

# RAM (LUX) Systematic Funds - LONG/SHORT EUROPEAN EQUITIES - ESG Report

All the data, graphs and positions in this report are as of 2022-05-31

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The investible universe is an All-Cap universe defined as all the companies domiciled in Austria, Belgium, Cyprus, Denmark, Finland, France, Germany, Guernsey, Iceland, Ireland, the Isle of Man, Italy, Jersey, Luxembourg, the Netherlands, Norway, Portugal, Spain, Sweden, Switzerland or the United Kingdom. Companies with a market capitalization in the bottom 14% or under 15,000,000€ are excluded, as well as companies with a daily volume in the bottom 42.5% or under 50,000€ (average over 20 business days).

Sustainability is systematically incorporated in the fund's investment process through exclusions, ESG integration in stock selection, as well as through ESG and carbon footprint targets at portfolio construction. The Fund promotes sustainability but does not have a sustainable investment as its objective (Article 8 Regulation (EU) 2019/2088 SFDR).

The fund doesn't invest in companies in violation of international standards, or whose activities are causing severe damage to the environment or to society, according to RAM Al's Exclusion Policy.

The extensive research by the Systematic Equity team on structured and unstructured ESG datasets is capitalized upon for an optimal integration of ESG in the investment process, with dozens of ESG alpha inputs being integrated in our stock selection. When weights are optimally allocated to stocks within our portfolio, ESG and carbon footprint targets are set, aiming to provide the fund's selection an attractive ESG and low-carbon profile.

Finally, RAM Al's systematic investment philosophy being driven by technology and data, we engage with companies on reporting more on ESG, in collaboration with peers and international agencies, with a particular attention to carbon emission data. This reports intends to provide an overview of some of the main carbon-footprint and broad ESG metrics of the portfolio.

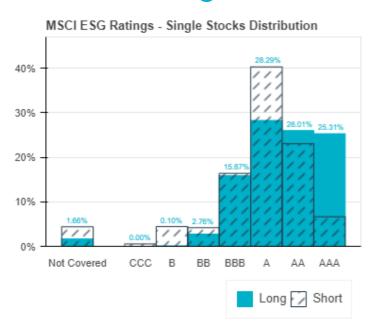
#### The fund's long leg has an ESG Rating of :



#### Its short leg has an ESG Rating of :



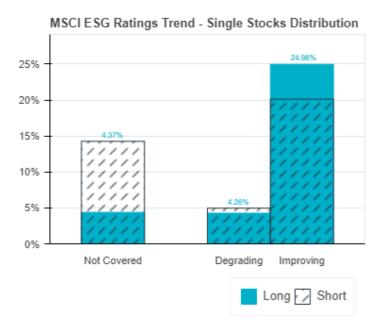
## **MSCI ESG Ratings and Scores**



MSCI ESG Scores (out of 10)

|                     | Long | Short |
|---------------------|------|-------|
| Environmental       | 6.34 | 5.97  |
| Social              | 5.70 | 5.05  |
| Governance          | 6.18 | 5.92  |
| ESG (industry adj.) | 7.43 | 6.68  |

Source: RAM Active Investments, MSCI ESG, FactSet



The ESG Rating takes into account Environmental, Social and Governance metrics for each company in the portfolio and compares companies with each others by sector.

**CCC** and **B** rated companies are considered laggards.

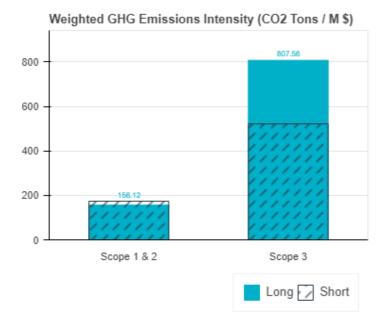
**BB**, **BBB** and **A** rated companies are considered average.

**AA** and **AAA** rated companies are considered leaders.

The ESG Rating Trend indicates the rating change from previous to current reports for each company.

Source: RAM Active Investments, MSCI ESG, FactSet

#### **GHG** Emissions Intensities



Source: RAM Active Investments, MSCI ESG, FactSet

The Carbon Intensity is obtained by dividing the GHG Emissions (in tons) by the total sales of the company (in Mn USD). We provide here a weighted average of these intensities across our portfolio.

**Scope 1** emissions are direct emissions under control of the company.

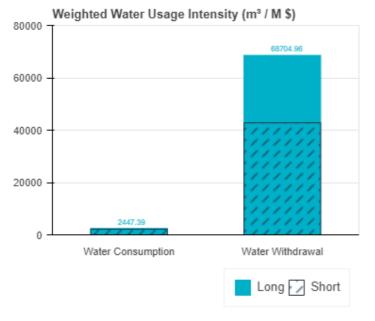
**Scope 2** emissions are indirect emissions from the energy purchased.

**Scope 3** emissions are all indirect emissions (not included in scope 2) that the company cannot control (often a large portion of a company carbon footprint).

Scope 1 & 2: the long leg is **10.2% lower** than the short leg.

Scope 3: the long leg is **54.7% higher** than the short leg.

## **Water Usage Intensities**



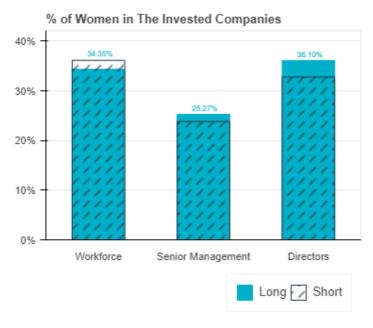
Source: RAM Active Investments, MSCI ESG, FactSet

The Water Intensity is obtained by dividing the water consumption or withdrawal (in m³) by the total sales of the company (in Mn USD). We provide here a weighted average of these intensities across our portfolio.

Water Consumption: the long leg is **14.7% higher** than the short leg.

Water Withdrawal: the long leg is **60.2% higher** than the short leg.

## Women in the Workplace



Source: RAM Active Investments, MSCI ESG, FactSet

We divide the presence of women in the workplace in three categories. The first is the number of women in the entire workforce of the company, the second is the number of women in the senior management roles and the third in directors roles, all of them in percentage proportions. We provide here a weighted average of these percentages across our portfolio.

Workforce: the long leg is **5.0% lower** than the short leg.

Senior Management: the long leg is **6.1% higher** than the short leg.

Directors: the long leg is **10.1% higher** than the short leg.

## **Board Independence**

The board independence is measured as the percentage proportion of the board that is composed of independent members. We provide here a weighted average of this percentage across our portfolio.

As of 2022-05-31, the long leg has an average board independence of **80.19%** and the short leg has an average board independence of **81.42%**.

#### **Severe Controversies Involvement**

The controversies we analyse span the three pillars of ESG with events like Waste, Human Ressources, Privacy of Data or Responsible Investing. We provide the number of controversies of the companies in our portfolio for the full history of our dataset as well as for the past year (until the reporting date).

The stocks in our long leg have not been involved in any controversy in the last 12 months.

The stocks in the short leg have not been involved in any controversy in the last 12 months.

The stocks in the investible universe have not been involved in any controversy in the last 12 months.

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