

Exclusion criteria for the funds

Minimum requirements (affects all mutual funds of Erste AM)

ESG Integration Standard

Fond zodpovedného investovania
ESG fond dividendových akcií
ESG MIX Klasik
ESG MIX Balans
ESG MIX Aktív

ERSTE RESPONSIBLE BOND EURO CORPORATE
ERSTE RESPONSIBLE STOCK AMERICA
ERSTE RESPONSIBLE STOCK EUROPE
ERSTE RESPONSIBLE STOCK JAPAN
ERSTE RESPONSIBLE STOCK DIVIDEND
ERSTE FAIR INVEST
ERSTE GREEN INVEST

ERSTE WWF STOCK ENVIRONMENT

Controversial behavior

Banks and financial services	Severe, systemic violations of accepted business practices (bribery and fraud, anti-competitive practices, customer-related legal cases)				⊘	⊘
	Predatory lending practices				5%	5%
Business malpractice	Accounting fraud and corruption: non-compliance with legal requirements				⊘	⊘
Controversial environment violation	Massive disregard of environmental laws or generally accepted environmental minimum standards / standards of conduct, or operation of projects, e.g. pipelines, mines, dams, etc., which have a particularly harmful effect on the eco-systems in the region					⊘
	Financing of large-scale projects, e.g. pipelines, mines, dams, etc., with particularly damaging effects on ecosystems					⊘
Violation of human rights	Disregard of generally accepted norms, principles and standards for the protection of human rights, e.g., the International Bill of Human Rights, UN Guiding Principles on Business and Human Rights		⊘		⊘	⊘
Violation of labour rights	Child labour		⊘		⊘	⊘
	Forced labour		⊘		⊘	⊘
	Discrimination at work		⊘		⊘	⊘
	Freedom of association and the right to collective bargaining				⊘	⊘
	Health and safety at work				⊘	⊘
	Working hours				⊘	⊘
UN Global Compact	Companies that fail to comply with the principles of the United Nations Global Compact		⊘		⊘	⊘
Destruction of natural living space	E.g. rainforests, primary forests, peatlands				⊘	

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Controversial activities

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Abortion	Operation of abortion clinics and development, production or distribution of abortifacients				
Airline industry	Production of aircraft and operation of airlines and airports				5%
Alcohol	Production of all types of alcoholic beverages				5%
	Production and distribution of spirits (alcohol content >20%)				5%
Animal Testing	Beyond legal requirements			⊘	⊘
Arms / weapons	Producers and traders of weapons, weapon systems, controversial weapons, i.e., nuclear, biological, and chemical weapons, cluster munitions, anti-personnel mines, uranium ammunition	⊘ ¹	⊘	⊘	⊘
	Production and/or provision of Military Equipment and Services (combat involvement)		⊘	⊘	5%
	Top arms-producing & military services companies in the world (SIPRI)		⊘	⊘	⊘
	Production and/or provision of Military Equipment and Services (non-combat Involvement)		5%	5%	5%
Automobiles	Production and distribution of hybrid and alternatively powered vehicles (exception)				5%
Biocides	Production and trade in biocides that are classified as „extremely or highly hazardous“ by the WHO				5%
CFC- and HFC emitting products	Production and trade of CFC- and HFC-emitting equipment, e.g. refrigerators air conditioners, if it represents a significant business segment				5%
Coal	Coal mining and coal liquefaction	5% ²	5%	5%	5%
	Power generation from coal	5% ²	5%	5%	5%
Contraceptives	Development and production of contraceptives				
Crude oil / natural gas	Producers and processors - production of crude oil and natural gas by conventional methods			5%	5%
	Producers and processors - production of crude oil and natural gas by non-conventional methods (fracking, oil sands)			5%	5%
	Refining of crude oil			5%	5%
	High share of non-conventional reserves in total reserves			20%	5%
	Power generation from crude oil			5%	5%
	Power generation from natural gas				5%

⊘ zero tolerance 5% max. 5% of revenues 10% max. 10% of revenues 20% max. 20% of total reserves

¹According to the Erste AM Controversial Weapons Policy

²According to the Erste AM Coal Divestment Policy

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Drugs	Production and trade of e.g. cannabis				5%
Embryonic research	Specialized companies			⊘	5%
Factory farming	Factory farming, mass transportation of livestock or fur farming				5%
Food commodities speculation	Use of derivatives on food commodities to generate a speculative profit in the mutual fund	⊘ ³	⊘	⊘	⊘
Fraud and corruption	Disregard of legal regulations			⊘	⊘
Gambling	Operators and specialized manufacturers			5%	5%
	Providers of gambling with addictive potential without effective measures to prevent social and financial threats to existence			5%	5%
	Providers of gambling with addictive potential with effective measures to prevent social and financial threats to existence			5%	5%
GMO	Producers of manipulated seed			⊘	5%
	Use of manipulated seed				5%
	Production of genetically modified plants / animals for agricultural use			⊘	
	Distribution of foodstuff and animal feed from genetically modified plants / animals or processing of agricultural raw materials from genetically modified organisms				
Hazardous substances	Production of substances that cause significant environmental damage, especially those covered by REACH or their locally relevant equivalents.				5%
	Production of and trade in chemical substances banned in the EU				5%
Media glorifying or trivializing violence	Production of e.g., films, computer games, etc., which depict inhumane acts of violence or enable the virtual practice of realistically depicted acts of killing or cruelty				
	Distribution of e.g., films, computer games, etc., which depict inhumane acts of violence or enable the virtual practice of realistically depicted acts of killing or cruelty				
Mining					5%
Nuclear Power	Producers of nuclear power			⊘	5%
	Producers and traders of uranium			⊘	5%
	Producers of key components for nuclear power stations			5%	5%
	Traders of key components for nuclear power stations			5%	5%

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Persistent organic pollutants	Production of POPs (persistent organic pollutants) listed in the Stockholm Convention					5%
Pharmaceutical products, breastmilk substitute	Violations of the IFPMA Code for the Marketing of Pharmaceutical Products or the International Agreement on Breast-milk Substitutes					
Poly- / Vinylchlorid (PVC / VC)	Production of and trade in polyvinyl chloride and PVC-based products					5%
Pornography	Producers of pornography				🚫	5%
	Trader of pornography				10%	5%
Reproductive medicine	Use of heterologous IVF procedures or IVF procedures with supernumerary embryos					
Tobacco	Producers of end products				🚫	5%
	Distribution of tobacco products or subcontracting to the tobacco industry					5%
Waste exports	Violations of the Basel Convention on the Control of Transboundary Movements of Hazardous Wastes and their Disposal					
Whaling						5%
Washington convention of endangered species agreement (CITES)	Trade in products covered by CITES regulations (e.g. mahogany, ramin wood, tortoiseshell, etc.)					5%

Risk notes according to 2011 Austrian Investment Fund Act

The funds employ an active investment policy and is not oriented towards a benchmark. The assets are selected on a discretionary basis and the scope of discretion of the management company is not limited.

For further information on the sustainable focus of the funds as well as on the disclosures in accordance with the Disclosure Regulation (Regulation (EU) 2019/2088) and the Taxonomy Regulation (Regulation (EU) 2020/852), please refer to the current Prospectus, section 12 and the Annex „Sustainability Principles“. In deciding to invest in the funds, consideration should be given to any characteristics or objectives of the funds as described in the Fund Documents.

[Prospectus ERSTE FAIR INVEST](#)

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[Prospectus ERSTE RESPONSIBLE BOND EURO CORPORATE](#)

[Prospectus ERSTE RESPONSIBLE RESERVE](#)

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Exclusion criteria for the funds (sovereigns)

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Authoritarian regime	Classification by „Freedom House“ not free		
Biodiversity	Non-Ratification of the UN Convention on Biological Diversity (CoBD)		
	Non-Ratification of associated Protocols of the CoBD (Cartagena- / Nagoya-Protocol)		
Child labour	Countries with widespread employment of children		
Climate protection	Non-ratification of the paris convention		
Corruption	Countries scoring lower than 50 points in Transparency International's Corruption Perception Index (CPI)		
Death penalty	Death penalty not completely abolished		
Discrimination	Massive restriction of the legal and/or social equality of women, people with disabilities or ethnic minorities		
Freedom of association	Countries with severe restrictions regarding the possibility of free assembly and of trade union organisation		
Freedom of press and freedom of expression	Countries with severe restrictions		
Human rights	Countries with severe restrictions with regard to, e.g., privacy, freedom of movement, freedom of religion or torture		
Labour rights	Countries with particularly poor conditions regarding, e.g., minimum wages, working hours, health and safety		
Military expenses	Countries with particularly high military budget (military expenditure / GDP)		
Money laundering	Non-implementation / gross violations of FATF standards		
Nuclear energy	Ratio of primary energy production (3-yr-average)		
	Nuclear power plants in planning / under construction (according to IAEA)		
Nuclear weapons	Countries that possess nuclear weapons according to the Stockholm International Peace Research Institute (SIPRI) or countries that have not signed the Treaty on the Non-Proliferation of Nuclear Weapons		

Since 2013, Erste Asset Management has committed itself to refrain from investing in food in all the investment funds it manages and from investing in derivatives.

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The prospectus for UCITS (including any amendments) is published in accordance with the provisions of the InvFG 2011 in the currently amended version. Information for Investors pursuant to § 21 AIFMG is prepared for the alternative investment funds (AIF) administered by Erste Asset Management GmbH pursuant to the provisions of the AIFMG in connection with the InvFG 2011. The fund prospectus, Information for Investors pursuant to § 21 AIFMG, and the Key Information Document can be viewed in their latest versions at the website www.erste-am.com within the section mandatory publications or obtained in their latest versions free of charge from the domicile of the management company and the domicile of the custodian bank. The exact date of the most recent publication of the fund prospectus, the languages in which the Key Information Document is available, and any additional locations where the documents can be obtained can be viewed on the website www.erste-am.com. A summary of investor rights is available in German and English on the website www.erste-am.com/investor-rights as well as at the domicile of the management company.

The management company can decide to revoke the arrangements it has made for the distribution of unit certificates abroad, taking into account the regulatory requirements.

Detailed information on the risks potentially associated with the investment can be found in the fund prospectus or Information for investors pursuant to § 21 AIFMG of the respective fund. If the fund currency is a currency other than the investor's home currency, changes in the corresponding exchange rate may have a positive or negative impact on the value of his investment and the amount of the costs incurred in the fund - converted into his home currency.

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Information and warning for mutual funds managed in Slovakia

This is a marketing notice. Before making any investment decision, please review the fund's statutes, the fund's sales prospectus and the key information document. You can get them in Slovak at all sales points of the management company and at www.erste-am.sk.

Mutual funds Fond zodpovedneho investovania and ESG fond dividendovych akcii are managed by Erste Asset Management GmbH, with its registered office at Am Belvedere 1, 1100 Vienna, Austria, registered in the Commercial Register of the Commercial Court of Vienna under registration number 102018 b, which does business in the territory of the Slovak Republic through an organizational branch Erste Asset Management GmbH, branch Slovak Republic, with registered office Tomášikova 48, 832 65 Bratislava, ID number: 51 410 818, registered in the commercial register of the Municipal Court Bratislava III, section: Po, file no.: 4550/B.

Assets in the Fond zodpovedneho investovania can be invested up to 100% in transferable securities and money market instruments issued or guaranteed by any EU member state, while the assets in the fund must consist of at least six issues of these bonds and the value of one issue must not be more than 30% of the value of assets in the fund.

The mutual fund ESG fond dividendovych akcii is a feeder fund, while at least 85% of the assets in this feeder fund are continuously invested in units of the master fund ERSTE RESPONSIBLE STOCK DIVIDEND. The mutual fund ESG MIX Klasik is a feeder fund, while at least 85% of the assets in this feeder fund are continuously invested in units of the master fund YOU INVEST GREEN solid. The mutual fund ESG MIX Balans is a feeder fund, while at least 85% of the assets in this feeder fund are continuously invested in units of the master fund YOU INVEST GREEN balanced. The mutual fund ESG MIX Aktív is a feeder fund, while at least 85% of the assets in this feeder fund are continuously invested in units of the master fund YOU INVEST GREEN active.

Investing in mutual funds is also associated with risk. The value of the investment and the annual return may also decrease, and the return of the originally invested amount is not guaranteed. Income from investment in mutual funds achieved in the past is not a guarantee of future income.

Investing in funds takes into account all characteristics or objectives of the fund related to sustainability, which are stated in the fund's statute and the fund's sales prospectus. Information on sustainability can be found at www.erste-am.sk. The investment policy of the funds is not to copy the index.

Further information in the field of fund sustainability, as well as disclosures in accordance with the Information Disclosure Regulation (EU) 2019/2088 and the Taxonomy Regulation (EU) 2020/852, can be found in the current fund prospectus, in Art. I, in Appendix No. 1 and in the appendix of the fund's sales prospectus entitled „Principles of Sustainability“.

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