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

**Product name:** Svensk Alfa **Legal entity identifier:** 529900BR5NZNQZEVQ417

**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.

**Environmental and/or social characteristics**

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

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



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

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

The portfolio integrated environmental, social and corporate governance factors (ESG) into the investment process with the help of the Investment Manager´s sustainability screening process, which considers underlying companies´ability to manage sustainability risks and opportunities. Managing ESG risks is a vital part of what makes an investment attractive, together with the traditional financial metrics. Sustainability with regard to social and governance aspects was accomplished through screening and exclusions.

Exclusion filters were applied in the portfolio construction to restrict investments in companies with more than 5% of their revenues from the following activities including controversial weapons, tobacco, alcohol, adult entertainment, gambling and fossil fuel. Furthermore, the portfolio excluded companies that had any confirmed violations against the UN Global Compact.

 ***How did the sustainability indicators perform?***

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| Activity-based exclusion criterias | 0%ofinvestments have had exposure to Fossil Fuel, Tobacco, Weapons, Gaming, Alcohol, Adult Entertainment. |
| Violations against UN Global Compact principles | 0% of investments in holdings that violates the UN Global Compact principles. |

***…and compared to previous periods?***

As this is the first reporting period for the portfolio there is no comparison to any previous period.

***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 portfolio does not have sustainable investments as its objective

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

**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.

Not applicable

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

Not applicable

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

The portfolio did not invest in companies that violates the OECD Guidelines for Multinational Enterprises, the UN Guiding Principles on Business and Human Rights nor UN Global Compact.

The portfolio screened for violation against UN Global Compact and also screened for violations against OECD Guidelines for Multinational Enterprises in Q4 2024. The portfolio has also been screened against international norms and conventions and have a zero-tolerance against violations, resulting in no potential hits in the screening against UN Guiding Principles on Business and Human Rights.

* + 0% of investments violates the UN Global Compact
	+ 0% of investments violates the OECD Guidelines for Multinational Enterprises

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

The “do no significant harm” principle applies only to those investments underlying the financial product that take into account the 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?**

 Not applicable



**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: 2024.08.01 – 2024.12.31

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| **Largest investments** | **Sector** | **% Assets** | **Country** |
| VOLVO AB CLASS B | Industrials | 7.0% | SE |
| INVESTOR AB CLASS B | Financial Services | 5.6% Germany G  | SE |
| HEXAGON AB CLASS B  | Information Technology | 5.3%  | SE |
| ATLAS COPCO CLASS A | Industrials | 5.0% | SE |
| ASSA ABLOY AB CLASS B | Industrials | 4.3% | SE |
| SEB AB CLASS A | Financial Services | 4.2% | SE |
| SANDVIK AB | Industrials  | 4.1% | SE |
| SWEDBANK AB CLASS A | Financial Services | 4.0% | SE |
| ERICSSON CLASS B | Information Technology | 3.8% | SE |
| ESSITY AB CLASS B | Consumer Defensive | 3.7% | SE |

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

Not applicable

***What was the asset allocation?***

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

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

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

- The sub-category **#1A** **Sustainable** covers environmentally and socially sustainable investments.

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

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

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

 The investments have mainly been done in the following sectors:

Industrials, Financial Services, Information Technology and Consumer Defensive.



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

The portfolio does not currently intend to invest in sustainable investments that are aligned with the EU Taxonomy.

**Did the financial product invest in fossil gas and/or nuclear energy related activities complying with the EU Taxonomy[[1]](#footnote-2)?**

Yes:

In fossil gas In nuclear energy

No

Taxonomy-aligned activities are expressed as a share of:

* **turnover** reflecting the share of revenue from green activities of investee companies.
* **capital expenditure** (CapEx) showing the green investments made by investee companies, e.g. for a transition to a green economy.
* **operational expenditure** (OpEx) reflecting green operational activities of investee companies.

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| *The graphs below show in green the percentage of investments that were aligned with the EU Taxonomy. As there is no appropriate methodology to determine the taxonomy-alignment of sovereign bonds\*, the first graph shows the Taxonomy alignment in relation to all the investments of the financial product including sovereign bonds, while the second graph shows the Taxonomy alignment only in relation to the investments of the financial product other than sovereign bonds.* |
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| \*  *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 portfolio has not committed to a minimum share of investments in transitional and enabling activities.

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

As this is the first reporting period for the Sub-Fund there is no comparison to any previous period.

  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 not aligned with the EU Taxonomy?**

Not applicable



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

Not applicable

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

This includes cash for managing liquidity, and ETF investments for diversification which lack information regarding their E/S characteristics. There are no minimum environmental or social safeguards on these instrument types.



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

The portfolio has been screened when investing and throughout the investment period for the ESG indicators set up for the portfolio, including exclusions and minimum shares of sustainable investments and taxonomy alignment respectively.

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

The Investment Manager has not been active in impacting the companies invested in as the portfolio’s ownership in these multinational companies has been minimal.

The focus for investment selection is companies with E/S characteristics, rather than to be an active owner impacting companies to be more sustainable.



**How did this financial product perform compared to the reference benchmark?** The portfolio does not use a benchmark that is aligned with the portfolio´s E/S characteristics.

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

Not applicable

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

Not applicable

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

Not applicable

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

Not applicable

1. Fossil gas and/or nuclear related activities will only comply with the EU Taxonomy where they contribute to limiting climate change (“climate change mitigation”) and do not significantly harm any EU Taxonomy objective - see explanatory note in the left hand margin. The full criteria for fossil gas and nuclear energy economic activities that comply with the EU Taxonomy are laid down in Commission Delegated Regulation (EU) 2022/1214. [↑](#footnote-ref-2)