 1.125%                       | 1,777,000              | €        | 26.11.2029    |                           | 1,139                 | 0.20            |
| France                                    |                        |          |               |                           | 96,851                | 16.73           |
| Aéroports de Paris 2.75%                  | 500,000                | €        | 02.04.2030    |                           | 460                   | 0.08            |
| ALD 0.375%                                | 300,000                | €        | 18.07.2023    |                           | 296                   | 0.05            |
| Alstom 0.5%                               | 1,200,000              | €        | 27.07.2030    |                           | 913                   | 0.16            |
| Altarea 1.875%                            | 1,400,000              | €        | 17.01.2028    |                           | 1,090                 | 0.19            |
| Arkema 0.75%                              | 300,000                | €        | 03.12.2029    |                           | 243                   | 0.04            |

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| Corporate bonds (continued)               |                        |          |               |                           |                       |                 |
| France (continued)                        |                        |          |               |                           |                       |                 |
| Arval Service Lease 0%                    | 1,300,000              | €        | 30.09.2024    |                           | 1,224                 | 0.21            |
| Arval Service Lease 4.75%                 | 800,000                | €        | 22.05.2027    |                           | 812                   | 0.14            |
| Atos 2.5%                                 | 900,000                | €        | 07.11.2028    |                           | 595                   | 0.10            |
| Atos 1%                                   | 600,000                | €        | 12.11.2029    |                           | 379                   | 0.07            |
| AXA FRN                                   | 1,086,000              | €        | 10.07.2042    |                           | 813                   | 0.14            |
| AXA FRN                                   | 1,372,000              | €        | 10.03.2043    |                           | 1,255                 | 0.22            |
| AXA FRN                                   | 312,000                | €        | 20.05.2049    |                           | 302                   | 0.05            |
| Banque Fédérative du Crédit Mutuel 4%     | 1,300,000              | €        | 21.11.2029    |                           | 1,304                 | 0.23            |
| Banque Fédérative du Crédit Mutuel 1.25%  | 3,000,000              | €        | 03.06.2030    |                           | 2,443                 | 0.42            |
| Banque Fédérative du Crédit Mutuel FRN    | 2,300,000              | €        | 16.06.2032    |                           | 2,165                 | 0.37            |
| Banque Fédérative du Crédit Mutuel 3.625% | 1,400,000              | €        | 14.09.2032    |                           | 1,351                 | 0.23            |
| Banque Fédérative du Crédit Mutuel 3.75%  | 4,300,000              | €        | 01.02.2033    |                           | 4,114                 | 0.71            |
| Beni Stabili 2.375%                       | 300,000                | €        | 20.02.2028    |                           | 275                   | 0.05            |
| BNP Paribas FRN                           | 6,700,000              | €        | 23.01.2027    |                           | 6,262                 | 1.08            |
| BNP Paribas FRN                           | 900,000                | €        | 25.07.2028    |                           | 836                   | 0.14            |
| BNP Paribas 3.625%                        | 1,300,000              | €        | 01.09.2029    |                           | 1,250                 | 0.22            |
| BNP Paribas 0.875FRN                      | 2,500,000              | €        | 11.07.2030    |                           | 1,992                 | 0.35            |
| BNP Paribas FRN                           | 1,100,000              | €        | 15.01.2032    |                           | 931                   | 0.16            |
| BNP Paribas FRN                           | 200,000                | €        | 31.03.2032    |                           | 177                   | 0.03            |
| BNP Paribas FRN                           | 1,900,000              | €        | 31.08.2033    |                           | 1,478                 | 0.26            |
| Bouygues 4.625%                           | 2,600,000              | €        | 07.06.2032    |                           | 2,657                 | 0.46            |
| Bouygues 3.25%                            | 300,000                | €        | 30.06.2037    |                           | 256                   | 0.04            |
| Bouygues 5.375%                           | 300,000                | €        | 30.06.2042    |                           | 310                   | 0.05            |
| BPCE 0.01%                                | 1,600,000              | €        | 14.01.2027    |                           | 1,380                 | 0.24            |
| BPCE FRN                                  | 1,100,000              | €        | 02.03.2029    |                           | 960                   | 0.17            |
| BPCE 0.625%                               | 600,000                | €        | 15.01.2030    |                           | 479                   | 0.08            |
| BPCE FRN                                  | 800,000                | €        | 02.03.2032    |                           | 709                   | 0.12            |
| BPCE 4%                                   | 3,900,000              | €        | 29.11.2032    |                           | 3,809                 | 0.66            |
| Bureau Veritas 1.875%                     | 1,500,000              | €        | 06.01.2025    |                           | 1,426                 | 0.25            |
| Carmila 1.625%                            | 1,800,000              | €        | 01.04.2029    |                           | 1,285                 | 0.22            |
| Carrefour 4.125%                          | 500,000                | €        | 12.10.2028    |                           | 501                   | 0.09            |

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| Corporate bonds (continued)                |                        |          |               |                           |                       |                 |
| France (continued)                         |                        |          |               |                           |                       |                 |
| Carrefour 4.125%                           | 400,000                | €        | 12.10.2028    |                           | 402                   | 0.07            |
| Carrefour 2.375%                           | 900,000                | €        | 30.10.2029    |                           | 807                   | 0.14            |
| Cie de Saint-Gobain 2.625%                 | 600,000                | €        | 10.08.2032    |                           | 529                   | 0.09            |
| CNP Assurances FRN                         | 1,000,000              | €        | 30.06.2051    |                           | 814                   | 0.14            |
| CNP Assurances FRN                         | 1,100,000              | €        | 12.10.2053    |                           | 783                   | 0.14            |
| Crédit Agricole 1.25%                      | 1,500,000              | €        | 14.04.2026    |                           | 1,393                 | 0.24            |
| Crédit Agricole 1.75%                      | 2,300,000              | €        | 05.03.2029    |                           | 2,003                 | 0.35            |
| Crédit Agricole 1%                         | 1,100,000              | €        | 03.07.2029    |                           | 924                   | 0.16            |
| Crédit Agricole FRN                        | 800,000                | €        | 21.09.2029    |                           | 648                   | 0.11            |
| Crédit Agricole 3.875%                     | 4,900,000              | €        | 28.11.2034    |                           | 4,713                 | 0.81            |
| Crédit Agricole Assurances 1.5%            | 1,600,000              | €        | 06.10.2031    |                           | 1,177                 | 0.20            |
| Crédit Agricole Assurances FRN             | 300,000                | €        | 27.09.2048    |                           | 290                   | 0.05            |
| Crédit Mutuel Arkéa 1.125%                 | 1,600,000              | €        | 23.05.2029    |                           | 1,336                 | 0.23            |
| Crédit Mutuel Arkéa 0.75%                  | 2,000,000              | €        | 18.01.2030    |                           | 1,581                 | 0.27            |
| Crédit Mutuel Arkéa 4.25%                  | 800,000                | €        | 01.12.2032    |                           | 792                   | 0.14            |
| Danone FRN                                 | 600,000                | €        | 31.12.2099    |                           | 505                   | 0.09            |
| Edenred 1.375%                             | 300,000                | €        | 18.06.2029    |                           | 259                   | 0.04            |
| Électricité de France 4.75%                | 2,000,000              | €        | 12.10.2034    |                           | 1,987                 | 0.34            |
| FFP 1.875%                                 | 1,300,000              | €        | 30.10.2026    |                           | 1,069                 | 0.18            |
| Groupe des Assurances du Crédit Mutuel FRN | 600,000                | €        | 21.04.2042    |                           | 433                   | 0.07            |
| ICADE 1%                                   | 900,000                | €        | 19.01.2030    |                           | 665                   | 0.11            |
| ICADE 0.625%                               | 800,000                | €        | 18.01.2031    |                           | 557                   | 0.10            |
| Imerys 1%                                  | 600,000                | €        | 15.07.2031    |                           | 416                   | 0.07            |
| Klepierre 0.625%                           | 400,000                | €        | 01.07.2030    |                           | 293                   | 0.05            |
| La Banque Postale FRN                      | 1,300,000              | €        | 17.06.2026    |                           | 1,187                 | 0.20            |
| La Banque Postale FRN                      | 300,000                | €        | 05.03.2034    |                           | 295                   | 0.05            |
| La Poste 1.375%                            | 1,700,000              | €        | 21.04.2032    |                           | 1,363                 | 0.24            |
| Legrand 1.875%                             | 300,000                | €        | 06.07.2032    |                           | 254                   | 0.04            |
| Mercialys 4.625%                           | 300,000                | €        | 07.07.2027    |                           | 268                   | 0.05            |
| Nerval SAS 2.875%                          | 2,700,000              | €        | 14.04.2032    |                           | 2,173                 | 0.38            |
| Orange 1.625%                              | 1,000,000              | €        | 07.04.2032    |                           | 845                   | 0.15            |

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| Corporate bonds (continued)   |                        |          |               |                           |                       |                 |
| France (continued)            |                        |          |               |                           |                       |                 |
| Orange 8.125%                 | 972,000                | €        | 28.01.2033    |                           | 1,277                 | 0.22            |
| Orange FRN                    | 1,500,000              | €        | 31.12.2099    |                           | 1,230                 | 0.21            |
| Quadient 2.25%                | 600,000                | €        | 03.02.2025    |                           | 554                   | 0.10            |
| RCI Banque 1.125%             | 724,000                | €        | 15.01.2027    |                           | 633                   | 0.11            |
| RCI Banque 4.875%             | 1,320,000              | €        | 21.09.2028    |                           | 1,296                 | 0.22            |
| SCOR FRN                      | 800,000                | €        | 29.10.2049    |                           | 770                   | 0.13            |
| SEB 1.375%                    | 1,100,000              | €        | 16.06.2025    |                           | 1,023                 | 0.18            |
| Société Générale FRN          | 3,000,000              | €        | 17.11.2026    |                           | 2,689                 | 0.46            |
| Société Générale 1.375%       | 2,000,000              | €        | 13.01.2028    |                           | 1,729                 | 0.30            |
| Société Générale 1.25%        | 1,800,000              | €        | 12.06.2030    |                           | 1,431                 | 0.25            |
| Société Générale FRN          | 900,000                | €        | 30.06.2031    |                           | 771                   | 0.13            |
| Sodexo 1%                     | 350,000                | €        | 27.04.2029    |                           | 298                   | 0.05            |
| Sogecap FRN                   | 300,000                | €        | 29.12.2049    |                           | 288                   | 0.05            |
| Suez 5%                       | 1,000,000              | €        | 03.11.2032    |                           | 1,027                 | 0.18            |
| Teleperformance 3.75%         | 900,000                | €        | 24.06.2029    |                           | 855                   | 0.15            |
| Unibail-Rodamco-Westfield 2%  | 800,000                | €        | 29.06.2032    |                           | 630                   | 0.11            |
| Unibail-Rodamco-Westfield 2%  | 200,000                | €        | 29.05.2037    |                           | 147                   | 0.03            |
| Unibail-Rodamco-Westfield FRN | 1,600,000              | €        | 31.12.2099    |                           | 1,221                 | 0.21            |
| Wendel 1%                     | 2,000,000              | €        | 01.06.2031    |                           | 1,489                 | 0.26            |
| Germany                       |                        |          |               |                           | 43,630                | 7.54            |
| Allianz FRN                   | 400,000                | €        | 07.09.2038    |                           | 390                   | 0.07            |
| Allianz FRN                   | 100,000                | €        | 25.09.2049    |                           | 78                    | 0.01            |
| Allianz FRN                   | 1,200,000              | €        | 08.07.2050    |                           | 972                   | 0.17            |
| Allianz FRN                   | 2,500,000              | €        | 05.07.2052    |                           | 2,302                 | 0.40            |
| Alstria Office 1.5%           | 500,000                | €        | 15.11.2027    |                           | 389                   | 0.07            |
| Amprion 3.971%                | 1,800,000              | €        | 22.09.2032    |                           | 1,779                 | 0.31            |
| Bayerische Landesbank FRN     | 2,100,000              | €        | 22.11.2032    |                           | 1,597                 | 0.28            |
| Berlin Hyp 0.5%               | 600,000                | €        | 05.11.2029    |                           | 482                   | 0.08            |
| Clearstream Banking 0%        | 1,300,000              | €        | 01.12.2025    |                           | 1,178                 | 0.20            |
| Commerzbank FRN               | 2,200,000              | €        | 14.09.2027    |                           | 2,051                 | 0.35            |
| Commerzbank FRN               | 500,000                | €        | 21.03.2028    |                           | 490                   | 0.08            |

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| Germany (continued)                                 |                        |          |               |                           |                       |                 |
| Commerzbank FRN                                     | 1,300,000              | €        | 29.12.2031    |                           | 1,053                 | 0.18            |
| Covestro 4.75%                                      | 1,400,000              | €        | 15.11.2028    |                           | 1,406                 | 0.24            |
| Covestro 1.375%                                     | 735,000                | €        | 12.06.2030    |                           | 589                   | 0.10            |
| Deutsche Bank FRN                                   | 1,400,000              | €        | 19.11.2025    |                           | 1,308                 | 0.23            |
| Deutsche Bank FRN                                   | 2,600,000              | €        | 17.02.2027    |                           | 2,270                 | 0.39            |
| Deutsche Bank FRN                                   | 2,400,000              | €        | 05.09.2030    |                           | 2,328                 | 0.40            |
| Deutsche Bank FRN                                   | 1,600,000              | €        | 24.06.2032    |                           | 1,420                 | 0.25            |
| Deutsche Boerse 1.5%                                | 1,000,000              | €        | 04.04.2032    |                           | 837                   | 0.14            |
| Deutsche Pfandbriefbank 0.125%                      | 600,000                | €        | 05.09.2024    |                           | 555                   | 0.10            |
| Deutsche Pfandbriefbank 0.1%                        | 500,000                | €        | 02.02.2026    |                           | 426                   | 0.07            |
| Deutsche Telekom 1.375%                             | 355,000                | €        | 05.07.2034    |                           | 275                   | 0.05            |
| Deutsche Wohnen 0.5%                                | 400,000                | €        | 07.04.2031    |                           | 276                   | 0.05            |
| Eurogrid 3.279%                                     | 300,000                | €        | 05.09.2031    |                           | 288                   | 0.05            |
| Eurogrid 0.741%                                     | 2,300,000              | €        | 21.04.2033    |                           | 1,683                 | 0.29            |
| Fraport Frankfurt Airport Services Worldwide 1.875% | 1,817,000              | €        | 31.03.2028    |                           | 1,569                 | 0.27            |
| Fresenius 5%  | 1,200,000              | €        | 28.11.2029    |                           | 1,170                 | 0.20            |
| Fresenius 2.875%                                    | 3,130,000              | €        | 24.05.2030    |                           | 2,689                 | 0.46            |
| Fresenius Medical Care 1.5%                         | 286,000                | €        | 29.05.2030    |                           | 225                   | 0.04            |
| Hannover Rueck FRN                                  | 1,200,000              | €        | 30.06.2042    |                           | 863                   | 0.15            |
| Hannover Rueck FRN                                  | 700,000                | €        | 26.08.2043    |                           | 717                   | 0.12            |
| HOWOGE Wohnungs-baugesellschaft 0.625%              | 200,000                | €        | 01.11.2028    |                           | 163                   | 0.03            |
| Landesbank Hessen-Thüringen Girozentrale FRN        | 700,000                | €        | 15.09.2032    |                           | 666                   | 0.12            |
| LANXESS 1.75%                                       | 1,400,000              | €        | 22.03.2028    |                           | 1,232                 | 0.21            |
| LANXESS 0.625%                                      | 600,000                | €        | 01.12.2029    |                           | 464                   | 0.08            |
| LEG Immobilien 0.875%                               | 1,600,000              | €        | 28.11.2027    |                           | 1,330                 | 0.23            |
| LEG Immobilien 0.875%                               | 600,000                | €        | 30.03.2033    |                           | 387                   | 0.07            |
| Merck Financial Services 0.5%                       | 600,000                | €        | 16.07.2028    |                           | 513                   | 0.09            |
| Münchener Rüeckversicherungs-Gesellschaft FRN       | 600,000                | €        | 26.05.2042    |                           | 422                   | 0.07            |
| Münchener Rüeckversicherungs-Gesellschaft FRN       | 300,000                | €        | 26.05.2049    |                           | 268                   | 0.05            |
| Santander Consumer Bank 0.25%                       | 900,000                | €        | 15.10.2024    |                           | 844                   | 0.15            |
| Vonovia 0.25%                                       | 1,900,000              | €        | 01.09.2028    |                           | 1,458                 | 0.25            |

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| Investment description   | Holdings/<br>contracts | Currency | Maturity date | Commitment<br>value €'000 | Market value<br>€'000 | % of net<br>assets |
|--|------------------------|----------|---------------|---------------------------|-----------------------|--------------------|
| Corporate bonds (continued)  |                        |          |               |                           |                       |                    |
| Germany (continued)  |                        |          |               |                           |                       |                    |
| Vonovia 0.625%   | 2,000,000              | €        | 14.12.2029    |                           | 1,474                 | 0.26               |
| Vonovia 5%   | 100,000                | €        | 23.11.2030    |                           | 98                    | 0.02               |
| Vonovia 2.375%   | 500,000                | €        | 25.03.2032    |                           | 399                   | 0.07               |
| WPP Finance Deutschland 1.625%   | 300,000                | €        | 23.03.2030    |                           | 257                   | 0.04               |
| Iceland  |                        |          |               |                           | 4,053                 | 0.70               |
| Arion Banki 0.625%   | 3,200,000              | €        | 27.05.2024    |                           | 2,932                 | 0.51               |
| Islandsbanki 0.75%   | 1,300,000              | €        | 25.03.2025    |                           | 1,121                 | 0.19               |
| Ireland  |                        |          |               |                           | 9,456                 | 1.63               |
| AIB Group FRN  | 1,034,000              | €        | 17.11.2027    |                           | 877                   | 0.15               |
| AIB Group FRN  | 260,000                | €        | 04.04.2028    |                           | 232                   | 0.04               |
| Aon 2.875%   | 1,055,000              | €        | 14.05.2026    |                           | 1,008                 | 0.17               |
| Atlas Copco Finance 0.75%  | 520,000                | €        | 08.02.2032    |                           | 401                   | 0.07               |
| Bank of Ireland Group FRN  | 260,000                | €        | 05.06.2026    |                           | 242                   | 0.04               |
| Dell Bank International 4.5%   | 1,771,000              | €        | 18.10.2027    |                           | 1,771                 | 0.31               |
| DXC Capital Funding 0.95%  | 570,000                | €        | 15.09.2031    |                           | 434                   | 0.08               |
| Experian Europe 1.56%  | 300,000                | €        | 16.05.2031    |                           | 248                   | 0.04               |
| Johnson Controls International Via Tyco Fire & Security Finance 0.375% | 300,000                | €        | 15.09.2027    |                           | 257                   | 0.04               |
| Johnson Controls International Via Tyco Fire & Security Finance 3%     | 624,000                | €        | 15.09.2028    |                           | 592                   | 0.10               |
| Linde 1%   | 300,000                | €        | 30.09.2051    |                           | 168                   | 0.03               |
| Lunar Funding V for Swisscom 1.125%                                    | 1,149,000              | €        | 12.10.2026    |                           | 1,052                 | 0.18               |
| Smurfit Kappa Acquisitions 2.75%                                       | 791,000                | €        | 01.02.2025    |                           | 771                   | 0.13               |
| Vodafone International Financing 3.75%                                 | 1,147,000              | €        | 02.12.2034    |                           | 1,087                 | 0.19               |
| Zurich Finance FRN   | 400,000                | €        | 17.09.2050    |                           | 316                   | 0.06               |
| Italy  |                        |          |               |                           | 18,542                | 3.20               |
| Aeroporti di Roma 1.625%   | 1,100,000              | €        | 02.02.2029    |                           | 899                   | 0.16               |
| Assicurazioni Generali 5.8%  | 1,611,000              | €        | 06.07.2032    |                           | 1,718                 | 0.30               |
| ASTM 1.5%  | 1,486,000              | €        | 25.01.2030    |                           | 1,151                 | 0.20               |
| Autostrade per l'Italia 2%   | 400,000                | €        | 04.12.2028    |                           | 330                   | 0.06               |
| Autostrade per l'Italia 1.875%   | 960,000                | €        | 26.09.2029    |                           | 765                   | 0.13               |
| Autostrade per l'Italia 2%   | 1,193,000              | €        | 15.01.2030    |                           | 949                   | 0.16               |

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|---|------------------------|----------|---------------|---------------------------|-----------------------|-----------------|
| Corporate bonds (continued)                 |                        |          |               |                           |                       |                 |
| Italy (continued)                           |                        |          |               |                           |                       |                 |
| Autostrade per l'Italia 2.25%               | 1,000,000              | €        | 25.01.2032    |                           | 767                   | 0.13            |
| Credito Emiliano FRN                        | 1,200,000              | €        | 19.01.2028    |                           | 1,029                 | 0.18            |
| FCA Bank 4.25%                              | 500,000                | €        | 24.03.2024    |                           | 502                   | 0.09            |
| Intesa Sanpaolo 1%                          | 543,000                | €        | 19.11.2026    |                           | 484                   | 0.08            |
| Intesa Sanpaolo 1.75%                       | 1,355,000              | €        | 20.03.2028    |                           | 1,185                 | 0.21            |
| Intesa Sanpaolo 5.25%                       | 1,200,000              | €        | 13.01.2030    |                           | 1,234                 | 0.21            |
| Mediobanca Banca di Credito Finanziario FRN | 1,151,000              | €        | 07.02.2029    |                           | 1,139                 | 0.20            |
| Terna - Rete Elettrica Nazionale 0.375%     | 1,631,000              | €        | 25.09.2030    |                           | 1,240                 | 0.21            |
| UniCredit FRN                               | 2,565,000              | €        | 25.06.2025    |                           | 2,458                 | 0.42            |
| UniCredit 0.325%                            | 855,000                | €        | 19.01.2026    |                           | 761                   | 0.13            |
| UniCredit FRN                               | 1,900,000              | €        | 15.11.2027    |                           | 1,931                 | 0.33            |
| Japan                                       |                        |          |               |                           | 11,054                | 1.91            |
| East Japan Railway 3.245%                   | 980,000                | €        | 08.09.2030    |                           | 945                   | 0.16            |
| East Japan Railway 0.773%                   | 596,000                | €        | 15.09.2034    |                           | 420                   | 0.07            |
| Mitsubishi UFJ Financial Group 3.556%       | 1,743,000              | €        | 15.06.2032    |                           | 1,672                 | 0.29            |
| Mizuho Financial Group 0.184%               | 439,000                | €        | 13.04.2026    |                           | 389                   | 0.07            |
| Mizuho Financial Group 0.402%               | 1,677,000              | €        | 06.09.2029    |                           | 1,305                 | 0.23            |
| Mizuho Financial Group 2.096%               | 1,111,000              | €        | 08.04.2032    |                           | 931                   | 0.16            |
| NTT Finance 0.01%                           | 1,578,000              | €        | 03.03.2025    |                           | 1,465                 | 0.25            |
| Sumitomo Mitsui Financial Group 0.819%      | 1,426,000              | €        | 23.07.2023    |                           | 1,412                 | 0.24            |
| Sumitomo Mitsui Financial Group 0.632%      | 1,000,000              | €        | 23.10.2029    |                           | 795                   | 0.14            |
| Takeda Pharmaceutical 3%                    | 1,600,000              | €        | 21.11.2030    |                           | 1,506                 | 0.26            |
| Takeda Pharmaceutical 2%                    | 300,000                | €        | 09.07.2040    |                           | 214                   | 0.04            |
| Jersey                                      |                        |          |               |                           | 3,377                 | 0.58            |
| Heathrow Funding 1.5%                       | 1,292,000              | €        | 12.10.2027    |                           | 1,203                 | 0.21            |
| Heathrow Funding 1.875%                     | 349,000                | €        | 12.07.2032    |                           | 272                   | 0.05            |
| Heathrow Funding 1.125%                     | 849,000                | €        | 08.10.2032    |                           | 666                   | 0.11            |
| Heathrow Funding 1.875%                     | 620,000                | €        | 14.03.2034    |                           | 450                   | 0.08            |
| Kennedy Wilson Europe Real Estate 3.25%     | 1,000,000              | €        | 12.11.2025    |                           | 786                   | 0.13            |
| Luxembourg                                  |                        |          |               |                           | 24,701                | 4.27            |
| ACEF Holding 0.75%                          | 1,334,000              | €        | 14.06.2028    |                           | 987                   | 0.17            |

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| Corporate bonds (continued)                        |                        |          |               |                           |                       |                 |
| Luxembourg (continued)                             |                        |          |               |                           |                       |                 |
| ACEF Holding 1.25%                                 | 145,000                | €        | 26.04.2030    |                           | 100                   | 0.02            |
| ADLER Group 2.25%                                  | 200,000                | €        | 27.04.2027    |                           | 71                    | 0.01            |
| ADLER Group 2.25%                                  | 200,000                | €        | 14.01.2029    |                           | 68                    | 0.01            |
| Aroundtown 0.375%                                  | 1,800,000              | €        | 15.04.2027    |                           | 1,194                 | 0.21            |
| Aroundtown 1.45%                                   | 800,000                | €        | 09.07.2028    |                           | 501                   | 0.09            |
| Aroundtown FRN                                     | 600,000                | €        | 31.12.2099    |                           | 224                   | 0.04            |
| Aroundtown FRN                                     | 200,000                | €        | 31.12.2099    |                           | 82                    | 0.01            |
| Becton Dickinson Euro Finance 1.213%               | 450,000                | €        | 12.02.2036    |                           | 317                   | 0.05            |
| Blackstone Property Partners Europe Holdings 1%    | 1,581,000              | €        | 04.05.2028    |                           | 1,157                 | 0.20            |
| Blackstone Property Partners Europe Holdings 1.75% | 520,000                | €        | 12.03.2029    |                           | 381                   | 0.07            |
| CBRE Global Investors Open-Ended Funds 0.5%        | 1,347,000              | €        | 27.01.2028    |                           | 1,044                 | 0.18            |
| CBRE Global Investors Open-Ended Funds 0.9%        | 830,000                | €        | 12.10.2029    |                           | 606                   | 0.10            |
| CNH Industrial Finance Europe 1.625%               | 300,000                | €        | 03.07.2029    |                           | 257                   | 0.04            |
| CPI Property Group 1.625%                          | 1,974,000              | €        | 23.04.2027    |                           | 1,410                 | 0.24            |
| CPI Property Group 1.5%                            | 200,000                | €        | 27.01.2031    |                           | 116                   | 0.02            |
| CPI Property Group FRN                             | 1,173,000              | €        | 31.12.2099    |                           | 598                   | 0.10            |
| DH Europe Finance II 0.2%                          | 1,978,000              | €        | 18.03.2026    |                           | 1,786                 | 0.31            |
| Euroclear Investments 1.125%                       | 900,000                | €        | 07.12.2026    |                           | 827                   | 0.14            |
| Eurofins Scientific 4%                             | 1,278,000              | €        | 06.07.2029    |                           | 1,258                 | 0.22            |
| GELF Bond Issuer I 1.125%                          | 800,000                | €        | 18.07.2029    |                           | 608                   | 0.10            |
| Grand City Properties 0.125%                       | 400,000                | €        | 11.01.2028    |                           | 269                   | 0.05            |
| Grand City Properties FRN                          | 1,000,000              | €        | 31.12.2099    |                           | 419                   | 0.07            |
| Grand City Properties FRN                          | 500,000                | €        | 31.12.2099    |                           | 227                   | 0.04            |
| Helvetia Europe FRN                                | 397,000                | €        | 30.09.2041    |                           | 309                   | 0.05            |
| Holcim Finance Luxembourg 0.625%                   | 510,000                | €        | 06.04.2030    |                           | 397                   | 0.07            |
| Medtronic Global Holdings 3.375%                   | 1,480,000              | €        | 15.10.2034    |                           | 1,394                 | 0.24            |
| Medtronic Global Holdings 1.625%                   | 1,115,000              | €        | 15.10.2050    |                           | 669                   | 0.12            |
| Mohawk Capital Finance 1.75%                       | 1,700,000              | €        | 12.06.2027    |                           | 1,538                 | 0.27            |
| Nestle Finance International 1.25%                 | 647,000                | €        | 29.03.2031    |                           | 548                   | 0.09            |
| Nestle Finance International 1.5%                  | 942,000                | €        | 29.03.2035    |                           | 759                   | 0.13            |
| Nestle Finance International 0.875%                | 257,000                | €        | 14.06.2041    |                           | 168                   | 0.03            |

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| Corporate bonds (continued)                  |                        |          |               |                           |                       |                    |
| Luxembourg (continued)                       |                        |          |               |                           |                       |                    |
| P3 Group 1.625%                              | 1,340,000              | €        | 26.01.2029    |                           | 988                   | 0.17               |
| Prologis International Funding II 3.625%     | 230,000                | €        | 07.03.2030    |                           | 218                   | 0.04               |
| Prologis International Funding II 3.125%     | 897,000                | €        | 01.06.2031    |                           | 799                   | 0.14               |
| Richemont International Holding 1.625%       | 520,000                | €        | 26.05.2040    |                           | 377                   | 0.07               |
| Segro Capital 1.875%                         | 520,000                | €        | 23.03.2030    |                           | 444                   | 0.08               |
| SELP Finance 3.75%                           | 608,000                | €        | 10.08.2027    |                           | 567                   | 0.10               |
| SES 3.5%                                     | 744,000                | €        | 14.01.2029    |                           | 679                   | 0.12               |
| TLG Finance FRN                              | 700,000                | €        | 31.12.2099    |                           | 340                   | 0.06               |
| Netherlands (The)                            |                        |          |               |                           | 69,200                | 11.96              |
| ABN AMRO Bank 0.6%                           | 3,000,000              | €        | 15.01.2027    |                           | 2,647                 | 0.46               |
| ABN AMRO Bank 4.25%                          | 100,000                | €        | 21.02.2030    |                           | 99                    | 0.02               |
| ABN AMRO Bank 3%                             | 900,000                | €        | 01.06.2032    |                           | 818                   | 0.14               |
| ABN AMRO Bank FRN                            | 600,000                | €        | 22.02.2033    |                           | 595                   | 0.10               |
| ABN AMRO Bank 4.5%                           | 2,100,000              | €        | 21.11.2034    |                           | 2,080                 | 0.36               |
| Adecco International Financial Services 0.5% | 300,000                | €        | 21.09.2031    |                           | 229                   | 0.04               |
| Adecco International Financial Services FRN  | 600,000                | €        | 21.03.2082    |                           | 461                   | 0.08               |
| Aegon Bank 0.625%                            | 2,098,000              | €        | 21.06.2024    |                           | 2,003                 | 0.35               |
| Akelius Residential Property Financing 0.75% | 3,185,000              | €        | 22.02.2030    |                           | 2,296                 | 0.40               |
| Akzo Nobel 1.625%                            | 594,000                | €        | 14.04.2030    |                           | 511                   | 0.09               |
| Akzo Nobel 2%                                | 300,000                | €        | 28.03.2032    |                           | 255                   | 0.04               |
| Alcon Finance 2.375%                         | 789,000                | €        | 31.05.2028    |                           | 724                   | 0.13               |
| American Medical Systems Europe 1.625%       | 520,000                | €        | 08.03.2031    |                           | 439                   | 0.08               |
| American Medical Systems Europe 1.875%       | 539,000                | €        | 08.03.2034    |                           | 434                   | 0.07               |
| Argentum Netherlands BV for Swiss Life FRN   | 300,000                | €        | 29.12.2049    |                           | 292                   | 0.05               |
| ASR Nederland FRN                            | 1,650,000              | €        | 07.12.2043    |                           | 1,657                 | 0.29               |
| Bunge Finance Europe 1.85%                   | 1,314,000              | €        | 16.06.2023    |                           | 1,307                 | 0.23               |
| Coca-Cola HBC Finance 0.625%                 | 769,000                | €        | 21.11.2029    |                           | 624                   | 0.11               |
| Compass Group Finance Netherlands 3%         | 420,000                | €        | 08.03.2030    |                           | 399                   | 0.07               |
| Cooperatieve Rabobank 1.25%                  | 1,574,000              | €        | 23.03.2026    |                           | 1,480                 | 0.26               |
| Cooperatieve Rabobank 1.375%                 | 500,000                | €        | 03.02.2027    |                           | 463                   | 0.08               |
| Cooperatieve Rabobank FRN                    | 2,800,000              | €        | 05.05.2028    |                           | 2,434                 | 0.42               |

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| Corporate bonds (continued)                 |                        |          |               |                           |                       |                 |
| Netherlands (The) (continued)               |                        |          |               |                           |                       |                 |
| CRH Funding 1.625%                          | 855,000                | €        | 05.05.2030    |                           | 731                   | 0.13            |
| CTP 1.5%                                    | 800,000                | €        | 27.09.2031    |                           | 481                   | 0.08            |
| Daimler Truck International Finance 1.625%  | 2,200,000              | €        | 06.04.2027    |                           | 1,996                 | 0.34            |
| Deutsche Telekom International Finance 7.5% | 1,360,000              | €        | 24.01.2033    |                           | 1,736                 | 0.30            |
| Digital Intrepid Holding 1.375%             | 1,230,000              | €        | 18.07.2032    |                           | 880                   | 0.15            |
| DSV Finance 1.375%                          | 604,000                | €        | 16.03.2030    |                           | 506                   | 0.09            |
| DSV Finance 0.875%                          | 962,000                | €        | 17.09.2036    |                           | 617                   | 0.11            |
| easyJet 1.875%                              | 752,000                | €        | 03.03.2028    |                           | 608                   | 0.10            |
| Euronext 1.125%                             | 300,000                | €        | 12.06.2029    |                           | 250                   | 0.04            |
| EXOR 0.875%                                 | 939,000                | €        | 19.01.2031    |                           | 706                   | 0.12            |
| Fiat Chrysler Automobiles 3.875%            | 1,034,000              | €        | 05.01.2026    |                           | 1,029                 | 0.18            |
| Heimstaden Bostad Treasury 0.75%            | 700,000                | €        | 06.09.2029    |                           | 471                   | 0.08            |
| Iberdrola International FRN                 | 2,000,000              | €        | 31.12.2099    |                           | 1,531                 | 0.26            |
| ING Groep 1%                                | 1,200,000              | €        | 20.09.2023    |                           | 1,183                 | 0.20            |
| ING Groep 2.125%                            | 400,000                | €        | 10.01.2026    |                           | 381                   | 0.07            |
| ING Groep 1.375%                            | 1,300,000              | €        | 11.01.2028    |                           | 1,143                 | 0.20            |
| ING Groep FRN                               | 300,000                | €        | 18.02.2029    |                           | 242                   | 0.04            |
| ING Groep FRN                               | 1,600,000              | €        | 01.02.2030    |                           | 1,245                 | 0.22            |
| ING Groep FRN                               | 500,000                | €        | 16.02.2031    |                           | 417                   | 0.07            |
| ING Groep FRN                               | 1,100,000              | €        | 26.05.2031    |                           | 999                   | 0.17            |
| ING Groep FRN                               | 700,000                | €        | 16.11.2032    |                           | 578                   | 0.10            |
| ING Groep FRN                               | 700,000                | €        | 24.08.2033    |                           | 660                   | 0.11            |
| ING Groep FRN                               | 1,900,000              | €        | 14.11.2033    |                           | 1,991                 | 0.34            |
| Koninklijke Ahold Delhaize 1.75%            | 300,000                | €        | 02.04.2027    |                           | 279                   | 0.05            |
| Koninklijke KPN 0.875%                      | 600,000                | €        | 15.11.2033    |                           | 429                   | 0.07            |
| LeasePlan 1.375%                            | 422,000                | €        | 07.03.2024    |                           | 410                   | 0.07            |
| LeasePlan 0.25%                             | 2,604,000              | €        | 07.09.2026    |                           | 2,234                 | 0.39            |
| Nationale-Nederlanden Bank 0.375%           | 900,000                | €        | 31.05.2023    |                           | 892                   | 0.15            |
| NE Property 2%                              | 2,283,000              | €        | 20.01.2030    |                           | 1,585                 | 0.27            |
| NN Group FRN                                | 796,000                | €        | 01.03.2043    |                           | 741                   | 0.13            |
| NN Group FRN                                | 550,000                | €        | 13.01.2048    |                           | 531                   | 0.09            |

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| Corporate bonds (continued)              |                        |          |               |                           |                       |                 |
| Netherlands (The) (continued)            |                        |          |               |                           |                       |                 |
| PACCAR Financial Europe 0%               | 779,000                | €        | 01.03.2026    |                           | 692                   | 0.12            |
| Prosus 2.085%                            | 400,000                | €        | 19.01.2030    |                           | 313                   | 0.05            |
| Prosus 2.031%                            | 1,382,000              | €        | 03.08.2032    |                           | 983                   | 0.17            |
| Rentokil Initial Finance 4.375%          | 1,625,000              | €        | 27.06.2030    |                           | 1,652                 | 0.29            |
| Sagax 0.75%                              | 646,000                | €        | 26.01.2028    |                           | 487                   | 0.08            |
| Sagax 1%                                 | 1,111,000              | €        | 17.05.2029    |                           | 782                   | 0.14            |
| Siemens Financieringsmaatschappij 0.375% | 300,000                | €        | 05.06.2026    |                           | 272                   | 0.05            |
| Siemens Financieringsmaatschappij 3%     | 500,000                | €        | 08.09.2033    |                           | 475                   | 0.08            |
| Siemens Financieringsmaatschappij 1.25%  | 700,000                | €        | 25.02.2035    |                           | 540                   | 0.09            |
| Siemens Financieringsmaatschappij 1.75%  | 183,000                | €        | 28.02.2039    |                           | 146                   | 0.03            |
| Stellantis 1.25%                         | 1,885,000              | €        | 20.06.2033    |                           | 1,328                 | 0.23            |
| Telefonica Europe 5.875%                 | 1,329,000              | €        | 14.02.2033    |                           | 1,486                 | 0.26            |
| TenneT Holding 4.75%                     | 980,000                | €        | 28.10.2042    |                           | 1,041                 | 0.18            |
| Thermo Fisher Scientific Finance I 0%    | 700,000                | €        | 18.11.2025    |                           | 635                   | 0.11            |
| Triodos Bank FRN                         | 1,800,000              | €        | 05.02.2032    |                           | 1,353                 | 0.23            |
| Upjohn Finance 1.362%                    | 1,701,000              | €        | 23.06.2027    |                           | 1,485                 | 0.26            |
| Viterra Finance 1%                       | 1,925,000              | €        | 24.09.2028    |                           | 1,548                 | 0.27            |
| Volkswagen International Finance FRN     | 600,000                | €        | 31.12.2099    |                           | 492                   | 0.08            |
| Vonovia Finance 2.25%                    | 1,600,000              | €        | 07.04.2030    |                           | 1,320                 | 0.23            |
| Vonovia Finance 1.625%                   | 1,000,000              | €        | 07.10.2039    |                           | 597                   | 0.10            |
| Wabtec Transportation 1.25%              | 1,575,000              | €        | 03.12.2027    |                           | 1,339                 | 0.23            |
| WPC Eurobond 2.125%                      | 320,000                | €        | 15.04.2027    |                           | 287                   | 0.05            |
| WPC Eurobond 0.95%                       | 300,000                | €        | 01.06.2030    |                           | 218                   | 0.04            |
| New Zealand                              |                        |          |               |                           | 4,245                 | 0.73            |
| Chorus 0.875%                            | 1,408,000              | €        | 05.12.2026    |                           | 1,254                 | 0.22            |
| Chorus 3.625%                            | 680,000                | €        | 07.09.2029    |                           | 660                   | 0.11            |
| Westpac Securities 0.427%                | 628,000                | €        | 14.12.2026    |                           | 546                   | 0.09            |
| Westpac Securities 0.1%                  | 2,147,000              | €        | 13.07.2027    |                           | 1,785                 | 0.31            |
| Norway                                   |                        |          |               |                           | 3,287                 | 0.57            |
| Avinor 1.25%                             | 1,895,000              | €        | 09.02.2027    |                           | 1,714                 | 0.30            |
| DNB Bank FRN                             | 520,000                | €        | 23.02.2029    |                           | 429                   | 0.07            |

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| Corporate bonds (continued)            |                        |          |               |                        |                       |                 |
| Norway (continued)                     |                        |          |               |                        |                       |                 |
| Santander Consumer Bank 0.125%         | 1,300,000              | €        | 14.04.2026    |                        | 1,144                 | 0.20            |
| Spain                                  |                        |          |               |                        | 16,647                | 2.88            |
| Abertis Infraestructuras 1.125%        | 1,700,000              | €        | 26.03.2028    |                        | 1,422                 | 0.25            |
| Abertis Infraestructuras 2.25%         | 300,000                | €        | 29.03.2029    |                        | 259                   | 0.04            |
| Banco Bilbao Vizcaya Argentaria 0.375% | 1,600,000              | €        | 15.11.2026    |                        | 1,405                 | 0.24            |
| Banco Bilbao Vizcaya Argentaria FRN    | 1,400,000              | €        | 24.03.2027    |                        | 1,239                 | 0.21            |
| Banco Bilbao Vizcaya Argentaria FRN    | 1,100,000              | €        | 14.01.2029    |                        | 922                   | 0.16            |
| Banco Bilbao Vizcaya Argentaria 4.375% | 900,000                | €        | 14.10.2029    |                        | 914                   | 0.16            |
| Banco Santander 1.625%                 | 300,000                | €        | 22.10.2030    |                        | 238                   | 0.04            |
| Banco Santander 1%                     | 600,000                | €        | 04.11.2031    |                        | 463                   | 0.08            |
| Bankinter FRN                          | 200,000                | €        | 23.12.2032    |                        | 160                   | 0.03            |
| CaixaBank 1.375%                       | 1,200,000              | €        | 19.06.2026    |                        | 1,089                 | 0.19            |
| CaixaBank FRN                          | 3,100,000              | €        | 21.01.2028    |                        | 2,697                 | 0.47            |
| CaixaBank FRN                          | 1,000,000              | €        | 26.05.2028    |                        | 842                   | 0.15            |
| CaixaBank FRN                          | 500,000                | €        | 14.11.2030    |                        | 511                   | 0.09            |
| CaixaBank FRN                          | 1,100,000              | €        | 23.02.2033    |                        | 1,103                 | 0.19            |
| Ferrovial Emisiones 0.54%              | 200,000                | €        | 12.11.2028    |                        | 158                   | 0.03            |
| Inmobiliaria Colonial Socimi 0.75%     | 300,000                | €        | 22.06.2029    |                        | 232                   | 0.04            |
| Mapfre 2.875%                          | 300,000                | €        | 13.04.2030    |                        | 248                   | 0.04            |
| Merlin Properties Socimi 1.375%        | 1,200,000              | €        | 01.06.2030    |                        | 929                   | 0.16            |
| Santander Consumer Finance 0.375%      | 1,900,000              | €        | 27.06.2024    |                        | 1,816                 | 0.31            |
| Sweden                                 |                        |          |               |                        | 9,527                 | 1.65            |
| Castellum FRN                          | 1,348,000              | €        | 31.12.2099    |                        | 859                   | 0.15            |
| Essity 0.25%                           | 300,000                | €        | 08.02.2031    |                        | 220                   | 0.04            |
| Fastighets Balder 1.125%               | 1,385,000              | €        | 29.01.2027    |                        | 1,031                 | 0.18            |
| Fastighets Balder 1.25%                | 466,000                | €        | 28.01.2028    |                        | 325                   | 0.06            |
| Heimstaden Bostad FRN                  | 1,000,000              | €        | 31.12.2099    |                        | 575                   | 0.10            |
| Investor AB 1.5%                       | 1,104,000              | €        | 12.09.2030    |                        | 950                   | 0.16            |
| Samhällsbyggnadsbolaget i Norden FRN   | 1,544,000              | €        | 31.12.2099    |                        | 610                   | 0.10            |
| Sandvik 0.375%                         | 402,000                | €        | 25.11.2028    |                        | 323                   | 0.06            |
| Sandvik 3.75%                          | 870,000                | €        | 27.09.2029    |                        | 848                   | 0.15            |

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| Investment description                                      | Holdings/<br>contracts | Currency | Maturity date | Commitment<br>value €'000 | Market value<br>€'000 | % of net assets |
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| Corporate bonds (continued)                                 |                        |          |               |                           |                       |                 |
| Sweden (continued)  |                        |          |               |                           |                       |                 |
| Svenska Handelsbanken FRN                                   | 550,000                | €        | 01.06.2033    |                           | 508                   | 0.09            |
| Swedbank 0.75%  | 1,839,000              | €        | 05.05.2025    |                           | 1,720                 | 0.30            |
| Swedbank 0.25%  | 1,147,000              | €        | 02.11.2026    |                           | 1,007                 | 0.17            |
| Telefonaktiebolaget LM Ericsson 1%                          | 727,000                | €        | 26.05.2029    |                           | 551                   | 0.09            |
| Switzerland   |                        |          |               |                           | 13,108                | 2.27            |
| Credit Suisse Group FRN                                     | 2,102,000              | €        | 02.04.2026    |                           | 1,891                 | 0.33            |
| Credit Suisse Group FRN                                     | 850,000                | €        | 01.03.2029    |                           | 847                   | 0.15            |
| Credit Suisse Group FRN                                     | 6,005,000              | €        | 02.04.2032    |                           | 4,357                 | 0.75            |
| Credit Suisse Group 0.625%                                  | 2,126,000              | €        | 18.01.2033    |                           | 1,185                 | 0.20            |
| UBS 0.01%   | 2,595,000              | €        | 31.03.2026    |                           | 2,298                 | 0.40            |
| UBS 0.5%  | 668,000                | €        | 31.03.2031    |                           | 509                   | 0.09            |
| UBS Group FRN   | 2,170,000              | €        | 15.06.2030    |                           | 2,021                 | 0.35            |
| United Kingdom  |                        |          |               |                           | 35,482                | 6.13            |
| Anglo American Capital 4.75%                                | 450,000                | €        | 21.09.2032    |                           | 444                   | 0.08            |
| Barclays FRN  | 1,141,000              | €        | 24.01.2026    |                           | 1,069                 | 0.18            |
| Barclays FRN  | 1,079,000              | €        | 28.01.2028    |                           | 924                   | 0.16            |
| Barclays FRN  | 600,000                | €        | 22.03.2031    |                           | 511                   | 0.09            |
| Barclays FRN  | 2,974,000              | €        | 29.01.2034    |                           | 2,951                 | 0.51            |
| Coca-Cola Europacific Partners 1.5%                         | 455,000                | €        | 08.11.2027    |                           | 414                   | 0.07            |
| Coca-Cola Europacific Partners 1.875%                       | 1,656,000              | €        | 18.03.2030    |                           | 1,453                 | 0.25            |
| GlaxoSmithKline Capital 1.75%                               | 300,000                | €        | 21.05.2030    |                           | 267                   | 0.05            |
| HSBC Holdings FRN   | 2,600,000              | €        | 16.11.2032    |                           | 2,651                 | 0.46            |
| Lloyds Bank Corporate Markets 0.375%                        | 1,157,000              | €        | 28.01.2025    |                           | 1,078                 | 0.19            |
| Lloyds Banking Group FRN                                    | 571,000                | €        | 01.04.2026    |                           | 562                   | 0.10            |
| Lloyds Banking Group FRN                                    | 1,255,000              | €        | 24.08.2030    |                           | 1,152                 | 0.20            |
| London Stock Exchange Group 1.75%                           | 598,000                | €        | 19.09.2029    |                           | 529                   | 0.09            |
| National Grid Electricity Distribution East Midlands 3.949% | 2,615,000              | €        | 20.09.2032    |                           | 2,578                 | 0.44            |
| Nationwide Building Society 0.25%                           | 2,000,000              | €        | 14.09.2028    |                           | 1,609                 | 0.28            |
| Nationwide Building Society 3.25%                           | 1,080,000              | €        | 05.09.2029    |                           | 1,018                 | 0.17            |
| NatWest Group FRN   | 1,190,000              | €        | 04.03.2025    |                           | 1,161                 | 0.20            |
| NatWest Group FRN   | 1,620,000              | €        | 14.09.2032    |                           | 1,300                 | 0.22            |

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|---------------------------------------|------------------------|----------|---------------|---------------------------|-----------------------|-----------------|
| Corporate bonds (continued)           |                        |          |               |                           |                       |                 |
| United Kingdom (continued)            |                        |          |               |                           |                       |                 |
| NatWest Markets 0.125%                | 500,000                | €        | 18.06.2026    |                           | 437                   | 0.07            |
| Omnicom Finance Holdings 0.8%         | 900,000                | €        | 08.07.2027    |                           | 790                   | 0.14            |
| Royal Bank of Scotland Group FRN      | 1,587,000              | €        | 02.03.2026    |                           | 1,495                 | 0.26            |
| Santander UK Group Holdings FRN       | 1,464,000              | €        | 25.08.2028    |                           | 1,371                 | 0.24            |
| Sky 2.25%                             | 884,000                | €        | 17.11.2025    |                           | 851                   | 0.15            |
| Smith & Nephew 4.565%                 | 1,150,000              | €        | 11.10.2029    |                           | 1,152                 | 0.20            |
| Standard Chartered FRN                | 1,098,000              | €        | 27.01.2028    |                           | 939                   | 0.16            |
| Swiss Re Finance FRN                  | 500,000                | €        | 04.06.2052    |                           | 391                   | 0.07            |
| Thames Water Utilities Finance 0.875% | 349,000                | €        | 31.01.2028    |                           | 298                   | 0.05            |
| Thames Water Utilities Finance 1.25%  | 1,726,000              | €        | 31.01.2032    |                           | 1,349                 | 0.23            |
| Tritax EuroBox 0.95%                  | 1,043,000              | €        | 02.06.2026    |                           | 852                   | 0.15            |
| Virgin Money FRN                      | 300,000                | €        | 27.05.2024    |                           | 294                   | 0.05            |
| Vodafone Group 2.5%                   | 400,000                | €        | 24.05.2039    |                           | 305                   | 0.05            |
| Vodafone Group FRN                    | 1,625,000              | €        | 27.08.2080    |                           | 1,301                 | 0.22            |
| Wellcome Trust 1.125%                 | 800,000                | €        | 21.01.2027    |                           | 736                   | 0.13            |
| Yorkshire Building Society 0.5%       | 1,541,000              | €        | 01.07.2028    |                           | 1,250                 | 0.22            |
| United States                         |                        |          |               |                           | 95,132                | 16.44           |
| AbbVie 2.625%                         | 321,000                | €        | 15.11.2028    |                           | 306                   | 0.05            |
| Air Products and Chemicals 0.8%       | 943,000                | €        | 05.05.2032    |                           | 730                   | 0.13            |
| American Honda Finance 0.3%           | 912,000                | €        | 07.07.2028    |                           | 756                   | 0.13            |
| American International Group 1.875%   | 748,000                | €        | 21.06.2027    |                           | 676                   | 0.12            |
| American Tower 0.45%                  | 1,081,000              | €        | 15.01.2027    |                           | 928                   | 0.16            |
| Apple 0%                              | 1,113,000              | €        | 15.11.2025    |                           | 1,025                 | 0.18            |
| Apple 1.625%                          | 2,415,000              | €        | 10.11.2026    |                           | 2,297                 | 0.40            |
| AT&T 3.15%                            | 1,000,000              | €        | 04.09.2036    |                           | 867                   | 0.15            |
| Bank of America FRN                   | 1,948,000              | €        | 25.04.2028    |                           | 1,748                 | 0.30            |
| Bank of America FRN                   | 2,247,000              | €        | 31.03.2029    |                           | 2,173                 | 0.38            |
| Bank of America FRN                   | 2,012,000              | €        | 26.10.2031    |                           | 1,520                 | 0.26            |
| Blackstone Holdings Finance 1.5%      | 300,000                | €        | 10.04.2029    |                           | 249                   | 0.04            |
| Booking Holdings 2.375%               | 301,000                | €        | 23.09.2024    |                           | 295                   | 0.05            |
| Booking Holdings 0.1%                 | 1,044,000              | €        | 08.03.2025    |                           | 967                   | 0.17            |

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| Corporate bonds (continued)                  |                        |          |               |                           |                       |                 |
| United States (continued)                    |                        |          |               |                           |                       |                 |
| Booking Holdings 4.75%                       | 975,000                | €        | 15.11.2034    |                           | 994                   | 0.17            |
| BorgWarner 1%                                | 1,665,000              | €        | 19.05.2031    |                           | 1,241                 | 0.22            |
| Celanese US Holdings 0.625%                  | 712,000                | €        | 10.09.2028    |                           | 520                   | 0.09            |
| Celanese US Holdings 5.337%                  | 1,100,000              | €        | 19.01.2029    |                           | 1,044                 | 0.18            |
| Chubb INA Holdings 0.875%                    | 513,000                | €        | 15.06.2027    |                           | 450                   | 0.08            |
| Chubb INA Holdings 1.55%                     | 1,847,000              | €        | 15.03.2028    |                           | 1,635                 | 0.28            |
| Citigroup FRN                                | 4,096,000              | €        | 06.07.2026    |                           | 3,822                 | 0.66            |
| Citigroup FRN                                | 1,505,000              | €        | 22.09.2033    |                           | 1,455                 | 0.25            |
| Coca-Cola 0.95%                              | 1,994,000              | €        | 06.05.2036    |                           | 1,429                 | 0.25            |
| Comcast 0.75%                                | 2,705,000              | €        | 20.02.2032    |                           | 2,063                 | 0.36            |
| Digital Euro Finco 2.5%                      | 1,574,000              | €        | 16.01.2026    |                           | 1,461                 | 0.25            |
| DXC Technology 1.75%                         | 1,625,000              | €        | 15.01.2026    |                           | 1,504                 | 0.26            |
| FedEx 0.45%                                  | 1,200,000              | €        | 04.05.2029    |                           | 954                   | 0.17            |
| Fidelity National Information Services 0.75% | 1,414,000              | €        | 21.05.2023    |                           | 1,404                 | 0.24            |
| Fidelity National Information Services 1%    | 1,371,000              | €        | 03.12.2028    |                           | 1,142                 | 0.20            |
| General Mills 0.125%                         | 720,000                | €        | 15.11.2025    |                           | 654                   | 0.11            |
| General Mills 1.5%                           | 175,000                | €        | 27.04.2027    |                           | 159                   | 0.03            |
| General Motors Financial 0.65%               | 1,600,000              | €        | 07.09.2028    |                           | 1,264                 | 0.22            |
| Goldman Sachs Group 0.25%                    | 2,309,000              | €        | 26.01.2028    |                           | 1,896                 | 0.33            |
| Goldman Sachs Group 2%                       | 1,309,000              | €        | 22.03.2028    |                           | 1,176                 | 0.20            |
| Goldman Sachs Group 0.875%                   | 700,000                | €        | 09.05.2029    |                           | 563                   | 0.10            |
| Goldman Sachs Group 4%                       | 2,000,000              | €        | 21.09.2029    |                           | 1,945                 | 0.34            |
| Goldman Sachs Group 1%                       | 730,000                | €        | 18.03.2033    |                           | 527                   | 0.09            |
| Harley Davidson Financial Services 3.875%    | 1,396,000              | €        | 19.05.2023    |                           | 1,400                 | 0.24            |
| Illinois Tool Works 3%                       | 261,000                | €        | 19.05.2034    |                           | 241                   | 0.04            |
| International Business Machines 0.95%        | 1,373,000              | €        | 23.05.2025    |                           | 1,296                 | 0.22            |
| International Business Machines 1.5%         | 1,137,000              | €        | 23.05.2029    |                           | 996                   | 0.17            |
| International Business Machines 0.65%        | 1,523,000              | €        | 11.02.2032    |                           | 1,150                 | 0.20            |
| Johnson & Johnson 1.15%                      | 884,000                | €        | 20.11.2028    |                           | 792                   | 0.14            |
| Johnson & Johnson 1.65%                      | 300,000                | €        | 20.05.2035    |                           | 251                   | 0.04            |
| JPMorgan Chase FRN                           | 6,600,000              | €        | 24.02.2028    |                           | 5,659                 | 0.98            |

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| Corporate bonds (continued)               |                        |          |               |                           |                       |                 |
| United States (continued)                 |                        |          |               |                           |                       |                 |
| ManpowerGroup 3.5%                        | 958,000                | €        | 30.06.2027    |                           | 943                   | 0.16            |
| Mastercard 1%                             | 951,000                | €        | 22.02.2029    |                           | 826                   | 0.14            |
| McDonald's 0.25%                          | 2,192,000              | €        | 04.10.2028    |                           | 1,817                 | 0.31            |
| McDonald's 2.375%                         | 300,000                | €        | 31.05.2029    |                           | 277                   | 0.05            |
| Merck & Co 1.875%                         | 1,167,000              | €        | 15.10.2026    |                           | 1,114                 | 0.19            |
| Merck & Co 1.375%                         | 300,000                | €        | 02.11.2036    |                           | 233                   | 0.04            |
| Metropolitan Life Global Funding I 0.375% | 339,000                | €        | 09.04.2024    |                           | 327                   | 0.06            |
| Metropolitan Life Global Funding I 0.5%   | 2,679,000              | €        | 25.05.2029    |                           | 2,192                 | 0.38            |
| Metropolitan Life Global Funding I 3.75%  | 500,000                | €        | 05.12.2030    |                           | 493                   | 0.09            |
| MMS USA Holdings 1.75%                    | 300,000                | €        | 13.06.2031    |                           | 250                   | 0.04            |
| Morgan Stanley FRN                        | 798,000                | €        | 29.10.2027    |                           | 690                   | 0.12            |
| Morgan Stanley FRN                        | 2,162,000              | €        | 07.02.2031    |                           | 1,645                 | 0.28            |
| Morgan Stanley FRN                        | 4,097,000              | €        | 25.01.2034    |                           | 4,265                 | 0.74            |
| Mylan 2.25%                               | 300,000                | €        | 22.11.2024    |                           | 290                   | 0.05            |
| Mylan 3.125%                              | 820,000                | €        | 22.11.2028    |                           | 753                   | 0.13            |
| Nasdaq 0.875%                             | 329,000                | €        | 13.02.2030    |                           | 264                   | 0.05            |
| New York Life Global Funding 0.25%        | 3,050,000              | €        | 23.01.2027    |                           | 2,669                 | 0.46            |
| PepsiCo 0.4%                              | 878,000                | €        | 09.10.2032    |                           | 658                   | 0.11            |
| PepsiCo 0.875%                            | 700,000                | €        | 16.10.2039    |                           | 463                   | 0.08            |
| PPG Industries 2.75%                      | 1,703,000              | €        | 01.06.2029    |                           | 1,587                 | 0.27            |
| Procter & Gamble 0.9%                     | 300,000                | €        | 04.11.2041    |                           | 196                   | 0.03            |
| Prologis Euro Finance 0.375%              | 364,000                | €        | 06.02.2028    |                           | 303                   | 0.05            |
| Prologis Euro Finance 1.875%              | 1,000,000              | €        | 05.01.2029    |                           | 880                   | 0.15            |
| PVH 3.625%                                | 1,168,000              | €        | 15.07.2024    |                           | 1,165                 | 0.20            |
| Stryker 2.625%                            | 700,000                | €        | 30.11.2030    |                           | 638                   | 0.11            |
| US Bancorp 0.85%                          | 1,132,000              | €        | 07.06.2024    |                           | 1,095                 | 0.19            |
| Verizon Communications 0.75%              | 1,068,000              | €        | 22.03.2032    |                           | 799                   | 0.14            |
| Verizon Communications 4.75%              | 2,400,000              | €        | 31.10.2034    |                           | 2,483                 | 0.43            |
| Verizon Communications 2.875%             | 628,000                | €        | 15.01.2038    |                           | 530                   | 0.09            |
| Visa 2%                                   | 1,320,000              | €        | 15.06.2029    |                           | 1,211                 | 0.21            |
| Wells Fargo FRN                           | 2,698,000              | €        | 04.05.2025    |                           | 2,605                 | 0.45            |

## **Statement of investments**

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|-------------|-----------------|-------------|
| Statement o | f investments ( | (continuea) |

| Investment description                      | Holdings/<br>contracts | Currency | Maturity date | Commitment<br>value €'000 | Market value<br>€'000 | % of net<br>assets |
|---|------------------------|----------|---------------|---------------------------|-----------------------|--------------------|
| Corporate bonds (continued)                 |                        |          |               |                           |                       |                    |
| United States (continued)                   |                        |          |               |                           |                       |                    |
| Wells Fargo 1%                              | 2,153,000              | €        | 02.02.2027    |                           | 1,892                 | 0.33               |
| Wells Fargo FRN                             | 2,332,000              | €        | 04.05.2030    |                           | 1,980                 | 0.34               |
| Westlake Chemical 1.625%                    | 2,435,000              | €        | 17.07.2029    |                           | 1,975                 | 0.34               |
| Government bonds                            |                        |          |               |                           | 61,699                | 10.66              |
| Germany                                     |                        |          |               |                           | 61,699                | 10.66              |
| Germany (Federal Republic of) 0.5%          | 37,300,000             | €        | 15.02.2025    |                           | 35,751                | 6.18               |
| Germany (Federal Republic of) 0%            | 12,134,154             | €        | 15.08.2026    |                           | 11,113                | 1.92               |
| Germany (Federal Republic of) 0%            | 8,485,259              | €        | 15.11.2028    |                           | 7,364                 | 1.27               |
| Germany (Federal Republic of) 0%            | 2,656,479              | €        | 15.08.2031    |                           | 2,156                 | 0.37               |
| Germany (Federal Republic of) 0%            | 4,018,480              | €        | 15.02.2032    |                           | 3,215                 | 0.56               |
| Germany (Federal Republic of) 0%            | 4,010,000              | €        | 15.08.2050    |                           | 2,100                 | 0.36               |
| Interest rate futures                       |                        |          |               |                           | 2,154                 | 0.37               |
| Deutscher Bobl 5 year Futures               | (121)                  | €        | 08.03.2023    | 140                       | 502                   | 0.09               |
| Deutscher Bund 10 year Futures              | (281)                  | €        | 08.03.2023    | 375                       | 2,294                 | 0.40               |
| Deutscher Bund 30 year Futures              | 1                      | €        | 08.03.2023    | 1                         | (26)                  | (0.01)             |
| Deutscher Schatz 2 year Futures             | 463                    | €        | 08.03.2023    | 489                       | (616)                 | (0.11)             |
| Currency                                    |                        |          |               |                           | 0                     | 0.00               |
| Forward currency contracts                  |                        |          |               |                           |                       |                    |
| Bought for € 5,625.64, Sold for £ 4,850.37  |                        |          | 12.01.2023    |                           | 0                     | 0.00               |
| Portfolio of investments                    |                        |          |               |                           | 561,517               | 97.02              |
| Share class hedging                         |                        |          |               |                           | (0)                   | 0.00               |
| Bought for £ 9,375.31, Sold for € 10,829.64 |                        |          | 13.01.2023    |                           | 0                     | 0.00               |
| Bought for € 283.00, Sold for £ 248.21      |                        |          | 13.01.2023    |                           | 0                     | 0.00               |
| Total portfolio                             |                        |          |               |                           | 561,517               | 97.02              |
| Net other assets/(liabilities)              |                        |          |               |                           | 17,244                | 2.98               |
| Net assets                                  |                        |          |               |                           | 578,761               | 100.00             |
| Portfolio summary                           |                        |          |               |                           |                       |                    |
| Investment assets                           |                        |          |               |                           |                       |                    |
| Debt securities                             |                        |          |               |                           | 559,363               | 96.65              |
| Unrealised gains on futures contracts       |                        |          |               |                           | 2,796                 | 0.49               |
| Total Investment assets                     |                        |          |               |                           | 562,159               | 97.14              |

The accompanying notes to the financial statements are an integral part of these financial statements.

### Statement of investments

#### Statement of investments (continued)

| Portfolio summary                      |         |        |
|--|---------|--------|
| Investment liabilities                 |         |        |
| Unrealised losses on futures contracts | (642)   | (0.12) |
| Total Investment liabilities           | (642)   | (0.12) |
| Portfolio of investments               | 561,517 | 97.02  |
| Net other assets/(liabilities)         | 17,244  | 2.98   |
| Net assets                             | 578,761 | 100.00 |

All securities are on an official stock exchange listing except where referenced.

Interest rates represent either the stated coupon rate or, for floating rate securities, the current reset rate which is based upon interest rates indices. Maturity dates represent either the stated date on the security, or the next interest reset date for floating rate securities or the prerefunded date for those types of securities.

Variable and floating coupon rates are those quoted as of 31 December 2022.

# Counterparty exposure

#### Counterparty exposure

| Counterparty                        | Derivative ex                             | Derivative exposures |  |  |
|-------------------------------------|---|----------------------|--|--|
|                                     | Forward<br>currency<br>contracts<br>€'000 | Futures<br>€'000     |  |  |
| JP Morgan London                    | 11  | 1,005                |  |  |
| State Street Bank and Trust Company | 22  | 0                    |  |  |

Exposure represents the sub-fund's exposure to that counterparty.

# Financial highlights

### **Sub-fund performance (unaudited)**

Please note past performance is not a guide to future performance and the value of investments, and the income from them, will fluctuate. This will cause the sub-fund price to fall as well as rise and you may not get back the original amount you invested.

To give an indication of the performance of the sub-fund, the following table shows the compound rate of return, per annum, over the period. Calculated on a price to price basis with income reinvested.

Long-term performance by share class as at 31 December 2022

|                          | One<br>year<br>31.12.21<br>% | Three<br>years<br>31.12.19<br>% pa | Five<br>years<br>31.12.17<br>% pa | Since<br>launch<br>% pa | Launch date<br>of the sub-fund<br>share class |
|--------------------------|------------------------------|------------------------------------|-----------------------------------|-------------------------|---|
| Euro                     |                              |                                    |                                   |                         |   |
| Class 'Al' Accumulation  | -13.4                        | n/a                                | n/a                               | -11.3                   | 08.10.21                                      |
| Class 'Al' Distribution  | -12.9                        | n/a                                | n/a                               | -10.9                   | 08.10.21                                      |
| Class 'D' Accumulation   | n/a                          | n/a                                | n/a                               | +1.7                    | 19.10.22                                      |
| Class 'D' Distribution   | n/a                          | n/a                                | n/a                               | +1.7                    | 19.10.22                                      |
| Class 'DI' Accumulation  | n/a                          | n/a                                | n/a                               | -7.5                    | 28.04.22                                      |
| Class 'DI' Distribution  | n/a                          | n/a                                | n/a                               | -6.7                    | 28.04.22                                      |
| Class 'El' Accumulation  | -13.4                        | n/a                                | n/a                               | -11.2                   | 08.10.21                                      |
| Class 'El' Distribution  | -12.9                        | n/a                                | n/a                               | -10.8                   | 08.10.21                                      |
| Class 'L' Accumulation   | -13.5                        | n/a                                | n/a                               | -11.3                   | 08.10.21                                      |
| Class 'L' Distribution   | -13.5                        | n/a                                | n/a                               | -11.3                   | 08.10.21                                      |
| Class 'LI' Accumulation  | -13.4                        | n/a                                | n/a                               | -11.3                   | 08.10.21                                      |
| Class 'LI' Distribution  | -13.0                        | n/a                                | n/a                               | -11.0                   | 08.10.21                                      |
| Class 'P' Accumulation   | n/a                          | n/a                                | n/a                               | -2.0                    | 22.06.22                                      |
| Class 'P' Distribution   | n/a                          | n/a                                | n/a                               | -1.8                    | 22.06.22                                      |
| Class 'W' Accumulation   | -13.5                        | n/a                                | n/a                               | -11.4                   | 08.10.21                                      |
| Class 'W' Distribution   | -13.1                        | n/a                                | n/a                               | -11.1                   | 08.10.21                                      |
| Class 'WI' Accumulation  | -13.5                        | n/a                                | n/a                               | -11.3                   | 08.10.21                                      |
| Class 'WI' Distribution  | -13.1                        | n/a                                | n/a                               | -11.0                   | 08.10.21                                      |
| Sterling                 |                              |                                    |                                   |                         |   |
| Class 'L-H' Accumulation | n/a                          | n/a                                | n/a                               | -8.7                    | 16.03.22                                      |

# Financial highlights

### **Net Asset Values (NAV) and Total Expense Ratios (TER) (unaudited)**

The following table shows Net Asset Values (NAV) inclusive of any swing price adjustment as described in note 9 to the Financial Statements (also known as the price per share) at 31 December 2022 and Total Expense Ratio (TER) for the year ended to 31 December 2022.

#### Net Asset Values and Total Expense Ratios (unaudited)

| NAV per share                         | 31.12.22          | 31.12.21          |
|---------------------------------------|-------------------|-------------------|
| Euro                                  | 51.12.22          | €                 |
| Class 'Al' Accumulation               | 86.1442           | 99.4656           |
| Class 'Al' Distribution               | 86.1249           | 99.4656           |
| Class 'D' Accumulation                | 101.6774          | n/a               |
| Class 'D' Distribution                | 101.6781          | n/a               |
| Class 'DI' Accumulation               | 92.5475           | n/a               |
| Class 'DI' Distribution               | 92.5483           | n/a               |
| Class 'El' Accumulation               | 86.1824           | 99.4737           |
| Class 'El' Distribution               | 86.1610           | 99.4743           |
| Class 'L' Accumulation                | 86.0715           | 99.4490           |
| Class 'L' Distribution                |                   |                   |
|                                       | 85.6790           | 99.4460           |
| Class 'Ll' Accumulation               | 86.1132           | 99.4573           |
| Class 'LI' Distribution               | 86.0998           | 99.4574           |
| Class 'P' Accumulation                | 98.5167           | n/a               |
| Class 'P' Distribution                | 98.5165           | n/a               |
| Class 'W' Accumulation                | 86.0299           | 99.4396           |
| Class 'W' Distribution                | 86.0300           | 99.4403           |
| Class 'WI' Accumulation               | 86.0701           | 99.4495           |
| Class 'WI' Distribution               | 86.0654           | 99.4495           |
| Sterling                              | £                 | £                 |
| Class 'L-H' Accumulation              | 91.3248           | n/a               |
| NAV at fund level                     | 31.12.22<br>€'000 | 31.12.21<br>€'000 |
| Net assets                            | 578,761           | 119,905           |
| Swing pricing adjustment (see note 9) | n/a               | n/a               |
| Swing net assets                      | 578,761           | 119,905           |

# Financial highlights

| Total Expense Ratio 31.12.22 | TER  |
|------------------------------|------|
| Euro                         | %    |
| Class 'Al' Accumulation      | 0.18 |
| Class 'Al' Distribution      | 0.18 |
| Class 'D' Accumulation       | 0.20 |
| Class 'D' Distribution       | 0.20 |
| Class 'DI' Accumulation      | 0.16 |
| Class 'DI' Distribution      | 0.16 |
| Class 'El' Accumulation      | 0.14 |
| Class 'EI' Distribution      | 0.14 |
| Class 'L' Accumulation       | 0.25 |
| Class 'L' Distribution       | 0.25 |
| Class 'LI' Accumulation      | 0.21 |
| Class 'LI' Distribution      | 0.21 |
| Class 'P' Accumulation       | 0.49 |
| Class 'P' Distribution       | 0.49 |
| Class 'W' Accumulation       | 0.29 |
| Class 'W' Distribution       | 0.29 |
| Class 'WI' Accumulation      | 0.25 |
| Class 'WI' Distribution      | 0.25 |
| Sterling                     | %    |
| Class 'L-H' Accumulation     | 0.25 |

# Investment review (unaudited)

### For the year ended 31 December 2022

The M&G Sustainable Total Return Credit Investment Fund ('the sub-fund') aims to maximise total return principally by exploiting long-term risk premia. The subfund will aim to provide investors with attractive returns from capital and income from a diversified pool of debt and debt like assets, and applies a number of ESG focused exclusions to ensure all securities meet our minimum ESG and sustainability criteria. These will include, but are not limited to, debt instruments with a fixed, variable or floating rate coupon. The investment manager will identify opportunities at the market, sector, issuer or security level to enhance returns amongst fixed income asset classes, such as investment grade and high yield corporate bonds and on occasion, government bonds. Duration, yield curve and currency investment strategies may also be used. There is no geographic limitation to the investment universe. The sub-fund aims to outperform the benchmark 1 month SONIA (previously Euribor).

The sub-fund delivered 0.75% below its cash benchmark (EUR EI Acc share class, gross of fees) during Q1 2022. The primary detractors to performance were exposures to corporate bonds in the Industrial and Financial sector. The largest individual positive contributors were Magallanes, Rogers Communications, Intel and HCA. Notable detractors were SBB, Casino Guichard-Perrachon, Heimstaden Bostad and Elior Group.

The sub-fund delivered 4.25% below its cash benchmark (one month Sonia) during Q2 2022, in the GBP El Acc share class. The primary detractors to performance were exposures to corporate bonds in the Industrial, Financial and Utility sectors. The largest individual positive contributors were Paypal, UPC Broadband, Sally Holdings and Santander. Notable detractors were SBB, Castellum, Heimstaden Bostad and CPI Property Group.

The sub-fund delivered a 0.07% return above its cash benchmark (GBP EI Acc share class, gross of fees) during Q3 2022. The primary contributors to

performance were exposures to corporate bonds in the Industrial sector, whilst exposure to the Financial sector was a detractor. The largest individual positive contributors were Balder, SBB and Heimstaden. Notable detractors were Casino Guichard Perrachon, Bausch Health and Aroundtown.

The sub-fund delivered a 4.18% return above its cash. benchmark (GBP EI Acc share class, gross of fees) during Q4 2022. The primary contributor to performance was exposure to bonds in the Industrial and Financial sector, whilst exposure to the Securitised sector was a detractor. The largest individual positive contributors were Enel, Paprec and Unicredit. Notable detractors were AroundTown, CPI Property and SBB.

Investment review information as at 31 December 2022.

Please note that the views expressed in this Report should not be taken as a recommendation or advice on how the sub-fund or any holding mentioned in the Report is likely to perform. If you wish to obtain financial advice as to whether an investment is suitable for your needs, you should consult a Financial Adviser

### Compliance of the Fund with the Sustainable Finance Disclosure Regulation ('SFDR') and the EU **Taxonomy Regulation**

Information related to environmental and social characteristics promoted by the Fund required to be disclosed under SFDR is available on page 166 in Annex 1.

## **Statement of investments**

#### Statement of investments

| Investment description                | Holdings/<br>contracts | Currency | Maturity date | Commitment<br>value €'000 | Market value<br>€'000 | % of net assets |
|---------------------------------------|------------------------|----------|---------------|---------------------------|-----------------------|-----------------|
| Corporate bonds                       |                        |          |               |                           | 154,947               | 81.65           |
| Australia                             |                        |          |               |                           | 3,221                 | 1.70            |
| Commonwealth Bank of Australia 0.375% | 370,000                | €        | 24.04.2023    |                           | 368                   | 0.19            |
| Commonwealth Bank of Australia FRN    | 555,000                | £        | 16.01.2025    |                           | 626                   | 0.33            |
| National Australia Bank FRN           | 870,000                | £        | 04.02.2025    |                           | 980                   | 0.52            |
| Westpac Banking FRN                   | 880,000                | £        | 18.01.2023    |                           | 992                   | 0.52            |
| Westpac Banking FRN                   | 300,000                | €        | 13.05.2031    |                           | 255                   | 0.14            |
| Austria                               |                        |          |               |                           | 4,241                 | 2.24            |
| Ams 6%                                | 510,000                | €        | 31.07.2025    |                           | 479                   | 0.25            |
| Erste Group Bank 0.625%               | 1,000,000              | €        | 19.01.2023    |                           | 999                   | 0.53            |
| Erste Group Bank FRN                  | 200,000                | €        | 07.06.2033    |                           | 184                   | 0.10            |
| Erste Group Bank FRN                  | 400,000                | €        | 31.12.2099    |                           | 391                   | 0.21            |
| Mondi Finance Europe 2.375%           | 505,000                | €        | 01.04.2028    |                           | 468                   | 0.25            |
| Raiffeisen Bank International FRN     | 200,000                | €        | 12.03.2030    |                           | 169                   | 0.09            |
| Raiffeisen Bank International FRN     | 100,000                | €        | 20.12.2032    |                           | 99                    | 0.05            |
| Raiffeisen Bank International FRN     | 400,000                | €        | 17.06.2033    |                           | 285                   | 0.15            |
| Sappi Papier Holding 3.625%           | 695,000                | €        | 15.03.2028    |                           | 599                   | 0.31            |
| UniCredit Bank Austria 2.375%         | 300,000                | €        | 22.01.2024    |                           | 297                   | 0.16            |
| Vienna Insurance Group FRN            | 300,000                | €        | 15.06.2042    |                           | 271                   | 0.14            |
| Belgium                               |                        |          |               |                           | 3,387                 | 1.78            |
| Ageas FRN                             | 500,000                | €        | 02.07.2049    |                           | 424                   | 0.22            |
| Argenta Spaarbank FRN                 | 200,000                | €        | 29.11.2027    |                           | 200                   | 0.11            |
| Argenta Spaarbank FRN                 | 400,000                | €        | 08.02.2029    |                           | 327                   | 0.17            |
| Belfius Bank FRN                      | 700,000                | €        | 06.04.2034    |                           | 540                   | 0.28            |
| Elia Transmission Belgium 0.875%      | 700,000                | €        | 28.04.2030    |                           | 566                   | 0.30            |
| KBC Group FRN                         | 500,000                | €        | 07.12.2031    |                           | 414                   | 0.22            |
| Ontex Group 3.5%                      | 710,000                | €        | 15.07.2026    |                           | 603                   | 0.32            |
| Sofina 1%                             | 400,000                | €        | 23.09.2028    |                           | 313                   | 0.16            |
| Bermuda                               |                        |          |               |                           | 521                   | 0.27            |
| Hiscox 6%                             | 148,000                | £        | 22.09.2027    |                           | 166                   | 0.09            |
| Hiscox FRN                            | 330,000                | £        | 24.11.2045    |                           | 355                   | 0.18            |
| Canada                                |                        |          |               |                           | 6,502                 | 3.43            |
| Bank of Montreal FRN                  | 880,000                | £        | 16.04.2023    |                           | 992                   | 0.52            |

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## **Statement of investments**

| Investment description                   | Holdings/<br>contracts | Currency | Maturity date | Commitment<br>value €'000 | Market value<br>€'000 | % of net<br>assets |
|--|------------------------|----------|---------------|---------------------------|-----------------------|--------------------|
| Corporate bonds (continued)              |                        |          |               |                           |                       |                    |
| Canada (continued)                       |                        |          |               |                           |                       |                    |
| Bank of Nova Scotia 0.25%                | 1,050,000              | €        | 11.01.2024    |                           | 1,018                 | 0.54               |
| Bausch Health 6.25%                      | 700,000                | US\$     | 15.02.2029    |                           | 317                   | 0.17               |
| Canadian Imperial Bank of Commerce 0.25% | 615,000                | €        | 24.01.2023    |                           | 614                   | 0.33               |
| Canadian Imperial Bank of Commerce FRN   | 355,000                | £        | 15.12.2025    |                           | 405                   | 0.21               |
| Great-West Lifeco 4.7%                   | 163,000                | €        | 16.11.2029    |                           | 168                   | 0.09               |
| Rogers Communications 4.55%              | 580,000                | US\$     | 15.03.2052    |                           | 424                   | 0.22               |
| Royal Bank of Canada FRN                 | 875,000                | £        | 03.10.2024    |                           | 988                   | 0.52               |
| Toronto-Dominion Bank FRN                | 880,000                | £        | 30.01.2023    |                           | 992                   | 0.52               |
| Toronto-Dominion Bank 0.5%               | 670,000                | €        | 18.01.2027    |                           | 584                   | 0.31               |
| Denmark                                  |                        |          |               |                           | 1,278                 | 0.67               |
| Danske Bank FRN                          | 665,000                | €        | 15.05.2031    |                           | 576                   | 0.30               |
| Jyske Bank 5.5%                          | 450,000                | €        | 16.11.2027    |                           | 454                   | 0.24               |
| Orsted 2.875%                            | 270,000                | €        | 14.06.2033    |                           | 248                   | 0.13               |
| Finland                                  |                        |          |               |                           | 938                   | 0.49               |
| Metso Outotec 0.875%                     | 465,000                | €        | 26.05.2028    |                           | 381                   | 0.20               |
| Nordea Bank FRN                          | 445,000                | €        | 18.08.2031    |                           | 383                   | 0.20               |
| SATO 1.375%                              | 240,000                | €        | 24.02.2028    |                           | 174                   | 0.09               |
| France                                   |                        |          |               |                           | 16,709                | 8.80               |
| Aéroports de Paris 1.5%                  | 700,000                | €        | 02.07.2032    |                           | 554                   | 0.29               |
| Atos 2.5%                                | 100,000                | €        | 07.11.2028    |                           | 66                    | 0.03               |
| Atos 1%                                  | 500,000                | €        | 12.11.2029    |                           | 316                   | 0.17               |
| AXA FRN                                  | 200,000                | €        | 10.07.2042    |                           | 150                   | 0.08               |
| AXA FRN                                  | 315,000                | €        | 10.03.2043    |                           | 288                   | 0.15               |
| Banque Fédérative du Crédit Mutuel FRN   | 400,000                | €        | 16.06.2032    |                           | 376                   | 0.20               |
| BNP Paribas FRN                          | 560,000                | US\$     | 31.12.2099    |                           | 509                   | 0.27               |
| BPCE FRN                                 | 410,000                | US\$     | 19.07.2033    |                           | 368                   | 0.19               |
| BPCE FRN                                 | 600,000                | €        | 13.10.2046    |                           | 420                   | 0.22               |
| BPCE SFH 0.375%                          | 1,100,000              | €        | 21.02.2024    |                           | 1,065                 | 0.56               |
| Bureau Veritas 1.875%                    | 500,000                | €        | 06.01.2025    |                           | 475                   | 0.25               |
| Carmila 1.625%                           | 400,000                | €        | 01.04.2029    |                           | 286                   | 0.15               |
| Casino Guichard Perrachon 6.625%         | 680,000                | €        | 15.01.2026    |                           | 373                   | 0.20               |

## **Statement of investments**

| Investment description                             | Holdings/<br>contracts | Currency | Maturity date | Commitment<br>value €'000 | Market value<br>€'000 | % of net assets |
|--|------------------------|----------|---------------|---------------------------|-----------------------|-----------------|
| Corporate bonds (continued)                        |                        |          |               |                           |                       |                 |
| France (continued)                                 |                        |          |               |                           |                       |                 |
| CMA CGM 7.5%                                       | 380,000                | €        | 15.01.2026    |                           | 394                   | 0.21            |
| Crédit Agricole FRN                                | 345,000                | US\$     | 29.12.2049    |                           | 321                   | 0.17            |
| Crédit Agricole Home Loan SFH 0.625%               | 345,000                | €        | 11.09.2023    |                           | 340                   | 0.18            |
| Crédit Mutuel Arkéa 3.375%                         | 400,000                | €        | 11.03.2031    |                           | 365                   | 0.19            |
| Crédit Mutuel Home Loan 0.125%                     | 300,000                | €        | 09.04.2025    |                           | 279                   | 0.15            |
| Danone FRN   | 400,000                | €        | 31.12.2099    |                           | 337                   | 0.18            |
| Elior Group 3.75%                                  | 595,000                | €        | 15.07.2026    |                           | 505                   | 0.27            |
| Engie FRN  | 500,000                | €        | 31.12.2099    |                           | 362                   | 0.19            |
| Faurecia 2.375%                                    | 730,000                | €        | 15.06.2027    |                           | 612                   | 0.32            |
| FFP 1.875%   | 600,000                | €        | 30.10.2026    |                           | 493                   | 0.26            |
| Iliad 1.875%                                       | 400,000                | €        | 25.04.2025    |                           | 370                   | 0.19            |
| Lagardere 1.625%                                   | 200,000                | €        | 21.06.2024    |                           | 194                   | 0.10            |
| Lagardere 2.125%                                   | 400,000                | €        | 16.10.2026    |                           | 378                   | 0.20            |
| Orange FRN   | 500,000                | €        | 31.12.2099    |                           | 410                   | 0.22            |
| Paprec Holding 4%                                  | 220,000                | €        | 31.03.2025    |                           | 213                   | 0.11            |
| Paprec Holding 3.5%                                | 515,000                | €        | 01.07.2028    |                           | 448                   | 0.24            |
| Quadient 2.25%                                     | 300,000                | €        | 03.02.2025    |                           | 277                   | 0.14            |
| RCI Banque FRN                                     | 400,000                | €        | 18.02.2030    |                           | 359                   | 0.19            |
| RTE Réseau de Transport d'Électricité SADIR 1.125% | 200,000                | €        | 08.07.2040    |                           | 129                   | 0.07            |
| Schneider Electric 3.5%                            | 200,000                | €        | 09.11.2032    |                           | 198                   | 0.10            |
| SEB 1.375%   | 400,000                | €        | 16.06.2025    |                           | 372                   | 0.20            |
| Société Générale 0.25%                             | 1,000,000              | €        | 11.09.2023    |                           | 982                   | 0.52            |
| Société Générale FRN                               | 550,000                | US\$     | 29.12.2049    |                           | 511                   | 0.27            |
| Solvay Finance FRN                                 | 475,000                | €        | 29.12.2049    |                           | 477                   | 0.25            |
| Suez 5%  | 200,000                | €        | 03.11.2032    |                           | 205                   | 0.11            |
| Unibail-Rodamco-Westfield FRN                      | 500,000                | €        | 31.12.2099    |                           | 382                   | 0.20            |
| Valeo 5.375%                                       | 200,000                | €        | 28.05.2027    |                           | 195                   | 0.10            |
| Veolia Environnement FRN                           | 500,000                | €        | 31.12.2099    |                           | 400                   | 0.21            |
| Verallia 1.875%                                    | 600,000                | €        | 10.11.2031    |                           | 470                   | 0.25            |
| Wendel 1.375%                                      | 700,000                | €        | 18.01.2034    |                           | 485                   | 0.25            |

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| Corporate bonds (continued)                         |                        |          |               |                           |                       |                 |
| Germany   |                        |          |               |                           | 12,377                | 6.52            |
| Aareal Bank 0.125%                                  | 1,025,000              | €        | 01.02.2023    |                           | 1,024                 | 0.54            |
| ADLER Real Estate 3%                                | 400,000                | €        | 27.04.2026    |                           | 280                   | 0.15            |
| Allianz FRN   | 400,000                | €        | 25.09.2049    |                           | 313                   | 0.16            |
| Allianz FRN   | 400,000                | €        | 31.12.2099    |                           | 296                   | 0.16            |
| Amprion 3.971%                                      | 400,000                | €        | 22.09.2032    |                           | 395                   | 0.21            |
| Bayerische Landesbank 1%                            | 500,000                | £        | 20.12.2024    |                           | 526                   | 0.28            |
| Bayerische Landesbank FRN                           | 700,000                | €        | 22.11.2032    |                           | 532                   | 0.28            |
| Bertelsmann FRN                                     | 500,000                | €        | 23.04.2075    |                           | 457                   | 0.24            |
| Commerzbank FRN                                     | 500,000                | €        | 29.12.2031    |                           | 405                   | 0.21            |
| Commerzbank FRN                                     | 100,000                | £        | 28.02.2033    |                           | 113                   | 0.06            |
| Covestro 4.75%                                      | 100,000                | €        | 15.11.2028    |                           | 101                   | 0.05            |
| Deutsche Bank FRN                                   | 1,000,000              | €        | 24.06.2032    |                           | 887                   | 0.47            |
| Deutsche Pfandbriefbank FRN                         | 900,000                | £        | 29.09.2023    |                           | 1,018                 | 0.54            |
| Eurogrid 1.113%                                     | 400,000                | €        | 15.05.2032    |                           | 316                   | 0.17            |
| Fraport Frankfurt Airport Services Worldwide 1.875% | 659,000                | €        | 31.03.2028    |                           | 569                   | 0.30            |
| Fresenius 2.875%                                    | 609,000                | €        | 24.05.2030    |                           | 523                   | 0.27            |
| Gruenenthal 3.625%                                  | 500,000                | €        | 15.11.2026    |                           | 459                   | 0.24            |
| Hannover Rueck FRN                                  | 200,000                | €        | 08.10.2040    |                           | 156                   | 0.08            |
| Hannover Rueck FRN                                  | 400,000                | €        | 30.06.2042    |                           | 288                   | 0.15            |
| Hannover Rueck FRN                                  | 100,000                | €        | 26.08.2043    |                           | 102                   | 0.05            |
| Infineon Technologies FRN                           | 500,000                | €        | 31.12.2099    |                           | 448                   | 0.24            |
| Landesbank Baden-Württemberg 2.2%                   | 500,000                | €        | 09.05.2029    |                           | 410                   | 0.22            |
| Landesbank Hessen-Thüringen Girozentrale FRN        | 600,000                | €        | 15.09.2032    |                           | 571                   | 0.30            |
| LANXESS 1.75%                                       | 500,000                | €        | 22.03.2028    |                           | 440                   | 0.23            |
| LEG Immobilien 0.75%                                | 100,000                | €        | 30.06.2031    |                           | 71                    | 0.04            |
| Münchener Hypothekenbank 0.25%                      | 345,000                | €        | 13.12.2023    |                           | 336                   | 0.18            |
| Münchener Rüeckversicherungs-Gesellschaft FRN       | 300,000                | €        | 26.05.2042    |                           | 211                   | 0.11            |
| Norddeutsche Landesbank-Girozentrale 6.25%          | 600,000                | US\$     | 10.04.2024    |                           | 549                   | 0.29            |
| Schaeffler 3.375%                                   | 500,000                | €        | 12.10.2028    |                           | 437                   | 0.23            |
| Vonovia 5%  | 100,000                | €        | 23.11.2030    |                           | 98                    | 0.05            |
| Vonovia 1.625%                                      | 100,000                | €        | 01.09.2051    |                           | 46                    | 0.02            |

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| Corporate bonds (continued)                 |                        |          |               |                           |                       |                 |
| Hong Kong                                   |                        |          |               |                           | 513                   | 0.27            |
| AIA Group FRN                               | 210,000                | €        | 09.09.2033    |                           | 164                   | 0.09            |
| Lenovo Group 6.536%                         | 385,000                | US\$     | 27.07.2032    |                           | 349                   | 0.18            |
| Iceland                                     |                        |          |               |                           | 1,114                 | 0.59            |
| Arion Banki HF 0.375%                       | 675,000                | €        | 14.07.2025    |                           | 571                   | 0.30            |
| Landsbankinn 0.75%                          | 675,000                | €        | 25.05.2026    |                           | 543                   | 0.29            |
| Ireland                                     |                        |          |               |                           | 2,179                 | 1.15            |
| AIB Group FRN                               | 100,000                | €        | 30.05.2031    |                           | 90                    | 0.05            |
| AIB Group FRN                               | 515,000                | €        | 31.12.2099    |                           | 474                   | 0.25            |
| Bank of Ireland Group FRN                   | 755,000                | €        | 11.08.2031    |                           | 637                   | 0.33            |
| Finance Ireland RMBS No. 4 FRN              | 94,932                 | €        | 24.12.2061    |                           | 95                    | 0.05            |
| Hammerson Ireland Finance 1.75%             | 235,000                | €        | 03.06.2027    |                           | 184                   | 0.10            |
| Permanent TSB Group Holdings FRN            | 390,000                | €        | 30.06.2025    |                           | 376                   | 0.20            |
| Permanent TSB Group Holdings FRN            | 395,000                | €        | 19.08.2031    |                           | 323                   | 0.17            |
| Italy                                       |                        |          |               |                           | 7,158                 | 3.77            |
| Aeroporti di Roma 1.75%                     | 187,000                | €        | 30.07.2031    |                           | 140                   | 0.07            |
| Assicurazioni Generali 5.8%                 | 375,000                | €        | 06.07.2032    |                           | 400                   | 0.21            |
| Autostrade per l'Italia 4.375%              | 459,000                | €        | 16.09.2025    |                           | 457                   | 0.24            |
| Banco BPM 1.625%                            | 535,000                | €        | 18.02.2025    |                           | 498                   | 0.26            |
| Credito Emiliano 1.125%                     | 1,035,000              | €        | 17.01.2024    |                           | 1,011                 | 0.53            |
| Enel FRN                                    | 860,000                | €        | 31.12.2099    |                           | 617                   | 0.32            |
| ICCREA Banca FRN                            | 445,000                | €        | 17.01.2027    |                           | 394                   | 0.21            |
| International Design Group 6.5%             | 515,000                | €        | 15.11.2025    |                           | 469                   | 0.25            |
| Intesa Sanpaolo FRN                         | 365,000                | US\$     | 01.06.2032    |                           | 253                   | 0.13            |
| Intesa Sanpaolo 8.505%                      | 250,000                | £        | 20.09.2032    |                           | 280                   | 0.15            |
| Intesa Sanpaolo FRN                         | 275,000                | US\$     | 21.11.2033    |                           | 263                   | 0.14            |
| Intesa Sanpaolo Vita 2.375%                 | 455,000                | €        | 22.12.2030    |                           | 333                   | 0.17            |
| Mediobanca Banca di Credito Finanziario FRN | 215,000                | €        | 07.02.2029    |                           | 213                   | 0.11            |
| Snam 1.25%                                  | 620,000                | €        | 20.06.2034    |                           | 447                   | 0.24            |
| Terna - Rete Elettrica Nazionale 0.75%      | 580,000                | €        | 24.07.2032    |                           | 430                   | 0.23            |
| Terna - Rete Elettrica Nazionale FRN        | 240,000                | €        | 31.12.2099    |                           | 201                   | 0.11            |
| UniCredit FRN                               | 260,000                | €        | 20.02.2029    |                           | 258                   | 0.14            |

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| Corporate bonds (continued)             |                        |          |               |                           |                       |                 |
| Italy (continued)                       |                        |          |               |                           |                       |                 |
| UniCredit FRN                           | 550,000                | €        | 31.12.2099    |                           | 494                   | 0.26            |
| Japan                                   |                        |          |               |                           | 590                   | 0.31            |
| Rakuten Group FRN                       | 470,000                | €        | 31.12.2099    |                           | 272                   | 0.14            |
| Sumitomo Mitsui Banking 0.01%           | 350,000                | €        | 10.09.2025    |                           | 318                   | 0.17            |
| Jersey                                  |                        |          |               |                           | 2,364                 | 1.25            |
| AA Bond 6.5%                            | 275,000                | £        | 31.01.2026    |                           | 249                   | 0.13            |
| AA Bond 5.5%                            | 370,000                | £        | 31.07.2050    |                           | 362                   | 0.19            |
| AA Bond 7.375%                          | 100,000                | £        | 31.07.2050    |                           | 98                    | 0.05            |
| APTIV 3.1%                              | 820,000                | US\$     | 01.12.2051    |                           | 461                   | 0.24            |
| CPUK Finance 6.5%                       | 260,000                | £        | 28.08.2026    |                           | 270                   | 0.14            |
| CPUK Finance 3.588%                     | 260,000                | £        | 28.02.2042    |                           | 272                   | 0.15            |
| Heathrow Funding 1.125%                 | 330,000                | €        | 08.10.2032    |                           | 259                   | 0.14            |
| Kennedy Wilson Europe Real Estate 3.25% | 500,000                | €        | 12.11.2025    |                           | 393                   | 0.21            |
| Luxembourg                              |                        |          |               |                           | 7,389                 | 3.89            |
| ACEF Holding 0.75%                      | 700,000                | €        | 14.06.2028    |                           | 518                   | 0.27            |
| ADLER Group 1.5%                        | 500,000                | €        | 26.07.2024    |                           | 345                   | 0.18            |
| Aroundtown FRN                          | 195,000                | £        | 31.12.2099    |                           | 105                   | 0.06            |
| CNH Industrial Finance Europe 1.75%     | 660,000                | €        | 25.03.2027    |                           | 607                   | 0.32            |
| CPI Property Group 1.625%               | 115,000                | €        | 23.04.2027    |                           | 82                    | 0.04            |
| CPI Property Group FRN                  | 210,000                | €        | 25.07.2028    |                           | 109                   | 0.06            |
| CPI Property Group FRN                  | 560,000                | €        | 31.12.2099    |                           | 285                   | 0.15            |
| Dana Financing Luxembourg 3%            | 730,000                | €        | 15.07.2029    |                           | 562                   | 0.30            |
| Eurofins Scientific FRN                 | 495,000                | €        | 29.12.2049    |                           | 495                   | 0.26            |
| GELF Bond Issuer I 1.125%               | 555,000                | €        | 18.07.2029    |                           | 422                   | 0.22            |
| Grand City Properties FRN               | 200,000                | €        | 31.12.2099    |                           | 91                    | 0.05            |
| Helvetia Europe FRN                     | 440,000                | €        | 30.09.2041    |                           | 342                   | 0.18            |
| Holcim Finance Luxembourg 0.5%          | 235,000                | €        | 23.04.2031    |                           | 176                   | 0.09            |
| Medtronic Global Holdings 2.25%         | 230,000                | €        | 07.03.2039    |                           | 179                   | 0.09            |
| Medtronic Global Holdings 1.75%         | 345,000                | €        | 02.07.2049    |                           | 214                   | 0.11            |
| Millicom International Cellular 6.25%   | 369,000                | US\$     | 25.03.2029    |                           | 331                   | 0.18            |
| Mohawk Capital Finance 1.75%            | 500,000                | €        | 12.06.2027    |                           | 453                   | 0.24            |

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| Corporate bonds (continued)           |                        |          |               |                           |                       |                 |
| Luxembourg (continued)                |                        |          |               |                           |                       |                 |
| Pentair Finance 5.9%                  | 515,000                | US\$     | 15.07.2032    |                           | 476                   | 0.25            |
| SES FRN                               | 275,000                | €        | 29.12.2049    |                           | 269                   | 0.14            |
| SES FRN                               | 485,000                | €        | 31.12.2099    |                           | 389                   | 0.21            |
| Telecom Italia Finance 7.75%          | 545,000                | €        | 24.01.2033    |                           | 577                   | 0.30            |
| Telenet Finance Luxembourg Notes 3.5% | 400,000                | €        | 01.03.2028    |                           | 362                   | 0.19            |
| Netherlands (The)                     |                        |          |               |                           | 17,675                | 9.31            |
| Abertis Infraestructuras Finance FRN  | 700,000                | €        | 31.12.2099    |                           | 594                   | 0.31            |
| ABN AMRO Bank 2.5%                    | 1,005,000              | €        | 05.09.2023    |                           | 1,002                 | 0.53            |
| ABN AMRO Bank FRN                     | 400,000                | €        | 22.02.2033    |                           | 397                   | 0.21            |
| ABN AMRO Bank 4.5%                    | 200,000                | €        | 21.11.2034    |                           | 198                   | 0.10            |
| Aegon Bank 0.25%                      | 1,000,000              | €        | 25.05.2023    |                           | 991                   | 0.52            |
| ASR Nederland FRN                     | 100,000                | €        | 07.12.2043    |                           | 100                   | 0.05            |
| ASR Nederland FRN                     | 195,000                | €        | 02.05.2049    |                           | 167                   | 0.09            |
| AT Securities FRN                     | 500,000                | US\$     | 31.12.2099    |                           | 223                   | 0.12            |
| CRH Funding 1.625%                    | 435,000                | €        | 05.05.2030    |                           | 372                   | 0.20            |
| DSV Finance 0.875%                    | 400,000                | €        | 17.09.2036    |                           | 257                   | 0.13            |
| E.ON International Finance 6.65%      | 285,000                | US\$     | 30.04.2038    |                           | 272                   | 0.14            |
| E.ON International Finance 6.125%     | 150,000                | £        | 06.07.2039    |                           | 174                   | 0.09            |
| Enel Finance International 7.75%      | 440,000                | US\$     | 14.10.2052    |                           | 445                   | 0.23            |
| Energizer Gamma Acquisition 3.5%      | 730,000                | €        | 30.06.2029    |                           | 587                   | 0.31            |
| Goodyear Europe 2.75%                 | 720,000                | €        | 15.08.2028    |                           | 581                   | 0.31            |
| Iberdrola International FRN           | 300,000                | €        | 31.12.2099    |                           | 230                   | 0.12            |
| Iberdrola International FRN           | 200,000                | €        | 31.12.2099    |                           | 161                   | 0.08            |
| ING Groep FRN                         | 400,000                | €        | 26.05.2031    |                           | 363                   | 0.19            |
| ING Groep FRN                         | 300,000                | €        | 24.08.2033    |                           | 283                   | 0.15            |
| Jubilee Place FRN                     | 142,638                | €        | 17.01.2059    |                           | 140                   | 0.07            |
| Koninklijke FRN                       | 106,000                | €        | 31.12.2099    |                           | 106                   | 0.06            |
| LeasePlan FRN                         | 490,000                | €        | 31.12.2099    |                           | 487                   | 0.26            |
| Nationale-Nederlanden Bank 0.5%       | 400,000                | €        | 10.10.2024    |                           | 381                   | 0.20            |
| NE Property 2%                        | 650,000                | €        | 20.01.2030    |                           | 451                   | 0.24            |
| NIBC Bank 3.125%                      | 400,000                | £        | 15.11.2023    |                           | 441                   | 0.23            |

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| Corporate bonds (continued)           |                        |          |               |                           |                       |                 |
| Netherlands (The) (continued)         |                        |          |               |                           |                       |                 |
| NN Group FRN                          | 365,000                | €        | 01.03.2043    |                           | 340                   | 0.18            |
| Nobian Finance 3.625%                 | 715,000                | €        | 15.07.2026    |                           | 607                   | 0.32            |
| OCI 3.625%                            | 634,500                | €        | 15.10.2025    |                           | 630                   | 0.33            |
| Rentokil Initial Finance 4.375%       | 119,000                | €        | 27.06.2030    |                           | 121                   | 0.06            |
| Sagax 0.75%                           | 100,000                | €        | 26.01.2028    |                           | 75                    | 0.04            |
| Sagax 1%                              | 260,000                | €        | 17.05.2029    |                           | 183                   | 0.10            |
| Signify 2.375%                        | 505,000                | €        | 11.05.2027    |                           | 476                   | 0.25            |
| Stellantis 2.75%                      | 439,000                | €        | 01.04.2032    |                           | 373                   | 0.20            |
| Stellantis 1.25%                      | 275,000                | €        | 20.06.2033    |                           | 194                   | 0.10            |
| Telefonica Europe FRN                 | 500,000                | €        | 31.12.2099    |                           | 478                   | 0.25            |
| Telefonica Europe FRN                 | 100,000                | €        | 31.12.2099    |                           | 102                   | 0.05            |
| TenneT Holding 4.75%                  | 246,000                | €        | 28.10.2042    |                           | 261                   | 0.14            |
| Thermo Fisher Scientific Finance I 2% | 660,000                | €        | 18.10.2051    |                           | 418                   | 0.22            |
| Triodos Bank FRN                      | 900,000                | €        | 05.02.2032    |                           | 676                   | 0.36            |
| Upjohn Finance 1.908%                 | 780,000                | €        | 23.06.2032    |                           | 599                   | 0.31            |
| Vestas Wind Systems Finance 1.5%      | 645,000                | €        | 15.06.2029    |                           | 567                   | 0.30            |
| Viterra Finance 1%                    | 275,000                | €        | 24.09.2028    |                           | 221                   | 0.12            |
| Viterra Finance 5.25%                 | 335,000                | US\$     | 21.04.2032    |                           | 277                   | 0.15            |
| Volkswagen International Finance FRN  | 500,000                | €        | 31.12.2099    |                           | 416                   | 0.22            |
| Volkswagen International Finance FRN  | 100,000                | €        | 31.12.2099    |                           | 89                    | 0.05            |
| VZ Vendor Financing II 2.875%         | 705,000                | €        | 15.01.2029    |                           | 545                   | 0.29            |
| WP/AP Telecom Holdings IV 3.75%       | 710,000                | €        | 15.01.2029    |                           | 624                   | 0.33            |
| New Zealand                           |                        |          |               |                           | 2,027                 | 1.07            |
| ANZ 0.125%                            | 1,050,000              | €        | 22.09.2023    |                           | 1,029                 | 0.54            |
| ASB Finance 0.625%                    | 1,050,000              | €        | 18.10.2024    |                           | 998                   | 0.53            |
| Norway                                |                        |          |               |                           | 1,094                 | 0.58            |
| Adevinta 3%                           | 670,000                | €        | 15.11.2027    |                           | 595                   | 0.32            |
| DNB Boligkreditt 0.375%               | 370,000                | €        | 14.11.2023    |                           | 361                   | 0.19            |
| Yara International 7.378%             | 140,000                | US\$     | 14.11.2032    |                           | 138                   | 0.07            |
| Portugal                              |                        |          |               |                           | 1,246                 | 0.66            |
| Banco Comercial Português FRN         | 300,000                | €        | 17.05.2032    |                           | 211                   | 0.11            |

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| Corporate bonds (continued)                           |                        |          |               |                           |                       |                    |
| Portugal (continued)                                  |                        |          |               |                           |                       |                    |
| Banco Comercial Português FRN                         | 200,000                | €        | 31.12.2099    |                           | 177                   | 0.10               |
| EDP - Energias de Portugal FRN                        | 700,000                | €        | 14.03.2082    |                           | 572                   | 0.30               |
| Novo Banco FRN  | 300,000                | €        | 06.07.2028    |                           | 286                   | 0.15               |
| Spain   |                        |          |               |                           | 4,718                 | 2.49               |
| Banco Bilbao Vizcaya Argentaria FRN                   | 400,000                | €        | 31.12.2099    |                           | 382                   | 0.20               |
| Banco de Crédito Social Cooperativo FRN               | 200,000                | €        | 22.09.2026    |                           | 201                   | 0.11               |
| Banco de Crédito Social Cooperativo FRN               | 200,000                | €        | 27.11.2031    |                           | 169                   | 0.09               |
| Banco de Sabadell FRN                                 | 300,000                | €        | 12.12.2028    |                           | 300                   | 0.16               |
| Banco de Sabadell 2.5%                                | 100,000                | €        | 15.04.2031    |                           | 87                    | 0.05               |
| Banco de Sabadell FRN                                 | 400,000                | €        | 31.12.2099    |                           | 391                   | 0.21               |
| Banco Santander FRN                                   | 400,000                | €        | 31.12.2099    |                           | 352                   | 0.19               |
| Bankinter FRN   | 200,000                | €        | 23.12.2032    |                           | 160                   | 0.08               |
| CaixaBank FRN   | 300,000                | €        | 14.11.2030    |                           | 307                   | 0.16               |
| CaixaBank FRN   | 600,000                | €        | 31.12.2099    |                           | 587                   | 0.31               |
| Cellnex Finance 2%                                    | 400,000                | €        | 15.02.2033    |                           | 295                   | 0.15               |
| Grifols 3.2%  | 430,000                | €        | 01.05.2025    |                           | 398                   | 0.21               |
| Iberdrola Finanzas FRN                                | 200,000                | €        | 31.12.2099    |                           | 164                   | 0.09               |
| Merlin Properties Socimi 1.875%                       | 500,000                | €        | 04.12.2034    |                           | 348                   | 0.18               |
| Unicaja Banco FRN                                     | 200,000                | €        | 01.12.2026    |                           | 176                   | 0.09               |
| Unicaja Banco FRN                                     | 400,000                | €        | 15.11.2027    |                           | 401                   | 0.21               |
| Supranational   |                        |          |               |                           | 3,942                 | 2.08               |
| Asian Development Bank FRN                            | 870,000                | £        | 19.03.2024    |                           | 982                   | 0.52               |
| Canpack Via Eastern PA Land Investment Holding 2.375% | 710,000                | €        | 01.11.2027    |                           | 562                   | 0.30               |
| European Bank for Reconstruction & Development FRN    | 275,000                | £        | 27.02.2023    |                           | 310                   | 0.16               |
| European Bank for Reconstruction & Development FRN    | 550,000                | £        | 20.11.2025    |                           | 634                   | 0.33               |
| European Investment Bank FRN                          | 870,000                | £        | 29.06.2023    |                           | 982                   | 0.52               |
| Herbalife Nutrition Via HLF Financing 7.875%          | 565,000                | US\$     | 01.09.2025    |                           | 472                   | 0.25               |
| Sweden  |                        |          |               |                           | 4,608                 | 2.43               |
| Castellum FRN   | 600,000                | €        | 31.12.2099    |                           | 383                   | 0.20               |

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| Investment description                | Holdings/<br>contracts | Currency | Maturity date | Commitment<br>value €'000 | Market value<br>€'000 | % of net assets |
|---------------------------------------|------------------------|----------|---------------|---------------------------|-----------------------|-----------------|
| Corporate bonds (continued)           |                        |          |               |                           |                       |                 |
| Sweden (continued)                    |                        |          |               |                           |                       |                 |
| Dometic Group 2%                      | 580,000                | €        | 29.09.2028    |                           | 461                   | 0.24            |
| Fastighets Balder FRN                 | 595,000                | €        | 02.06.2081    |                           | 408                   | 0.22            |
| Heimstaden Bostad FRN                 | 665,000                | €        | 31.12.2099    |                           | 382                   | 0.20            |
| Intrum 4.875%                         | 275,000                | €        | 15.08.2025    |                           | 251                   | 0.13            |
| Intrum 3.5%                           | 330,000                | €        | 15.07.2026    |                           | 279                   | 0.15            |
| Samhällsbyggnadsbolaget i Norden FRN  | 595,000                | €        | 31.12.2099    |                           | 235                   | 0.13            |
| Skandinaviska Enskilda Banken 0.25%   | 680,000                | €        | 20.06.2024    |                           | 651                   | 0.34            |
| Stadshypotek 0.375%                   | 365,000                | €        | 06.12.2024    |                           | 345                   | 0.18            |
| Stadshypotek 0.5%                     | 665,000                | €        | 11.07.2025    |                           | 620                   | 0.33            |
| Swedbank FRN                          | 170,000                | €        | 23.08.2032    |                           | 157                   | 0.08            |
| Swedbank FRN                          | 235,000                | £        | 15.11.2032    |                           | 268                   | 0.14            |
| Verisure Holding 9.25%                | 160,000                | €        | 15.10.2027    |                           | 168                   | 0.09            |
| Switzerland                           |                        |          |               |                           | 955                   | 0.50            |
| Credit Suisse Group FRN               | 150,000                | €        | 01.03.2029    |                           | 149                   | 0.08            |
| Credit Suisse Group FRN               | 685,000                | €        | 02.04.2032    |                           | 497                   | 0.26            |
| Credit Suisse Group FRN               | 300,000                | £        | 07.09.2033    |                           | 309                   | 0.16            |
| United Kingdom                        |                        |          |               |                           | 25,554                | 13.47           |
| Barclays FRN                          | 650,000                | €        | 22.03.2031    |                           | 554                   | 0.29            |
| Barclays FRN                          | 208,000                | €        | 12.05.2032    |                           | 154                   | 0.08            |
| Bazalgette Finance 2.75%              | 275,000                | £        | 10.03.2034    |                           | 242                   | 0.13            |
| Clarion Funding 2.625%                | 435,000                | £        | 18.01.2029    |                           | 425                   | 0.22            |
| Coca-Cola Europacific Partners 1.125% | 570,000                | €        | 12.04.2029    |                           | 487                   | 0.26            |
| Co-operative Bank Finance FRN         | 225,000                | £        | 27.11.2025    |                           | 250                   | 0.13            |
| Co-operative Bank Finance FRN         | 245,000                | £        | 25.04.2029    |                           | 268                   | 0.14            |
| Co-operative Group Holdings FRN       | 470,000                | £        | 08.07.2026    |                           | 476                   | 0.25            |
| Daily Mail & General Trust 6.375%     | 250,000                | £        | 21.06.2027    |                           | 253                   | 0.13            |
| Dowson 2022-1 FRN                     | 166,121                | £        | 20.01.2029    |                           | 187                   | 0.10            |
| Elstree Funding No. 2 FRN             | 108,655                | £        | 21.12.2054    |                           | 120                   | 0.06            |
| Firstgroup 6.875%                     | 457,000                | £        | 18.09.2024    |                           | 515                   | 0.27            |
| Gatwick Airport Finance 4.375%        | 465,000                | £        | 07.04.2026    |                           | 474                   | 0.25            |
| Grainger 3%                           | 460,000                | £        | 03.07.2030    |                           | 390                   | 0.21            |

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| Corporate bonds (continued)            |                        |          |               |                           |                       |                 |
| United Kingdom (continued)             |                        |          |               |                           |                       |                 |
| Hammerson 7.25%                        | 265,000                | £        | 21.04.2028    |                           | 275                   | 0.15            |
| Heathrow Finance FRN                   | 480,000                | £        | 01.09.2029    |                           | 407                   | 0.21            |
| HJ Heinz Finance UK 6.25%              | 365,000                | £        | 18.02.2030    |                           | 417                   | 0.22            |
| HSBC Holdings FRN                      | 290,000                | US\$     | 11.08.2033    |                           | 253                   | 0.13            |
| HSBC Holdings FRN                      | 445,000                | £        | 31.12.2099    |                           | 449                   | 0.24            |
| Iceland Bondco 4.375%                  | 640,000                | £        | 15.05.2028    |                           | 522                   | 0.28            |
| InterContinental Hotels Group 3.375%   | 345,000                | £        | 08.10.2028    |                           | 337                   | 0.18            |
| Legal & General Group FRN              | 275,000                | £        | 01.11.2050    |                           | 269                   | 0.14            |
| Lloyds Banking Group FRN               | 265,000                | £        | 15.12.2031    |                           | 250                   | 0.13            |
| Lloyds Banking Group FRN               | 290,000                | US\$     | 11.08.2033    |                           | 251                   | 0.13            |
| Manchester Airport Group Funding 4.75% | 390,000                | £        | 31.03.2034    |                           | 404                   | 0.21            |
| Marks & Spencer 4.5%                   | 425,000                | £        | 10.07.2027    |                           | 413                   | 0.22            |
| Nationwide Building Society FRN        | 355,000                | €        | 25.07.2029    |                           | 335                   | 0.18            |
| Nationwide Building Society FRN        | 400,000                | £        | 31.12.2099    |                           | 427                   | 0.23            |
| NatWest Group FRN                      | 850,000                | €        | 14.09.2032    |                           | 682                   | 0.36            |
| NewRiver REIT 3.5%                     | 300,000                | £        | 07.03.2028    |                           | 274                   | 0.14            |
| NGG Finance FRN                        | 595,000                | €        | 05.09.2082    |                           | 495                   | 0.26            |
| Nomad Foods Bondco 2.5%                | 700,000                | €        | 24.06.2028    |                           | 596                   | 0.31            |
| Northumbrian Water Finance 6.375%      | 161,000                | £        | 28.10.2034    |                           | 193                   | 0.10            |
| Notting Hill Genesis 2.875%            | 435,000                | £        | 31.01.2029    |                           | 427                   | 0.23            |
| Ocado Group 3.875%                     | 585,000                | £        | 08.10.2026    |                           | 512                   | 0.27            |
| Optivo Finance 2.857%                  | 335,000                | £        | 07.10.2035    |                           | 287                   | 0.15            |
| Peabody Capital No. 2 2.75%            | 300,000                | £        | 02.03.2034    |                           | 264                   | 0.14            |
| Pearson Funding 3.75%                  | 445,000                | £        | 04.06.2030    |                           | 444                   | 0.23            |
| Pinewood Finance 3.25%                 | 670,000                | £        | 30.09.2025    |                           | 699                   | 0.37            |
| Premier Foods Finance 3.5%             | 470,000                | £        | 15.10.2026    |                           | 467                   | 0.25            |
| Principality Building Society 2.375%   | 400,000                | £        | 23.11.2023    |                           | 437                   | 0.23            |
| RL Finance Bonds No. 2 FRN             | 330,000                | £        | 30.11.2043    |                           | 371                   | 0.20            |
| Santander UK Group Holdings FRN        | 571,000                | €        | 25.08.2028    |                           | 535                   | 0.28            |
| Sherwood Financing 4.5%                | 545,000                | €        | 15.11.2026    |                           | 443                   | 0.23            |
| Smith & Nephew 4.565%                  | 340,000                | €        | 11.10.2029    |                           | 341                   | 0.18            |

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| Corporate bonds (continued)              |                        |          |               |                           |                       |                 |
| United Kingdom (continued)               |                        |          |               |                           |                       |                 |
| SSE FRN                                  | 467,000                | €        | 31.12.2099    |                           | 427                   | 0.23            |
| Stagecoach Group 4%                      | 355,000                | £        | 29.09.2025    |                           | 373                   | 0.20            |
| Standard Chartered FRN                   | 235,000                | US\$     | 01.04.2031    |                           | 199                   | 0.11            |
| Standard Chartered FRN                   | 440,000                | €        | 23.09.2031    |                           | 366                   | 0.19            |
| Swiss Re Finance FRN                     | 400,000                | €        | 04.06.2052    |                           | 313                   | 0.17            |
| Synthomer 3.875%                         | 500,000                | €        | 01.07.2025    |                           | 460                   | 0.24            |
| Tesco Corporate Treasury Services 1.875% | 460,000                | £        | 02.11.2028    |                           | 424                   | 0.22            |
| Thames Water Kemble Finance 4.625%       | 640,000                | £        | 19.05.2026    |                           | 612                   | 0.32            |
| THFC Funding No. 1 5.125%                | 355,000                | £        | 21.12.2037    |                           | 390                   | 0.21            |
| TI Automotive Finance 3.75%              | 715,000                | €        | 15.04.2029    |                           | 531                   | 0.28            |
| Tower Bridge Funding FRN                 | 120,795                | £        | 20.12.2063    |                           | 133                   | 0.07            |
| Virgin Media Secured Finance 4.25%       | 655,000                | £        | 15.01.2030    |                           | 576                   | 0.30            |
| Virgin Money FRN                         | 515,000                | £        | 24.04.2026    |                           | 536                   | 0.28            |
| Vodafone Group FRN                       | 830,000                | €        | 27.08.2080    |                           | 665                   | 0.35            |
| Voyage Care Bondco 5.875%                | 445,000                | £        | 15.02.2027    |                           | 426                   | 0.23            |
| Whitbread Group 2.375%                   | 445,000                | £        | 31.05.2027    |                           | 422                   | 0.22            |
| Workspace Group 2.25%                    | 480,000                | £        | 11.03.2028    |                           | 403                   | 0.21            |
| WPP Finance 3.75%                        | 420,000                | £        | 19.05.2032    |                           | 403                   | 0.21            |
| Yorkshire Building Society FRN           | 655,000                | £        | 11.10.2030    |                           | 624                   | 0.33            |
| United States                            |                        |          |               |                           | 22,647                | 11.93           |
| Albemarle 5.05%                          | 340,000                | US\$     | 01.06.2032    |                           | 302                   | 0.16            |
| Amgen 4.663%                             | 535,000                | US\$     | 15.06.2051    |                           | 433                   | 0.23            |
| Ashtead Capital 4.25%                    | 550,000                | US\$     | 01.11.2029    |                           | 466                   | 0.25            |
| AT&T FRN                                 | 600,000                | €        | 31.12.2099    |                           | 539                   | 0.28            |
| Avantor Funding 3.875%                   | 520,000                | €        | 15.07.2028    |                           | 482                   | 0.25            |
| Baxter International 3.132%              | 745,000                | US\$     | 01.12.2051    |                           | 458                   | 0.24            |
| Belden 3.375%                            | 100,000                | €        | 15.07.2027    |                           | 92                    | 0.05            |
| Belden 3.875%                            | 495,000                | €        | 15.03.2028    |                           | 454                   | 0.24            |
| Berry Global 1.5%                        | 575,000                | €        | 15.01.2027    |                           | 515                   | 0.27            |
| Booking Holdings 4.75%                   | 136,000                | €        | 15.11.2034    |                           | 139                   | 0.07            |
| BorgWarner 1%                            | 620,000                | €        | 19.05.2031    |                           | 462                   | 0.24            |

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|---|------------------------|----------|---------------|---------------------------|-----------------------|-----------------|
| Corporate bonds (continued)                   |                        |          |               |                           |                       |                 |
| United States (continued)                     |                        |          |               |                           |                       |                 |
| Bunge Finance 2.75%                           | 225,000                | US\$     | 14.05.2031    |                           | 174                   | 0.09            |
| Capital One Financial 1.65%                   | 235,000                | €        | 12.06.2029    |                           | 188                   | 0.10            |
| Catalent Pharma Solutions 2.375%              | 400,000                | €        | 01.03.2028    |                           | 328                   | 0.17            |
| Celanese US Holdings 0.625%                   | 595,000                | €        | 10.09.2028    |                           | 434                   | 0.23            |
| Celanese US Holdings 6.379%                   | 350,000                | US\$     | 15.07.2032    |                           | 314                   | 0.17            |
| Chemours 4%                                   | 675,000                | €        | 15.05.2026    |                           | 608                   | 0.32            |
| CHS Via Community Health Systems 8%           | 535,000                | US\$     | 15.12.2027    |                           | 452                   | 0.24            |
| Citigroup FRN                                 | 395,000                | €        | 06.07.2026    |                           | 369                   | 0.19            |
| Citigroup FRN                                 | 312,000                | US\$     | 24.05.2033    |                           | 275                   | 0.14            |
| Comcast 2.8%                                  | 395,000                | US\$     | 15.01.2051    |                           | 237                   | 0.12            |
| CVS Health 5.05%                              | 510,000                | US\$     | 25.03.2048    |                           | 434                   | 0.23            |
| Daimler Trucks Finance North America 2.5%     | 645,000                | US\$     | 14.12.2031    |                           | 472                   | 0.25            |
| Dell International Via EMC 8.1%               | 495,000                | US\$     | 15.07.2036    |                           | 524                   | 0.28            |
| DIRECTV Holdings Via DIRECTV Financing 5.875% | 590,000                | US\$     | 15.08.2027    |                           | 496                   | 0.26            |
| Dresdner Funding Trust I 8.151%               | 120,000                | US\$     | 30.06.2031    |                           | 116                   | 0.06            |
| DXC Technology 1.75%                          | 415,000                | €        | 15.01.2026    |                           | 384                   | 0.20            |
| Encore Capital Group 5.375%                   | 330,000                | £        | 15.02.2026    |                           | 335                   | 0.18            |
| General Motors 5.6%                           | 296,000                | US\$     | 15.10.2032    |                           | 260                   | 0.14            |
| General Motors 6.6%                           | 190,000                | US\$     | 01.04.2036    |                           | 176                   | 0.09            |
| HCA 4.625%                                    | 708,000                | US\$     | 15.03.2052    |                           | 523                   | 0.28            |
| HP 4.2%                                       | 227,000                | US\$     | 15.04.2032    |                           | 183                   | 0.10            |
| HP 5.5%                                       | 530,000                | US\$     | 15.01.2033    |                           | 470                   | 0.25            |
| Intel 3.05%                                   | 660,000                | US\$     | 12.08.2051    |                           | 407                   | 0.21            |
| IQVIA 2.25%                                   | 700,000                | €        | 15.03.2029    |                           | 592                   | 0.31            |
| JPMorgan Chase FRN                            | 330,000                | €        | 23.03.2030    |                           | 288                   | 0.15            |
| JPMorgan Chase FRN                            | 183,000                | US\$     | 14.06.2030    |                           | 162                   | 0.09            |
| Levi Strauss 3.375%                           | 530,000                | €        | 15.03.2027    |                           | 498                   | 0.26            |
| Macy's Retail Holdings 4.5%                   | 425,000                | US\$     | 15.12.2034    |                           | 278                   | 0.15            |
| Magallanes 5.141%                             | 980,000                | US\$     | 15.03.2052    |                           | 674                   | 0.35            |
| Meritage Homes 3.875%                         | 400,000                | US\$     | 15.04.2029    |                           | 316                   | 0.17            |
| Morgan Stanley FRN                            | 305,000                | €        | 25.01.2034    |                           | 318                   | 0.17            |

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#### Statement of investments (continued)

| Investment description                            | Holdings/<br>contracts | Currency | Maturity date | Commitment<br>value €'000 | Market value<br>€'000 | % of net assets |
|---|------------------------|----------|---------------|---------------------------|-----------------------|-----------------|
| Corporate bonds (continued)                       |                        |          |               |                           |                       |                 |
| United States (continued)                         |                        |          |               |                           |                       |                 |
| MPT Operating Partnership Via MPT Finance 0.993%  | 600,000                | €        | 15.10.2026    |                           | 459                   | 0.24            |
| Nordstrom 4.375%                                  | 235,000                | US\$     | 01.04.2030    |                           | 166                   | 0.09            |
| Nordstrom 4.25%                                   | 28,000                 | US\$     | 01.08.2031    |                           | 19                    | 0.01            |
| Omnicom Group 4.2%                                | 275,000                | US\$     | 01.06.2030    |                           | 242                   | 0.13            |
| Oracle 3.85%                                      | 315,000                | US\$     | 15.07.2036    |                           | 244                   | 0.13            |
| Oracle 3.95%                                      | 495,000                | US\$     | 25.03.2051    |                           | 335                   | 0.18            |
| Organon Via Organon Foreign Debt Co-Issuer 2.875% | 675,000                | €        | 30.04.2028    |                           | 593                   | 0.31            |
| PayPal Holdings 5.05%                             | 455,000                | US\$     | 01.06.2052    |                           | 391                   | 0.21            |
| Pilgrim's Pride 4.25%                             | 60,000                 | US\$     | 15.04.2031    |                           | 48                    | 0.02            |
| Pilgrim's Pride 3.5%                              | 355,000                | US\$     | 01.03.2032    |                           | 261                   | 0.14            |
| PPG Industries 2.75%                              | 400,000                | €        | 01.06.2029    |                           | 373                   | 0.20            |
| PVH 3.625%  | 270,000                | €        | 15.07.2024    |                           | 269                   | 0.14            |
| PVH 4.625%  | 150,000                | US\$     | 10.07.2025    |                           | 136                   | 0.07            |
| Silgan Holdings 2.25%                             | 580,000                | €        | 01.06.2028    |                           | 495                   | 0.26            |
| Spectrum Brands 4%                                | 520,000                | €        | 01.10.2026    |                           | 491                   | 0.26            |
| Tenet Healthcare 6.125%                           | 383,000                | US\$     | 15.06.2030    |                           | 343                   | 0.18            |
| Triton Water Holdings 6.25%                       | 650,000                | US\$     | 01.04.2029    |                           | 489                   | 0.26            |
| Verizon Communications 4.75%                      | 261,000                | €        | 31.10.2034    |                           | 270                   | 0.14            |
| Westlake Chemical 1.625%                          | 445,000                | €        | 17.07.2029    |                           | 361                   | 0.19            |
| Weyerhaeuser 3.375%                               | 585,000                | US\$     | 09.03.2033    |                           | 461                   | 0.24            |
| WMG Acquisition 2.25%                             | 730,000                | €        | 15.08.2031    |                           | 574                   | 0.30            |
| Government bonds                                  |                        |          |               |                           | 2,714                 | 1.43            |
| France  |                        |          |               |                           | 1,789                 | 0.94            |
| Caisse Francaise de Financement Local 0.625%      | 1,000,000              | €        | 26.01.2023    |                           | 999                   | 0.53            |
| SNCF Reseau 2.625%                                | 800,000                | €        | 29.12.2025    |                           | 790                   | 0.41            |
| Netherlands (The)                                 |                        |          |               |                           |                       |                 |
| BNG Bank 0.5%                                     | 995,000                | €        | 26.11.2025    |                           | 925                   | 0.49            |
| Interest rate futures                             |                        |          |               |                           | 4,125                 | 2.17            |
| Deutscher Bobl 5 year Futures                     | (355)                  | €        | 08.03.2023    | 412                       | 1,473                 | 0.78            |
| Deutscher Bund 10 year Futures                    | (6)                    | €        | 08.03.2023    | 8                         | 159                   | 0.08            |
| Deutscher Bund 10 year Futures                    | (162)                  | €        | 08.03.2023    | 216                       | 1,502                 | 0.79            |

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|---|------------------------|----------|---------------|---------------------------|-----------------------|-----------------|
| Interest rate futures (continued)                       |                        |          |               |                           |                       |                 |
| Deutscher Schatz 2 year Futures                         | (182)                  | €        | 08.03.2023    | 192                       | 246                   | 0.13            |
| UK Treasury Notes Futures                               | (83)                   | £        | 29.03.2023    | 93                        | 644                   | 0.34            |
| US Treasury Notes 10 year Futures                       | (108)                  | US\$     | 22.03.2023    | 114                       | 50                    | 0.03            |
| US Treasury Notes 2 year Futures                        | (10)                   | US\$     | 31.03.2023    | 19                        | (2)                   | (0.00)          |
| US Treasury Notes 30 year Futures                       | (11)                   | US\$     | 22.03.2023    | 13                        | 3                     | 0.00            |
| US Treasury Notes 5 year Futures                        | (17)                   | US\$     | 31.03.2023    | 17                        | 11                    | 0.00            |
| US Ultra Bond Futures                                   | (33)                   | US\$     | 22.03.2023    | 42                        | 39                    | 0.02            |
| Currency  |                        |          |               |                           | 1,212                 | 0.64            |
| Forward currency contracts                              |                        |          |               |                           | 1,212                 | 0.64            |
| Bought for £ 777,106.06, Sold for € 902,281.67          |                        |          | 12.01.2023    |                           | (27)                  | (0.01)          |
| Bought for € 35,046,275.25, Sold for £ 30,216,960.70    |                        |          | 12.01.2023    |                           | 1,001                 | 0.53            |
| Bought for € 22,074,561.46, Sold for US\$ 23,314,700.38 | 3                      |          | 12.01.2023    |                           | 242                   | 0.12            |
| Bought for US\$ 1,603,285.38, Sold for € 1,504,848.48   |                        |          | 12.01.2023    |                           | (4)                   | 0.00            |
| Portfolio of investments                                |                        |          |               |                           | 162,998               | 85.89           |
| Share class hedging                                     |                        |          |               |                           | (1,842)               | (0.97)          |
| Bought for £ 65,811,697.75, Sold for € 75,991,369.45    |                        |          | 13.01.2023    |                           | (1,843)               | (0.97)          |
| Bought for € 68,916.66, Sold for £ 59,704.16            |                        |          | 13.01.2023    |                           | 1                     | 0.00            |
| Total portfolio   |                        |          |               |                           | 161,156               | 84.92           |
| Net other assets/(liabilities)                          |                        |          |               |                           | 28,617                | 15.08           |
| Net assets  |                        |          |               |                           | 189,773               | 100.00          |
| Portfolio summary                                       |                        |          |               |                           |                       |                 |
| Investment assets                                       |                        |          |               |                           |                       |                 |
| Debt securities   |                        |          |               |                           | 157,661               | 83.08           |
| Unrealised gains on futures contracts                   |                        |          |               |                           | 4,127                 | 2.17            |
| Unrealised gains on forward currency contracts          |                        |          |               |                           | 1,244                 | 0.65            |
| Total Investment assets                                 |                        |          |               |                           | 163,032               | 85.90           |

### Statement of investments

#### Statement of investments (continued)

| Portfolio summary                               |         |        |
|---|---------|--------|
| Investment liabilities                          |         |        |
| Unrealised losses on futures contracts          | (2)     | 0.00   |
| Unrealised losses on forward currency contracts | (1,874) | (0.98) |
| Total Investment liabilities                    | (1,876) | (0.98) |
| Portfolio of investments                        | 161,156 | 84.92  |
| Net other assets/(liabilities)                  | 28,617  | 15.08  |
| Net assets                                      | 189,773 | 100.00 |

All securities are on an official stock exchange listing except where referenced.

Interest rates represent either the stated coupon rate or, for floating rate securities, the current reset rate which is based upon interest rates indices. Maturity dates represent either the stated date on the security, or the next interest reset date for floating rate securities or the prerefunded date for those types of securities.

Variable and floating coupon rates are those quoted as of 31 December 2022.

# Counterparty exposure

#### Counterparty exposure

| Counterparty                                       | Deriva                                    | tive exposur     | es                                     |
|--|---|------------------|--|
|  | Forward<br>currency<br>contracts<br>€'000 | Futures<br>€'000 | Collateral<br>held as<br>cash<br>€'000 |
| HSBC Bank Plc                                      | 43,920                                    | 0                | 0                                      |
| JP Morgan London                                   | 69,104                                    | 1,126            | 0                                      |
| State Street Bank and Trust Company                | 150,304                                   | 0                | 1,690                                  |
| State Street Bank and Trust Company, London Branch | 4,785                                     | 0                | 0                                      |

Exposure represents the sub-fund's exposure to that counterparty.

# Financial highlights

### **Sub-fund performance (unaudited)**

Please note past performance is not a guide to future performance and the value of investments, and the income from them, will fluctuate. This will cause the fund sub-price to fall as well as rise and you may not get back the original amount you invested.

To give an indication of the performance of the sub-fund, the following table shows the compound rate of return, per annum, over the period. Calculated on a price to price basis with income reinvested.

Long-term performance by share class as at 31 December 2022

|                           | One<br>year<br>31.12.21<br>% | Three<br>years<br>31.12.19<br>% pa | Five<br>years<br>31.12.17<br>% pa | Since<br>launch<br>% pa | Launch date<br>of the sub-fund<br>share class |
|---------------------------|------------------------------|------------------------------------|-----------------------------------|-------------------------|---|
| Euro                      |                              |                                    |                                   |                         |   |
| Class 'Al' Accumulation   | -1.7                         | n/a                                | n/a                               | -1.6                    | 15.10.21                                      |
| Class 'Al' Distribution   | -1.7                         | n/a                                | n/a                               | -1.6                    | 15.10.21                                      |
| Class 'El' Accumulation   | -1.6                         | n/a                                | n/a                               | -1.5                    | 15.10.21                                      |
| Class 'EI' Distribution   | -1.6                         | n/a                                | n/a                               | -1.5                    | 15.10.21                                      |
| Class 'L' Accumulation    | -1.7                         | n/a                                | n/a                               | -1.7                    | 15.10.21                                      |
| Class 'L' Distribution    | -1.7                         | n/a                                | n/a                               | -1.7                    | 15.10.21                                      |
| Class 'LI' Accumulation   | -1.7                         | n/a                                | n/a                               | -1.6                    | 15.10.21                                      |
| Class 'LI' Distribution   | -1.7                         | n/a                                | n/a                               | -1.6                    | 15.10.21                                      |
| Class 'P' Accumulation    | n/a                          | n/a                                | n/a                               | +2.0                    | 22.06.22                                      |
| Class 'P' Distribution    | n/a                          | n/a                                | n/a                               | +2.0                    | 22.06.22                                      |
| Class 'W' Accumulation    | -1.8                         | n/a                                | n/a                               | -1.7                    | 15.10.21                                      |
| Class 'W' Distribution    | -1.8                         | n/a                                | n/a                               | -1.7                    | 15.10.21                                      |
| Class 'WI' Accumulation   | -1.8                         | n/a                                | n/a                               | -1.7                    | 15.10.21                                      |
| Class 'WI' Distribution   | -1.8                         | n/a                                | n/a                               | -1.7                    | 15.10.21                                      |
| Sterling                  |                              |                                    |                                   |                         |   |
| Class 'EI-H' Accumulation | -0.1                         | n/a                                | n/a                               | -0.2                    | 15.10.21                                      |
| Class 'EI-H' Distribution | -0.1                         | n/a                                | n/a                               | -0.2                    | 15.10.21                                      |

# Financial highlights

### Net Asset Values (NAV) and Total Expense Ratios (TER) (unaudited)

The following table shows Net Asset Values (NAV) inclusive of any swing price adjustment as described in note 9 to the Financial Statements (also known as the price per share) at 31 December 2022 and Total Expense Ratio (TER) for the year ended to 31 December 2022.

#### Net Asset Values and Total Expense Ratios (unaudited)

| NAV per share                         | 31.12.22          | 31.12.21          |
|---------------------------------------|-------------------|-------------------|
| Euro                                  | €                 | €                 |
| Class 'Al' Accumulation               | 98.1243           | 99.7887           |
| Class 'Al' Distribution               | 96.6167           | 99.7897           |
| Class 'El' Accumulation               | 98.2460           | 99.8112           |
| Class 'El' Distribution               | 96.6345           | 99.8099           |
| Class 'L' Accumulation                | 98.0411           | 99.7733           |
| Class 'L' Distribution                | 96.5990           | 99.7739           |
| Class 'LI' Accumulation               | 98.0857           | 99.7830           |
| Class 'Ll' Distribution               | 96.6220           | 99.7794           |
| Class 'P' Accumulation                | 101.9561          | n/a               |
| Class 'P' Distribution                | 101.4131          | n/a               |
| Class 'W' Accumulation                | 97.9621           | 99.7595           |
| Class 'W' Distribution                | 96.5865           | 99.7596           |
| Class 'WI' Accumulation               | 98.0103           | 99.7672           |
| Class 'WI' Distribution               | 96.5923           | 99.7665           |
| Sterling                              | £                 | £                 |
| Class 'EI-H' Accumulation             | 99.8053           | 99.9357           |
| Class 'El-H' Distribution             | 98.1287           | 99.9359           |
| NAV at fund level                     | 31.12.22<br>€¹000 | 31.12.21<br>€'000 |
| Net assets                            | 189,773           | 77,414            |
| Swing pricing adjustment (see note 9) | n/a               | n/a               |
| Swing net assets                      | 189,773           | 77,414            |
|                                       |                   |                   |

### M&G Sustainable Total Return Credit Investment Fund

# **Financial highlights**

| Total Expense Ratio 31.12.22 | TER  |
|------------------------------|------|
| Euro                         | %    |
| Class 'Al' Accumulation      | 0.45 |
| Class 'Al' Distribution      | 0.45 |
| Class 'El' Accumulation      | 0.35 |
| Class 'El' Distribution      | 0.35 |
| Class 'L' Accumulation       | 0.52 |
| Class 'L' Distribution       | 0.52 |
| Class 'LI' Accumulation      | 0.48 |
| Class 'LI' Distribution      | 0.48 |
| Class 'P' Accumulation       | 1.09 |
| Class 'P' Distribution       | 1.09 |
| Class 'W' Accumulation       | 0.59 |
| Class 'W' Distribution       | 0.59 |
| Class 'WI' Accumulation      | 0.55 |
| Class 'WI' Distribution      | 0.55 |
| Sterling                     | %    |
| Class 'El-H' Accumulation    | 0.35 |
| Class 'El-H' Distribution    | 0.35 |

# Investment review (unaudited)

### For the year ended 31 December 2022

The M&G Total Return Credit Investment Fund ('the sub-fund') aims to maximise total return principally by exploiting long-term risk premia. The sub-fund will aim to provide investors with attractive returns from capital and income from a diversified pool of debt and debt like assets. These will include, but are not limited to, debt instruments with a fixed, variable or floating rate coupon. The investment manager will identify opportunities at the market, sector, issuer or security level to enhance returns amongst fix ed income asset classes, such as investment grade and high yield corporate bonds and on occasion, government bonds. Duration, yield curve and currency investment strategies may also be used. There is no geographic limitation to the investment universe. The sub-fund aims to outperform the benchmark 1 month SONIA (previously Euribor).

The sub-fund delivered 0.55% below its cash benchmark (GBP A Dist share class, gross of fees) during Q1 2022. The primary detractors to performance w ere exposures to corporate bonds in the Industrial and Financial sectors. The largest individual positive contributors were Magallanes, Rogers Communications, Wintershall and Intel. Notable detractors were JAB Holdings, Sigma, Elior Group and Casino Guichard.

The sub-fund delivered 4.82% below its cash benchmark (GBP A Dist share class, gross of fees) during Q2 2022. The primary detractors to performance were exposures to corporate bonds in the Industrial and Financial sectors. The largest individual positive contributors were Greene King Finance, UPCB Finance, Peel South East, William Hill and Sunshine Mid. Notable detractors were Castellum, SBB, Balder, Sigma and ADO Properties.

The sub-fund delivered 0.31% above its cash benchmark (GBP A Acc share class, gross of fees) during Q3 2022. The primary contributor to performance was exposure to corporate bonds in the Industrial sector, whilst exposure to the Financial sector was a detractor. The largest individual positive

contributors were Atalian, Balder and Castellum. Notable detractors were Casino Guichard Perrachon. Bausch Health and DEMIRE Deutsche.

The sub-fund delivered 4.52% above its cash benchmark (GBP A Acc share class, gross of fees) during Q4 2022. The primary contributor to performance was exposure to bonds in the Industrial and Financial sector, whilst exposure to the Securitised sector was a detractor. The largest individual positive contributors were Enel, GKN and Naturgy. Notable detractors were AroundTown and Atalian.

Looking ahead, global growth continues to slow, and whilst there is some slowing of inflationary pressures, headline inflation rates in the major economies still remain stubbornly high relative to targeted levels. Although there may be further volatility ahead, we believe that will continue to be attractive stock specific opportunities to add to credit exposure in current markets.

Investment review information as at 31 December 2022.

Please note that the views expressed in this Report should not be taken as a recommendation or advice on how the sub-fund or any holding mentioned in the Report is likely to perform. If you wish to obtain financial advice as to whether an investment is suitable for your needs, you should consult a Financial Adviser.

# **Statement of investments**

#### Statement of investments

| Investment description            | Holdings/<br>contracts | Currency | Maturity date | Commitment<br>value €'000 | Market value<br>€'000 | % of net assets |
|-----------------------------------|------------------------|----------|---------------|---------------------------|-----------------------|-----------------|
| Corporate bonds                   |                        |          |               |                           | 1,777,079             | 81.11           |
| Australia                         |                        |          |               |                           | 9,577                 | 0.44            |
| APA Infrastructure 1.25%          | 5,750,000              | €        | 15.03.2033    |                           | 4,087                 | 0.19            |
| Origin Energy Finance 1%          | 2,990,000              | €        | 17.09.2029    |                           | 2,390                 | 0.11            |
| Westpac Banking FRN               | 3,650,000              | €        | 13.05.2031    |                           | 3,100                 | 0.14            |
| Austria                           |                        |          |               |                           | 32,729                | 1.49            |
| Ams 6%                            | 5,390,000              | €        | 31.07.2025    |                           | 5,059                 | 0.23            |
| Erste Group Bank FRN              | 4,100,000              | €        | 07.06.2033    |                           | 3,764                 | 0.17            |
| Erste Group Bank FRN              | 2,200,000              | €        | 31.12.2099    |                           | 2,152                 | 0.10            |
| Mondi Finance Europe 2.375%       | 3,880,000              | €        | 01.04.2028    |                           | 3,595                 | 0.16            |
| Raiffeisen Bank International FRN | 2,400,000              | €        | 12.03.2030    |                           | 2,023                 | 0.09            |
| Raiffeisen Bank International FRN | 1,700,000              | €        | 20.12.2032    |                           | 1,689                 | 0.08            |
| Raiffeisen Bank International FRN | 6,400,000              | €        | 17.06.2033    |                           | 4,558                 | 0.21            |
| Sappi Papier Holding 3.625%       | 8,015,000              | €        | 15.03.2028    |                           | 6,913                 | 0.31            |
| Vienna Insurance Group FRN        | 3,300,000              | €        | 15.06.2042    |                           | 2,976                 | 0.14            |
| Belgium                           |                        |          |               |                           | 33,211                | 1.52            |
| AG Insurance FRN                  | 1,800,000              | €        | 30.06.2047    |                           | 1,650                 | 0.08            |
| Ageas FRN                         | 3,800,000              | €        | 02.07.2049    |                           | 3,221                 | 0.15            |
| Argenta Spaarbank FRN             | 4,300,000              | €        | 29.11.2027    |                           | 4,291                 | 0.20            |
| Belfius Bank FRN                  | 8,500,000              | €        | 06.04.2034    |                           | 6,561                 | 0.30            |
| KBC Group FRN                     | 7,000,000              | €        | 07.12.2031    |                           | 5,802                 | 0.26            |
| Ontex Group 3.5%                  | 8,060,000              | €        | 15.07.2026    |                           | 6,847                 | 0.31            |
| Silfin 2.875%                     | 1,000,000              | €        | 11.04.2027    |                           | 850                   | 0.04            |
| Sofina 1%                         | 5,100,000              | €        | 23.09.2028    |                           | 3,989                 | 0.18            |
| Bermuda                           |                        |          |               |                           | 12,017                | 0.55            |
| Hiscox 6%                         | 1,955,000              | £        | 22.09.2027    |                           | 2,198                 | 0.10            |
| Hiscox FRN                        | 3,220,000              | £        | 24.11.2045    |                           | 3,459                 | 0.16            |
| S-Jets 3.967%                     | 3,009,311              | US\$     | 15.08.2042    |                           | 2,189                 | 0.10            |
| Start 4.089%                      | 5,477,985              | US\$     | 15.05.2043    |                           | 4,171                 | 0.19            |
| British Virgin Islands            |                        |          |               |                           |                       |                 |
| MAS Securities 4.25%              | 6,040,000              | €        | 19.05.2026    |                           | 4,767                 | 0.22            |
| Canada                            |                        |          |               |                           | 10,275                | 0.47            |
| Bausch Health 4.875%              | 1,649,000              | US\$     | 01.06.2028    |                           | 986                   | 0.04            |
|                                   |                        |          |               |                           |                       |                 |

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# Statement of investments

### Statement of investments (continued)

| Investment description                 | Holdings/<br>contracts | Currency | Maturity date | Commitment<br>value €'000 | Market value<br>€'000 | % of net assets |
|--|------------------------|----------|---------------|---------------------------|-----------------------|-----------------|
| Corporate bonds (continued)            |                        |          |               |                           |                       |                 |
| Canada (continued)                     |                        |          |               |                           |                       |                 |
| Bausch Health 6.25%                    | 5,724,000              | US\$     | 15.02.2029    |                           | 2,591                 | 0.12            |
| Great-West Lifeco 4.7%                 | 1,897,000              | €        | 16.11.2029    |                           | 1,949                 | 0.09            |
| Rogers Communications 4.55%            | 6,495,000              | US\$     | 15.03.2052    |                           | 4,749                 | 0.22            |
| Cayman Islands                         |                        |          |               |                           | 14,941                | 0.68            |
| CIFC Funding 2018-III FRN              | 6,500,000              | US\$     | 18.07.2031    |                           | 6,000                 | 0.27            |
| MACH 1 Cayman 3.474%                   | 1,767,228              | US\$     | 15.10.2039    |                           | 1,349                 | 0.06            |
| OFSI Fund IX FRN                       | 6,400,000              | US\$     | 15.07.2031    |                           | 5,870                 | 0.27            |
| Project Silver 3.967%                  | 2,313,073              | US\$     | 15.07.2044    |                           | 1,722                 | 0.08            |
| Cyprus                                 |                        |          |               |                           |                       |                 |
| Atrium Finance Issuer 2.625%           | 1,026,000              | €        | 05.09.2027    |                           | 719                   | 0.03            |
| Czech Republic                         |                        |          |               |                           |                       |                 |
| Sazka Group 4.125%                     | 659,000                | €        | 20.11.2024    |                           | 652                   | 0.03            |
| Denmark                                |                        |          |               |                           |                       |                 |
| Danske Bank FRN                        | 7,465,000              | €        | 15.05.2031    |                           | 6,466                 | 0.29            |
| Finland                                |                        |          |               |                           | 12,187                | 0.56            |
| Metso Outotec 4.875%                   | 1,079,000              | €        | 07.12.2027    |                           | 1,084                 | 0.05            |
| Nordea Bank FRN                        | 4,805,000              | €        | 18.08.2031    |                           | 4,134                 | 0.19            |
| SATO 1.375%                            | 3,205,000              | €        | 24.02.2028    |                           | 2,328                 | 0.11            |
| SBB Treasury 1.125%                    | 5,200,000              | €        | 26.11.2029    |                           | 3,332                 | 0.15            |
| Stora Enso 7.25%                       | 1,323,000              | US\$     | 15.04.2036    |                           | 1,309                 | 0.06            |
| France                                 |                        |          |               |                           | 165,562               | 7.56            |
| Altice France 5.875%                   | 1,398,000              | €        | 01.02.2027    |                           | 1,225                 | 0.06            |
| Altice France 3.375%                   | 1,180,000              | €        | 15.01.2028    |                           | 893                   | 0.04            |
| Altice France 4.125%                   | 1,100,000              | €        | 15.01.2029    |                           | 843                   | 0.04            |
| Atos 2.5%                              | 1,500,000              | €        | 07.11.2028    |                           | 992                   | 0.05            |
| Atos 1%                                | 4,700,000              | €        | 12.11.2029    |                           | 2,970                 | 0.14            |
| AXA FRN                                | 3,431,000              | €        | 10.07.2042    |                           | 2,568                 | 0.12            |
| AXA FRN                                | 3,025,000              | €        | 10.03.2043    |                           | 2,766                 | 0.13            |
| Banijay Group 6.5%                     | 4,925,000              | €        | 01.03.2026    |                           | 4,660                 | 0.21            |
| Banque Fédérative du Crédit Mutuel FRN | 4,900,000              | €        | 16.06.2032    |                           | 4,612                 | 0.21            |
| BNP Paribas FRN                        | 2,600,000              | €        | 15.01.2032    |                           | 2,201                 | 0.10            |

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# Statement of investments

| Investment description           | Holdings/<br>contracts | Currency | Maturity date | Commitment<br>value €'000 | Market value<br>€'000 | % of net assets |
|----------------------------------|------------------------|----------|---------------|---------------------------|-----------------------|-----------------|
| Corporate bonds (continued)      |                        |          |               |                           |                       |                 |
| France (continued)               |                        |          |               |                           |                       |                 |
| BNP Paribas FRN                  | 5,235,000              | US\$     | 31.12.2099    |                           | 4,757                 | 0.22            |
| BNP Paribas Cardif FRN           | 1,400,000              | €        | 29.11.2049    |                           | 1,350                 | 0.06            |
| BPCE FRN                         | 4,365,000              | US\$     | 19.07.2033    |                           | 3,914                 | 0.18            |
| BPCE FRN                         | 6,200,000              | €        | 13.10.2046    |                           | 4,343                 | 0.20            |
| Bureau Veritas 1.875%            | 5,700,000              | €        | 06.01.2025    |                           | 5,418                 | 0.25            |
| Casino Guichard Perrachon 6.625% | 4,579,000              | €        | 15.01.2026    |                           | 2,513                 | 0.11            |
| Casino Guichard Perrachon 4.048% | 1,800,000              | €        | 05.08.2026    |                           | 932                   | 0.04            |
| Casino Guichard Perrachon 5.25%  | 3,940,000              | €        | 15.04.2027    |                           | 2,024                 | 0.09            |
| Crédit Mutuel Arkéa 3.375%       | 1,600,000              | €        | 11.03.2031    |                           | 1,458                 | 0.07            |
| Électricité de France FRN        | 7,915,000              | US\$     | 31.12.2099    |                           | 7,021                 | 0.32            |
| Elior Group 3.75%                | 6,924,000              | €        | 15.07.2026    |                           | 5,875                 | 0.27            |
| Engie FRN                        | 6,800,000              | €        | 31.12.2099    |                           | 4,920                 | 0.22            |
| Faurecia 3.75%                   | 6,350,000              | €        | 15.06.2028    |                           | 5,419                 | 0.25            |
| FFP 1.875%                       | 5,300,000              | €        | 30.10.2026    |                           | 4,358                 | 0.20            |
| lliad Holding 5.125%             | 4,965,000              | €        | 15.10.2026    |                           | 4,617                 | 0.21            |
| Imerys 1.875%                    | 1,500,000              | €        | 31.03.2028    |                           | 1,329                 | 0.06            |
| Indigo Group 1.625%              | 1,900,000              | €        | 19.04.2028    |                           | 1,645                 | 0.07            |
| La Financiere Atalian 5.125%     | 6,284,000              | €        | 15.05.2025    |                           | 4,392                 | 0.20            |
| Lagardere 1.625%                 | 3,200,000              | €        | 21.06.2024    |                           | 3,110                 | 0.14            |
| Lagardere 2.125%                 | 3,300,000              | €        | 16.10.2026    |                           | 3,119                 | 0.14            |
| Orano 3.375%                     | 3,100,000              | €        | 23.04.2026    |                           | 3,027                 | 0.14            |
| Orano 5.375%                     | 2,000,000              | €        | 15.05.2027    |                           | 2,036                 | 0.09            |
| Orano 2.75%                      | 1,400,000              | €        | 08.03.2028    |                           | 1,263                 | 0.06            |
| Paprec Holding 4%                | 2,641,000              | €        | 31.03.2025    |                           | 2,562                 | 0.12            |
| Paprec Holding 3.5%              | 4,424,000              | €        | 01.07.2028    |                           | 3,846                 | 0.18            |
| Parts Europe 6.5%                | 2,100,000              | €        | 16.07.2025    |                           | 2,103                 | 0.10            |
| Parts Europe FRN                 | 2,170,000              | €        | 20.07.2027    |                           | 2,113                 | 0.10            |
| Quadient 2.25%                   | 3,200,000              | €        | 03.02.2025    |                           | 2,952                 | 0.13            |
| RCI Banque 4.875%                | 1,295,000              | €        | 21.09.2028    |                           | 1,271                 | 0.06            |
| RCI Banque FRN                   | 3,200,000              | €        | 18.02.2030    |                           | 2,868                 | 0.13            |
| Renault 2.5%                     | 2,700,000              | €        | 01.04.2028    |                           | 2,288                 | 0.10            |

# Statement of investments

| Investment description                              | Holdings/<br>contracts | Currency | Maturity date | Commitment<br>value €'000 | Market value<br>€'000 | % of net assets |
|---|------------------------|----------|---------------|---------------------------|-----------------------|-----------------|
| Corporate bonds (continued)                         |                        |          |               |                           |                       |                 |
| France (continued)                                  |                        |          |               |                           |                       |                 |
| RTE Réseau de Transport d'Électricité SADIR 1.125%  | 2,500,000              | €        | 08.07.2040    |                           | 1,608                 | 0.07            |
| SEB 1.375%  | 2,300,000              | €        | 16.06.2025    |                           | 2,140                 | 0.10            |
| Société Générale FRN                                | 3,065,000              | US\$     | 29.12.2049    |                           | 2,850                 | 0.13            |
| Société Générale FRN                                | 4,560,000              | US\$     | 31.12.2099    |                           | 4,099                 | 0.19            |
| SPCM 2.625%   | 5,550,000              | €        | 01.02.2029    |                           | 4,669                 | 0.21            |
| Suez 5%   | 2,300,000              | €        | 03.11.2032    |                           | 2,362                 | 0.11            |
| Tereos Finance Groupe I 7.5%                        | 5,055,000              | €        | 30.10.2025    |                           | 5,109                 | 0.23            |
| TOTAL FRN   | 2,965,000              | €        | 29.12.2049    |                           | 2,780                 | 0.13            |
| Unibail-Rodamco-Westfield FRN                       | 1,300,000              | €        | 31.12.2099    |                           | 992                   | 0.04            |
| Vallourec 8.5%                                      | 3,727,000              | €        | 30.06.2026    |                           | 3,667                 | 0.17            |
| Veolia Environnement FRN                            | 5,600,000              | €        | 31.12.2099    |                           | 4,480                 | 0.20            |
| Verallia 1.875%                                     | 6,000,000              | €        | 10.11.2031    |                           | 4,696                 | 0.21            |
| Wendel 1.375%                                       | 5,100,000              | €        | 18.01.2034    |                           | 3,537                 | 0.16            |
| Germany   |                        |          |               |                           | 149,375               | 6.82            |
| ADLER Real Estate 3%                                | 6,200,000              | €        | 27.04.2026    |                           | 4,332                 | 0.20            |
| Allianz FRN   | 6,500,000              | €        | 25.09.2049    |                           | 5,084                 | 0.23            |
| Allianz FRN   | 3,600,000              | €        | 31.12.2099    |                           | 2,662                 | 0.12            |
| Amprion 3.971%                                      | 3,100,000              | €        | 22.09.2032    |                           | 3,064                 | 0.14            |
| BASF 3%   | 4,800,000              | €        | 07.02.2033    |                           | 4,314                 | 0.20            |
| Bayerische Landesbank FRN                           | 6,300,000              | €        | 23.09.2031    |                           | 5,055                 | 0.23            |
| Bayerische Landesbank FRN                           | 1,500,000              | €        | 22.11.2032    |                           | 1,141                 | 0.05            |
| Bertelsmann FRN                                     | 5,700,000              | €        | 23.04.2075    |                           | 5,210                 | 0.24            |
| Commerzbank FRN                                     | 6,300,000              | €        | 29.12.2031    |                           | 5,102                 | 0.23            |
| Commerzbank FRN                                     | 600,000                | £        | 28.02.2033    |                           | 680                   | 0.03            |
| Covestro 4.75%                                      | 1,700,000              | €        | 15.11.2028    |                           | 1,708                 | 0.08            |
| DEMIRE Deutsche Mittelstand Real Estate 1.875%      | 8,600,000              | €        | 15.10.2024    |                           | 6,001                 | 0.27            |
| Deutsche Bank FRN                                   | 12,000,000             | €        | 24.06.2032    |                           | 10,648                | 0.49            |
| EnBW Energie Baden-Württemberg FRN                  | 8,200,000              | €        | 05.08.2079    |                           | 6,600                 | 0.30            |
| EnBW Energie Baden-Württemberg FRN                  | 1,200,000              | €        | 29.06.2080    |                           | 1,035                 | 0.05            |
| EWE 0.375%  | 3,435,000              | €        | 22.10.2032    |                           | 2,332                 | 0.11            |
| Fraport Frankfurt Airport Services Worldwide 1.875% | 7,739,000              | €        | 31.03.2028    |                           | 6,684                 | 0.30            |

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| Corporate bonds (continued)                   |                        |          |               |                           |                       |                 |
| Germany (continued)                           |                        |          |               |                           |                       |                 |
| Fresenius 5%                                  | 3,300,000              | €        | 28.11.2029    |                           | 3,217                 | 0.15            |
| Fresenius 2.875%                              | 3,066,000              | €        | 24.05.2030    |                           | 2,634                 | 0.12            |
| Gruenenthal 3.625%                            | 933,000                | €        | 15.11.2026    |                           | 857                   | 0.04            |
| Hannover Rueck FRN                            | 2,700,000              | €        | 08.10.2040    |                           | 2,104                 | 0.10            |
| Hannover Rueck FRN                            | 5,300,000              | €        | 30.06.2042    |                           | 3,810                 | 0.17            |
| Hannover Rueck FRN                            | 1,100,000              | €        | 26.08.2043    |                           | 1,126                 | 0.05            |
| IHO Verwaltungs 3.75%                         | 2,527,573              | €        | 15.09.2026    |                           | 2,205                 | 0.10            |
| IHO Verwaltungs 3.875%                        | 1,565,813              | €        | 15.05.2027    |                           | 1,329                 | 0.06            |
| INEOS Styrolution Group 2.25%                 | 6,300,000              | €        | 16.01.2027    |                           | 5,145                 | 0.23            |
| Kreditanstalt für Wiederaufbau 0.5%           | 5,835,000              | US\$     | 20.09.2024    |                           | 5,099                 | 0.23            |
| Landesbank Baden-Württemberg 2.2%             | 4,800,000              | €        | 09.05.2029    |                           | 3,934                 | 0.18            |
| Landesbank Hessen-Thüringen Girozentrale FRN  | 6,400,000              | €        | 15.09.2032    |                           | 6,092                 | 0.28            |
| LANXESS 1.75%                                 | 5,400,000              | €        | 22.03.2028    |                           | 4,751                 | 0.22            |
| LEG Immobilien 0.75%                          | 500,000                | €        | 30.06.2031    |                           | 354                   | 0.02            |
| Mahle 2.375%                                  | 8,700,000              | €        | 14.05.2028    |                           | 6,335                 | 0.29            |
| Münchener Rüeckversicherungs-Gesellschaft FRN | 4,000,000              | €        | 26.05.2042    |                           | 2,813                 | 0.13            |
| Norddeutsche Landesbank-Girozentrale 6.25%    | 7,600,000              | US\$     | 10.04.2024    |                           | 6,959                 | 0.32            |
| Renk 5.75%                                    | 5,525,000              | €        | 15.07.2025    |                           | 5,200                 | 0.24            |
| Schaeffler 3.375%                             | 3,700,000              | €        | 12.10.2028    |                           | 3,232                 | 0.15            |
| TK Elevator Holdco 6.625%                     | 4,365,000              | €        | 15.07.2028    |                           | 3,627                 | 0.16            |
| Vertical Midco 4.375%                         | 2,650,000              | €        | 15.07.2027    |                           | 2,365                 | 0.11            |
| Vier Gas Transport 4.625%                     | 2,600,000              | €        | 26.09.2032    |                           | 2,620                 | 0.12            |
| Vonovia 5%                                    | 900,000                | €        | 23.11.2030    |                           | 885                   | 0.04            |
| Vonovia 1.625%                                | 1,500,000              | €        | 01.09.2051    |                           | 693                   | 0.03            |
| ZF Finance 3.75%                              | 400,000                | €        | 21.09.2028    |                           | 337                   | 0.01            |
| Gibraltar                                     |                        |          |               |                           |                       |                 |
| 888 Acquisitions 7.558%                       | 5,050,000              | €        | 15.07.2027    |                           | 4,356                 | 0.20            |
| Guernsey                                      |                        |          |               |                           |                       |                 |
| Summit Properties 2%                          | 6,720,000              | €        | 31.01.2025    |                           | 5,812                 | 0.27            |
| Hong Kong                                     |                        |          |               |                           | 6,758                 | 0.31            |
| AIA Group FRN                                 | 2,585,000              | €        | 09.09.2033    |                           | 2,012                 | 0.09            |

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| Corporate bonds (continued)                   |                        |          |               |                           |                       |                 |
| Hong Kong (continued)                         |                        |          |               |                           |                       |                 |
| Lenovo Group 6.536%                           | 5,230,000              | US\$     | 27.07.2032    |                           | 4,746                 | 0.22            |
| Iceland                                       |                        |          |               |                           | 11,447                | 0.52            |
| Arion Banki 0.625%                            | 5,000,000              | €        | 27.05.2024    |                           | 4,581                 | 0.21            |
| Arion Banki 4.875%                            | 1,510,000              | €        | 21.12.2024    |                           | 1,456                 | 0.06            |
| Landsbankinn 0.75%                            | 6,725,000              | €        | 25.05.2026    |                           | 5,410                 | 0.25            |
| Ireland                                       |                        |          |               |                           | 97,551                | 4.45            |
| AIB Group FRN                                 | 3,090,000              | €        | 30.05.2031    |                           | 2,778                 | 0.13            |
| AIB Group FRN                                 | 3,995,000              | €        | 31.12.2099    |                           | 3,679                 | 0.17            |
| ALME Loan Funding III Designated Activity FRN | 2,043,028              | €        | 15.04.2032    |                           | 1,988                 | 0.09            |
| Avoca CLO XI FRN                              | 3,761,045              | €        | 15.07.2030    |                           | 3,679                 | 0.17            |
| Avoca CLO XVII FRN                            | 6,025,000              | €        | 15.10.2032    |                           | 5,820                 | 0.27            |
| Avoca CLO XXV FRN                             | 5,182,000              | €        | 15.10.2034    |                           | 4,958                 | 0.23            |
| Bank of Ireland Group FRN                     | 8,985,000              | €        | 11.08.2031    |                           | 7,579                 | 0.35            |
| Berg Finance FRN                              | 581,991                | €        | 22.04.2033    |                           | 552                   | 0.02            |
| Blackrock European CLO XII FRN                | 6,815,000              | €        | 17.01.2035    |                           | 6,456                 | 0.29            |
| Cairn CLO XIV FRN                             | 5,802,000              | €        | 29.10.2034    |                           | 5,578                 | 0.25            |
| CIFC European Funding CLO V FRN               | 7,200,000              | €        | 23.11.2034    |                           | 6,881                 | 0.31            |
| Elizabeth Finance FRN                         | 1,300,325              | £        | 20.07.2028    |                           | 1,059                 | 0.05            |
| EOS European Loan Conduit No. 35 FRN          | 33,833                 | €        | 23.04.2029    |                           | 34                    | 0.00            |
| Finance Ireland RMBS No. 4 FRN                | 3,342,547              | €        | 24.12.2061    |                           | 3,326                 | 0.15            |
| Glenbeigh 2 Issuer FRN <sup>a</sup>           | 4,082,349              | €        | 24.06.2050    |                           | 3,966                 | 0.18            |
| James Hardie International Finance 3.625%     | 2,385,000              | €        | 01.10.2026    |                           | 2,236                 | 0.10            |
| LCPR Senior Secured Financing 6.75%           | 4,198,000              | US\$     | 15.10.2027    |                           | 3,687                 | 0.17            |
| Lusitano Mortgages No. 5 FRN                  | 2,461,880              | €        | 15.07.2059    |                           | 2,323                 | 0.11            |
| Magellan Mortgages No. 1 FRN                  | 163,954                | €        | 15.12.2036    |                           | 164                   | 0.01            |
| Magellan Mortgages No. 3 FRN                  | 1,112,363              | €        | 15.05.2058    |                           | 1,048                 | 0.05            |
| Palmer Square European Loan Funding FRN       | 4,073,005              | €        | 15.07.2031    |                           | 3,936                 | 0.18            |
| Palmer Square European Loan Funding FRN       | 7,132,866              | €        | 15.10.2031    |                           | 6,918                 | 0.32            |
| Permanent TSB Group Holdings FRN              | 4,199,000              | €        | 30.06.2025    |                           | 4,050                 | 0.18            |
| Permanent TSB Group Holdings FRN              | 5,495,000              | €        | 19.08.2031    |                           | 4,498                 | 0.21            |
| RRE 5 Loan Management FRN                     | 6,226,000              | €        | 15.01.2037    |                           | 5,973                 | 0.27            |

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| Corporate bonds (continued)                 |                        |          |               |                           |                       |                 |
| Ireland (continued)                         |                        |          |               |                           |                       |                 |
| Silverback Finance 3.1261% <sup>b</sup>     | 4,200,866              | €        | 25.02.2037    |                           | 202                   | 0.01            |
| Taurus FRN                                  | 1,653,275              | £        | 22.05.2028    |                           | 1,843                 | 0.08            |
| Taurus FRN                                  | 869,949                | £        | 22.05.2028    |                           | 945                   | 0.04            |
| Taurus FRN                                  | 1,427,938              | €        | 18.11.2031    |                           | 1,395                 | 0.06            |
| Isle Of Man                                 |                        |          |               |                           |                       |                 |
| Playtech 4.25%                              | 3,433,000              | €        | 07.03.2026    |                           | 3,253                 | 0.15            |
| Italy                                       |                        |          |               |                           | 87,829                | 4.01            |
| Aeroporti di Roma 1.75%                     | 2,307,000              | €        | 30.07.2031    |                           | 1,723                 | 0.08            |
| Assicurazioni Generali 5.8%                 | 4,194,000              | €        | 06.07.2032    |                           | 4,471                 | 0.20            |
| Banco BPM 1.625%                            | 5,965,000              | €        | 18.02.2025    |                           | 5,556                 | 0.25            |
| Brunello Bidco FRN                          | 2,432,000              | €        | 15.02.2028    |                           | 2,310                 | 0.11            |
| Enel FRN                                    | 8,435,000              | €        | 31.12.2099    |                           | 6,695                 | 0.31            |
| Eni FRN                                     | 1,800,000              | €        | 31.12.2099    |                           | 1,636                 | 0.08            |
| Eni FRN                                     | 6,040,000              | €        | 31.12.2099    |                           | 5,031                 | 0.23            |
| Esercizi Aeroportuali SEA 3.5%              | 6,837,000              | €        | 09.10.2025    |                           | 6,359                 | 0.29            |
| Fire BC FRN                                 | 3,686,000              | €        | 30.09.2024    |                           | 3,542                 | 0.16            |
| Gamma Bidco 6.25%                           | 5,525,000              | €        | 15.07.2025    |                           | 5,409                 | 0.25            |
| ICCREA Banca FRN                            | 5,787,000              | €        | 17.01.2027    |                           | 5,125                 | 0.23            |
| International Design Group 6.5%             | 4,150,000              | €        | 15.11.2025    |                           | 3,783                 | 0.17            |
| International Design Group FRN              | 784,000                | €        | 15.05.2026    |                           | 745                   | 0.03            |
| Intesa Sanpaolo FRN                         | 3,655,000              | US\$     | 01.06.2032    |                           | 2,531                 | 0.12            |
| Intesa Sanpaolo 8.505%                      | 4,375,000              | £        | 20.09.2032    |                           | 4,906                 | 0.22            |
| Intesa Sanpaolo FRN                         | 2,190,000              | US\$     | 21.11.2033    |                           | 2,095                 | 0.10            |
| Intesa Sanpaolo Vita 2.375%                 | 5,218,000              | €        | 22.12.2030    |                           | 3,816                 | 0.17            |
| Intesa Sanpaolo Vita FRN                    | 900,000                | €        | 31.12.2049    |                           | 878                   | 0.04            |
| Leather 2 FRN                               | 1,171,000              | €        | 30.09.2028    |                           | 908                   | 0.04            |
| Mediobanca Banca di Credito Finanziario FRN | 2,075,000              | €        | 07.02.2029    |                           | 2,054                 | 0.09            |
| Snam 1.25%                                  | 5,170,000              | €        | 20.06.2034    |                           | 3,726                 | 0.17            |
| Taurus FRN <sup>b</sup>                     | 1,778,085              | €        | 18.08.2029    |                           | 1,709                 | 0.08            |
| Terna - Rete Elettrica Nazionale FRN        | 2,845,000              | €        | 31.12.2099    |                           | 2,390                 | 0.11            |
| UniCredit FRN                               | 5,765,000              | €        | 20.02.2029    |                           | 5,718                 | 0.26            |

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| Corporate bonds (continued)                         |                        |          |               |                           |                       |                 |
| Italy (continued)                                   |                        |          |               |                           |                       |                 |
| UniCredit FRN                                       | 5,250,000              | €        | 31.12.2099    |                           | 4,713                 | 0.22            |
| Japan   |                        |          |               |                           | 2,678                 | 0.12            |
| Rakuten Group FRN                                   | 3,045,000              | €        | 31.12.2099    |                           | 1,766                 | 0.08            |
| Takeda Pharmaceutical 2%                            | 1,278,000              | €        | 09.07.2040    |                           | 912                   | 0.04            |
| Jersey  |                        |          |               |                           | 32,642                | 1.49            |
| AA Bond 6.5%  | 5,387,000              | £        | 31.01.2026    |                           | 4,874                 | 0.22            |
| AA Bond 6.269%                                      | 1,255,000              | £        | 02.07.2043    |                           | 1,345                 | 0.06            |
| AA Bond 3.25%                                       | 269,000                | £        | 31.07.2050    |                           | 227                   | 0.01            |
| AA Bond 5.5%  | 565,000                | £        | 31.07.2050    |                           | 552                   | 0.02            |
| AA Bond 7.375%                                      | 2,458,000              | £        | 31.07.2050    |                           | 2,396                 | 0.11            |
| CPUK Finance 6.5%                                   | 1,375,000              | £        | 28.08.2026    |                           | 1,428                 | 0.06            |
| CPUK Finance 4.5%                                   | 643,000                | £        | 28.08.2027    |                           | 606                   | 0.03            |
| CPUK Finance 4.875%                                 | 3,475,000              | £        | 28.02.2047    |                           | 3,631                 | 0.17            |
| Heathrow Funding 2.75%                              | 1,457,000              | £        | 13.10.2031    |                           | 1,360                 | 0.06            |
| Heathrow Funding 1.125%                             | 3,509,000              | €        | 08.10.2032    |                           | 2,752                 | 0.13            |
| Kennedy Wilson Europe Real Estate 3.25%             | 8,300,000              | €        | 12.11.2025    |                           | 6,526                 | 0.30            |
| Oriflame Investment Holding FRN                     | 2,912,000              | €        | 04.05.2026    |                           | 1,728                 | 0.08            |
| TVL Finance FRN                                     | 4,890,000              | £        | 15.07.2025    |                           | 5,217                 | 0.24            |
| Luxembourg  |                        |          |               |                           | 91,607                | 4.18            |
| ADLER Group 1.5%                                    | 7,900,000              | €        | 26.07.2024    |                           | 5,456                 | 0.25            |
| Altice France Holding 8%                            | 2,721,000              | €        | 15.05.2027    |                           | 2,017                 | 0.09            |
| ARD Finance 5%                                      | 1,138,010              | €        | 30.06.2027    |                           | 770                   | 0.04            |
| Aroundtown FRN                                      | 2,695,000              | £        | 31.12.2099    |                           | 1,456                 | 0.07            |
| Blackstone Property Partners Europe Holdings 2.2%   | 3,799,000              | €        | 24.07.2025    |                           | 3,384                 | 0.15            |
| Blackstone Property Partners Europe Holdings 1.75%  | 3,145,000              | €        | 12.03.2029    |                           | 2,304                 | 0.11            |
| Blackstone Property Partners Europe Holdings 3.625% | 2,200,000              | €        | 29.10.2029    |                           | 1,793                 | 0.08            |
| Cirsa Finance International 6.25%                   | 1,133,030              | €        | 20.12.2023    |                           | 1,128                 | 0.05            |
| CK Hutchison Group Telecom Finance 2%               | 1,766,000              | £        | 17.10.2027    |                           | 1,693                 | 0.08            |
| CPI Property Group 1.625%                           | 1,550,000              | €        | 23.04.2027    |                           | 1,107                 | 0.05            |
| CPI Property Group FRN                              | 7,875,000              | €        | 25.07.2028    |                           | 4,104                 | 0.19            |
| CPI Property Group 1.5%                             | 3,575,000              | €        | 27.01.2031    |                           | 2,075                 | 0.10            |

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| Corporate bonds (continued)           |                        |          |               |                           |                       |                 |
| Luxembourg (continued)                |                        |          |               |                           |                       |                 |
| Dana Financing Luxembourg 3%          | 8,250,000              | €        | 15.07.2029    |                           | 6,347                 | 0.29            |
| Eurofins Scientific FRN               | 1,850,000              | €        | 29.12.2049    |                           | 1,851                 | 0.08            |
| Eurofins Scientific FRN               | 5,900,000              | €        | 31.12.2099    |                           | 5,306                 | 0.24            |
| Grand City Properties FRN             | 1,900,000              | €        | 31.12.2099    |                           | 862                   | 0.04            |
| GTC Aurora Luxembourg 2.25%           | 3,534,000              | €        | 23.06.2026    |                           | 2,590                 | 0.12            |
| Helvetia Europe FRN                   | 5,605,000              | €        | 30.09.2041    |                           | 4,357                 | 0.20            |
| Holcim Finance Luxembourg 0.5%        | 3,035,000              | €        | 23.04.2031    |                           | 2,266                 | 0.10            |
| Lincoln Financing 3.625%              | 3,176,000              | €        | 01.04.2024    |                           | 3,145                 | 0.14            |
| Logicor Financing 3.25%               | 3,950,000              | €        | 13.11.2028    |                           | 3,333                 | 0.15            |
| Logicor Financing 1.625%              | 469,000                | €        | 17.01.2030    |                           | 343                   | 0.02            |
| Logicor Financing 2%                  | 344,000                | €        | 17.01.2034    |                           | 219                   | 0.01            |
| Medtronic Global Holdings 2.25%       | 3,143,000              | €        | 07.03.2039    |                           | 2,448                 | 0.11            |
| Medtronic Global Holdings 1.375%      | 1,381,000              | €        | 15.10.2040    |                           | 901                   | 0.04            |
| Medtronic Global Holdings 1.75%       | 1,090,000              | €        | 02.07.2049    |                           | 676                   | 0.03            |
| Millicom International Cellular 6.25% | 1,161,000              | US\$     | 25.03.2029    |                           | 1,042                 | 0.05            |
| Pentair Finance 5.9%                  | 2,427,000              | US\$     | 15.07.2032    |                           | 2,243                 | 0.10            |
| PLT VII Finance 4.625%                | 4,214,000              | €        | 05.01.2026    |                           | 3,980                 | 0.18            |
| SES FRN                               | 1,100,000              | €        | 29.12.2049    |                           | 1,075                 | 0.05            |
| SES FRN                               | 5,448,000              | €        | 31.12.2099    |                           | 4,365                 | 0.20            |
| Summer (BC) Holdco A 9.25%            | 3,870,922              | €        | 31.10.2027    |                           | 2,954                 | 0.14            |
| Summer (BC) Holdco B 5.75%            | 2,315,000              | €        | 31.10.2026    |                           | 1,982                 | 0.09            |
| Telecom Italia Finance 7.75%          | 6,029,000              | €        | 24.01.2033    |                           | 6,382                 | 0.29            |
| Traton Finance Luxembourg 0.75%       | 3,000,000              | €        | 24.03.2029    |                           | 2,408                 | 0.11            |
| Vivion Investments 3%                 | 2,900,000              | €        | 08.08.2024    |                           | 2,268                 | 0.10            |
| Vivion Investments 3.5%               | 1,300,000              | €        | 01.11.2025    |                           | 977                   | 0.04            |
| Netherlands (The)                     |                        |          |               |                           | 195,259               | 8.91            |
| Abertis Infraestructuras Finance FRN  | 8,400,000              | €        | 31.12.2099    |                           | 7,132                 | 0.33            |
| ABN AMRO Bank FRN                     | 4,300,000              | €        | 22.02.2033    |                           | 4,267                 | 0.19            |
| ABN AMRO Bank 4.5%                    | 2,300,000              | €        | 21.11.2034    |                           | 2,278                 | 0.10            |
| Argentum Netherlands FRN              | 1,800,000              | US\$     | 31.12.2099    |                           | 1,427                 | 0.07            |
| ASR Nederland FRN                     | 1,099,000              | €        | 07.12.2043    |                           | 1,103                 | 0.05            |

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| Corporate bonds (continued)       |                        |          |               |                           |                       |                 |
| Netherlands (The) (continued)     |                        |          |               |                           |                       |                 |
| ASR Nederland FRN                 | 2,470,000              | €        | 02.05.2049    |                           | 2,119                 | 0.10            |
| AT Securities FRN                 | 2,750,000              | US\$     | 31.12.2099    |                           | 1,224                 | 0.06            |
| CRH Funding 1.625%                | 798,000                | €        | 05.05.2030    |                           | 682                   | 0.03            |
| CTP 1.25%                         | 4,555,000              | €        | 21.06.2029    |                           | 3,037                 | 0.14            |
| CTP 1.5%                          | 1,829,000              | €        | 27.09.2031    |                           | 1,100                 | 0.05            |
| Davide Campari-Milano 1.25%       | 4,320,000              | €        | 06.10.2027    |                           | 3,743                 | 0.17            |
| Domi 2021-1 FRN                   | 5,305,564              | €        | 15.06.2053    |                           | 5,201                 | 0.24            |
| Dragon Finance FRN                | 75,429                 | £        | 13.07.2023    |                           | 83                    | 0.00            |
| Dragon Finance FRN                | 1,450,000              | £        | 13.07.2023    |                           | 1,591                 | 0.07            |
| Dragon Finance FRN                | 300,000                | £        | 13.07.2023    |                           | 312                   | 0.01            |
| DSV Finance 0.875%                | 898,000                | €        | 17.09.2036    |                           | 576                   | 0.03            |
| E.ON International Finance 6.65%  | 3,985,000              | US\$     | 30.04.2038    |                           | 3,802                 | 0.17            |
| E.ON International Finance 6.125% | 1,300,000              | £        | 06.07.2039    |                           | 1,508                 | 0.07            |
| Enel Finance International 7.75%  | 5,559,000              | US\$     | 14.10.2052    |                           | 5,617                 | 0.26            |
| Firmenich International FRN       | 3,885,000              | €        | 31.12.2099    |                           | 3,708                 | 0.17            |
| Goodyear Europe 2.75%             | 8,585,000              | €        | 15.08.2028    |                           | 6,932                 | 0.32            |
| Highbury Finance 7.017%           | 1,147,427              | £        | 20.03.2023    |                           | 1,299                 | 0.06            |
| Iberdrola International FRN       | 3,500,000              | €        | 31.12.2099    |                           | 2,679                 | 0.12            |
| Iberdrola International FRN       | 3,400,000              | €        | 31.12.2099    |                           | 2,734                 | 0.12            |
| ING Groep FRN                     | 4,600,000              | €        | 26.05.2031    |                           | 4,179                 | 0.19            |
| ING Groep FRN                     | 3,400,000              | €        | 24.08.2033    |                           | 3,208                 | 0.15            |
| IPD 3 5.5%                        | 4,311,000              | €        | 01.12.2025    |                           | 4,103                 | 0.19            |
| JAB Holdings 2.5%                 | 2,900,000              | €        | 25.06.2029    |                           | 2,594                 | 0.12            |
| JAB Holdings 2.25%                | 5,600,000              | €        | 19.12.2039    |                           | 3,824                 | 0.17            |
| Jubilee Place FRN                 | 1,016,457              | €        | 17.10.2057    |                           | 1,008                 | 0.05            |
| Jubilee Place FRN                 | 3,981,983              | €        | 17.07.2058    |                           | 3,924                 | 0.18            |
| Koninklijke FRN                   | 1,400,000              | €        | 31.12.2099    |                           | 1,401                 | 0.06            |
| LeasePlan FRN                     | 1,550,000              | €        | 31.12.2099    |                           | 1,540                 | 0.07            |
| Naturgy Finance FRN               | 7,100,000              | €        | 31.12.2099    |                           | 6,189                 | 0.28            |
| NE Property 3.375%                | 3,434,000              | €        | 14.07.2027    |                           | 2,980                 | 0.14            |
| NE Property 2%                    | 4,391,000              | €        | 20.01.2030    |                           | 3,049                 | 0.14            |

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| Corporate bonds (continued)                       |                        |          |               |                           |                       |                 |
| Netherlands (The) (continued)                     |                        |          |               |                           |                       |                 |
| NN Group FRN                                      | 4,535,000              | €        | 01.03.2043    |                           | 4,220                 | 0.19            |
| OCI 3.625%  | 3,465,900              | €        | 15.10.2025    |                           | 3,441                 | 0.16            |
| Q-Park Holding I 2%                               | 7,378,000              | €        | 01.03.2027    |                           | 6,188                 | 0.28            |
| Rentokil Initial Finance 4.375%                   | 1,697,000              | €        | 27.06.2030    |                           | 1,726                 | 0.08            |
| Repsol International Finance FRN                  | 1,255,000              | €        | 31.12.2099    |                           | 1,083                 | 0.05            |
| Repsol International Finance FRN                  | 5,145,000              | €        | 31.12.2099    |                           | 4,783                 | 0.22            |
| Repsol International Finance FRN                  | 874,000                | €        | 31.12.2099    |                           | 782                   | 0.04            |
| Sagax 0.75%                                       | 1,658,000              | €        | 26.01.2028    |                           | 1,249                 | 0.06            |
| Sagax 1%  | 2,651,000              | €        | 17.05.2029    |                           | 1,866                 | 0.09            |
| Sigma Holdco 5.75%                                | 8,290,000              | €        | 15.05.2026    |                           | 6,010                 | 0.27            |
| Stellantis 2.75%                                  | 6,548,000              | €        | 01.04.2032    |                           | 5,568                 | 0.25            |
| Stellantis 1.25%                                  | 1,787,000              | €        | 20.06.2033    |                           | 1,259                 | 0.06            |
| Telefonica Europe FRN                             | 6,600,000              | €        | 31.12.2099    |                           | 6,312                 | 0.29            |
| Telefonica Europe FRN                             | 1,100,000              | €        | 31.12.2099    |                           | 1,126                 | 0.05            |
| TenneT Holding 4.75%                              | 3,097,000              | €        | 28.10.2042    |                           | 3,291                 | 0.15            |
| Teva Pharmaceutical Finance Netherlands II 1.875% | 1,000,000              | €        | 31.03.2027    |                           | 808                   | 0.04            |
| Teva Pharmaceutical Finance Netherlands II 3.75%  | 2,860,000              | €        | 09.05.2027    |                           | 2,486                 | 0.11            |
| Thermo Fisher Scientific Finance I 2%             | 2,666,000              | €        | 18.10.2051    |                           | 1,686                 | 0.08            |
| Triodos Bank FRN                                  | 7,000,000              | €        | 05.02.2032    |                           | 5,261                 | 0.24            |
| Upjohn Finance 1.908%                             | 9,111,000              | €        | 23.06.2032    |                           | 6,991                 | 0.32            |
| Viterra Finance 1%                                | 3,460,000              | €        | 24.09.2028    |                           | 2,781                 | 0.13            |
| Viterra Finance 5.25%                             | 4,875,000              | US\$     | 21.04.2032    |                           | 4,038                 | 0.18            |
| Volkswagen International Finance FRN              | 3,331,000              | €        | 29.03.2049    |                           | 3,172                 | 0.14            |
| Volkswagen International Finance FRN              | 1,800,000              | €        | 31.12.2099    |                           | 1,535                 | 0.07            |
| Volkswagen International Finance FRN              | 2,500,000              | €        | 31.12.2099    |                           | 2,222                 | 0.10            |
| VZ Vendor Financing II 2.875%                     | 1,525,000              | €        | 15.01.2029    |                           | 1,180                 | 0.05            |
| Wabtec Transportation 1.25%                       | 2,096,000              | €        | 03.12.2027    |                           | 1,782                 | 0.08            |
| Wintershall Dea Finance 2 FRN                     | 3,500,000              | €        | 31.12.2099    |                           | 2,843                 | 0.13            |
| Wintershall Dea Finance 2 FRN                     | 1,900,000              | €        | 31.12.2099    |                           | 1,397                 | 0.06            |
| ZF Europe Finance 2.5%                            | 6,400,000              | €        | 23.10.2027    |                           | 5,297                 | 0.24            |
| Ziggo Bond 3.375%                                 | 995,000                | €        | 28.02.2030    |                           | 723                   | 0.03            |

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| Corporate bonds (continued)   |                        |          |               |                        |                       |                 |
| Norway  |                        |          |               |                        | 5,654                 | 0.26            |
| Adevinta 3%   | 2,512,000              | €        | 15.11.2027    |                        | 2,231                 | 0.10            |
| Var Energi 8%   | 1,788,000              | US\$     | 15.11.2032    |                        | 1,732                 | 0.08            |
| Yara International 7.378%   | 1,720,000              | US\$     | 14.11.2032    |                        | 1,691                 | 0.08            |
| Panama  |                        |          |               |                        |                       |                 |
| Carnival 10.125%  | 5,130,000              | €        | 01.02.2026    |                        | 5,114                 | 0.23            |
| Portugal  |                        |          |               |                        | 22,828                | 1.04            |
| Banco Comercial Português FRN   | 2,900,000              | €        | 17.05.2032    |                        | 2,043                 | 0.09            |
| Banco Comercial Português FRN   | 4,000,000              | €        | 31.12.2099    |                        | 3,537                 | 0.16            |
| Caixa Geral de Depositos FRN  | 4,300,000              | €        | 31.10.2028    |                        | 4,360                 | 0.20            |
| EDP - Energias de Portugal FRN  | 7,600,000              | €        | 14.03.2082    |                        | 6,213                 | 0.29            |
| GAMMA Sociedade de Titularizacao de Creditos<br>Atlantes Mortgage No. 2 FRN | 2,110,441              | €        | 18.09.2060    |                        | 1,995                 | 0.09            |
| GAMMA Sociedade de Titularizacao de Creditos<br>Atlantes Mortgage No. 2 FRN | 525,591                | €        | 20.12.2064    |                        | 485                   | 0.02            |
| Novo Banco FRN  | 4,400,000              | €        | 06.07.2028    |                        | 4,195                 | 0.19            |
| Spain   |                        |          |               |                        | 61,405                | 2.80            |
| Banco Bilbao Vizcaya Argentaria FRN   | 3,600,000              | €        | 31.12.2099    |                        | 3,440                 | 0.16            |
| Banco de Crédito Social Cooperativo FRN                                     | 2,000,000              | €        | 22.09.2026    |                        | 2,013                 | 0.09            |
| Banco de Crédito Social Cooperativo FRN                                     | 2,500,000              | €        | 27.11.2031    |                        | 2,110                 | 0.10            |
| Banco de Sabadell FRN   | 5,100,000              | €        | 12.12.2028    |                        | 5,099                 | 0.23            |
| Banco de Sabadell 2.5%  | 1,000,000              | €        | 15.04.2031    |                        | 873                   | 0.04            |
| Banco de Sabadell FRN   | 4,600,000              | €        | 31.12.2099    |                        | 4,494                 | 0.20            |
| Banco Santander FRN   | 5,400,000              | €        | 31.12.2099    |                        | 4,745                 | 0.22            |
| Bankinter FRN   | 2,700,000              | €        | 23.12.2032    |                        | 2,162                 | 0.10            |
| CaixaBank FRN   | 5,300,000              | €        | 14.11.2030    |                        | 5,421                 | 0.25            |
| CaixaBank FRN   | 5,000,000              | €        | 31.12.2099    |                        | 4,891                 | 0.22            |
| Cellnex Finance 2%  | 7,400,000              | €        | 15.02.2033    |                        | 5,461                 | 0.25            |
| Grupo Antolin-Irausa 3.375%   | 4,965,000              | €        | 30.04.2026    |                        | 4,062                 | 0.18            |
| Grupo Antolin-Irausa 3.5%   | 789,000                | €        | 30.04.2028    |                        | 562                   | 0.02            |
| Iberdrola Finanzas FRN  | 1,300,000              | €        | 31.12.2099    |                        | 1,063                 | 0.05            |
| Lorca Telecom Bondco 4%   | 5,883,000              | €        | 18.09.2027    |                        | 5,287                 | 0.24            |
| Merlin Properties Socimi 1.875%   | 4,400,000              | €        | 04.12.2034    |                        | 3,064                 | 0.14            |

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| Corporate bonds (continued)                             |                        |          |               |                           |                       |                    |
| Spain (continued)                                       |                        |          |               |                           |                       |                    |
| Unicaja Banco FRN                                       | 2,900,000              | €        | 01.12.2026    |                           | 2,552                 | 0.12               |
| Unicaja Banco FRN                                       | 4,100,000              | €        | 15.11.2027    |                           | 4,106                 | 0.19               |
| Supranational   |                        |          |               |                           | 14,843                | 0.68               |
| Ardagh Metal Packaging Finance 2%                       | 6,550,000              | €        | 01.09.2028    |                           | 5,305                 | 0.24               |
| Ardagh Packaging Finance Via Ardagh Holdings USA 2.125% | 2,500,000              | €        | 15.08.2026    |                           | 2,098                 | 0.10               |
| Ardagh Packaging Finance Via Ardagh Holdings USA 4.75%  | 526,000                | £        | 15.07.2027    |                           | 411                   | 0.02               |
| European Bank for Reconstruction & Development FRN      | 3,015,000              | £        | 13.11.2024    |                           | 3,408                 | 0.16               |
| Herbalife Nutrition Via HLF Financing 7.875%            | 4,340,000              | US\$     | 01.09.2025    |                           | 3,621                 | 0.16               |
| Sweden  |                        |          |               |                           | 34,723                | 1.58               |
| Castellum FRN   | 9,935,000              | €        | 31.12.2099    |                           | 6,334                 | 0.29               |
| Fastighets Balder FRN                                   | 7,555,000              | €        | 02.06.2081    |                           | 5,178                 | 0.24               |
| Heimstaden 4.375%                                       | 6,000,000              | €        | 06.03.2027    |                           | 4,031                 | 0.18               |
| Heimstaden Bostad FRN                                   | 4,545,000              | €        | 31.12.2099    |                           | 2,613                 | 0.12               |
| Intrum 3.5%   | 4,968,000              | €        | 15.07.2026    |                           | 4,195                 | 0.19               |
| Intrum 3%   | 1,000,000              | €        | 15.09.2027    |                           | 802                   | 0.04               |
| Samhällsbyggnadsbolaget i Norden FRN                    | 1,635,000              | €        | 31.12.2099    |                           | 646                   | 0.03               |
| Samhällsbyggnadsbolaget i Norden FRN                    | 6,453,000              | €        | 31.12.2099    |                           | 2,535                 | 0.11               |
| Swedbank FRN  | 2,314,000              | €        | 23.08.2032    |                           | 2,140                 | 0.10               |
| Swedbank FRN  | 2,455,000              | £        | 15.11.2032    |                           | 2,800                 | 0.13               |
| Verisure Holding 3.875%                                 | 2,265,000              | €        | 15.07.2026    |                           | 2,058                 | 0.09               |
| Verisure Midholding 5.25%                               | 1,733,000              | €        | 15.02.2029    |                           | 1,391                 | 0.06               |
| Switzerland   |                        |          |               |                           | 16,908                | 0.77               |
| Credit Suisse Group FRN                                 | 4,033,000              | €        | 02.04.2032    |                           | 2,926                 | 0.13               |
| Credit Suisse Group FRN                                 | 4,090,000              | £        | 07.09.2033    |                           | 4,209                 | 0.19               |
| Credit Suisse Group FRN                                 | 5,515,000              | US\$     | 29.12.2049    |                           | 4,527                 | 0.21               |
| UBS Group FRN   | 5,675,000              | US\$     | 31.12.2099    |                           | 5,246                 | 0.24               |
| United Kingdom  |                        |          |               |                           | 368,773               | 16.83              |
| Allwyn Entertainment FRN                                | 3,200,000              | €        | 15.02.2028    |                           | 3,126                 | 0.14               |
| Anglo American Capital 5.625%                           | 6,785,000              | US\$     | 01.04.2030    |                           | 6,344                 | 0.29               |

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| Corporate bonds (continued)                   |                        |          |               |                           |                       |                 |
| United Kingdom (continued)                    |                        |          |               |                           |                       |                 |
| Atlas Funding FRN                             | 2,662,223              | £        | 25.07.2058    |                           | 2,980                 | 0.14            |
| Barclays FRN                                  | 5,530,000              | €        | 22.03.2031    |                           | 4,714                 | 0.22            |
| Barclays FRN                                  | 1,669,000              | €        | 12.05.2032    |                           | 1,233                 | 0.06            |
| Barclays FRN                                  | 3,250,000              | US\$     | 31.12.2099    |                           | 2,981                 | 0.14            |
| Bellis Acquisition 3.25%                      | 2,896,000              | £        | 16.02.2026    |                           | 2,668                 | 0.12            |
| Bellis Acquisition 4.5%                       | 1,900,000              | £        | 16.02.2026    |                           | 1,801                 | 0.08            |
| Bellis Finco 4%                               | 700,000                | £        | 16.02.2027    |                           | 584                   | 0.03            |
| Boparan Finance 7.625%                        | 7,954,000              | £        | 30.11.2025    |                           | 6,130                 | 0.28            |
| BP Capital Markets FRN                        | 2,600,000              | €        | 31.12.2099    |                           | 2,399                 | 0.11            |
| BP Capital Markets FRN                        | 4,794,000              | €        | 31.12.2099    |                           | 4,129                 | 0.19            |
| Cadent Finance 2.25%                          | 1,800,000              | £        | 10.10.2035    |                           | 1,396                 | 0.06            |
| Cadent Finance 2.625%                         | 1,700,000              | £        | 22.09.2038    |                           | 1,302                 | 0.06            |
| Canada Square Funding FRN                     | 2,017,407              | £        | 17.06.2058    |                           | 2,226                 | 0.10            |
| Canada Square Funding FRN                     | 3,261,687              | £        | 17.06.2058    |                           | 3,605                 | 0.16            |
| Canary Wharf Group Investment Holdings 3.375% | 600,000                | £        | 23.04.2028    |                           | 478                   | 0.02            |
| Centrica FRN                                  | 3,366,000              | £        | 10.04.2075    |                           | 3,495                 | 0.16            |
| Coca-Cola Europacific Partners 1.125%         | 3,825,000              | €        | 12.04.2029    |                           | 3,267                 | 0.15            |
| Constellation Automotive Financing 4.875%     | 7,065,000              | £        | 15.07.2027    |                           | 5,256                 | 0.24            |
| Co-operative Bank Finance FRN                 | 2,230,000              | £        | 27.11.2025    |                           | 2,476                 | 0.11            |
| Co-operative Bank Finance FRN                 | 2,955,000              | £        | 25.04.2029    |                           | 3,227                 | 0.15            |
| Co-operative Group Holdings FRN               | 5,760,000              | £        | 08.07.2026    |                           | 5,829                 | 0.27            |
| Daily Mail & General Trust 6.375%             | 3,400,000              | £        | 21.06.2027    |                           | 3,439                 | 0.16            |
| Delamare Finance 5.5457%                      | 2,184,669              | £        | 19.02.2029    |                           | 2,448                 | 0.11            |
| Deuce Finco 5.5%                              | 1,700,000              | £        | 15.06.2027    |                           | 1,538                 | 0.07            |
| DS Smith 2.875%                               | 741,000                | £        | 26.07.2029    |                           | 691                   | 0.03            |
| Economic Master Issuer FRN                    | 3,069,000              | £        | 25.06.2073    |                           | 3,419                 | 0.16            |
| Elli Finance 8.75% <sup>a</sup>               | 971,000                | £        | 15.06.2019    |                           | 706                   | 0.03            |
| Elstree Funding No. 2 FRN                     | 4,556,551              | £        | 21.12.2054    |                           | 5,049                 | 0.23            |
| Elvet Mortgages FRN                           | 1,020,000              | £        | 22.11.2061    |                           | 1,129                 | 0.05            |
| Finsbury Square FRN                           | 4,539,790              | £        | 16.12.2067    |                           | 4,993                 | 0.23            |
| Firstgroup 6.875%                             | 4,332,000              | £        | 18.09.2024    |                           | 4,882                 | 0.22            |

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| Corporate bonds (continued)            |                        |          |               |                           |                       |                 |
| United Kingdom (continued)             |                        |          |               |                           |                       |                 |
| Gatwick Airport Finance 4.375%         | 3,152,000              | £        | 07.04.2026    |                           | 3,215                 | 0.15            |
| Grainger 3.375%                        | 1,209,000              | £        | 24.04.2028    |                           | 1,127                 | 0.05            |
| Grainger 3%                            | 1,237,000              | £        | 03.07.2030    |                           | 1,048                 | 0.05            |
| Greene King Finance FRN                | 1,250,000              | £        | 15.12.2034    |                           | 1,088                 | 0.05            |
| Greene King Finance FRN                | 1,731,000              | £        | 15.03.2036    |                           | 1,490                 | 0.07            |
| Hammerson 3.5%                         | 899,000                | £        | 27.10.2025    |                           | 879                   | 0.04            |
| Hammerson 6%                           | 2,422,000              | £        | 23.02.2026    |                           | 2,513                 | 0.11            |
| Hammerson 7.25%                        | 2,828,000              | £        | 21.04.2028    |                           | 2,937                 | 0.13            |
| Hops Hill No. 1 FRN                    | 2,306,417              | £        | 27.05.2054    |                           | 2,577                 | 0.12            |
| HSBC Holdings FRN                      | 4,280,000              | US\$     | 11.08.2033    |                           | 3,737                 | 0.17            |
| HSBC Holdings FRN                      | 1,840,000              | £        | 31.12.2099    |                           | 1,855                 | 0.08            |
| Iceland Bondco 4.625%                  | 5,750,000              | £        | 15.03.2025    |                           | 5,407                 | 0.25            |
| Income Contingent Student Loans FRN    | 2,227,000              | £        | 24.07.2056    |                           | 1,842                 | 0.08            |
| Intu Metrocentre Finance 8.75%         | 3,624,116              | £        | 06.12.2028    |                           | 1,783                 | 0.08            |
| Iron Mountain 3.875%                   | 2,343,000              | £        | 15.11.2025    |                           | 2,450                 | 0.11            |
| Jaguar Land Rover Automotive 7.75%     | 1,296,000              | US\$     | 15.10.2025    |                           | 1,119                 | 0.05            |
| Jaguar Land Rover Automotive 4.5%      | 750,000                | €        | 15.01.2026    |                           | 648                   | 0.03            |
| Jaguar Land Rover Automotive 6.875%    | 5,440,000              | €        | 15.11.2026    |                           | 4,852                 | 0.22            |
| Jupiter Mortgage No. 1 FRN             | 2,932,907              | £        | 20.07.2060    |                           | 3,281                 | 0.15            |
| Jupiter Mortgage No. 1 FRN             | 3,898,000              | £        | 20.07.2060    |                           | 4,331                 | 0.20            |
| Legal & General Group FRN              | 3,323,000              | £        | 01.11.2050    |                           | 3,248                 | 0.15            |
| Lloyds Banking Group FRN               | 947,000                | £        | 15.12.2031    |                           | 895                   | 0.04            |
| Lloyds Banking Group FRN               | 2,400,000              | US\$     | 11.08.2033    |                           | 2,077                 | 0.09            |
| Lloyds Banking Group FRN               | 2,280,000              | £        | 31.12.2099    |                           | 2,371                 | 0.11            |
| London Wall Mortgage Capital FRN       | 2,848,280              | £        | 15.05.2051    |                           | 3,134                 | 0.14            |
| Longstone Finance 4.896%               | 1,475,000              | £        | 19.04.2036    |                           | 1,541                 | 0.07            |
| Manchester Airport Group Funding 4.75% | 1,366,000              | £        | 31.03.2034    |                           | 1,413                 | 0.06            |
| Marks & Spencer 3.75%                  | 2,000,000              | £        | 19.05.2026    |                           | 1,970                 | 0.09            |
| Marks & Spencer 4.5%                   | 600,000                | £        | 10.07.2027    |                           | 583                   | 0.03            |
| Marston's Issuer FRN                   | 6,798,707              | £        | 15.10.2031    |                           | 6,820                 | 0.31            |
| Marston's Issuer FRN                   | 386,000                | £        | 15.07.2032    |                           | 390                   | 0.02            |

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| Investment description            | Holdings/<br>contracts | Currency | Maturity date | Commitment<br>value €'000 | Market value<br>€'000 | % of net assets |
|-----------------------------------|------------------------|----------|---------------|---------------------------|-----------------------|-----------------|
| Corporate bonds (continued)       |                        |          |               |                           |                       |                 |
| United Kingdom (continued)        |                        |          |               |                           |                       |                 |
| Mitchells & Butlers Finance FRN   | 474,595                | £        | 15.12.2028    |                           | 484                   | 0.02            |
| Mitchells & Butlers Finance FRN   | 415,275                | £        | 15.12.2030    |                           | 423                   | 0.02            |
| Mitchells & Butlers Finance FRN   | 3,270,188              | US\$     | 15.12.2030    |                           | 2,840                 | 0.13            |
| Mitchells & Butlers Finance FRN   | 2,848,570              | £        | 15.12.2033    |                           | 2,737                 | 0.13            |
| Mortimer BTL FRN                  | 5,007,434              | £        | 23.06.2053    |                           | 5,501                 | 0.25            |
| Nationwide Building Society FRN   | 1,000,000              | £        | 07.12.2027    |                           | 1,131                 | 0.05            |
| Nationwide Building Society FRN   | 4,530,000              | €        | 25.07.2029    |                           | 4,274                 | 0.20            |
| Nationwide Building Society FRN   | 2,235,000              | £        | 31.12.2099    |                           | 2,385                 | 0.11            |
| NatWest Group FRN                 | 9,200,000              | €        | 14.09.2032    |                           | 7,382                 | 0.34            |
| Neptune Energy Bondco 6.625%      | 5,300,000              | US\$     | 15.05.2025    |                           | 4,831                 | 0.22            |
| NewRiver REIT 3.5%                | 1,865,000              | £        | 07.03.2028    |                           | 1,705                 | 0.08            |
| NGG Finance FRN                   | 3,620,000              | £        | 18.06.2073    |                           | 3,868                 | 0.18            |
| Northumbrian Water Finance 6.375% | 2,012,000              | £        | 28.10.2034    |                           | 2,415                 | 0.11            |
| Ocado Group 3.875%                | 6,325,000              | £        | 08.10.2026    |                           | 5,537                 | 0.25            |
| Pearson Funding 3.75%             | 3,180,000              | £        | 04.06.2030    |                           | 3,174                 | 0.15            |
| Peel South East 10% <sup>a</sup>  | 1,900,000              | £        | 30.04.2026    |                           | 2,163                 | 0.10            |
| Pinewood Finance 3.25%            | 2,209,000              | £        | 30.09.2025    |                           | 2,304                 | 0.11            |
| Pinewood Finance 3.625%           | 2,200,000              | £        | 15.11.2027    |                           | 2,191                 | 0.10            |
| Pinnacle Bidco 6.375%             | 4,030,000              | £        | 15.02.2025    |                           | 3,959                 | 0.18            |
| Polo Funding FRN                  | 1,333,259              | £        | 26.09.2046    |                           | 1,493                 | 0.07            |
| Premier Foods Finance 3.5%        | 3,625,000              | £        | 15.10.2026    |                           | 3,602                 | 0.16            |
| Provident Financial 8.25%         | 2,417,000              | £        | 04.06.2023    |                           | 2,739                 | 0.13            |
| Punch Finance 6.125%              | 4,325,000              | £        | 30.06.2026    |                           | 4,144                 | 0.19            |
| RAC Bond 4.87%                    | 4,996,000              | £        | 06.05.2046    |                           | 5,116                 | 0.23            |
| Resloc FRN                        | 420,007                | €        | 15.12.2043    |                           | 401                   | 0.02            |
| Ribbon Finance FRN                | 1,703,730              | £        | 20.04.2028    |                           | 1,885                 | 0.09            |
| RL Finance Bonds No. 2 FRN        | 4,149,000              | £        | 30.11.2043    |                           | 4,666                 | 0.21            |
| Rolls-Royce 5.75%                 | 2,850,000              | £        | 15.10.2027    |                           | 2,957                 | 0.14            |
| Rolls-Royce 1.625%                | 4,137,000              | €        | 09.05.2028    |                           | 3,293                 | 0.15            |
| Santander UK Group Holdings FRN   | 6,381,000              | €        | 25.08.2028    |                           | 5,975                 | 0.27            |
| SGS Finance 9%                    | 5,135,160              | £        | 17.03.2028    |                           | 2,446                 | 0.11            |

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|-------------------------------------|------------------------|----------|---------------|---------------------------|-----------------------|-----------------|
| Corporate bonds (continued)         |                        |          |               |                           |                       |                 |
| United Kingdom (continued)          |                        |          |               |                           |                       |                 |
| Sherwood Financing 4.5%             | 7,773,000              | €        | 15.11.2026    |                           | 6,316                 | 0.29            |
| Smith & Nephew 4.565%               | 1,072,000              | €        | 11.10.2029    |                           | 1,074                 | 0.05            |
| Southern Gas Networks 3.1%          | 3,391,000              | £        | 15.09.2036    |                           | 2,875                 | 0.13            |
| SSE FRN                             | 5,379,000              | €        | 31.12.2099    |                           | 4,918                 | 0.22            |
| Stagecoach Group 4%                 | 2,939,000              | £        | 29.09.2025    |                           | 3,090                 | 0.14            |
| Standard Chartered FRN              | 5,805,000              | US\$     | 01.04.2031    |                           | 4,916                 | 0.22            |
| Standard Chartered FRN              | 3,055,000              | €        | 23.09.2031    |                           | 2,541                 | 0.12            |
| Stonegate Pub Co Financing 8.25%    | 1,600,000              | £        | 31.07.2025    |                           | 1,637                 | 0.07            |
| Stratton Mortgage Funding FRN       | 4,206,355              | £        | 12.12.2043    |                           | 4,665                 | 0.21            |
| Swiss Re Finance FRN                | 5,100,000              | €        | 04.06.2052    |                           | 3,989                 | 0.18            |
| Telereal Securitisation 3.5625%     | 4,111,000              | £        | 10.12.2036    |                           | 4,030                 | 0.18            |
| Tesco Property Finance 3 5.744%     | 5,234,728              | £        | 13.04.2040    |                           | 5,525                 | 0.25            |
| Thames Water Kemble Finance 4.625%  | 8,558,000              | £        | 19.05.2026    |                           | 8,183                 | 0.37            |
| Towd Point Mortgage Funding FRN     | 4,590,000              | £        | 20.10.2051    |                           | 5,052                 | 0.23            |
| Tower Bridge Funding FRN            | 2,248,088              | £        | 20.12.2063    |                           | 2,476                 | 0.11            |
| Twin Bridges FRN                    | 4,845,019              | £        | 12.09.2055    |                           | 5,287                 | 0.24            |
| Virgin Media Secured Finance 4.25%  | 2,103,000              | £        | 15.01.2030    |                           | 1,849                 | 0.08            |
| Virgin Media Secured Finance 4.125% | 3,908,000              | £        | 15.08.2030    |                           | 3,381                 | 0.15            |
| Virgin Money FRN                    | 4,500,000              | €        | 24.06.2025    |                           | 4,315                 | 0.20            |
| Virgin Money FRN                    | 1,385,000              | £        | 24.04.2026    |                           | 1,442                 | 0.07            |
| Virgin Money FRN                    | 1,040,000              | £        | 31.12.2099    |                           | 1,058                 | 0.05            |
| Vodafone Group FRN                  | 2,238,000              | US\$     | 04.04.2079    |                           | 2,099                 | 0.10            |
| Vodafone Group FRN                  | 2,400,000              | €        | 27.08.2080    |                           | 2,115                 | 0.10            |
| Vodafone Group FRN                  | 2,285,000              | €        | 27.08.2080    |                           | 1,829                 | 0.08            |
| Voyage Care Bondco 5.875%           | 2,425,000              | £        | 15.02.2027    |                           | 2,321                 | 0.11            |
| Whitbread Group 2.375%              | 3,500,000              | £        | 31.05.2027    |                           | 3,322                 | 0.15            |
| Workspace Group 2.25%               | 3,680,000              | £        | 11.03.2028    |                           | 3,093                 | 0.14            |
| Yorkshire Building Society FRN      | 5,033,000              | £        | 11.10.2030    |                           | 4,793                 | 0.22            |
| United States                       |                        |          |               |                           | 255,161               | 11.65           |
| AASET Trust 3.967%                  | 356,633                | US\$     | 16.05.2042    |                           | 264                   | 0.01            |
| Albemarle 5.05%                     | 4,525,000              | US\$     | 01.06.2032    |                           | 4,021                 | 0.18            |

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### Statement of investments (continued)

| Investment description  | Holdings/<br>contracts | Currency | Maturity date | Commitment<br>value €'000 | Market value<br>€'000 | % of net assets |
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| Corporate bonds (continued)   |                        |          |               |                           |                       |                 |
| United States (continued)   |                        |          |               |                           |                       |                 |
| Albertsons Cos Via Safeway Via New Albertsons Via Albertson's 4.875%                    | 8,097,000              | US\$     | 15.02.2030    |                           | 6,784                 | 0.31            |
| AT&T FRN  | 8,400,000              | €        | 31.12.2099    |                           | 7,552                 | 0.34            |
| Avantor Funding 3.875%  | 4,657,000              | €        | 15.07.2028    |                           | 4,316                 | 0.20            |
| Belden 3.375%   | 900,000                | €        | 15.07.2027    |                           | 828                   | 0.04            |
| Belden 3.875%   | 4,713,000              | €        | 15.03.2028    |                           | 4,319                 | 0.20            |
| Belden 3.375%   | 688,000                | €        | 15.07.2031    |                           | 576                   | 0.03            |
| BorgWarner 1%   | 472,000                | €        | 19.05.2031    |                           | 352                   | 0.02            |
| Boxer Parent 6.5%   | 6,885,000              | €        | 02.10.2025    |                           | 6,583                 | 0.30            |
| Broadcom 3.187%   | 4,447,000              | US\$     | 15.11.2036    |                           | 3,016                 | 0.14            |
| Capital One Financial 1.65%   | 2,995,000              | €        | 12.06.2029    |                           | 2,394                 | 0.11            |
| Castlelake Aircraft Securitization Trust 4.125%   | 1,318,376              | US\$     | 15.06.2043    |                           | 1,105                 | 0.05            |
| Catalent Pharma Solutions 2.375%  | 5,000,000              | €        | 01.03.2028    |                           | 4,096                 | 0.19            |
| Celanese US Holdings 6.379%   | 6,330,000              | US\$     | 15.07.2032    |                           | 5,675                 | 0.26            |
| Charter Communications Operating Via Charter<br>Communications Operating Capital 6.384% | 3,580,000              | US\$     | 23.10.2035    |                           | 3,295                 | 0.15            |
| Charter Communications Operating Via Charter<br>Communications Operating Capital 5.25%  | 7,645,000              | US\$     | 01.04.2053    |                           | 5,596                 | 0.26            |
| CHS Via Community Health Systems 8%   | 7,635,000              | US\$     | 15.12.2027    |                           | 6,455                 | 0.29            |
| Citigroup FRN   | 4,238,000              | US\$     | 24.05.2033    |                           | 3,743                 | 0.17            |
| Comcast 2.8%  | 5,080,000              | US\$     | 15.01.2051    |                           | 3,048                 | 0.14            |
| CVS Health 5.05%  | 5,955,000              | US\$     | 25.03.2048    |                           | 5,062                 | 0.23            |
| Daimler Trucks Finance North America 2.5%   | 3,908,000              | US\$     | 14.12.2031    |                           | 2,862                 | 0.13            |
| Dell International Via EMC 8.1%   | 2,936,000              | US\$     | 15.07.2036    |                           | 3,105                 | 0.14            |
| DIRECTV Holdings Via DIRECTV Financing 5.875%   | 1,032,000              | US\$     | 15.08.2027    |                           | 867                   | 0.04            |
| DISH Network 11.75%   | 4,418,000              | US\$     | 15.11.2027    |                           | 4,269                 | 0.19            |
| Dresdner Funding Trust I 8.151%   | 1,475,000              | US\$     | 30.06.2031    |                           | 1,431                 | 0.07            |
| Duke Energy 3.85%   | 4,376,000              | €        | 15.06.2034    |                           | 4,061                 | 0.19            |
| DXC Technology 1.75%  | 5,232,000              | €        | 15.01.2026    |                           | 4,843                 | 0.22            |
| Encore Capital Group 5.375%   | 5,472,000              | £        | 15.02.2026    |                           | 5,554                 | 0.25            |
| Fortress Transportation and Infrastructure Investors 5.5%                               | 8,365,000              | US\$     | 01.05.2028    |                           | 6,697                 | 0.31            |
| General Motors 5.6%   | 3,558,000              | US\$     | 15.10.2032    |                           | 3,124                 | 0.14            |
|   |                        |          |               |                           |                       |                 |

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| Investment description                            | Holdings/<br>contracts | Currency | Maturity date | Commitment<br>value €'000 | Market value<br>€'000 | % of net<br>assets |
|---|------------------------|----------|---------------|---------------------------|-----------------------|--------------------|
| Corporate bonds (continued)                       |                        |          |               |                           |                       |                    |
| United States (continued)                         |                        |          |               |                           |                       |                    |
| General Motors 6.6%                               | 2,247,000              | US\$     | 01.04.2036    |                           | 2,083                 | 0.09               |
| HCA 4.625%  | 6,814,000              | US\$     | 15.03.2052    |                           | 5,034                 | 0.23               |
| HP 5.5%   | 7,655,000              | US\$     | 15.01.2033    |                           | 6,782                 | 0.31               |
| Huntsman International 4.25%                      | 2,295,000              | €        | 01.04.2025    |                           | 2,220                 | 0.10               |
| Intel 3.05%                                       | 8,215,000              | US\$     | 12.08.2051    |                           | 5,060                 | 0.23               |
| IQVIA 2.25%                                       | 5,000,000              | €        | 15.03.2029    |                           | 4,231                 | 0.19               |
| JPMorgan Chase FRN                                | 4,913,000              | €        | 23.03.2030    |                           | 4,295                 | 0.20               |
| Kronos International 3.75%                        | 7,167,000              | €        | 15.09.2025    |                           | 6,305                 | 0.29               |
| Macy's Retail Holdings 5.875%                     | 4,519,000              | US\$     | 01.04.2029    |                           | 3,755                 | 0.17               |
| Magallanes 5.141%                                 | 11,505,000             | US\$     | 15.03.2052    |                           | 7,917                 | 0.36               |
| Morgan Stanley FRN                                | 4,786,000              | €        | 25.01.2034    |                           | 4,983                 | 0.23               |
| Mosaic Solar Loans 4.45%                          | 94,216                 | US\$     | 20.06.2042    |                           | 84                    | 0.00               |
| Mosaic Solar Loans 3.82%                          | 394,579                | US\$     | 22.06.2043    |                           | 340                   | 0.02               |
| MPT Operating Partnership Via MPT Finance 0.993%  | 3,900,000              | €        | 15.10.2026    |                           | 2,986                 | 0.14               |
| MPT Operating Partnership Via MPT Finance 5%      | 2,865,000              | US\$     | 15.10.2027    |                           | 2,262                 | 0.10               |
| Nordstrom 4.375%                                  | 2,885,000              | US\$     | 01.04.2030    |                           | 2,037                 | 0.09               |
| Nordstrom 4.25%                                   | 183,000                | US\$     | 01.08.2031    |                           | 123                   | 0.01               |
| Olympus Water US Holding 3.875%                   | 989,000                | €        | 01.10.2028    |                           | 806                   | 0.04               |
| Oracle 3.85%                                      | 3,200,000              | US\$     | 15.07.2036    |                           | 2,475                 | 0.11               |
| Oracle 3.95%                                      | 5,855,000              | US\$     | 25.03.2051    |                           | 3,958                 | 0.18               |
| Organon Via Organon Foreign Debt Co-Issuer 2.875% | 6,514,000              | €        | 30.04.2028    |                           | 5,724                 | 0.26               |
| Pacific Gas and Electric 4.55%                    | 4,802,785              | US\$     | 01.07.2030    |                           | 4,103                 | 0.19               |
| PayPal Holdings 5.05%                             | 5,830,000              | US\$     | 01.06.2052    |                           | 5,016                 | 0.23               |
| Pilgrim's Pride 4.25%                             | 1,203,000              | US\$     | 15.04.2031    |                           | 960                   | 0.04               |
| Pilgrim's Pride 3.5%                              | 3,984,000              | US\$     | 01.03.2032    |                           | 2,927                 | 0.13               |
| PPG Industries 2.75%                              | 3,545,000              | €        | 01.06.2029    |                           | 3,303                 | 0.15               |
| PVH 3.625%  | 5,410,000              | €        | 15.07.2024    |                           | 5,398                 | 0.25               |
| Silgan Holdings 2.25%                             | 6,200,000              | €        | 01.06.2028    |                           | 5,296                 | 0.24               |
| SLM Student Loan Trust FRNa                       | 2,262,274              | €        | 15.12.2033    |                           | 2,098                 | 0.10               |
| Southern California Edison 3.65%                  | 3,800,000              | US\$     | 01.02.2050    |                           | 2,634                 | 0.12               |
| Southern California Edison 5.45%                  | 2,983,000              | US\$     | 01.06.2052    |                           | 2,705                 | 0.12               |

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|---|------------------------|----------|---------------|---------------------------|-----------------------|--------------------|
| Corporate bonds (continued)                                     |                        |          |               |                           |                       |                    |
| United States (continued)                                       |                        |          |               |                           |                       |                    |
| Superior Industries International 6%                            | 7,580,000              | €        | 15.06.2025    |                           | 6,854                 | 0.31               |
| Tenet Healthcare 6.125%   | 4,289,000              | US\$     | 15.06.2030    |                           | 3,836                 | 0.18               |
| Thermo Fisher Scientific 1.875%                                 | 3,245,000              | €        | 01.10.2049    |                           | 2,083                 | 0.10               |
| Triton Water Holdings 6.25%                                     | 5,305,000              | US\$     | 01.04.2029    |                           | 3,994                 | 0.18               |
| Verizon Communications 4.75%                                    | 3,245,000              | €        | 31.10.2034    |                           | 3,357                 | 0.15               |
| Wells Fargo FRN   | 2,936,000              | €        | 04.05.2030    |                           | 2,492                 | 0.11               |
| Westlake Chemical 1.625%  | 5,700,000              | €        | 17.07.2029    |                           | 4,624                 | 0.21               |
| WMG Acquisition 2.25%   | 5,250,000              | €        | 15.08.2031    |                           | 4,128                 | 0.19               |
| Credit default swaps  |                        |          |               |                           |                       |                    |
| iTraxx Europe Crossover Series 38                               | 15,000,000             | €        | 20.12.2027    |                           | 136                   | 0.01               |
| Equities  |                        |          |               |                           | 0                     | 0.00               |
| Netherlands (The)   |                        |          |               |                           |                       |                    |
| New World Resources 'A'b  | 3,466,893              | £        |               |                           | 0                     | 0.00               |
| Mutual funds  |                        |          |               |                           | 169,722               | 7.75               |
| BlackRock ICS Euro Liquidity Fund                               | 382,398                | €        |               |                           | 37,595                | 1.72               |
| HSBC Global Liquidity Funds plc - HSBC Euro<br>Liquidity Fund H | 38,189,792             | €        |               |                           | 37,600                | 1.72               |
| JPMorgan Liquidity Funds - EUR Liquidity LVNAV Fund             | 3,827                  | €        |               |                           | 37,585                | 1.72               |
| Morgan Stanley Liquidity Funds - Euro Liquidity Fund Class 'D'  | 3,823                  | €        |               |                           | 37,578                | 1.71               |
| State Street EUR Liquidity LVNAV Fund - Premier Shares          | 19,363,751             | €        |               |                           | 19,364                | 0.88               |
| Interest rate futures   |                        |          |               |                           | 43,830                | 2.00               |
| Deutscher Bobl 5 year Futures                                   | (4,304)                | €        | 08.03.2023    | 4,992                     | 17,861                | 0.82               |
| Deutscher Bund 10 year Futures                                  | (61)                   | €        | 08.03.2023    | 84                        | 1,612                 | 0.07               |
| Deutscher Bund 10 year Futures                                  | (1,609)                | €        | 08.03.2023    | 2,149                     | 14,918                | 0.68               |
| Deutscher Schatz 2 year Futures                                 | (1,646)                | €        | 08.03.2023    | 1,736                     | 2,222                 | 0.10               |
| UK Treasury Notes Futures                                       | (823)                  | £        | 29.03.2023    | 925                       | 6,363                 | 0.29               |
| US Treasury Notes 10 year Futures                               | (1,289)                | US\$     | 22.03.2023    | 1,356                     | 599                   | 0.03               |
| US Treasury Notes 2 year Futures                                | (225)                  | US\$     | 31.03.2023    | 432                       | (39)                  | (0.00)             |
| US Treasury Notes 30 year Futures                               | (161)                  | US\$     | 22.03.2023    | 189                       | 43                    | 0.00               |
| US Treasury Notes 5 year Futures                                | (139)                  | US\$     | 31.03.2023    | 141                       | 14                    | 0.00               |

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|---|------------------------|----------|---------------|---------------------------|-----------------------|-----------------|
| Interest rate futures (continued)                       |                        |          |               |                           |                       |                 |
| US Ultra Bond Futures                                   | (319)                  | US\$     | 22.03.2023    | 402                       | 237                   | 0.01            |
| Currency  |                        |          |               |                           | 16,675                | 0.76            |
| Forward currency contracts                              |                        |          |               |                           | 16,675                | 0.76            |
| Bought for £ 13,458,992.27, Sold for € 15,357,120.02    |                        |          | 06.01.2023    |                           | (189)                 | (0.01)          |
| Bought for € 366,790,816.69, Sold for £ 317,669,565.00  | )                      |          | 06.01.2023    |                           | 8,777                 | 0.40            |
| Bought for € 318,206,911.19, Sold for US\$ 331,022,204. | 08                     |          | 06.01.2023    |                           | 8,087                 | 0.37            |
| Portfolio of investments                                |                        |          |               |                           | 2,007,442             | 91.63           |
| Share class hedging                                     |                        |          |               |                           | (44,213)              | (2.02)          |
| Bought for £ 731,543,383.16, Sold for € 844,851,167.12  |                        |          | 06.01.2023    |                           | (20,401)              | (0.92)          |
| Bought for € 449,742.16, Sold for £ 388,227.30          |                        |          | 06.01.2023    |                           | 12                    | 0.00            |
| Bought for £ 262,232,297.49, Sold for € 302,950,035.18  |                        |          | 13.01.2023    |                           | (7,501)               | (0.35)          |
| Bought for € 7,073,574.63, Sold for £ 6,091,736.91      |                        |          | 13.01.2023    |                           | 210                   | 0.00            |
| Bought for € 37.95, Sold for CHF 37.25                  |                        |          | 13.01.2023    |                           | 0                     | 0.00            |
| Bought for € 73,319.02, Sold for US\$ 75,777.49         |                        |          | 13.01.2023    |                           | 2                     | 0.00            |
| Bought for CHF 19,316.78, Sold for € 19,650.19          |                        |          | 13.01.2023    |                           | 0                     | 0.00            |
| Bought for US\$ 1,766,190.70, Sold for € 1,696,782.05   |                        |          | 13.01.2023    |                           | (43)                  | 0.00            |
| Bought for £ 269,288,215.94, Sold for € 311,220,019.25  |                        |          | 20.01.2023    |                           | (7,904)               | (0.35)          |
| Bought for € 6,758,921.48, Sold for £ 5,822,878.36      |                        |          | 20.01.2023    |                           | 200                   | 0.00            |
| Bought for £ 275,278,978.81, Sold for € 318,896,990.63  |                        |          | 27.01.2023    |                           | (8,916)               | (0.40)          |
| Bought for € 9,151,923.33, Sold for £ 8,014,301.18      |                        |          | 27.01.2023    |                           | 128                   | 0.00            |
| Total portfolio   |                        |          |               |                           | 1,963,229             | 89.61           |
| Net other assets/(liabilities)                          |                        |          |               |                           | 227,563               | 10.39           |
| Net assets  |                        |          |               |                           | 2,190,792             | 100.00          |

## Statement of investments

#### Statement of investments (continued)

| Portfolio summary                               |           |        |
|---|-----------|--------|
| Investment assets                               |           |        |
| Debt securities                                 | 1,777,079 | 81.11  |
| Mutual funds                                    | 169,722   | 7.75   |
| Swap contracts                                  | 136       | 0.01   |
| Unrealised gains on futures contracts           | 43,869    | 2.00   |
| Unrealised gains on forward currency contracts  | 17,416    | 0.77   |
| Total Investment assets                         | 2,008,222 | 91.64  |
| Investment liabilities                          |           |        |
| Unrealised losses on futures contracts          | (39)      | 0.00   |
| Unrealised losses on forward currency contracts | (44,954)  | (2.03) |
| Total Investment liabilities                    | (44,993)  | (2.03) |
| Portfolio of investments                        | 1,963,229 | 89.61  |
| Net other assets/(liabilities)                  | 227,563   | 10.39  |
| Net assets                                      | 2,190,792 | 100.00 |

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All securities are on an official stock exchange listing except where referenced.

Interest rates represent either the stated coupon rate or, for floating rate securities, the current reset rate which is based upon interest rates indices. Maturity dates represent either the stated date on the security, or the next interest reset date for floating rate securities or the prerefunded date for those

Variable and floating coupon rates are those quoted as of 31 December 2022.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>b</sup> Fair valued.

# Counterparty exposure

#### Counterparty exposure

| Counterparty                                       |                | Derivative exposures             |                  |  |  |
|--|----------------|----------------------------------|------------------|--|--|
|  | Swaps<br>€'000 | Forward currency contracts €'000 | Futures<br>€'000 | Collateral<br>held as<br>cash<br>€'000 |  |
| Barclays Bank London                               | 15,000         | 0                                | 0                | 1,842                                  |  |
| HSBC Bank Plc                                      | 0              | 9,317                            | 0                | 0                                      |  |
| JP Morgan London                                   | 0              | 0                                | 12,406           | 0                                      |  |
| State Street Bank and Trust Company                | 0              | 3,561,658                        | 0                | 23,720                                 |  |
| State Street Bank and Trust Company, London Branch | 0              | 1,374,418                        | 0                | 0                                      |  |

Exposure represents the sub-fund's exposure to that counterparty.

# Financial highlights

### **Sub-fund performance (unaudited)**

Please note past performance is not a guide to future performance and the value of investments, and the income from them, will fluctuate. This will cause the sub-fund price to fall as well as rise and you may not get back the original amount you invested.

To give an indication of the performance of the sub-fund, the following table shows the compound rate of return, per annum, over the period. Calculated on a price to price basis with income reinvested.

Long-term performance by share class as at 31 December 2022

|                           | One<br>year<br>31.12.21<br>% | Three<br>years<br>31.12.19<br>% pa | Five<br>years<br>31.12.17<br>% pa | Since<br>launch<br>% pa | Launch date<br>of the sub-fund<br>share class |
|---------------------------|------------------------------|------------------------------------|-----------------------------------|-------------------------|---|
| Euro                      |                              |                                    |                                   |                         |   |
| Class 'A' Accumulation    | -1.4                         | +2.2                               | +1.9                              | +2.4                    | 15.03.13                                      |
| Class 'A' Distribution    | -1.4                         | n/a                                | n/a                               | -0.7                    | 07.05.21                                      |
| Class 'B' Accumulation    | -1.3                         | n/a                                | n/a                               | -1.3                    | 27.09.21                                      |
| Class 'B' Distribution    | -1.3                         | n/a                                | n/a                               | -1.3                    | 27.09.21                                      |
| Class 'P' Accumulation    | n/a                          | n/a                                | n/a                               | +2.4                    | 22.06.22                                      |
| Class 'P' Distribution    | n/a                          | n/a                                | n/a                               | +2.4                    | 22.06.22                                      |
| Class 'Q' Accumulation    | -1.4                         | n/a                                | n/a                               | +1.6                    | 11.09.20                                      |
| Class 'Q' Distribution    | -1.4                         | n/a                                | n/a                               | +1.6                    | 11.09.20                                      |
| Class 'Ql' Accumulation   | -1.4                         | n/a                                | n/a                               | +1.7                    | 11.09.20                                      |
| Class 'Ql' Distribution   | -1.4                         | n/a                                | n/a                               | +1.7                    | 11.09.20                                      |
| Class 'W' Accumulation    | -1.5                         | n/a                                | n/a                               | -1.5                    | 27.09.21                                      |
| Class 'W' Distribution    | -1.5                         | n/a                                | n/a                               | -1.4                    | 27.09.21                                      |
| Class 'WI' Accumulation   | -1.4                         | n/a                                | n/a                               | -1.4                    | 27.09.21                                      |
| Class 'WI' Distribution   | -1.4                         | n/a                                | n/a                               | -1.4                    | 27.09.21                                      |
| Sterling                  |                              |                                    |                                   |                         |   |
| Class 'A-H' Accumulation  | +0.1                         | +3.0                               | +2.8                              | +3.0                    | 18.10.13                                      |
| Class 'A-H' Distribution  | +0.1                         | +3.0                               | +2.8                              | +3.0                    | 21.11.14                                      |
| Class 'B-H' Accumulation  | +0.2                         | n/a                                | n/a                               | +2.8                    | 21.08.20                                      |
| Class 'B-H' Distribution  | +0.2                         | n/a                                | n/a                               | 0.0                     | 27.09.21                                      |
| Class 'F-H' Accumulation  | +0.1                         | +3.0                               | +2.8                              | +3.2                    | 01.01.17                                      |
| Class 'QI-H' Accumulation | +0.1                         | n/a                                | n/a                               | 0.0                     | 27.09.21                                      |
| Class 'QI-H' Distribution | +0.1                         | n/a                                | n/a                               | 0.0                     | 27.09.21                                      |
| Swiss franc               |                              |                                    |                                   |                         |   |
| Class 'A-H' Accumulation  | -1.8                         | n/a                                | n/a                               | -1.7                    | 27.09.21                                      |
| Class 'A-H' Distribution  | -1.8                         | n/a                                | n/a                               | -1.7                    | 27.09.21                                      |

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|                          | One<br>year<br>31.12.21<br>% | Three<br>years<br>31.12.19<br>% pa | Five<br>years<br>31.12.17<br>% pa | Since<br>launch<br>% pa | Launch date<br>of the sub-fund<br>share class |
|--------------------------|------------------------------|------------------------------------|-----------------------------------|-------------------------|---|
| US dollar                |                              |                                    |                                   |                         |   |
| Class 'A-H' Accumulation | +0.7                         | n/a                                | n/a                               | +0.5                    | 27.09.21                                      |
| Class 'A-H' Distribution | +0.7                         | n/a                                | n/a                               | +0.5                    | 27.09.21                                      |

# **Financial highlights**

## Net Asset Values (NAV) and Total Expense Ratios (TER) (unaudited)

The following table shows Net Asset Values (NAV) inclusive of any swing price adjustment as described in note 9 to the Financial Statements (also known as the price per share) at 31 December 2022 and Total Expense Ratio (TER) for the year ended to 31 December 2022.

### Net Asset Values and Total Expense Ratios (unaudited)

| NAV per share             | 31.12.22 | 31.12.21 | 31.12.20 |
|---------------------------|----------|----------|----------|
| Euro                      | €        | €        | 51.12.20 |
| Class 'A' Accumulation    | 126.1118 | 127.8388 | 125.2182 |
| Class 'A' Distribution    | 94.2292  | 97.7899  | n/a      |
| Class 'B' Accumulation    | 98.4097  | 99.7060  | n/a      |
| Class 'B' Distribution    | 96.0417  | 99.7063  | n/a      |
| Class 'P' Accumulation    | 102.0904 | n/a      | n/a      |
| Class 'P' Distribution    | 101.3417 | n/a      | n/a      |
| Class 'Q' Accumulation    | 103.7469 | 105.2412 | 103.2016 |
| Class 'Q' Distribution    | 99.5109  | 103.2920 | 103.0832 |
| Class 'QI' Accumulation   | 103.8376 | 105.2918 | 103.2176 |
| Class 'Ql' Distribution   | 99.5472  | 103.3068 | 103.0932 |
| Class 'W' Accumulation    | 98.1632  | 99.6588  | n/a      |
| Class 'W' Distribution    | 96.0056  | 99.6579  | n/a      |
| Class 'WI' Accumulation   | 98.2434  | 99.6678  | n/a      |
| Class 'WI' Distribution   | 96.0126  | 99.6679  | n/a      |
| Sterling                  | £        | £        | £        |
| Class 'A-H' Accumulation  | 131.0134 | 130.8432 | 142.3472 |
| Class 'A-H' Distribution  | 108.0842 | 110.5675 | 122.5577 |
| Class 'B-H' Accumulation  | 106.8175 | 106.6400 | 115.9520 |
| Class 'B-H' Distribution  | 97.6328  | 99.8652  | n/a      |
| Class 'F-H' Accumulation  | 136.2474 | 136.0834 | 148.0437 |
| Class 'Ql-H' Accumulation | 99.9372  | 99.8432  | n/a      |
| Class 'Ql-H' Distribution | 97.6237  | 99.8443  | n/a      |
| Swiss franc               | CHF      | CHF      | CHF      |
| Class 'A-H' Accumulation  | 97.8375  | 99.6293  | n/a      |
| Class 'A-H' Distribution  | 95.5684  | 99.6293  | n/a      |
| US dollar                 | US\$     | US\$     | US\$     |
| Class 'A-H' Accumulation  | 100.5663 | 99.9221  | n/a      |
| Class 'A-H' Distribution  | 98.2922  | 99.9304  | n/a      |

# Financial highlights

Class 'A-H' Distribution

Class 'A-H' Accumulation

Class 'A-H' Distribution

US dollar

| NAV at fund level                     | 31.12.22<br>€'000 | 31.12.21<br>€'000 | 31.12.20<br>€'000 |
|---------------------------------------|-------------------|-------------------|-------------------|
| Net assets                            | 2,190,792         | 2,960,734         | 2,160,118         |
| Swing pricing adjustment (see note 9) | n/a               | n/a               | n/a               |
| Swing net assets                      | 2,190,792         | 2,960,734         | 2,160,118         |
| Total Expense Ratio 31.12.22          |                   |                   | TER               |
| Euro                                  |                   |                   | %                 |
| Class 'A' Accumulation                |                   |                   | 0.45              |
| Class 'A' Distribution                |                   |                   | 0.45              |
| Class 'B' Accumulation                |                   |                   | 0.40              |
| Class 'B' Distribution                |                   |                   | 0.40              |
| Class 'P' Accumulation                |                   |                   | 1.09              |
| Class 'P' Distribution                |                   |                   | 1.09              |
| Class 'Q' Accumulation                |                   |                   | 0.52              |
| Class 'Q' Distribution                |                   |                   | 0.52              |
| Class 'Ql' Accumulation               |                   |                   | 0.48              |
| Class 'Ql' Distribution               |                   |                   | 0.48              |
| Class 'W' Accumulation                |                   |                   | 0.59              |
| Class 'W' Distribution                |                   |                   | 0.59              |
| Class 'WI' Accumulation               |                   |                   | 0.55              |
| Class 'WI' Distribution               |                   |                   | 0.55              |
| Sterling                              |                   |                   | %                 |
| Class 'A-H' Accumulation              |                   |                   | 0.45              |
| Class 'A-H' Distribution              |                   |                   | 0.45              |
| Class 'B-H' Accumulation              |                   |                   | 0.40              |
| Class 'B-H' Distribution              |                   |                   | 0.40              |
| Class 'F-H' Accumulation              |                   |                   | 0.45              |
| Class 'QI-H' Accumulation             |                   |                   | 0.48              |
| Class 'QI-H' Distribution             |                   |                   | 0.48              |
| Swiss franc                           |                   |                   | %                 |
| Class 'A-H' Accumulation              |                   |                   | 0.45              |

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#### Statement of net assets

| as at 31 December 2022  | Notes | M&G European<br>Credit Investment<br>Fund<br>€'000 | M&G European<br>High Yield<br>Credit Investment<br>Fund<br>€'000 | M&G Senior<br>Asset<br>Backed<br>Credit Fund<br>£'000 |
|---|-------|--|--|---|
| Assets  |       |  |  |   |
| Investment assets   | 3a    | 3,402,394  | 261,710  | 292,932   |
| Cash and bank balances  | 3i    |  |  |   |
| Amounts held at futures clearing houses and collateral manager        |       | 7,400  | 151  | 0   |
| Cash held as bank balances  |       | 49,834   | 4,437  | 3,520   |
| Cash held on deposit  |       | 3,923  | 6,630  | 1,540   |
| Total cash and bank balances  |       | 61,157   | 11,218   | 5,060   |
| Other assets  |       |  |  |   |
| Amounts receivable on issues of shares                                |       | 217  | 31   | 0   |
| Debt security interest receivable                                     |       | 33,106   | 4,152  | 879   |
| Derivative income receivable  |       | 0  | 0  | 0   |
| Sales awaiting settlement   |       | 0  | 0  | 0   |
| Total other assets  |       | 33,323   | 4,183  | 879   |
| Total assets  |       | 3,496,874  | 277,111  | 298,871   |
| Liabilities   |       |  |  |   |
| Investment liabilities  | 3a    | (6,317)  | (27)   | (1,954)   |
| Cash and bank balances  | 3i    |  |  |   |
| Overdrawn positions at futures clearing houses and collateral manager |       | (7,531)  | (174)  | 0   |
| Total overdraft   |       | (7,531)  | (174)  | 0   |
| Other liabilities   |       |  |  |   |
| Amounts payable on cancellation of shares                             |       | (565)  | (15)   | 0   |
| Annual management charge payable                                      |       | (307)  | (43)   | (51)  |
| Audit fee payable   |       | (17)   | (17)   | (14)  |
| Directors' fees and expenses payable                                  | 5, 7  | (1)  | (1)  | (1)   |
| Other payable   | 5     | (1,075)  | (278)  | (269)   |
| Taxe d'abonnement payable   | 5, 8  | (106)  | (7)  | (8)   |
| Total other liabilities   |       | (2,071)  | (361)  | (343)   |
| Total liabilities   |       | (15,919)   | (562)  | (2,297)   |
| Net assets  |       | 3,480,955  | 276,549  | 296,574   |

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#### Statement of net assets

| as at 31 December 2022  | Notes | M&G Sustainable<br>European Credit<br>Investment<br>Fund<br>€'000 | M&G Sustainable<br>Total Return<br>Credit Investment<br>Fund<br>€'000 | M&G Total<br>Return Credit<br>Investment<br>Fund<br>€'000 | Combined<br>total<br>€'000 |
|---|-------|---|---|---|----------------------------|
| Assets  |       |   |   |   |                            |
| Investment assets   | 3a    | 562,159   | 163,032   | 2,008,222   | 6,727,682                  |
| Cash and bank balances  | 3i    |   |   |   |                            |
| Amounts held at futures clearing houses and collateral manager        |       | 1,567   | 3,164   | 30,761  | 43,043                     |
| Cash held as bank balances  |       | 12,338  | 22,272  | 31,059  | 123,907                    |
| Cash held on deposit  |       | 0   | 4,991   | 178,454   | 195,734                    |
| Total cash and bank balances  |       | 13,905  | 30,427  | 240,274   | 362,684                    |
| Other assets  |       |   |   |   |                            |
| Amounts receivable on issues of shares                                |       | 31  | 0   | 225   | 504                        |
| Debt security interest receivable                                     |       | 5,313   | 2,035   | 25,976  | 71,573                     |
| Derivative income receivable  |       | 0   | 0   | 23  | 23                         |
| Sales awaiting settlement   |       | 0   | 0   | 2   | 2                          |
| Total other assets  |       | 5,344   | 2,035   | 26,226  | 72,102                     |
| Total assets  |       | 581,408   | 195,494   | 2,274,722   | 7,162,468                  |
| Liabilities   |       |   |   |   |                            |
| Investment liabilities  | 3a    | (642)   | (1,876)   | (44,993)  | (56,057)                   |
| Cash and bank balances  | 3i    |   |   |   |                            |
| Overdrawn positions at futures clearing houses and collateral manager |       | (1,861)   | (3,710)   | (35,381)  | (48,657)                   |
| Total overdraft   |       | (1,861)   | (3,710)   | (35,381)  | (48,657)                   |
| Other liabilities   |       |   |   |   |                            |
| Amounts payable on cancellation of shares                             |       | 0   | 0   | (1,037)   | (1,617)                    |
| Annual management charge payable                                      |       | (20)  | (41)  | (303)   | (771)                      |
| Audit fee payable   |       | (17)  | (17)  | (17)  | (101)                      |
| Directors' fees and expenses payable                                  | 5, 7  | (1)   | (1)   | (1)   | (6)                        |
| Other payable   | 5     | (91)  | (71)  | (2,142)   | (3,960)                    |
| Taxe d'abonnement payable   | 5, 8  | (15)  | (5)   | (56)  | (198)                      |
| Total other liabilities   |       | (144)   | (135)   | (3,556)   | (6,653)                    |
| Total liabilities   |       | (2,647)   | (5,721)   | (83,930)  | (111,367)                  |
| Net assets  |       | 578,761   | 189,773   | 2,190,792   | 7,051,101                  |

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| for the year to 31 December 2022                               | Notes | M&G European<br>Credit Investment<br>Fund<br>€'000 | M&G European<br>High Yield<br>Credit Investment<br>Fund<br>€'000 | M&G Senior<br>Asset<br>Backed<br>Credit Fund<br>£'000 |
|--|-------|--|--|---|
| Opening net assets   |       | 3,268,875  | 328,841  | 431,581   |
| Income   |       |  |  |   |
| Accretion of market discount/ (Amortisation of market premium) |       | (6,650)  | 0  | (9)   |
| Bank interest  |       | (54)   | 3  | 57  |
| Deposit interest   |       | (172)  | 3  | 0   |
| Derivative Income  |       | 0  | 0  | 0   |
| Dividends  |       | 0  | 0  | 4   |
| Interest on debt securities                                    |       | 45,965   | 13,347   | 6,309   |
| Withholding tax on dividends and other investment income       | 3j    | (74)   | 41   | (26)  |
| Total income   |       | 39,015   | 13,394   | 6,335   |
| Expenses   |       |  |  |   |
| Administration charge  | 5, 6  | (1,428)  | (167)  | (98)  |
| Annual management charge                                       | 5     | (3,020)  | (181)  | (385)   |
| Audit fee  |       | (18)   | (18)   | (17)  |
| Directors' fees  | 5, 7  | (5)  | (5)  | (5)   |
| Taxe d'abonnement charge                                       | 5, 8  | (377)  | (28)   | (34)  |
| Total expenses   |       | (4,848)  | (399)  | (539)   |
| Net income for the year  |       | 34,167   | 12,995   | 5,796   |
| Realised gains/(losses) on sales of investm                    | ents  |  |  |   |
| Investments excluding derivatives                              | 3k    | (89,298)   | (14,979)   | (1,994)   |
| Currency and forward currency contracts                        |       | (51)   | 1,281  | (3,119)   |
| Futures contracts  |       | (21,908)   | 1,239  | (163)   |
| CSDR penalty amount  |       | 12   | 2  | 1   |
| Net realised loss  |       | (111,245)  | (12,457)   | (5,275)   |
| Change in unrealised gains/(losses)                            |       |  |  |   |
| Investments excluding derivatives                              |       | (388,157)  | (40,024)   | 183   |
| Currency and forward currency contracts                        |       | (3,664)  | 1,205  | (1,082)   |

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| for the year to 31 December 2022                      | Notes | M&G European<br>Credit Investment<br>Fund<br>€'000 | M&G European<br>High Yield<br>Credit Investment<br>Fund<br>€¹000 | M&G Senior<br>Asset<br>Backed<br>Credit Fund<br>£'000 |
|---|-------|--|--|---|
| Futures contracts                                     |       | 12,254   | 197  | 0   |
| Swap contracts  |       | 0  | 0  | 0   |
| Net change in unrealised loss                         |       | (379,567)  | (38,622)   | (899)   |
| Change in net asset assets from investment activities | :     | (456,645)  | (38,084)   | (378)   |
| Net share issues and redemptions                      |       | 671,519  | (14,015)   | (131,448)   |
| Distributions   |       | (2,794)  | (193)  | (3,181)   |
| Foreign currency translation                          |       |  |  |   |
| Net assets  |       | 3,480,955  | 276,549  | 296,574   |

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| for the year to 31 December 2022                                  | Notes | M&G Sustainable<br>European Credit<br>Investment<br>Fund<br>€'000 | M&G Sustainable<br>Total Return<br>Credit Investment<br>Fund<br>€'000 | M&G Total<br>Return Credit<br>Investment<br>Fund<br>€'000 | Combined<br>total €'000 |
|---|-------|---|---|---|-------------------------|
| Opening net assets  |       | 119,905   | 77,414  | 2,960,734   | 7,269,799               |
| Income  |       |   |   |   |                         |
| Accretion of market discount/<br>(Amortisation of market premium) |       | 0   | 0   | 0   | (6,660)                 |
| Bank interest   |       | (6)   | 6   | 10  | 23                      |
| Deposit interest  |       | 8   | (25)  | 142   | (44)                    |
| Derivative Income   |       | 0   | 0   | 181   | 181                     |
| Dividends   |       | 0   | 0   | 0   | 5                       |
| Interest on debt securities                                       |       | 4,602   | 4,523   | 85,222  | 160,770                 |
| Withholding tax on dividends and other investment income          | Зј    | (16)  | (6)   | 15  | (69)                    |
| Total income  |       | 4,588   | 4,498   | 85,570  | 154,206                 |
| Expenses  |       |   |   |   |                         |
| Administration charge   | 5, 6  | (80)  | (104)   | (926)   | (2,815)                 |
| Annual management charge  | 5     | (128)   | (394)   | (9,716)   | (13,873)                |
| Audit fee   |       | (34)  | (33)  | (18)  | (140)                   |
| Directors' fees   | 5, 7  | (6)   | (6)   | (5)   | (33)                    |
| Taxe d'abonnement charge  | 5, 8  | (29)  | (19)  | (250)   | (741)                   |
| Total expenses  |       | (277)   | (556)   | (10,915)  | (17,602)                |
| Net income for the year   |       | 4,311   | 3,942   | 74,655  | 136,604                 |
| Realised gains/(losses) on sales of investment                    | ents  |   |   |   |                         |
| Investments excluding derivatives                                 | 3k    | (4,376)   | (2,520)   | (62,846)  | (176,266)               |
| Currency and forward currency contracts                           |       | (2)   | (2,571)   | (37,303)  | (42,161)                |
| Futures contracts   |       | (1,509)   | 8,370   | 151,265   | 137,273                 |
| CSDR penalty amount   |       | 1   | 2   | 9   | 27                      |
| Net realised (loss)/gain  |       | (5,886)   | 3,281   | 51,125  | (81,127)                |
| Change in unrealised gains/(losses)                               |       |   |   |   |                         |
| Investments excluding derivatives                                 |       | (22,647)  | (17,658)  | (279,359)   | (747,639)               |
| Currency and forward currency contracts                           |       | 0   | (378)   | (47,138)  | (51,195)                |

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| for the year to 31 December 2022                      | Notes | M&G Sustainable<br>European Credit<br>Investment<br>Fund<br>€'000 | M&G Sustainable<br>Total Return<br>Credit Investment<br>Fund<br>€'000 | M&G Total<br>Return Credit<br>Investment<br>Fund<br>€'000 | Combined<br>total €'000 |
|---|-------|---|---|---|-------------------------|
| Futures contracts                                     |       | 2,282   | 4,001   | 39,814  | 58,548                  |
| Swap contracts  |       | 0   | 0   | 681   | 681                     |
| Net change in unrealised loss                         |       | (20,365)  | (14,035)  | (286,002)   | (739,605)               |
| Change in net asset assets from investment activities |       | (21,940)  | (6,812)   | (160,222)   | (684,128)               |
| Net share issues and redemptions                      |       | 480,798   | 119,198   | (604,077)   | 505,268                 |
| Distributions   |       | (2)   | (27)  | (5,643)   | (12,244)                |
| Foreign currency translation                          |       |   |   |   | (27,594)                |
| Net assets  |       | 578,761   | 189,773   | 2,190,792   | 7,051,101               |

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The various classes of shares in issue have equivalent rights in the Company, but carry different features and charging structures detailed in note 5 which are more fully described in the Company's Prospectus.

#### Shares in issue

| for the year to 31 December<br>2022<br>Share class | Shares outstanding<br>at the beginning<br>of the year | Shares<br>issued | Shares<br>redeemed | Shares outstanding<br>at the end<br>of the year | Share class<br>launch<br>date |
|--|---|------------------|--------------------|---|-------------------------------|
| M&G European Credit Investmen                      | nt Fund   |                  |                    |   |                               |
| Euro   |   |                  |                    |   |                               |
| Class 'A' Accumulation                             | 1,365,726.042   | 2,350,944.388    | (460,614.197)      | 3,256,056.233                                   | 25.02.21                      |
| Class 'A' Distribution                             | 100.400   | 408,623.000      | 0.000              | 408,723.400                                     | 27.09.21                      |
| Class 'B' Accumulation                             | 71.919  | 0.000            | 0.000              | 71.919  | 27.09.21                      |
| Class 'B' Distribution                             | 2,000,101.452   | 0.000            | 0.000              | 2,000,101.452                                   | 22.07.21                      |
| Class 'E' Accumulation                             | 6,104,766.206   | 2,493,354.826    | (600,217.440)      | 7,997,903.592                                   | 12.04.11                      |
| Class 'E' Distribution                             | 1,253,275.410   | 253,775.000      | (213,393.000)      | 1,293,657.410                                   | 16.08.19                      |
| Class 'F' Accumulation                             | 4,704,203.482   | 1,500,881.812    | (1,123,482.770)    | 5,081,602.524                                   | 07.05.20                      |
| Class 'P' Accumulation                             | 0.000   | 100.000          | 0.000              | 100.000   | 22.06.22                      |
| Class 'P' Distribution                             | 0.000   | 100.100          | 0.000              | 100.100   | 22.06.22                      |
| Class 'Q' Accumulation                             | 1,055,639.613   | 942,030.480      | (427,132.090)      | 1,570,538.003                                   | 03.11.20                      |
| Class 'Q' Distribution                             | 666,601.338   | 139,824.037      | (332,972.432)      | 473,452.943                                     | 03.11.20                      |
| Class 'QI' Accumulation                            | 9,705,815.337   | 9,497,399.662    | (7,236,536.847)    | 11,966,678.152                                  | 03.11.20                      |
| Class 'QI' Distribution                            | 49,827.197  | 8,389.320        | (443.000)          | 57,773.517                                      | 03.11.20                      |
| Class 'W' Accumulation                             | 100.700   | 39,708.000       | (650.000)          | 39,158.700                                      | 27.09.21                      |
| Class 'W' Distribution                             | 100.800   | 0.000            | 0.000              | 100.800   | 27.09.21                      |
| Class 'WI' Accumulation                            | 100.900   | 371,395.000      | (643.000)          | 370,852.900                                     | 27.09.21                      |
| Class 'Wl' Distribution                            | 101.000   | 0.000            | 0.000              | 101.000   | 27.09.21                      |
| Japanese yen                                       |   |                  |                    |   |                               |
| Class 'A-H' Accumulation                           | 128.100   | 0.000            | 0.000              | 128.100   | 10.12.21                      |
| Class 'A-H' Distribution                           | 128.101   | 0.000            | 0.000              | 128.101   | 10.12.21                      |
| Sterling   |   |                  |                    |   |                               |
| Class 'E-H' Accumulation                           | 1,298,867.843   | 144,501.481      | (884,403.505)      | 558,965.819                                     | 28.11.18                      |
| Class 'E-H' Distribution                           | 100.000   | 0.000            | 0.000              | 100.000   | 27.09.21                      |
| Swiss franc  |   |                  |                    |   |                               |
| Class 'A-H' Accumulation                           | 20,478.578  | 32,250.172       | 0.000              | 52,728.750                                      | 11.12.20                      |
| Class 'A-H' Distribution                           | 100.100   | 0.000            | 0.000              | 100.100   | 27.09.21                      |

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| for the year to 31 December<br>2022<br>Share class | Shares outstanding<br>at the beginning<br>of the year | Shares<br>issued | Shares<br>redeemed | Shares outstanding<br>at the end<br>of the year | Share class<br>launch<br>date |
|--|---|------------------|--------------------|---|-------------------------------|
| US dollar  |   |                  |                    |   |                               |
| Class 'A-H' Accumulation                           | 100.200   | 0.000            | 0.000              | 100.200   | 27.09.21                      |
| Class 'A-H' Distribution                           | 100.300   | 0.000            | 0.000              | 100.300   | 27.09.21                      |
| M&G European High Yield Credit                     | t Investment Fund                                     |                  |                    |   |                               |
| Euro   |   |                  |                    |   |                               |
| Class 'A' Accumulation                             | 100.000   | 0.000            | 0.000              | 100.000   | 27.09.21                      |
| Class 'A' Distribution                             | 100.100   | 0.000            | 0.000              | 100.100   | 27.09.21                      |
| Class 'E' Accumulation                             | 2,125,461.378   | 510,370.424      | (632,447.180)      | 2,003,384.622                                   | 06.03.13                      |
| Class 'E' Distribution                             | 50,000.000  | 0.000            | 0.000              | 50,000.000                                      | 07.05.21                      |
| Class 'P' Accumulation                             | 0.000   | 100.000          | 0.000              | 100.000   | 22.06.22                      |
| Class 'P' Distribution                             | 0.000   | 100.100          | 0.000              | 100.100   | 22.06.22                      |
| Class 'W' Accumulation                             | 100.200   | 0.000            | 0.000              | 100.200   | 27.09.21                      |
| Class 'W' Distribution                             | 100.300   | 0.000            | 0.000              | 100.300   | 27.09.21                      |
| Class 'WI' Accumulation                            | 100.400   | 3,041.452        | (270.255)          | 2,871.597                                       | 27.09.21                      |
| Class 'WI' Distribution                            | 100.500   | 0.000            | 0.000              | 100.500   | 27.09.21                      |
| Sterling   |   |                  |                    |   |                               |
| Class 'A-H' Accumulation                           | 101.300   | 0.000            | 0.000              | 101.300   | 27.09.21                      |
| Class 'A-H' Distribution                           | 101.400   | 0.000            | 0.000              | 101.400   | 27.09.21                      |
| Class 'E-H' Accumulation                           | 101.500   | 0.000            | 0.000              | 101.500   | 27.09.21                      |
| Class 'E-H' Distribution                           | 101.600   | 0.000            | 0.000              | 101.600   | 27.09.21                      |
| US dollar  |   |                  |                    |   |                               |
| Class 'A-H' Accumulation                           | 101.700   | 0.000            | 0.000              | 101.700   | 27.09.21                      |
| Class 'A-H' Distribution                           | 101.800   | 0.000            | 0.000              | 101.800   | 27.09.21                      |
| Class 'E-H' Accumulation                           | 101.900   | 0.000            | 0.000              | 101.900   | 27.09.21                      |
| Class 'E-H' Distribution                           | 102.000   | 0.000            | 0.000              | 102.000   | 27.09.21                      |
| M&G Senior Asset Backed Cred                       | it Fund   |                  |                    |   |                               |
| Euro   |   |                  |                    |   |                               |
| Class 'A-H' Accumulation                           | 367,872.290   | 4,996.003        | (369,867.693)      | 3,000.600                                       | 14.06.21                      |
| Class 'A-H' Distribution                           | 100.160   | 0.000            | 0.000              | 100.160   | 27.09.21                      |
| Class 'Q-H' Accumulation                           | 36,081.000  | 0.000            | (2,438.000)        | 33,643.000                                      | 26.03.21                      |
| Class 'Q-H' Distribution                           | 100.000   | 0.000            | 0.000              | 100.000   | 26.03.21                      |
| Class 'QI-H' Accumulation                          | 21,045.620  | 0.000            | (20,945.619)       | 100.001   | 26.03.21                      |
| Class 'QI-H' Distribution                          | 2,183.000   | 0.000            | 0.000              | 2,183.000                                       | 26.03.21                      |

The accompanying notes to the financial statements are an integral part of these financial statements.

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| for the year to 31 December<br>2022<br>Share class | Shares outstanding<br>at the beginning<br>of the year | Shares<br>issued | Shares<br>redeemed | Shares outstanding<br>at the end<br>of the year | Share class<br>launch<br>date |
|--|---|------------------|--------------------|---|-------------------------------|
| Japanese yen                                       |   |                  |                    |   |                               |
| Class 'A-H' Accumulation                           | 15,000.000  | 2,703,417.774    | (968,756.340)      | 1,749,661.434                                   | 27.09.21                      |
| Class 'A-H' Distribution                           | 15,000.100  | 0.000            | 0.000              | 15,000.100                                      | 27.09.21                      |
| Class 'Q-H' Accumulation                           | 15,000.200  | 0.000            | 0.000              | 15,000.200                                      | 27.09.21                      |
| Class 'Q-H' Distribution                           | 15,000.400  | 0.000            | 0.000              | 15,000.400                                      | 27.09.21                      |
| Class 'QI-H' Accumulation                          | 15,000.300  | 0.000            | 0.000              | 15,000.300                                      | 27.09.21                      |
| Class 'QI-H' Distribution                          | 15,000.500  | 0.000            | 0.000              | 15,000.500                                      | 27.09.21                      |
| Sterling   |   |                  |                    |   |                               |
| Class 'A' Accumulation                             | 1,086,815.927   | 266,081.742      | (938,167.480)      | 414,730.189                                     | 30.10.20                      |
| Class 'A' Distribution                             | 2,833,768.976   | 678,305.056      | (1,002,989.583)    | 2,509,084.449                                   | 28.08.20                      |
| Class 'Q' Accumulation                             | 100.000   | 0.000            | 0.000              | 100.000   | 27.09.21                      |
| Class 'Q' Distribution                             | 100.200   | 0.000            | 0.000              | 100.200   | 27.09.21                      |
| Class 'QI' Accumulation                            | 100.100   | 0.000            | 0.000              | 100.100   | 27.09.21                      |
| Class 'QI' Distribution                            | 100.300   | 0.000            | 0.000              | 100.300   | 27.09.21                      |
| US dollar  |   |                  |                    |   |                               |
| Class 'A-H' Accumulation                           | 100.500   | 0.000            | 0.000              | 100.500   | 27.09.21                      |
| Class 'A-H' Distribution                           | 100.600   | 0.000            | 0.000              | 100.600   | 27.09.21                      |
| Class 'Q-H' Accumulation                           | 100.000   | 0.000            | 0.000              | 100.000   | 26.03.21                      |
| Class 'Q-H' Distribution                           | 100.000   | 0.000            | 0.000              | 100.000   | 26.03.21                      |
| Class 'QI-H' Accumulation                          | 100.000   | 0.000            | 0.000              | 100.000   | 26.03.21                      |
| Class 'QI-H' Distribution                          | 100.000   | 0.000            | 0.000              | 100.000   | 26.03.21                      |

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| for the year to 31 December<br>2022<br>Share class | Shares outstanding<br>at the beginning<br>of the year | Shares<br>issued | Shares<br>redeemed | Shares outstanding<br>at the end<br>of the year | Share class<br>launch<br>date |
|--|---|------------------|--------------------|---|-------------------------------|
| M&G Sustainable European Cred                      | dit Investment Fund                                   |                  |                    |   |                               |
| Euro   |   |                  |                    |   |                               |
| Class 'Al' Accumulation                            | 100.800   | 0.000            | 0.000              | 100.800   | 08.10.21                      |
| Class 'Al' Distribution                            | 100.900   | 0.000            | 0.000              | 100.900   | 08.10.21                      |
| Class 'D' Accumulation                             | 0.000   | 100.000          | 0.000              | 100.000   | 19.10.22                      |
| Class 'D' Distribution                             | 0.000   | 100.100          | 0.000              | 100.100   | 19.10.22                      |
| Class 'DI' Accumulation                            | 0.000   | 1,449,088.000    | (3,467.000)        | 1,445,621.000                                   | 28.04.22                      |
| Class 'DI' Distribution                            | 0.000   | 100.100          | 0.000              | 100.100   | 28.04.22                      |
| Class 'El' Accumulation                            | 1,199,848.200   | 3,977,911.773    | (22,629.590)       | 5,155,130.383                                   | 08.10.21                      |
| Class 'El' Distribution                            | 100.300   | 0.000            | 0.000              | 100.300   | 08.10.21                      |
| Class 'L' Accumulation                             | 101.000   | 0.000            | 0.000              | 101.000   | 08.10.21                      |
| Class 'L' Distribution                             | 4,541.100   | 1,590.000        | (2,435.000)        | 3,696.100                                       | 08.10.21                      |
| Class 'LI' Accumulation                            | 100.000   | 0.000            | 0.000              | 100.000   | 08.10.21                      |
| Class 'LI' Distribution                            | 100.100   | 0.000            | 0.000              | 100.100   | 08.10.21                      |
| Class 'P' Accumulation                             | 0.000   | 100.000          | 0.000              | 100.000   | 22.06.22                      |
| Class 'P' Distribution                             | 0.000   | 100.100          | 0.000              | 100.100   | 22.06.22                      |
| Class 'W' Accumulation                             | 100.400   | 0.000            | 0.000              | 100.400   | 08.10.21                      |
| Class 'W' Distribution                             | 100.500   | 0.000            | 0.000              | 100.500   | 08.10.21                      |
| Class 'WI' Accumulation                            | 100.600   | 2,649.000        | 0.000              | 2,749.600                                       | 08.10.21                      |
| Class 'WI' Distribution                            | 100.700   | 0.000            | 0.000              | 100.700   | 08.10.21                      |
| Sterling   |   |                  |                    |   |                               |
| Class 'L-H' Accumulation                           | 0.000   | 100.000          | 0.000              | 100.000   | 16.03.22                      |

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| for the year to 31 December<br>2022<br>Share class | Shares outstanding<br>at the beginning<br>of the year | Shares<br>issued | Shares<br>redeemed | Shares outstanding<br>at the end<br>of the year | Share class<br>launch<br>date |
|--|---|------------------|--------------------|---|-------------------------------|
| M&G Sustainable Total Return C                     | redit Investment Fund                                 |                  |                    |   |                               |
| Euro   |   |                  |                    |   |                               |
| Class 'Al' Accumulation                            | 100.800   | 0.000            | 0.000              | 100.800   | 15.10.21                      |
| Class 'Al' Distribution                            | 100.900   | 0.000            | 0.000              | 100.900   | 15.10.21                      |
| Class 'El' Accumulation                            | 761,415.200   | 117,095.974      | (51,179.628)       | 827,331.546                                     | 15.10.21                      |
| Class 'El' Distribution                            | 100.300   | 0.000            | 0.000              | 100.300   | 15.10.21                      |
| Class 'L' Accumulation                             | 101.000   | 57,213.000       | 564.000            | 57,878.000                                      | 15.10.21                      |
| Class 'L' Distribution                             | 101.100   | 0.000            | 0.000              | 101.100   | 15.10.21                      |
| Class 'LI' Accumulation                            | 101.200   | 175,624.088      | (11,746.976)       | 163,978.312                                     | 15.10.21                      |
| Class 'LI' Distribution                            | 12,951.300  | 0.000            | 0.000              | 12,951.300                                      | 15.10.21                      |
| Class 'P' Accumulation                             | 0.000   | 100.000          | 0.000              | 100.000   | 22.06.22                      |
| Class 'P' Distribution                             | 0.000   | 100.100          | 0.000              | 100.100   | 22.06.22                      |
| Class 'W' Accumulation                             | 100.400   | 94,869.220       | (790.558)          | 94,179.062                                      | 15.10.21                      |
| Class 'W' Distribution                             | 100.500   | 0.000            | 0.000              | 100.500   | 15.10.21                      |
| Class 'WI' Accumulation                            | 100.600   | 8,906.235        | (129.976)          | 8,876.859                                       | 15.10.21                      |
| Class 'WI' Distribution                            | 100.700   | 8,246.303        | (117.100)          | 8,229.903                                       | 15.10.21                      |
| Sterling   |   |                  |                    |   |                               |
| Class 'EI-H' Accumulation                          | 100.000   | 1,023,839.643    | (371,788.481)      | 652,151.162                                     | 15.10.21                      |
| Class 'El-H' Distribution                          | 100.100   | 10,427.529       | (40.077)           | 10,487.552                                      | 15.10.21                      |

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| for the year to 31 December<br>2022<br>Share class | Shares outstanding<br>at the beginning<br>of the year | Shares<br>issued | Shares<br>redeemed | Shares outstanding<br>at the end<br>of the year | Share class<br>launch<br>date |
|--|---|------------------|--------------------|---|-------------------------------|
| M&G Total Return Credit Investr                    | nent Fund   |                  |                    |   |                               |
| Euro   |   |                  |                    |   |                               |
| Class 'A' Accumulation                             | 2,174,943.652   | 495,911.014      | (369,956.716)      | 2,300,897.950                                   | 15.03.13                      |
| Class 'A' Distribution                             | 1,074,046.035   | 156,071.000      | (14,326.888)       | 1,215,790.147                                   | 07.05.21                      |
| Class 'B' Accumulation                             | 100.700   | 0.000            | 0.000              | 100.700   | 27.09.21                      |
| Class 'B' Distribution                             | 100.800   | 0.000            | 0.000              | 100.800   | 27.09.21                      |
| Class 'P' Accumulation                             | 0.000   | 100.000          | 0.000              | 100.000   | 22.06.22                      |
| Class 'P' Distribution                             | 0.000   | 100.100          | 0.000              | 100.100   | 22.06.22                      |
| Class 'Q' Accumulation                             | 48,956.000  | 769.044          | (1,493.173)        | 48,231.871                                      | 11.09.20                      |
| Class 'Q' Distribution                             | 100.000   | 0.000            | 0.000              | 100.000   | 11.09.20                      |
| Class 'Ql' Accumulation                            | 307,877.825   | 408,219.590      | (301,851.641)      | 414,245.774                                     | 11.09.20                      |
| Class 'QI' Distribution                            | 120,001.778   | 57,836.553       | (61,289.462)       | 116,548.869                                     | 11.09.20                      |
| Class 'W' Accumulation                             | 6,100.900   | 85,491.289       | (51,391.343)       | 40,200.846                                      | 27.09.21                      |
| Class 'W' Distribution                             | 101.000   | 0.000            | 0.000              | 101.000   | 27.09.21                      |
| Class 'WI' Accumulation                            | 101.100   | 150,779.386      | (138,371.978)      | 12,508.508                                      | 27.09.21                      |
| Class 'WI' Distribution                            | 101.200   | 0.000            | 0.000              | 101.200   | 27.09.21                      |
| Sterling   |   |                  |                    |   |                               |
| Class 'A-H' Accumulation                           | 8,164,171.768   | 2,723,039.692    | (4,839,286.518)    | 6,047,924.942                                   | 18.10.13                      |
| Class 'A-H' Distribution                           | 1,340,337.055   | 99,588.359       | (956,897.999)      | 483,027.415                                     | 21.11.14                      |
| Class 'B-H' Accumulation                           | 6,664,800.303   | 2,246,888.262    | (4,456,456.376)    | 4,455,232.189                                   | 21.08.20                      |
| Class 'B-H' Distribution                           | 100.400   | 59,737.914       | (22.370)           | 59,815.944                                      | 27.09.21                      |
| Class 'F-H' Accumulation                           | 1,420,062.298   | 250,575.997      | (207,547.685)      | 1,463,090.610                                   | 01.01.17                      |
| Class 'QI-H' Accumulation                          | 100.500   | 0.000            | 0.000              | 100.500   | 27.09.21                      |
| Class 'QI-H' Distribution                          | 100.600   | 0.000            | 0.000              | 100.600   | 27.09.21                      |
| Swiss franc  |   |                  |                    |   |                               |
| Class 'A-H' Accumulation                           | 100.300   | 0.000            | 0.000              | 100.300   | 27.09.21                      |
| Class 'A-H' Distribution                           | 100.200   | 0.000            | 0.000              | 100.200   | 27.09.21                      |
| US dollar  |   |                  |                    |   |                               |
| Class 'A-H' Accumulation                           | 16,788.957  | 3,065.000        | (3,065.000)        | 16,788.957                                      | 27.09.21                      |
| Class 'A-H' Distribution                           | 100.100   | 0.000            | 0.000              | 100.100   | 27.09.21                      |

# Notes to the Financial Statements

### 1 General information

The fund is an investment company organized as a société anonyme under the laws of the Grand Duchy of Luxembourg and qualifies as a société d'investissement à capital variable ('SICAV'). The fund was incorporated in Luxembourg on 8 March 2011. The fund qualifies as an Undertaking for Collective Investment in Transferable Securities ('UCITS') under Part I of the amended Law of 17 December 2010 relating to UCITS and is registered with the Luxembourg Trade and Company Register under number B 159397.

### 2 Basis of preparation

These financial statements have been prepared and presented in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles in Luxembourg and with the legal and regulatory requirements relating to the preparation and presentation of the financial statements as prescribed by the Luxembourg authorities for Luxembourg investment funds including the following significant accounting policies.

The financial statements have been prepared under a going concern assumption as deemed appropriate by the Board of Directors.

### 3 Significant accounting policies

### a) Security valuation

The value of transferable securities, money market instruments and any other assets which are listed or dealt in on any stock exchange are based on the latest available closing price. Transferable securities, money market instruments and any other assets traded on any other regulated market are valued in a manner as similar as possible to that provided for listed securities.

For non-listed assets or assets not traded or dealt in on any stock exchange or other regulated market, as well as listed or non-listed assets on such other market for which no valuation price is available, or assets for which the listed prices are not representative of the fair market value, the value thereof shall be determined as the appropriate fair value of the asset by the Board of Directors.

### b) Forward currency contracts

Open forward foreign exchange contracts are valued on the basis of forward exchange rates prevailing at the relevant valuation date. The fair value of open forward foreign exchange contracts is calculated as the difference between the contracted rate and the current forward rate that would close out the contract on the valuation date. The unrealised appreciation/(depreciation) on open forward foreign exchange contracts is reported under 'Investment assets' and 'Investment liabilities' as appropriate in the Statement of net assets.

When the contracts are closed, realised gains/(losses) arising from closed contract transactions and change in unrealised gains/(losses) as a result thereof are recorded as currency and forward currency contracts under each respective section in the Statement of operations and changes in net assets.

### c) Futures contracts

Upon entering into a futures contract, a sub-fund is required to deposit with its futures broker, an amount of cash or U.S. government obligations in accordance with the initial margin requirements of the broker or exchange. Futures contracts are valued using quoted daily settlement prices established by the exchange on which they trade. The sub-fund and the broker agree to exchange an amount of cash equal to the daily fluctuations in the value of the futures contract (variation margin).

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For open futures, changes in the value of the contract are recognised under 'Investment assets' and 'Investment liabilities' by 'marking-to market' the value of the contract at the Statement of net assets date. When a contract is closed, the difference between the proceeds (or cost) of the closing transaction and the original transaction is recorded as a realised gains/(losses) in the Statement of operations and changes in net assets. Change in unrealised gains/(losses) as a result thereof is included in the Statement of operations and changes in net assets under 'Futures contracts'.

### d) Credit default swaps and credit default index swaps

Credit default swaps and credit default index swaps are marked to market upon daily prices obtained from third party pricing agents and verified against the value from the counterparty. The unrealised appreciation/(depreciation) on credit default swaps and on credit default index swaps is reported under 'Investment assets' and 'Investment liabilities' as appropriate in the Statement of net assets. The swap premium is recorded as part of the cost of the swap contract.

When the contracts are closed, realised gains/(losses) arising from such transactions and net change in unrealised gains/(losses) as a result thereof are recorded under 'Swap contracts' of respected sections.

### e) Interest rate swaps

Interest rate swaps are marked to market upon daily prices obtained from third party pricing agents and verified against the value from the counterparty. The unrealised appreciation/(depreciation) on interest rate swaps are reported under 'Investment assets' and 'Investment liabilities' as appropriate in the Statement of net assets.

When the contracts are closed, realised gains/(losses) arising from such transactions and net change in unrealised gains/(losses) as a result thereof are recorded under 'Swap contracts' of respected sections.

### f) Reverse repurchase and repurchase agreement transactions

The fund may enter into repurchase agreement transactions which consist of the purchase and sale of securities with a clause reserving the seller the right or the obligation to repurchase from the acquirer the securities sold at a price and term specified by the two parties in their contractual arrangement. The fund can act either as purchaser or seller in repurchase agreement transactions or a series of continuing repurchase transactions.

As at and during the year ended 31 December 2022, the sub-funds did not enter into reverse repurchase and repurchase agreement transactions.

### g) Foreign currency translation

The reference currency of the fund is the Euro ('€'). The financial statements comprise the combined financial statements of the fund expressed in Euro as well as individual information on each sub-fund expressed in the reference currency of each sub-fund. The reference currency of the M&G European Credit Investment Fund, the M&G European High Yield Credit Investment Fund, the M&G Sustainable European Credit Investment Fund, the M&G Sustainable Total Return Credit Investment Fund and the M&G Total Return Credit Investment Fund is the Euro ('€') and for M&G Senior Asset Backed Credit Fund is the UK sterling ('£').

Assets and liabilities expressed in currencies other than the reference currency of the sub-fund are converted into that currency at the exchange rate prevailing on the period end date.

The market value of investments and other assets and liabilities denominated in currencies other than the reference currency of the sub-funds have been translated at the rate of exchange ruling at the year end. The cost of investments, income and expenditure denominated in currencies other than the reference currency of the sub-funds have been translated at the exchange rates ruling on the day of the transaction. The following exchange rates were used to translate the assets and liabilities of the sub-funds at 31 December 2022:

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1 Euro € = 140.818238868 Japanese yen (¥)

1 Euro € = 0.987419263 Swiss franc (CHF)

1 Euro € = 0.887230146 UK sterling (£)

1 Euro € = 1.067249527 US dollars (US\$)

1 UK sterling £ = 1.127103271 Euro (€)

1 UK sterling £ = 158.716697701 Japanese yen ( $\pm$ )

1 UK sterling £ = 1.202900434 US dollars (US\$)

### h) Expenses

Expenses are recorded on an accrual basis. In addition, any Value Added Tax ('VAT') associated with any fees and expenses is charged to the fund. The fund's formation expense and the expenses relating to the creation of new sub-funds are capitalised and amortised over a period of five years.

### i) Cash and cash equivalents

Cash and other liquid assets are valued at their face value with interest accrued, where applicable. All cash at bank balances are held either by State Street Bank International GmbH, Luxembourg Branch, on overnight deposit with a third party institution approved by the Board of Directors or directly with a sub-depositary. Cash and cash equivalents can also include amounts on deposit for the futures contracts initial margin and the cash collateral held with counterparties for interest rate swaps, credit default swaps and credit default index swaps.

### j) Interest income and interest expense

Interest income, adjusted for the accretion of discounts and amortisation of premiums, is recorded net on the accruals basis. Interest expense is also recorded on the accruals basis. Both are recognised in the Statement of operations and changes in net assets.

Any negative yield on cash deposit relates to negative interest incurred by the placing of the EUR balances out on overnight sweep.

### k) Net realised gains and losses on sales of investments

Net realised gains/(losses) on the sales of investments are calculated on the basis of average cost of the investments sold.

### Accounting estimates

The preparation of financial statements in accordance with Luxembourg legal and regulatory requirements relating to the preparation and presentation of the financial statements requires the Board of Directors to make certain estimates and assumptions that affect the carrying amount of assets and liabilities and the reported amount of income and expenses during the year. Actual results could differ from those estimates. At the date of these financial statements no estimates and assumptions had a significant risk of causing a material adjustment to the carrying amounts of assets and liabilities.

### 4 Transaction costs

Direct portfolio transaction costs include broker execution commission and taxes and are incremental costs that are directly attributable to the transaction. Indirect portfolio transaction costs represent the difference between the buying and selling prices of the sub-fund's investments (portfolio dealing spread); some types of investment, such as fixed interest securities, have no direct transaction costs and only the portfolio dealing spread is paid.

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| Direct portfolio transaction costs                  | For the year ended 31 December 2022 |
|---|-------------------------------------|
| M&G European Credit Investment Fund                 | €33,532                             |
| M&G European High Yield Credit Investment Fund      | €496                                |
| M&G Sustainable European Credit Investment Fund     | €3,521                              |
| M&G Sustainable Total Return Credit Investment Fund | €9,801                              |
| M&G Total Return Credit Investment Fund             | €134,193                            |

### 5 Annual management charge

The fund pays an Annual Management Charge calculated as a percentage of the average daily net assets of each sub-fund or share class under its management (the 'Annual Charge'). The Annual Charge accrues daily and is payable quarterly in arrears at the rate specified in the following table and includes:

- Management fees
- Directors' fees and expenses
- Administrative agent fees
- Audit fee
- Professional fees
- Taxe d'abonnement
- Other expenses

| Share class                         | Annual Charge Rate |
|-------------------------------------|--------------------|
| M&G European Credit Investment Fund |                    |
| Euro                                |                    |
| Class 'A' Accumulation              | 0.18%              |
| Class 'A' Distribution              | 0.18%              |
| Class 'B' Accumulation              | 0.16%              |
| Class 'B' Distribution              | 0.16%              |
| Class 'E' Accumulation              | 0.10%              |
| Class 'E' Distribution              | 0.10%              |
| Class 'F' Accumulation              | 0.18%              |
| Class 'P' Accumulation              | 0.49%a,b           |
| Class 'P' Distribution              | 0.49%a,b           |
| Class 'Q' Accumulation              | 0.25%              |
| Class 'Q' Distribution              | 0.25%              |
| Class 'QI' Accumulation             | 0.21%              |
| Class 'QI' Distribution             | 0.21%              |
| Class 'W' Accumulation              | 0.29%              |
| Class 'W' Distribution              | 0.29%              |
| Class 'WI' Accumulation             | 0.25%              |
| Class 'WI' Distribution             | 0.25%              |

| Share class                                    | Annual Charge Rate |
|--|--------------------|
| Japanese yen                                   |                    |
| Class 'A-H' Accumulation                       | 0.18%              |
| Class 'A-H' Distribution                       | 0.18%              |
| Sterling                                       |                    |
| Class 'E-H' Accumulation                       | 0.10%              |
| Class 'E-H' Distribution                       | 0.10%              |
| Swiss franc                                    |                    |
| Class 'A-H' Accumulation                       | 0.18%              |
| Class 'A-H' Distribution                       | 0.18%              |
| US dollar                                      |                    |
| Class 'A-H' Accumulation                       | 0.18%              |
| Class 'A-H' Distribution                       | 0.18%              |
| M&G European High Yield Credit Investment Fund |                    |
| Euro   |                    |
| Class 'A' Accumulation                         | 0.30%              |
| Class 'A' Distribution                         | 0.30%              |
| Class 'E' Accumulation                         | 0.20%              |
| Class 'E' Distribution                         | 0.20%              |
| Class 'P' Accumulation                         | 0.95%ª             |
| Class 'P' Distribution                         | 0.95%ª             |
| Class 'W' Accumulation                         | 0.55%              |
| Class 'W' Distribution                         | 0.55%              |
| Class 'WI' Accumulation                        | 0.51%              |
| Class 'WI' Distribution                        | 0.51%              |
| Sterling                                       |                    |
| Class 'A-H' Accumulation                       | 0.30%              |
| Class 'A-H' Distribution                       | 0.30%              |
| Class 'E-H' Accumulation                       | 0.20%              |
| Class 'E-H' Distribution                       | 0.20%              |
| US dollar                                      |                    |
| Class 'A-H' Accumulation                       | 0.30%              |
| Class 'A-H' Distribution                       | 0.30%              |
| Class 'E-H' Accumulation                       | 0.20%              |
| Class 'E-H' Distribution                       | 0.20%              |

| Share class                         | Annual Charge Rate |
|-------------------------------------|--------------------|
| M&G Senior Asset Backed Credit Fund |                    |
| Euro                                |                    |
| Class 'A-H' Accumulation            | 0.20%              |
| Class 'A-H' Distribution            | 0.20%              |
| Class 'Q-H' Accumulation            | 0.27%              |
| Class 'Q-H' Distribution            | 0.27%              |
| Class 'QI-H' Accumulation           | 0.23%              |
| Class 'QI-H' Distribution           | 0.23%              |
| Japanese yen                        |                    |
| Class 'A-H' Accumulation            | 0.20%              |
| Class 'A-H' Distribution            | 0.20%              |
| Class 'Q-H' Accumulation            | 0.27%              |
| Class 'Q-H' Distribution            | 0.27%              |
| Class 'QI-H' Accumulation           | 0.23%              |
| Class 'QI-H' Distribution           | 0.23%              |
| Sterling                            |                    |
| Class 'A' Accumulation              | 0.20%              |
| Class 'A' Distribution              | 0.20%              |
| Class 'Q' Accumulation              | 0.27%              |
| Class 'Q' Distribution              | 0.27%              |
| Class 'QI' Accumulation             | 0.23%              |
| Class 'QI' Distribution             | 0.23%              |
| US dollar                           |                    |
| Class 'A-H' Accumulation            | 0.20%              |
| Class 'A-H' Distribution            | 0.20%              |
| Class 'Q-H' Accumulation            | 0.27%              |
| Class 'Q-H' Distribution            | 0.27%              |
| Class 'QI-H' Accumulation           | 0.23%              |
| Class 'QI-H' Distribution           | 0.23%              |

| Share class                                     | Annual Charge Rate       |
|---|--------------------------|
| M&G Sustainable European Credit Investment Fund |                          |
| Euro  |                          |
| Class 'Al' Accumulation                         | 0.18%                    |
| Class 'Al' Distribution                         | 0.18%                    |
| Class 'El' Accumulation                         | 0.14%                    |
| Class 'El' Distribution                         | 0.14%                    |
| Class 'D' Accumulation                          | up to 0.22% <sup>c</sup> |
| Class 'D' Distribution                          | up to 0.22% <sup>c</sup> |
| Class 'DI' Accumulation                         | up to 0.18% <sup>d</sup> |
| Class 'DI' Distribution                         | up to 0.18% <sup>d</sup> |
| Class 'L' Accumulation                          | 0.25%                    |
| Class 'L' Distribution                          | 0.25%                    |
| Class 'Ll' Accumulation                         | 0.21%                    |
| Class 'Ll' Distribution                         | 0.21%                    |
| Class 'P' Accumulation                          | 0.49%ª                   |
| Class 'P' Distribution                          | 0.49%ª                   |
| Class 'W' Accumulation                          | 0.29%                    |
| Class 'W' Distribution                          | 0.29%                    |
| Class 'WI' Accumulation                         | 0.25%                    |
| Class 'WI' Distribution                         | 0.25%                    |
| Sterling  |                          |
| Class 'L-H' Accumulation                        | 0.25% <sup>e</sup>       |

| Share class   | Annual Charge Rate |
|---|--------------------|
| M&G Sustainable Total Return Credit Investment Fund |                    |
| Euro  |                    |
| Class 'Al' Accumulation                             | 0.45%              |
| Class 'Al' Distribution                             | 0.45%              |
| Class 'El' Accumulation                             | 0.35%              |
| Class 'El' Distribution                             | 0.35%              |
| Class 'L' Accumulation                              | 0.52%              |
| Class 'L' Distribution                              | 0.52%              |
| Class 'LI' Accumulation                             | 0.48%              |
| Class 'LI' Distribution                             | 0.48%              |
| Class 'P' Accumulation                              | 1.09%ª             |
| Class 'P' Distribution                              | 1.09%ª             |
| Class 'W' Accumulation                              | 0.59%              |
| Class 'W' Distribution                              | 0.59%              |
| Class 'WI' Accumulation                             | 0.55%              |
| Class 'WI' Distribution                             | 0.55%              |
| Sterling  |                    |
| Class 'El-H' Accumulation                           | 0.35%              |
| Class 'El-H' Distribution                           | 0.35%              |
| M&G Total Return Credit Investment Fund             |                    |
| Euro  |                    |
| Class 'A' Accumulation                              | 0.45%              |
| Class 'A' Distribution                              | 0.45%              |
| Class 'B' Accumulation                              | 0.40%              |
| Class 'B' Distribution                              | 0.40%              |
| Class 'P' Accumulation                              | 1.09%ª             |
| Class 'P' Distribution                              | 1.09%ª             |
| Class 'Q' Accumulation                              | 0.52%              |
| Class 'Q' Distribution                              | 0.52%              |
| Class 'QI' Accumulation                             | 0.48%              |
| Class 'QI' Distribution                             | 0.48%              |
| Class 'W' Accumulation                              | 0.59%              |
| Class 'W' Distribution                              | 0.59%              |
| Class 'WI' Accumulation                             | 0.55%              |
| Class 'WI' Distribution                             | 0.55%              |

| Share class               | Annual Charge Rate |
|---------------------------|--------------------|
| Sterling                  |                    |
| Class 'A-H' Accumulation  | 0.45%              |
| Class 'A-H' Distribution  | 0.45%              |
| Class 'B-H' Accumulation  | 0.40%              |
| Class 'B-H' Distribution  | 0.40%              |
| Class 'F-H' Accumulation  | 0.45%              |
| Class 'QI-H' Accumulation | 0.48%              |
| Class 'QI-H' Distribution | 0.48%              |
| Swiss franc               |                    |
| Class 'A-H' Accumulation  | 0.45%              |
| Class 'A-H' Distribution  | 0.45%              |
| US dollar                 |                    |
| Class 'A-H' Accumulation  | 0.45%              |
| Class 'A-H' Distribution  | 0.45%              |

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>a</sup> This share class was launched on 22 June 2022.

Any fees that exceed such fixed rate shall be borne by M&G Luxembourg S.A.

M&G Luxembourg S.A. is entitled to receive the balance remaining (if any) of the 'Annual Charge'.

For purposes of disclosure the Annual Charge has been split into its components and presented as such in the Statement of operations and changes in net assets.

### 6 Administrative Agent and Depositary Fees

State Street Bank International GmbH, Luxembourg Branch is entitled to receive fees in accordance with normal banking practice in Luxembourg for acting as Depositary and Paying Agent, Administrative, Corporate, Registrar and Transfer Agent. In addition, State Street Bank International GmbH, Luxembourg Branch is entitled to be reimbursed by the fund for its reasonable out-of-pocket expenses and disbursements.

The Administrative Agent Fees form part of the Annual Charge. Please refer to note 5.

### 7 Directors' fees and expenses

The Directors are entitled to receive fees of €30,000 per director per annum. Philip Jelfs and Laurence Mumford have waived their entitlement to Director's fees. The Management Company shall also reimburse certain expenses of the Directors, in accordance with the Articles, out of the Administration Charge.

The Directors' Fees and Expenses form part of the Annual Charge. Please refer to note 5.

b The rate was changed from 'up to 1.00%' in December 2022.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>c</sup> This share class was launched on 19 October 2022.

d This share class was launched on 28 April 2022.

e This share class was launched on 16 March 2022.

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### 8 Tax status

As a Luxembourg SICAV, the fund is not subject, under present tax laws, to income, withholding or capital gains taxes in Luxembourg. The fund is subject to the Luxembourg taxe d'abonnement at the rate of 0.01% per annum on the net assets of all classes restricted to institutional investors and 0.05% for all other classes, such tax being payable quarterly and calculated on the total net assets of the class in issue at the end of the relevant quarter. A detailed listing of all available share classes can be found in the latest Prospectus.

Dividends, interest and capital gains on securities issued may be subject to withholding or capital gains taxes imposed in certain countries.

The taxe d'abonnement forms part of the Annual Charge. Please refer to note 5.

### 9 Swing pricing

A sub-fund may suffer a reduction in value, known as 'dilution' when trading the underlying investments as a result of net inflows or net outflows of the respective sub-fund. This is due to transaction charges and other costs that may be incurred by liquidating and purchasing the underlying assets and the spreads between the buying and selling prices. In order to counter this effect and to protect Shareholders' interests the Board of Directors will adopt a swing pricing mechanism as part of its valuation policy.

If on any Valuation Day, the aggregate net investor(s) transactions in a sub-fund exceed a threshold pre-determined by the Board of Directors, the net asset value per share may be adjusted upwards or downwards to reflect the costs attributable to the net inflows and net outflows respectively. Typically, such adjustments will increase the net asset value per share when there are net subscriptions into the sub-fund and decrease the net asset value per share when there are net redemptions out of the sub-fund. The Board of Directors is responsible for setting the threshold, which will be a percentage of the net assets of the respective sub-fund. The threshold is based on objective criteria such as the size of a sub-fund and the dealing costs for a sub-fund, and may be revised from time to time.

The swing pricing mechanism will be applied across all sub-funds of the fund and it is not aimed at addressing the specific circumstances of each individual investor transaction. The amount of the swing factor will be up to a maximum of 2% of the NAV per share. The swing factors are determined on the basis of the sub-funds' objectives and investment profiles, the markets in which they invest and the various cost components which amongst others may include market spread.

Investors are advised that the volatility of the sub-funds' net asset value might not reflect the true portfolio performance as a consequence of the application of swing pricing.

The swing pricing was applied for all the sub-funds during the financial year, but the disclosed NAV was not swung for any of them at 31 December 2022.

### 10 Distribution policy

The Board of Directors have the option to declare a payment of a distribution to shareholders, out of all or part of the sub-funds' or Class' current net investment income. If the distribution declared is less than €50 (or its equivalent in any other currency), the Directors reserve the right to reinvest the distribution into the same Class in the relevant sub-fund (free of any initial sales charges). In any event, no distribution may be made if, as a result thereof, the Net Asset Value of the fund would fall below the equivalent of €1,250,000.

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The following table summarises the dividends declared by the sub-funds during the year ended 31 December 2022:

| M&G European Credit Investment Fund |                     |                      |                      |          |
|-------------------------------------|---------------------|----------------------|----------------------|----------|
| Distribution timetable              |                     |                      |                      |          |
| Period to                           | 31.12.21            | 31.03.22             | 30.06.22             | 30.09.22 |
| Ex dividend date                    | 04.01.22            | 01.04.22             | 01.07.22             | 03.10.22 |
| Pay date                            | 12.01.22            | 11.04.22             | 11.07.22             | 11.10.22 |
| Distribution rate per share class   |                     |                      |                      |          |
| Euro                                | EUR                 | EUR                  | EUR                  | EUR      |
| Class 'A'                           | 0.1058 <sup>a</sup> | 0.1041               | 0.1657               | 0.2660   |
| Class 'B'                           | 0.1058              | 0.1097               | 0.1686               | 0.2680   |
| Class 'E'                           | 0.1257              | 0.1290               | 0.1897               | 0.2928   |
| Class 'P'                           | n/a                 | n/a                  | 0.0181 <sup>a</sup>  | 0.2460a  |
| Class 'Q'                           | 0.0847              | 0.0895               | 0.1506               | 0.2560   |
| Class 'Ql'                          | 0.0947              | 0.0995               | 0.1602               | 0.2613   |
| Class 'W'                           | 0.0761a             | 0.0773a              | 0.2178ª              | 0.4602a  |
| Class 'WI'                          | 0.0863ª             | 0.0863a              | 0.2357ª              | 0.4873ª  |
| Sterling                            | GBP                 | GBP                  | GBP                  | GBP      |
| Class 'E-H'                         | 0.1239ª             | 0.1279 <sup>a</sup>  | 0.3188ª              | 0.6198   |
| Swiss franc                         | CHF                 | CHF                  | CHF                  | CHF      |
| Class 'A-H'                         | 0.1037a             | 0.1025 <sup>a</sup>  | 0.2613 <sup>a</sup>  | 0.5163   |
| Japanese yen                        | JPY                 | JPY                  | JPY                  | JPY      |
| Class 'A-H'                         | 2.9033ª             | 10.6899 <sup>a</sup> | 28.3503 <sup>a</sup> | 55.6456  |
| US dollar                           | USD                 | USD                  | USD                  | USD      |
| Class 'A-H'                         | 0.1039 <sup>a</sup> | 0.1047 <sup>a</sup>  | 0.2613 <sup>a</sup>  | 0.5083   |

 $<sup>^{\</sup>rm a}$  Distribution was not paid due to not reaching the  ${\in}50$  threshold.

| M&G European High Yield Credit Investment Fund |          |          |                     |          |
|--|----------|----------|---------------------|----------|
| Distribution timetable                         |          |          |                     |          |
| Period to                                      | 31.12.21 | 31.03.22 | 30.06.22            | 30.09.22 |
| Ex dividend date                               | 04.01.22 | 01.04.22 | 01.07.22            | 03.10.22 |
| Pay date                                       | 12.01.22 | 11.04.22 | 11.07.22            | 11.10.22 |
| Distribution rate per share class              |          |          |                     |          |
| Euro   | EUR      | EUR      | EUR                 | EUR      |
| Class 'A'                                      | 0.9172   | 0.9253   | 0.9266              | 0.9627   |
| Class 'E'                                      | 0.9230   | 0.9475   | 0.9450              | 0.9777   |
| Class 'P'                                      | n/a      | n/a      | 0.1088 <sup>a</sup> | 1.0816   |
| Class 'W'                                      | 0.8521   | 0.8656   | 0.8705              | 0.9083   |
| Class 'WI'                                     | 0.8617   | 0.8754   | 0.8799              | 0.9173   |
| Sterling                                       | GBP      | GBP      | GBP                 | GBP      |
| Class 'A-H'                                    | 0.9138   | 0.9423   | 0.9467              | 0.9911   |
| Class 'E-H'                                    | 0.9392   | 0.9666   | 0.9691              | 1.0143   |
| US dollar                                      | USD      | USD      | USD                 | USD      |
| Class 'A-H'                                    | 0.9063   | 0.9176   | 0.9172              | 0.9454   |
| Class 'E-H'                                    | 0.9325   | 0.9412   | 0.9395              | 0.9667   |

 $<sup>^{\</sup>rm a}$  Distribution was not paid due to not reaching the €50 threshold.

| M&G Senior Asset Backed Credit Fund |                     |                     |          |          |
|-------------------------------------|---------------------|---------------------|----------|----------|
| Distribution timetable              |                     |                     |          |          |
| Period to                           | 31.12.21            | 31.03.22            | 30.06.22 | 30.09.22 |
| Ex dividend date                    | 04.01.22            | 01.04.22            | 01.07.22 | 03.10.22 |
| Pay date                            | 12.01.22            | 11.04.22            | 11.07.22 | 11.10.22 |
| Distribution rate per share class   |                     |                     |          |          |
| Euro                                | EUR                 | EUR                 | EUR      | EUR      |
| Class 'A-H'                         | 0.1605 <sup>a</sup> | 0.2223 <sup>a</sup> | 0.5561   | 0.3897ª  |
| Class 'Q-H'                         | 0.1778a             | 0.2035 <sup>a</sup> | 0.5191   | 0.3709a  |
| Class 'QI-H'                        | 0.1888              | 0.2115              | 0.3274   | 0.3809   |
| Sterling                            | GBP                 | GBP                 | GBP      | GBP      |
| Class 'A'                           | 0.1958              | 0.2233              | 0.3442   | 0.4049   |
| Class 'Q'                           | 0.1734 <sup>a</sup> | 0.2048ª             | 0.5308   | 0.3860a  |
| Class 'Ql'                          | 0.1841 <sup>a</sup> | 0.2146 <sup>a</sup> | 0.5503   | 0.3962a  |

| M&G Senior Asset Backed Credit Fund |                     |                     |                     |                     |
|-------------------------------------|---------------------|---------------------|---------------------|---------------------|
| Japanese yen                        | JPY                 | JPY                 | JPY                 | JPY                 |
| Class 'A-H'                         | 0.1953 <sup>a</sup> | 0.2285a             | 0.5820              | 0.4010 <sup>a</sup> |
| Class 'Q-H'                         | 0.1768 <sup>a</sup> | 0.2108a             | 0.5460              | 0.3810a             |
| Class 'QI-H'                        | 0.1874 <sup>a</sup> | 0.2210a             | 0.5667              | 0.3950a             |
| US dollar                           | USD                 | USD                 | USD                 | USD                 |
| Class 'A-H'                         | 0.1940 <sup>a</sup> | 0.2209a             | 0.5349              | 0.3816a             |
| Class 'Q-H'                         | 0.1804 <sup>a</sup> | 0.2042a             | 0.5041 <sup>a</sup> | 0.8312              |
| Class 'QI-H'                        | 0.1906 <sup>a</sup> | 0.2141 <sup>a</sup> | 0.5231              | 0.3751 <sup>a</sup> |

 $<sup>^{\</sup>rm a}$  Distribution was not paid due to not reaching the €50 threshold.

| M&G Sustainable European Credit Investment Fund |                     |                     |                     |                     |
|---|---------------------|---------------------|---------------------|---------------------|
| Distribution timetable                          |                     |                     |                     |                     |
| Period to                                       | 31.12.21            | 31.03.22            | 30.06.22            | 30.09.22            |
| Ex dividend date                                | 04.01.22            | 01.04.22            | 01.07.22            | 03.10.22            |
| Pay date  | 12.01.22            | 11.04.22            | 11.07.22            | 11.10.22            |
| Distribution rate per share class               |                     |                     |                     |                     |
| Euro  | EUR                 | EUR                 | EUR                 | EUR                 |
| Class 'Al'                                      | 0.0233a             | 0.0444 <sup>a</sup> | 0.1873a             | 0.4406a             |
| Class 'DI'                                      | n/a                 | n/a                 | 0.1192 <sup>a</sup> | 0.3973a             |
| Class 'El'                                      | 0.0321 <sup>a</sup> | 0.0539 <sup>a</sup> | 0.2061 <sup>a</sup> | 0.4691 <sup>a</sup> |
| Class 'L'                                       | 0.0052 <sup>a</sup> | 0.0270              | 0.1267              | 0.2369              |
| Class 'P'                                       | n/a                 | n/a                 | 0.0203a             | 0.2306a             |
| Class 'Ll'                                      | 0.0155a             | 0.0375a             | 0.1730a             | 0.4203a             |
| Class 'W'                                       | n/a                 | 0.0179 <sup>a</sup> | 0.1354 <sup>a</sup> | 0.3644ª             |
| Class 'WI'                                      | 0.0071 <sup>a</sup> | 0.0277 <sup>a</sup> | 0.1546 <sup>a</sup> | 0.3921 <sup>a</sup> |

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>a</sup> Distribution was not paid due to not reaching the €50 threshold.

| M&G Sustainable Total Return Credit Investment F | und      |          |          |          |
|--|----------|----------|----------|----------|
| Distribution timetable                           |          |          |          |          |
| Period to  | 31.12.21 | 31.03.22 | 30.06.22 | 30.09.22 |
| Ex dividend date                                 | 04.01.22 | 01.04.22 | 01.07.22 | 03.10.22 |
| Pay date   | 12.01.22 | 11.04.22 | 11.07.22 | 11.10.22 |

| M&G Sustainable Total Return Credit Investment Fund |                     |                     |         |        |
|---|---------------------|---------------------|---------|--------|
| Distribution rate per share class                   |                     |                     |         |        |
| Euro  | EUR                 | EUR                 | EUR     | EUR    |
| Class 'Al'  | 0.1710a             | 0.2587ª             | 0.6691  | 0.6124 |
| Class 'El'  | 0.1928 <sup>a</sup> | 0.2845a             | 0.7193  | 0.6359 |
| Class 'L'   | 0.1561 <sup>a</sup> | 0.2414 <sup>a</sup> | 0.6352  | 0.5960 |
| Class 'Ll'  | 0.1652              | 0.2534              | 0.4012  | 0.6045 |
| Class 'P'   | n/a                 | n/a                 | 0.0345a | 0.5206 |
| Class 'W'   | 0.1420a             | 0.2251 <sup>a</sup> | 0.6016  | 0.5780 |
| Class 'WI'  | 0.1503 <sup>a</sup> | 0.2340 <sup>a</sup> | 0.6200  | 0.5879 |
| Sterling  | GBP                 | GBP                 | GBP     | GBP    |
| Class 'EI-H'  | 0.1937ª             | 0.2876ª             | 0.7380  | 0.6615 |

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| M&G Total Return Credit Investment Fund |                     |                     |                     |          |
|---|---------------------|---------------------|---------------------|----------|
| Distribution timetable                  |                     |                     |                     |          |
| Period to                               | 31.12.21            | 31.03.22            | 30.06.22            | 30.09.22 |
| Ex dividend date                        | 04.01.22            | 01.04.22            | 01.07.22            | 03.10.22 |
| Pay date                                | 12.01.22            | 11.04.22            | 11.07.22            | 11.10.22 |
| Distribution rate per share class       |                     |                     |                     |          |
| Euro                                    | EUR                 | EUR                 | EUR                 | EUR      |
| Class 'A'                               | 0.3913              | 0.4588              | 0.5760              | 0.7560   |
| Class 'B'                               | 0.4162 <sup>a</sup> | 0.4769ª             | 1.0799              | 0.7867   |
| Class 'P'                               | n/a                 | n/a                 | 0.0561 <sup>a</sup> | 0.7128   |
| Class 'Q'                               | 0.3911 <sup>a</sup> | 0.4616 <sup>a</sup> | 1.0572              | 0.7854   |
| Class 'Ql'                              | 0.4038              | 0.4772              | 0.6010              | 0.7914   |
| Class 'W'                               | 0.3672ª             | 0.4304ª             | 0.9872              | 0.7427   |
| Class 'WI'                              | 0.3775ª             | 0.4405 <sup>a</sup> | 1.0076              | 0.7522   |
| Sterling                                | GBP                 | GBP                 | GBP                 | GBP      |
| Class 'A-H'                             | 0.4560              | 0.5057              | 0.6637              | 0.8829   |
| Class 'B-H'                             | 0.4117ª             | 0.4855              | 0.6131              | 0.8097   |
| Class 'QI-H'                            | 0.3895 <sup>a</sup> | 0.4650              | 0.5943              | 0.7869   |
| Swiss franc                             | CHF                 | CHF                 | CHF                 | CHF      |
| Class 'A-H'                             | 0.3964ª             | 0.4583ª             | 1.0239              | 0.7661   |
| US dollar                               | USD                 | USD                 | USD                 | USD      |
| Class 'A-H'                             | 0.4021 <sup>a</sup> | 0.4601 <sup>a</sup> | 1.0179              | 0.7636   |

 $<sup>^{\</sup>rm a}$  Distribution was not paid due to not reaching the €50 threshold.

# **Notes to the Financial Statements**

### 11 Subsequent events after the reporting year

Susanne van Dootingh was appointed as Independent Director on 12 January 2023.

The following share classes were launched on 23 February 2023:

| Sub-fund name                                       | Class currency  | Share Class      |
|---|-----------------|------------------|
| M&G Sustainable European Credit Investment Fund     | Swedish krona   | Class 'P-H' Acc  |
| M&G Sustainable Total Return Credit Investment Fund | Norwegian krone | Class 'EI-H' Acc |
| M&G Sustainable Total Return Credit Investment Fund | Swedish krona   | Class 'EI-H' Acc |
| M&G Sustainable Total Return Credit Investment Fund | Norwegian krone | Class 'P-H' Acc  |
| M&G Sustainable Total Return Credit Investment Fund | Swedish krona   | Class 'P-H' Acc  |

# Risk management policies (unaudited)

## Risk management

The global risk involved in the management of the assets in the portfolio of each sub-fund is determined by the Board of Directors as further described below. Each sub-fund adopts an adequate global risk measurement depending on the complexity of its investment policy and of the financial derivative instruments to achieve the investment objectives and returns.

## The Value at Risk ('VaR') methodology

The global exposure of the sub-funds is measured using the Value at Risk ('VaR') methodology. The purpose of a VaR model is the quantification of the maximum potential loss which might be generated by a sub-fund's portfolio in normal market conditions. This loss is estimated on the basis of a given holding period and a certain confidence interval. For UCITS, VaR can be measured on an absolute or a relative basis.

The VaR model used for the daily risk assessment is the Monte Carlo method based on a confidence interval of 99% and a holding period of 1 month (20 trading days).

For the M&G European Credit Investment Fund and M&G European High Yield Credit Investment Fund, the VaR is calculated on a relative basis. For M&G Total Return Credit Investment Fund, M&G Senior Asset Backed Credit Fund, M&G Sustainable European Credit Investment Fund and M&G Sustainable Total Return Credit Investment Fund it is calculated on an absolute basis.

| For the year to<br>31 December 2022                                    | VaR limit<br>% | Lowest<br>% | Highest<br>% | Average<br>% |
|--|----------------|-------------|--------------|--------------|
| M&G European<br>Credit Investment<br>Fund <sup>a</sup>                 | *              | 1.42        | 4.55         | 3.14         |
| M&G European High<br>Yield Credit<br>Investment Fund <sup>b</sup>      | *              | 2.09        | 6.80         | 4.38         |
| M&G Senior Asset<br>Backed Credit Fund <sup>c</sup>                    | 10.00          | 0.29        | 0.82         | 0.49         |
| M&G Sustainable<br>European Credit<br>Investment Fund <sup>d</sup>     | *              | 1.38        | 4.55         | 3.11         |
| M&G Sustainable<br>Total Return Credit<br>Investment Fund <sup>c</sup> | 10.00          | 0.70        | 3.92         | 2.25         |
| M&G Total Return<br>Credit Investment<br>Fund <sup>c</sup>             | 10.00          | 0.85        | 4.46         | 2.54         |

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>a</sup> Benchmark: ICE BofA Euro Corporate Index (Total Return Gross).

It is expected that the sub-funds incur the leverage based on the gross sum of notionals. The table below outlines the leverage for the year ended 31 December 2022:

| For the year to<br>31 December 2022 <sup>a</sup>             | Lowest  | Highest | Average |
|--|---------|---------|---------|
| M&G European Credit<br>Investment Fund (€'000)               | 259,340 | 694,697 | 380,207 |
| M&G European Credit<br>Investment Fund (%)                   | 8.75    | 22.00   | 12.21   |
| M&G European High Yield<br>Credit Investment<br>Fund (€'000) | 44,244  | 187,512 | 66,727  |
| M&G European High Yield<br>Credit Investment Fund(%)         | 17.10   | 62.34   | 23.12   |
| M&G Senior Asset Backed<br>Credit Fund (£'000)               | 88,591  | 539,696 | 150,662 |
| M&G Senior Asset Backed<br>Credit Fund(%)                    | 29.52   | 123.12  | 42.43   |

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>b</sup> Benchmark: ICE BofA European Currency Developed Markets High Yield Index ex Financials 2% Constrained (EUR-Hedged) (Total Return Gross).

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>C</sup> Benchmark: 1 month SONIA.

d Benchmark: Bloomberg MSCI Euro Corporate ESG BB+ Sustainable SRI Bond Index (Total Return Gross).

<sup>\*</sup> The sub-fund's VaR cannot be greater than twice the VaR of the sub-

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| For the year to<br>31 December 2022 <sup>a</sup>                  | Lowest    | Highest    | Average   |
|---|-----------|------------|-----------|
| M&G Sustainable European<br>Credit Investment<br>Fund(€'000)      | 4,851     | 102,798    | 16,155    |
| M&G Sustainable European<br>Credit Investment Fund(%)             | 2.12      | 18.60      | 5.86      |
| M&G Sustainable Total<br>Return Credit Investment<br>Fund (€'000) | 65,102    | 652,668    | 248,084   |
| M&G Sustainable Total<br>Return Credit Investment<br>Fund (%)     | 68.39     | 341.98     | 142.68    |
| M&G Total Return Credit<br>Investment Fund (€'000)                | 3,676,929 | 10,332,050 | 5,563,611 |
| M&G Total Return Credit<br>Investment Fund(%)                     | 167.27    | 401.83     | 210.41    |

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>a</sup> Global Exposure Stated as Gross Notional. Expressed as a % over subfund Valuation.

# Other regulatory disclosures (unaudited)

### Remuneration

The below disclosure is made in accordance with Undertakings for Collective Investments in Transferable Securities ('UCITS') V and the Guidelines on sound remuneration policies under the UCITS issued by the European Securities and Markets Authority ('ESMA Guidelines').

M&G Luxembourg S.A. (the 'UCITS Management Company') is subject to a remuneration policy which is consistent with the principles outlined in the ESMA Guidelines.

The remuneration policy is designed to ensure that any relevant conflicts of interest can be managed appropriately at all times and that the remuneration of employees is in line with the risk policies and objectives of the UCITS funds managed by the UCITS Management Company. Further details of the remuneration policy can be found here: mandgplc.com/ our-business/mandg-investments/mandg-investmentsbusiness-policies. The remuneration policy and its implementation is reviewed on an annual basis, or more frequently where required, and is approved by the M&G plc Board Remuneration Committee. The most recent review found no fundamental issues with no material changes made to the policy.

M&G Luxembourg S.A. is required under UCITS to make quantitative disclosures of remuneration. These disclosures are made in line with M&G's interpretation of currently available guidance on quantitative remuneration disclosures. As market or regulatory guidance evolves, M&G may consider it appropriate to make changes to the way in which quantitative disclosures are calculated.

The 'Identified Staff' of M&G Luxembourg S.A are those who could have a material impact on the risk profile of M&G Luxembourg S.A. or the UCITS funds it manages and generally includes senior management, risk takers and control functions. 'Identified Staff' typically provide both UCITS and non-UCITS related services and have a number of areas of responsibility. Therefore, only the portion of remuneration for those individuals' services which may be attributable to UCITS is included in the

remuneration figures disclosed. Accordingly the figures are not representative of any individual's actual remuneration. The information needed to provide a further breakdown of remuneration is not readily available and would not be relevant or reliable.

The amounts shown below reflect payments made in respect of the financial year 1 January 2022 to 31 December 2022

| Rem                          | Fixed<br>nuneration<br>€'000 | Variable<br>Remuneration<br>€'000 | Total<br>€'000 | Beneficiaries |
|------------------------------|------------------------------|-----------------------------------|----------------|---------------|
| Senior<br>Management         | 1,713                        | 1,887                             | 3,600          | 11            |
| Other<br>Identified<br>Staff | 5,163                        | 27,963                            | 33,126         | 39            |
| Staff<br>Member              | 17,036                       | 10,155                            | 27,191         | 172           |
| Total                        | 23,912                       | 40,005                            | 63,917         | 222           |

## **Securities Financing Transactions** Regulation (SFTR)

Under the Regulation on Transparency of Securities Financing Transactions and of Reuse (2015/2365) (the 'SFTR'), the fund is required to disclose certain information in relation to its use of Securities Financing Transactions ('SFTs') including Total Return Swaps ('TRSs'). SFTs include various types of transactions, however, the fund did not enter into any transactions in scope of SFTR during the year ended 31 December 2022.

# Annex 1: Sustainable Finance Disclosure Regulation (unaudited)

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.

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. Product Name: European Specialist Investment Funds - M&G Sustainable European Credit Investment Fund Legal Entity Identifier: 2549000WWVSQ1VU6ZB54

## **Environmental and/or social characteristics**

### Did this financial product have a sustainable investment objective? No It made sustainable investments with an x It promoted Environmental/Social (E/S) environmental objective: **characteristics** and while it did not have as its objective a sustainable investment, it had a proportion of 82.61% of sustainable investments in economic activities that qualify as **x** with an environmental objective in economic environmentally sustainable under the EU activities that qualify as environmentally Taxonomy sustainable under the EU Taxonomy in economic activities that do not qualify as **x** with an environmental objective in economic environmentally sustainable under the EU activities that do not qualify as environmentally Taxonomy sustainable under the EU Taxonomy x with a social objective It made sustainable investments with a It promoted E/S characteristics, but **did not** social objective: make any sustainable investments



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

The Sub-Fund promoted the use of an Exclusionary Approach and a strategy to achieve a Positive ESG Outcome (as defined below):

The Sub-Fund excluded certain potential investments from its investment universe to mitigate potential negative effects on the environment and society and to assist it in delivering more sustainable outcomes. For securitised investments such as asset-backed securities (ABS), this also includes assessing them against the Investment Manager's proprietary scoring methodology ("Exclusionary Approach"). Accordingly, the Investment Manager is promoting environmental and/or social characteristics by excluding certain investments that are considered to do significant harm to environmental and/or social objectives.

The Sub-Fund typically has a higher weighted average ESG rating and lower weighted average carbon intensity than an index used as a proxy for its investment universe ("Positive ESG Outcome"). The Sub-Fund's calculation methodology does not include those securities that do not have carbon intensity data respectively, or cash, near cash, some derivatives and some collective investment schemes.

In constructing a portfolio which favours investments with better ESG characteristics, the Investment Manager may nonetheless invest in investments across the full spectrum of ESG ratings remaining within the narrowed universe. At an individual security level, the Investment Manager favours investments with better ESG characteristics where this is not detrimental to the pursuit of the financial investment objective.

No reference benchmark has been designated for the purpose of attaining the Sub-Fund's promoted environmentaland/or social characteristics.

The Investment Manager operates a data driven quantitative good governance test used to consider investments into companies. M&G excludes investments in securities that are considered as failing the Investment Manager's good governance test. When assessing good governance practice the Investment Manager will, as a minimum, have regard to matters it sees relevant to the four identified pillars of good governance (sound management structures, employee relations, remuneration of staff and tax compliance).

All investments purchased for the Sub-Fund were in compliance with the Exclusionary Approach, save for as permitted under the "Other" Investments allocation. The Sub-Fund produced a Positive ESG Outcome as its ESG rating was higher than the investment universe weighted average ESG score.

The alignment percentage indicated in the graphic below shows the allocation between such investments and "Other" Investments.

### **Sustainability indicators**

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

### How did the sustainability indicators perform?

Please see below an overview with the Sub-Fund's performance relative to sustainability indicators.

The sustainability indicators selected to demonstrate the attainment of the promoted environmental and/or social characteristics are:

- Exclusionary approach: Percentage (%) of NAV held in excluded investments: The Fund's sustainability indicators to test its compliance with its Exclusionary Approach were met at all times during the reporting
- Exclusionary approach: Percentage (%) of ABS below the Investment Manager's threshold for alignment: Zero holdings below alignment
- Positive ESG Outcome: Portfolio weighted average ESG score versus investment universe weighted average ESG score: The manager maintained the sub-fund ESG score broadly in line with the sustainable investment universe throughout the period, and higher than the broad investment universe for Euro investment grade debt.
- Positive ESG Outcome: Portfolio weighted average carbon intensity versus investment universe weighted average carbon intensity: The manager maintained a weighted average carbon intensity below that of the sustainable investment universe throughout the period, and below that of the broad investment universe for Euro investment grade debt.

Please see the below table for an overview of the sub-funds' performance relative to its sustainability indicators.

| Sustainability Indicator Name  | Value           | Eligibility | Coverage |
|--|-----------------|-------------|----------|
| As at - 31 Decembe   | r 2022          |             |          |
| Portfolio weighted average carbon intensity versus investment universe   | 63.32 tCO2e/€m  | 81.31%      | 92.44%   |
|  | sales           |             |          |
| Weighted average carbon intensity (WACI) benchmark                       | 133.22 tCO2e/€m |             |          |
|  | sales           |             |          |
| Portfolio weighted average ESG score versus investment universe weighted | 7.42 ESG Score  | 81.31%      | 91.62%   |
| average ESG score  |                 |             |          |
| Portfolio weighted average ESG score benchmark                           | 7.35 ESG Score  |             |          |

### ...and compared to previous periods?

The Sub-Fund is not yet able to provide comparison to a previous reporting period as this is the Sub-Fund's first SFDR Level 2 Periodic Report disclosure. The Sub-Fund will provide historic comparison in the next Periodic Report.

### 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 may allocate to sustainable investments of any type, i.e., investments with an environmental, and/or a social objective. The Sub-Fund is not required to favour any specific type of sustainable investment.

The Investment Manager uses a series of proprietary tests based on available data to determine whether and how an investment makes positive contribution(s) towards environmental and social objectives.

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

Sustainable investments that the Sub-Fund made did not cause significant harm to any environmental or social sustainable investment objective as they passed a series of tests, including:

- 1. Whether they represent significant exposure to businesses the Investment Manager considers harmful.
- 2. Principal Adverse Impact indicators considered to render the investment incompatible with sustainable investment (violations of the UN Global Compact Principles or the OECD Guidelines for Multinational Enterprises, social violations by sovereigns such as being subject to sanctions, negative effects on biodiversity sensitive areas)
- 3. Other Principal Adverse Impact indicators form part of a materiality assessment to understand whether any exposures are compatible with sustainable investment.

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

For sustainable investments, principal adverse impacts are a key part of assessing such investments do not do significant harm as explained above. For other investments the Investment Manager's research process includes consideration of Principal Adverse Impact indicators for all investments where data is available, which allows the Investment Manager to make informed investment decisions, as explained above.

ESG due diligence was carried out as a part of our fundamental investment research process. Research analysts assessed the Principal Adverse Impact metrics and identified key sustainability risks in order to evaluate and express their materiality for the subject company or investment. Analysts reflected their assessments in either written research or through the issuer's ESG Scorecard.

Where applicable, the analyst used the ESG Scorecard to evaluate 15 mandatory and common factors, and additional idiosyncratic factors deemed relevant to the subject company's risk profile and business mix. The mandatory factors for evaluation were as follows:

- Climate: Disclosure, Intensity, Footprint, Vulnerability, Intent
- Governance: Ownership & Control, Political Interference & Sovereign Concerns, Strategy and Financial policy and Disclosure
- Transparency, Board, Regulation, Compliance and Oversight, Cybersecurity, Corporate culture and controversy
- Social: Modern Slavery, Diversity & Inclusion
- Sector-specific Key Issues determined from the SASB Materiality Map.

In addition to the proprietary assessments described above, investment decision-making took into account third party ESG ratings, where available. Appropriate consideration of ESG factors was, and remains, a mandatory objective in the due diligence process for analysts and fund managers.

Further information on the Principal Adverse Impact indicators which are taken into account by the Investment Manager can be found in the Annex to the Investment Manager's website disclosures for the Sub-Fund.

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

All investments purchased by the Sub-Fund must pass the Investment Manager's good governance tests, and in addition, sustainable investments must also pass tests to confirm they do no significant harm, as described above. These tests embed a consideration of the OECD Guidelines and UN Guiding Principles.

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 EU criteria.

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

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### 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: 01 January 2022 to 31 December 2022

| Largest investments                | Sector                             | % Assets | Country |
|------------------------------------|------------------------------------|----------|---------|
| GERMANY (FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF)      | Public administration and defence; | 6.42%    | DE      |
|                                    | compulsory social security         |          |         |
| GERMANY (FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF)      | Public administration and defence; | 1.85%    | DE      |
|                                    | compulsory social security         |          |         |
| BNP PARIBAS SA                     | Financial and insurance activities | 1.28%    | FR      |
| CREDIT AGRICOLE CORPORATE AND INVE | Financial and insurance activities | 1.22%    | FR      |
| GERMANY (FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF)      | Public administration and defence; | 1.20%    | DE      |
|                                    | compulsory social security         |          |         |
| JPMORGAN CHASE & CO                | Financial and insurance activities | 1.05%    | US      |
| GERMANY (FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF)      | Public administration and defence; | 1.03%    | DE      |
|                                    | compulsory social security         |          |         |
| GERMANY (FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF)      | Public administration and defence; | 0.99%    | DE      |
|                                    | compulsory social security         |          |         |
| CITIGROUP INC                      | Financial and insurance activities | 0.74%    | US      |
| CAIXABANK SA                       | Financial and insurance activities | 0.61%    | ES      |
| SOCIETE GENERALE SA                | Financial and insurance activities | 0.59%    | FR      |
| ABN AMRO BANK NV                   | Financial and insurance activities | 0.56%    | NL      |
| UNICREDIT SPA                      | Financial and insurance activities | 0.55%    | IT      |
| UBS AG (LONDON BRANCH)             | Financial and insurance activities | 0.54%    | GB      |
| GERMANY (FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF)      | Public administration and defence; | 0.52%    | DE      |
|                                    | compulsory social security         |          |         |



### What was the proportion of sustainability-related investments?

In the SFDR Level 2 Pre-Contractual Disclosure (annex to the Fund Prospectus) the Sub-Fund committed to a minimum of 70% of the Sub-Fund's assets to be aligned to the environmental or social characteristics promoted. This includes a minimum 51% of the assets that are qualified as sustainable investments.

A minimum of 5% of the Fund's assets are other investments not aligned to the environmental or social characteristics.

Asset allocations below are expressed as a percentage of Net Asset Value (NAV). Actual % investments that were aligned to the environmental or social characteristic promoted was 97.53% NAV as at 31st December 2022, which is above the 70% minimum commitment.

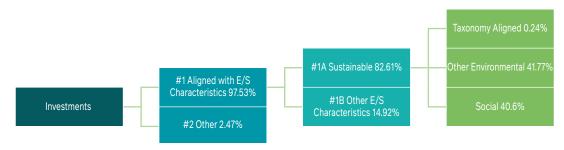
This comprised 82.61% NAV relating to sustainable investments which was above the 51% minimum threshold, and the remaining 14.92% NAV related to investments with other environmental and or social characteristics.

None of the sustainable investments were expected to be aligned to the EU Taxonomy. However, 0.24% of the sustainable investments were recorded as aligned to the EU Taxonomy, while 41.77% related to investments with other environmental characteristics, and 40.60% related to socially sustainable investments.

Asset allocation describes the share of investments in specific assets.

### What was the asset allocation?

The graphic below provides an overview of the asset allocation versus the established minimum thresholds.



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

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

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

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

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

The investment breakdown uses NACE (Nomenclature of Economic Activities) and is expressed as a % of Net Asset Value (NAV).

| Economic sector                                   | % Assets |
|---|----------|
| Financial and insurance activities                | 59.93%   |
| Public administration and defence; compulsory     | 12.92%   |
| social security                                   |          |
| Manufacturing                                     | 7.97%    |
| Real estate activities                            | 5.71%    |
| Information and communication                     | 4.61%    |
| Transportation and storage                        | 2.47%    |
| Other   | 1.59%    |
| Administrative and support service activities     | 1.47%    |
| Professional, scientific and technical activities | 0.82%    |
| Electricity, gas, steam and air conditioning      | 0.60%    |
| supply  |          |
| Human health and social work activities           | 0.44%    |
| Accommodation and food service activities         | 0.42%    |
| Construction                                      | 0.39%    |
| Water supply; sewerage, waste management          | 0.33%    |
| and remediation activities                        |          |
| Mining and quarrying                              | 0.10%    |



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

Whilst the minimum mandatory allocation to Taxonomy-aligned sustainable investments is 0%, the Sub-Fund is permitted to allocate to such investments, which would form part of its overall allocation to sustainable investments with environmental objectives. The share of the Sub-Fund's investments that were aligned with the environmental objectives under the Taxonomy Regulation during the reference period was 0.24%. The information was obtained from public disclosures.

No assurance from an auditor, third party or review was undertaken on the EU Taxonomy data.

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### **Transitional activities**

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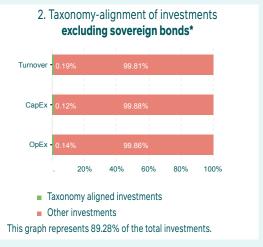
 Did the financial product invest in fossil gas and/or nuclear energy related activities complying with the EU Taxonomy<sup>1</sup>?

| Yes:        |               |                   |
|-------------|---------------|-------------------|
|             | In fossil gas | In nuclear energy |
| <b>x</b> No |               |                   |

<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 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.

The graphs below show 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?

The Sub-Fund did not set a minimum share of investments in transitional and enabling activities. Therefore, the percentage of the Sub-Fund's investments in transitional and enabling activities were 0%.

| Activity                         | Percentage Investments |
|----------------------------------|------------------------|
| Share of transitional activities | 0%                     |
| Share of enabling activities     | 0%                     |

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

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are sustainable investments with an environmental objective that do not take into account the criteria for environmentally sustainable economic activities under Regulation (EU) 2020/852.



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

The share of sustainable investments in the Sub-Fund with an environmental objective not aligned with the EU taxonomy over the period was 41.77%. This compares to the commitment of 5% overall of sustainable investments with environmental objectives that were not aligned to the EU Taxonomy made in the precontractual disclosure.



### What was the share of socially sustainable investments?

The share of sustainable investments in the Sub-Fund with a social objective over the period was 40.60%. This compares to the commitment of 5% overall of socially sustainable investments made in the precontractual disclosure.



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

During the reference period the Sub-Fund held varying levels of cash, in accordance with the purposes and safeguards explained in the precontractual annex:

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It is also possible that the Sub-Fund may hold investments that are not in line with the promoted characteristics, e.g., as a result of a merger or other corporate action, or as a result of the characteristics of a previously acquired investment changing. Where this happens, the Sub-Fund will generally seek to dispose of them in the best interests of investors but may not always be able to do so immediately.



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

Actions to meet the environmental and social characteristics were driven through the Sub-Fund's ESG Exclusionary Approach and a Positive ESG Tilt. The Sub-Fund excluded certain potential investments from its investment universe to mitigate potential negative effects on the environment and society. For securitised investments such as asset-backed securities (ABS), this also included assessing them against the Investment Manager's proprietary scoring methodology.

The Investment Manager promoted environmental and/or social characteristics by excluding certain investments that were considered to be detrimental to ESG factors.

In addition, the Sub-Fund maintained a weighted average ESG rating that was equivalent to the sustainable investment universe, and above the broader investment universe of Euro Investment grade corporate bonds.

In constructing a portfolio positively tilted towards investments with better ESG characteristics, the Investment Manager nonetheless invested in investments across a wide range of debt with MSCI ESG ratings of BB or better. At an individual security level, the Investment Manager favoured investments with better ESG characteristics where this was not detrimental to the pursuit of the financial investment objective.

M&G believes that the long-term success of companies is supported by effective investor stewardship and high standards of corporate governance. Over the period, we undertook investment stewardship engagements where we felt it was appropriate, with the goal of protecting and enhancing the long-term value of the Portfolio's assets. Engagement with issuers represented an integral part of how we integrated environmental, social and governance (ESG) considerations into our investment process over the period. ESG analysis is also integrated into our investment and portfolio monitoring processes, mainly through our ESG Scorecard which has been detailed previously in this disclosure.

We see engagement as a powerful tool to achieve long term improvements in climate and sustainability. We adhere to the UNPRI definition of engagement - that its purpose should be to of improve a company's practice on an ESG, climate or sustainability issue; or changing a sustainability outcome; or improving a company's levels of public disclosure. Actions included Bilateral engagement (e.g., meeting, formal request), or were multi-lateral, collective engagements undertaken with collective industry bodies pooling their influence in order to drive change (e.g., Climate Action 100+, The Investor Forum). Outcomes are monitored and re-assessed in the light of company action or inaction – where there is repeated failure to respond the sanction of divestment is available, but we strongly believe that driving change through engagement delivers better and more sustainable outcomes.

We have initiated 156 new Engagements and completed a further 116 Engagements during 2022 across public fixed income. Examples of engagement activities have included meeting with a US listed international miner to increase disclosure on the processes in place to protect biodiversity in the Grasberg mine in Papua New Guinea, and what their steps are to remediate environmental and social impact of their operations.

Another example during the period was a meeting with the CEO. Head of Corporate Sustainability and the Head of Investor Relations of a large European chemicals company, along with the other Climate Action 100+ co-leads to press the company to add scope 3 to the existing scope 1&2 carbon emission reduction targets, and to commit to decarbonising its feedstock business by 2050.



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

No reference benchmark has been designated for the purpose of attaining the Sub-Fund's promoted environmentaland/or social characteristics.

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

### How did the reference benchmark differ from a broad market index?

No reference benchmark has been designated for the purpose of attaining the Sub-Fund's promoted environmentaland/or social characteristics.

 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?

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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.

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. Product Name: European Specialist Investment Funds - M&G Sustainable Total Return Credit Investment Fund Legal Entity Identifier: 25490084CBA1PTW2A983

## **Environmental and/or social characteristics**

#### Did this financial product have a sustainable investment objective? Yes X No It made sustainable investments with an **x** It promoted Environmental/Social (E/S) environmental objective: characteristics and while it did not have as its objective a sustainable investment, it had a proportion of 59.99% of sustainable investments in economic activities that qualify as **x** with an environmental objective in economic environmentally sustainable under the EU activities that qualify as environmentally Taxonomy sustainable under the EU Taxonomy in economic activities that do not qualify as **x** with an environmental objective in economic environmentally sustainable under the EU activities that do not qualify as environmentally sustainable under the EU Taxonomy **Taxonomy** x with a social objective It made sustainable investments with a It promoted E/S characteristics, but **did not** social objective: make any sustainable investments



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

The Sub-Fund promoted the use of an Exclusionary Approach and a strategy to achieve a Positive ESG Outcome (as defined below):

The Sub-Fund excluded certain potential investments from its investment universe to mitigate potential negative effects on the environment and society and to assist it in delivering more sustainable outcomes. For securitised investments such as asset-backed securities (ABS), this also included assessing them against the Investment Manager's proprietary scoring methodology ("Exclusionary Approach"). Accordingly, the Investment Manager is promoting environmental and/or social characteristics by excluding certain investments that are considered to do significant harm to environmental and/or social objectives.

The Sub-Fund typically has a higher weighted average ESG rating and lower weighted average carbon intensity than an index used as a proxy for its investment universe ("Positive ESG Outcome"). The Sub-Fund's calculation methodology does not include those securities that do not have carbon intensity data, or cash, near cash, some derivatives and some collective investment schemes.

In constructing a portfolio which favours investments with better ESG characteristics, the Investment Manager may nonetheless invest in investments across the full spectrum of ESG ratings remaining within the narrowed universe. At an individual security level, the Investment Manager favours investments with better ESG characteristics where this is not detrimental to the pursuit of the financial investment objective.

No reference benchmark has been designated for the purpose of attaining the Sub-Fund's promoted environmental and/or social characteristics.

The Investment Manager operates a data driven quantitative good governance test used to consider investments into companies. M&G excludes investments in securities that are considered as failing the Investment Manager's good governance test. When assessing good governance practice the Investment Manager will, as a minimum, have regard to matters it sees relevant to the four identified pillars of good governance (sound management structures, employee relations, remuneration of staff and tax compliance).

All investments purchased for the Sub-Fund were in compliance with the Exclusionary Approach, save for as permitted under the "Other" Investments allocation. The Sub-Fund produced a Positive ESG Outcome as its ESG rating was higher than the investment universe weighted average ESG score.

The alignment percentage indicated in the graphic below shows the allocation between such investments and "Other" Investments.

### **Sustainability indicators**

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

### How did the sustainability indicators perform?

The Sub-Fund's sustainability indicators to test its compliance with its Exclusionary Approach and Positive ESG Outcome were met at all times during the reporting period.

The sustainability indicators selected to demonstrate the attainment of the promoted environmental and/or social characteristics are:

- Exclusionary approach: Percentage (%) of NAV held in excluded investments: The Fund's sustainability indicators to test its compliance with its Exclusionary Approach were met at all times during the reporting period, 0% holdings held in excluded investments.
- Exclusionary approach: Percentage (%) of ABS below the Investment Manager's threshold for alignment: Zero holdings below alignment
- Positive ESG Outcome: Portfolio weighted average ESG score versus investment universe weighted average ESG score: The manager maintained the sub-fund ESG score above score of the investment universe throughout the period.
- Positive ESG Outcome: Portfolio weighted average carbon intensity versus investment universe weighted average carbon intensity: The manager maintained a weighted average carbon intensity below that of the investment universe throughout the period.

Please see the below table for an overview of the sub-funds' performance relative to its sustainability indicators.

| Sustainability Indicator Name  | Value            | Eligibility | Coverage |
|--|------------------|-------------|----------|
| As at - 31 Decembe   | r 2022           |             |          |
| Portfolio weighted average carbon intensity versus investment universe   | 90.21 tCO2e /€m  | 81.60       | 93.31    |
|  | sales            |             |          |
| Weighted average carbon intensity (WACI) benchmark                       | 267.12 tCO2e /€m |             |          |
|  | sales            |             |          |
| Portfolio weighted average ESG score versus investment universe weighted | 7.08 ESG Score   | 81.60       | 92.54    |
| Portfolio weighted average ESG score benchmark                           | 6.10 ESG Score   |             |          |

### …and compared to previous periods?

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### 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 may allocate to sustainable investments of any type, i.e., investments with an environmental, and/or a social objective. The Sub-Fund is not required to favour any specific type of sustainable investment.

The Investment Manager uses a series of proprietary tests based on available data to determine whether andhow an investment makes positive contribution(s) towards environmental and social objectives.

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

Sustainable investments that the Sub-Fund made did not cause significant harm to any environmental or social sustainable investment objective as they passed a series of tests, including:

- 1. Whether they represent significant exposure to businesses the Investment Manager considers harmful.
- 2. Principal Adverse Impact indicators considered to render the investment incompatible with sustainable investment (violations of the UN Global Compact Principles or the OECD Guidelines for Multinational Enterprises, social violations by sovereigns such as being subject to sanctions, negative effects on biodiversity sensitive areas)
- 3. Other Principal Adverse Impact indicators form part of a materiality assessment to understand whether any exposures are compatible with sustainable investment.

### How were the indicators for adverse impacts on sustainability factors taken into account? The Investment Manager's research process includes consideration of Principal Adverse Impact indicators for

all investments where data is available (i.e., not just for sustainable investments), which allows the Investment Manager to make informed investment decisions.

The Sub-Fund's consideration of Principal Adverse Impact indicators was used as part of understanding the operating practices of the investments purchased by the Sub-Fund. Investments held by the Sub-Fund are subject to ongoing monitoring and a quarterly review process.

Further information on the Principal Adverse Impact indicators which are taken into account by the Investment Manager can be found in the Annex to the Investment Manager's website disclosures for the Sub-Fund.

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

All investments purchased by the Sub-Fund must pass the Investment Manager's good governance tests, and in addition, sustainable investments must also pass tests to confirm they do no significant harm, asdescribed above. These tests embed a consideration of the OECD Guidelines and UN Guiding Principles.

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 EU criteria.

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

For sustainable investments, principal adverse impacts are a key part of assessing such investments do not do significant harm as explained above.

For other investments the Investment Manager's research process includes consideration of Principal Adverse Impact indicators for all investments where data is available, which allows the Investment Manager to make informed investment decisions, as explained above.

ESG due diligence was carried out as a part of our fundamental investment research process. Research analysts assessed the Principal Adverse Impact metrics and identified key sustainability risks in order to evaluate and express their materiality for the subject company or investment. Analysts reflected their assessments in either written research or through the issuer's ESG Scorecard.

Where applicable, the analyst used the ESG Scorecard to evaluate 15 mandatory and common factors, and additional idiosyncratic factors deemed relevant to the subject company's risk profile and business mix.

The mandatory factors for evaluation were as follows:

- Climate: Disclosure, Intensity, Footprint, Vulnerability, Intent
- Governance: Ownership & Control, Political Interference & Sovereign Concerns, Strategy and Financial policy, Disclosure
- Transparency, Board, Regulation, Compliance and Oversight, Cybersecurity, Corporate culture and controversy
- Social: Modern Slavery, Diversity & Inclusion
- Sector-specific Key Issues determined from the SASB Materiality Map.

In addition to the proprietary assessments described above, investment decision-making took into account third party ESG ratings, where available.

Appropriate consideration of ESG factors was, and remains, a mandatory objective in the due diligence process for analysts and fund managers.

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### 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: 01 January 2022 to 31 December 2022

| Largest investments                | Sector                             | % Assets | Country |
|------------------------------------|------------------------------------|----------|---------|
| TREASURY NOTE                      | Public administration and defence; | 2.70%    | US      |
|                                    | compulsory social security         |          |         |
| BNP PARIBAS SA EURO                | Financial and insurance activities | 2.38%    | FR      |
| NATIONAL AUSTRALIA BANK LTD EURO   | Financial and insurance activities | 2.27%    | AU      |
| MIZUHO INTERNATIONAL PLC EURO      | Financial and insurance activities | 1.87%    | GB      |
| BPCE SFH                           | Financial and insurance activities | 0.55%    | FR      |
| DEUTSCHE PFANDBRIEFBANK AG         | Financial and insurance activities | 0.53%    | DE      |
| ANZ BANK NEW ZEALAND LTD (LONDON B | Financial and insurance activities | 0.53%    | GB      |
| CREDITO EMILIANO SPA               | Financial and insurance activities | 0.53%    | IT      |
| BANK OF NOVA SCOTIA                | Financial and insurance activities | 0.53%    | CA      |
| ABN AMRO BANK NV                   | Financial and insurance activities | 0.53%    | NL      |
| AAREAL BANK AG                     | Financial and insurance activities | 0.52%    | DE      |
| ASB FINANCE LTD (LONDON BRANCH)    | Financial and insurance activities | 0.52%    | GB      |
| BANK OF MONTREAL                   | Financial and insurance activities | 0.52%    | CA      |
| WESTPAC BANKING CORP               | Financial and insurance activities | 0.52%    | AU      |
| TORONTO-DOMINION BANK/THE          | Financial and insurance activities | 0.52%    | CA      |



### What was the proportion of sustainability-related investments?

In the SFDR Level 2 Pre-Contractual Disclosure (annex to the Fund Prospectus) the Sub-Fund has committed to a minimum of 70% of the Sub-Fund's assets to be aligned to the environmental or social characteristics promoted. This includes a minimum 51% of the assets that are qualified as sustainable investments.

A minimum of 5% of the Sub-Fund's assets are other investments not aligned to the environmental or social characteristics.

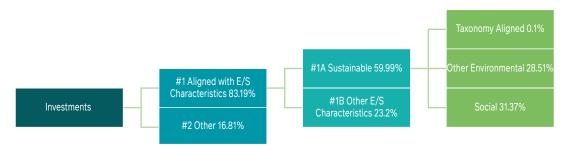
Asset allocations below are expressed as a percentage of Net Asset Value (NAV). Actual % investments that were aligned to the environmental or social characteristic promoted was 83.19% NAV as at 31 December 2022, which is above the 70% minimum commitment. This comprised 59.99% NAV relating to sustainable investments which was above the 51% minimum threshold, and the remaining 23.2% NAV related to investments with other environmental and or social characteristics.

None of the sustainable investments were expected to be aligned to the EU Taxonomy. However, 0.10% of the sustainable investments were aligned to the EU Taxonomy, while 28.51% related to investments with other environmental characteristics, and 31.37% related to socially sustainable investments.

**Asset allocation** describes the share of investments in specific assets.

### What was the asset allocation?

The graphic below provides an overview of the asset allocation versus the established minimum thresholds.



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

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

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

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

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

The investment breakdown uses NACE (Nomenclature of Economic Activities) and is expressed as a % of Net Asset Value (NAV).

| Economic sector   | % Assets |
|---|----------|
| Financial and insurance activities                            | 60.03%   |
| Manufacturing   | 10.35%   |
| Information and communication                                 | 5.32%    |
| Real estate activities  | 4.23%    |
| Other   | 3.94%    |
| Public administration and defence; compulsory social security | 3.39%    |
| Transportation and storage                                    | 2.33%    |
| Administrative and support service activities                 | 1.94%    |
| Electricity, gas, steam and air conditioning                  | 1.87%    |
| supply  |          |
| Professional, scientific and technical activities             | 1.41%    |
| Wholesale and retail trade; repair of motor                   | 1.37%    |
| vehicles and motorcycles                                      |          |
| Activities of extraterritorial organisations and bodies       | 1.27%    |
| Human health and social work activities                       | 1.04%    |
| Accommodation and food service activities                     | 0.45%    |
| Construction  | 0.44%    |
| Other service activities                                      | 0.25%    |
| Mining and quarrying  | 0.19%    |
| Water supply; sewerage, waste management                      | 0.17%    |
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| Did the financial product invest in fossil gas and/or nuclear energy related activities complying |
|---|
| with the EU Taxonomy <sup>1</sup> ?   |

| Yes:        |               |                   |
|-------------|---------------|-------------------|
|             | In fossil gas | In nuclear energy |
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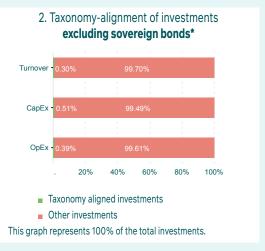
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### What was the share of investments made in transitional and enabling activities?

The share of the Sub-Fund's investments made in transitional activities over the period was 0.01% and in enabling activities 0.12%. This compares to a minimum percentage commitment of 0% stated in the Sub-Fund's precontractual disclosure.

|  | Activity                         | Percentage Investments |
|--|----------------------------------|------------------------|
|  | Share of transitional activities | 0.01%                  |
|  | Share of enabling activities     | 0.12%                  |

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

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

The share of sustainable investments in the Sub-Fund with an environmental objective not aligned with the EU taxonomy over the period was 28.51%. This compares to the commitment of 5% overall of sustainable investments with environmental objectives that were not aligned to the EU Taxonomy made in the precontractual disclosure.



### What was the share of socially sustainable investments?

The share of sustainable investments in the Sub-Fund with a social objective over the period was 31.37%. This compares to the commitment of 5% overall of socially sustainable investments made in the precontractual disclosure.



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

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

Actions to meet the environmental and social characteristics were driven through the Fund's ESG Exclusionary Approach and a Positive ESG Tilt. The Fund excluded certain potential investments from its investment universe to mitigate potential negative effects on the environment and society. For securitised investments such as assetbacked securities (ABS), this also included assessing them against the Investment Manager's proprietary scoring methodology.

The Investment Manager promoted environmental and/or social characteristics by excluding certain investments that were considered to be detrimental to ESG factors.

In addition, the Fund maintained a weighted average ESG rating that was equivalent or greater than the broader reference investment universe of global Investment grade and high yield corporate bonds.

In constructing a portfolio positively tilted towards investments with better ESG characteristics, the Investment Manager nonetheless invested in investments across a wide range of debt with MSCI ESG ratings of BB or better. At an individual security level, the Investment Manager favoured investments with better ESG characteristics where this was not detrimental to the pursuit of the financial investment objective.



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

No reference benchmark was designated for the purpose of attaining the Sub-Fund's promoted environmental and/or social characteristics.

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

- How did the reference benchmark differ from a broad market index? No reference benchmark was designated for the purpose of attaining the Sub-Fund's promoted environmentaland/or social characteristics.
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- How did this financial product perform compared with the broad market index? No reference benchmark was designated to determine whether this fund is aligned with the environmental and social characteristics that it promotes.

## Glossary (unaudited)

1933 Act The United States Securities Act of 1933, as amended.

**1940 Act** The United States Securities Act of 1940, as amended

**Accumulation shares** Shares in respect of which all earnings are accumulated and added to the capital property of a fund.

Administration agreement The administration agreement dated 14 September 2018 pursuant to which the Administrator is appointed to provide services with respect to the Company.

Administrator State Street Bank International GmbH. Luxembourg Branch.

Ancillary liquid assets Refers to liquid assets such as cash deposits (at sight).

**Articles** Articles of incorporation of the Company.

Auditor Ernst & Young S.A.

Base currency The base currency of the Company is the Euro.

Business day Unless otherwise stated in a Supplement, any day when the banks are fully open for normal banking business in both England and Luxembourg (excluding 24 December and 31 December).

Class or Class of shares or Share class A class of shares in issue or to be issued.

Company European Specialist Investment Funds.

CSDR European regulation No. 09/20142 aiming to improve securities settlement in the EU and within its central securities depositories (CSDs)

CSSF The Luxembourg Commission de Surveillance du Secteur Financier, being the Luxembourg regulatory authority in charge of the supervision of UCIs in the Grand-Duchy of Luxembourg 'CSSF Circular 04/146' (the CSSF Circular 04/ 146 of 17 June 2004 regarding the protection of undertakings for collective investment and their investors against late trading and market timing practices), as amended 'CSSF Regulation 12/02' the CSSF Regulation 12/02 of 14 December 2012 on the fight against money laundering and terrorist financing, as amended.

**Dealing day** Unless otherwise stated in a Supplement, any Business Day.

**Dealing request deadline** Such time in respect of any relevant Dealing Day as shall be specified in the relevant Supplement for that fund or such other time as the Directors may determine.

**Depositary** State Street Bank International GmbH, Luxembourg Branch.

**Depositary agreement** The depositary agreement dated 5 December 2016 pursuant to which the Depositary is appointed to provide depositary services to the Company.

**Directors** The members of the Board of Directors of the Company for the time being and any duly constituted committee thereof and any successors to such members as may be appointed from time to time.

**Distribution shares** Shares in respect of which dividends may be distributed periodically to Shareholders.

ESMA The European Securities and Markets Authority or its successor authority.

ESMA guidelines 2014/937 Refers to the guidelines on ETFs and other UCITS issues published on 1 August 2014 by ESMA (ESMA/2014/937), as implemented in Luxembourg and entered into force on 1 October 2014 as may be amended, supplemented and/or implemented from time to time.

**EU** The European Union.

**Euribor** The Euro Interbank Offered Rate, which is based on the average interest rates at which a panel of European banks borrow money from one another.

FATCA The provisions of the US HIRE Act generally referred to as the Foreign Account Tax Compliance Act.

FCA The Financial Conduct Authority or its successor authority in the United Kingdom.

**FCA rules** The rules of the FCA, as the same may be amended from time to time.

Fund A specific pool of assets, or sub-fund established within the Company, within the meaning of Article 181 of the UCI Law.

Fund manager An employee of M&G FA Limited who manages the investment of money on its behalf.

**Group or Group of companies** Companies belonging to the same body of undertakings and which must draw up consolidated accounts in accordance with Council Directive 83/349/EEC of 13 June 1983 on consolidated accounts and according to recognised international accounting rules, as amended.

**Hedged share classes** Those classes where a currency hedging strategy is applied.

## Glossary (unaudited)

**Ineligible investor** Any person to whom a transfer of shares (legally or beneficially) or by whom a holding of shares (legally or 3 beneficially) would or, in the opinion of the Directors, might: a) be in breach of any law (or regulation by a competent authority) of any country or territory by virtue of which the person in question is not qualified to hold such shares; or b) require the Company, the Management Company or the Investment manager to be registered under any law or regulation whether as an investment fund or otherwise, or cause the Company to be required to comply with any registration requirements in respect of any of its shares, whether in the United States of America or any other jurisdiction; or c) cause the Company, its Shareholders, the Management Company or the Investment manager some legal, regulatory, taxation, pecuniary or material administrative disadvantage which the Company, its Shareholders, the Management Company or the Investment manager might not otherwise have incurred or suffered 'Initial Offer Period' (the period set by the Directors in relation to any fund or Class of shares as the period during which shares are initially on offer and as specified in the relevant Supplement).

**Institutional investor** As defined in the UCI Law and by guidelines or recommendations issued by the CSSF from time to time.

**Investment management agreement** The investment management agreement dated 7 December 2018 pursuant to which the investment manager is appointed to provide discretionary investment management services to the Company and the funds.

**Investment manager** M&G Investment Management Limited.

IRS The US Internal Revenue Service.

KID Key Information Documents, a legally required precontractual document describing in brief the objectives, policies, risks, costs, past performance and other relevant information for a given Share Class of a given sub-fund.

Luxembourg The Grand-Duchy of Luxembourg.

Management Agreement The management agreement dated 1 October 2018 pursuant to which the Management Company is appointed by the Company.

Management Company M&G Luxembourg S.A.

Member state A member state of the European Union. The states that are contracting parties to the agreement creating the European Economic Area other than the member states of the European Union, within the limits set forth by this agreement 4 and related acts, are considered as equivalent to member states of the European Union.

Money market instruments Instruments normally dealt on the money market which are liquid, and have a value which can be accurately determined at any time, and instruments eligible as money market instruments, as defined by guidelines issued by the CSSF from time to time.

Net Asset Value The net asset value of the Company, a fund or a Class (as the context may require) as calculated in accordance with the Articles and the Prospectus.

Net Asset Value per share The Net Asset Value in respect of any fund or Class divided by the number of shares of the relevant fund or Class in issue at the relevant time.

**Non-Member State** Any state which is not a Member State.

**OECD** The Organisation for Economic Co-operation and Development.

**OECD CRS** OECD Common Reporting Standard.

**OTC (over the counter) derivative** A derivative instrument entered into with an approved counterparty outside of an exchange.

**Price per share** Unless otherwise defined in a Supplement, the Net Asset Value per Share attributable to the shares issued in respect of a fund or Class, plus or minus any attributable swing price adjustment, as described in the section of this Prospectus entitled 'Swing Pricing and Dilution

**Prospectus** The Prospectus, as may be amended or supplemented from time to time.

**Reference currency** The currency of the relevant fund.

Registrar and transfer agent RBC Investor Services Bank S.A.

Registrar and transfer agency agreement The registrar and transfer agency agreement dated 6 December 2016 pursuant to which the registrar and transfer agent is appointed to provide certain registration and transfer agency services in respect of the funds.

**Regulated market** A regulated market according to Directive 2004/39/EC of the European Parliament and of the Council of 21 April 2004 on markets in financial instruments amending Council Directive 2000/12/EC of the European Parliament and of the Council and repealing Council Directive 93/22/EC ('MiFID'). A list of EU-regulated markets according to MiFID is regularly updated and published by the European Commission.

Share or shares Shares of any Class in the Company as the context requires.

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**Share class currency** The currency of the relevant Class.

**Shareholder** A person registered as the holder of shares on the Company's register of shareholders.

**Supplement** A supplement to the Prospectus specifying certain information in respect of a fund and/or one or more

**Transferable securities** (i) shares and other securities equivalent to shares ('shares'); (ii) bonds and other debt instruments ('debt securities'); and (iii) any other negotiable securities that carry the right to acquire any such transferable securities by subscription or exchange, to the extent they do not qualify as Techniques and Instruments as described in the Prospectus (Appendix 1) for M&G (Lux) Investment Funds 1.

**UCI(s)** Undertaking(s) for collective investment.

**UCI law** The Luxembourg law of 17 December 2010 on undertakings for collective investment, as may be amended from time to time.

**UCITS** An undertaking for collective investment in transferable securities established pursuant to the UCITS Directive.

**UCITS directive** The Directive 2009/65/EC of the European Parliament and Council of 13 July 2009 on the coordination of laws, regulations and administrative provisions relating to undertakings for collective investment in transferable securities, as amended by Directive 2014/91/EU as regards depositary functions, remuneration policies and sanctions.

United States, US or USA The United States of America (including the States and District of Columbia) and any of its territories, possessions and other areas subject to its jurisdiction.

Valuation day Unless otherwise stated in a Supplement, any Business Day.

M&G Luxembourg S.A. is authorised and regulated by the Commission de Surveillance du Secteur Financier. The Company's registered office is 16, boulevard Royal, 2449 Luxembourg, Luxembourg.

