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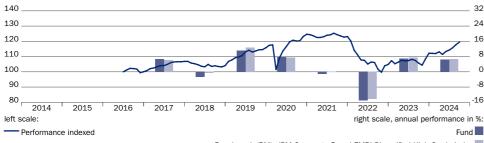
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### **Fund Portrait**

The JSS Sustainable Bond – Emerging Markets Corporate IG aims to achieve attractive returns in excess of the benchmark through the cycle. To achieve this, the sub-fund invests globally in the Emerging Market corporate bond market, predominantly in bonds issued in US Dollars. The strategy follows a conservative philosophy, focusing on the high credit quality segment of the market. Therefore, the sub-fund invests at least 70% of the assets in investment grade securities. It will also systematically integrate financially-material ESG aspects throughout the entire investment process, in order to avoid controversial exposures, mitigate ESG risks and harness opportunities.

The Sub-Fund is actively managed without replicating any benchmark. However, the Sub-Fund is managed with reference to JPM Corporate Broad EMBI Diversified High Grade Index (the "Benchmark").

## Net Performance (in USD) as of 30.09.2024



Benchmark (BM): JPM Corporate Broad EMBI Diversified High Grade Index

	1 Month	3 Months	YTD	1 year	3 years p.a.	5 years p.a. 10	years p.a.
Fund	1.34%	4.54%	6.51%	13.05%	-1.33%	1.00%	n.a.
RM	1 17%	4 42%	6.62%	12 61%	-0 58%	1 34%	n a

						Since
	2023	2022	2021	2020	2019	Inception
Fund	7.02%	-14.90%	-1.17%	7.61%	11.27%	19.66%
BM	7.57%	-14.20%	0.08%	7.45%	12.64%	25.36%

Past performance does not guarantee future returns. The performance shown does not take account of any commissions and costs charged when subscribing and redeeming units.

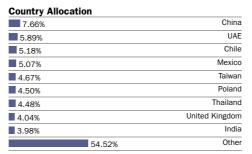
# **Top Ten Holdings**

5.375% CCAMCL 23.07.27	1.40%
5.400% Sands CN Ltd 08.08.28	1.39%
4.500% Meituan 02.04.28	1.36%
2.950% Prudential PLC 03.11.33	1.29%
3 875% PKO Bank Polski 12 00 27	1 15%

3.875 Bank Gospo Krajowego 13.03.35	1.15%
7.767% Standard Chartered 16.11.28	1.15%
3.250% TSMC Arizona 25.10.51	1.09%
5.250% Aramco 17.07.34	1.07%
4.850% Prosus NV 06.07.27	1.07%

Top 10 positions: 12.12%

### **Allocation by Rating** AA-3.59% A+ 4.12% A 4.62% A-13.75% 9.99% BBB 23 40% BB+ 8.30% BB 3.67% Other 4.74%



# Risk and reward profile

lower risk				hi	gher ris	sk _		
	typically lower rewards		•	typica	lly highe reward		•	
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	

The risk and reward category shown is based on historical data and can not be used as a reliable indicator of the future risk profile of the fund. The classification of the fund may change over time and is not a guarantee.

### **Fund Overview**

Net asset value per share	92.51
Fund size in millions	292.82
Investment company	J. Safra Sarasin Fund
Ma	nagement (Luxembourg) S.A.
Depositary	CACEIS Investor Service
	Bank S.A., Luxembourg
Portfolio management	Bank J. Safra Sarasin AG,
	Switzerland
Portfolio manager	Rishabh Tiwari,
	Walid Bellaha
Domicile of fund	Luxembourg
ISIN code	LU1210450448
Swiss SecNo.	27 685 103
Bloomberg	JSGEMIU LX
Launch date Share class	29 June 2016
Launch date Sub-Fund	30 September 2014
End of fiscal year	June
Total expense ratio*	1.00%
Management fee	0.70%
Reference currency	USD
Dividend payment 2024	USD 1.56
Last dividend payment	March
Sales fee	0.0%
Exit charge	0.0%
Legal structure	SICAV
Benchmark (BM)	JPM Corporate Broad EMBI
	Diversified High Grade Index
SFDR classification	Article 8

\*The costs of managing the sub-fund are calculated quarterly in arrears and may vary. Detailed information on these costs and any additional costs can be found in the Sales Prospectus / KID.

# **Settlement Details**

Subscriptions/Redemptions	daily
Notice Period subs/reds	n.a.
Settlement subs / reds	T+2 / T+3
Order cut-off (CET)	12:00
Swing Pricing	yes
Min. Initial Investment	1'000'000

Statistical Ratios	Fund	Benchmark
Volatility	7.21%	6.82%
Beta	1.05	n.a.
Sharpe Ratio	-0.79	-0.73
Information Ratio	-0.72	n.a.
Tracking Error	1.05%	n.a.

The statistical ratios are calculated on the basis of the previous months (36 months, basis USD). Risk-free interest rate: 4.39%

# Bonds Portfolio Ratios

Average Spread	149 BP
Average Rating	BBB
Modified Duration	5.50
Yield to Worst	5.10%



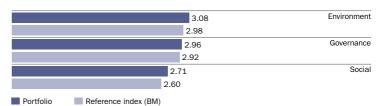
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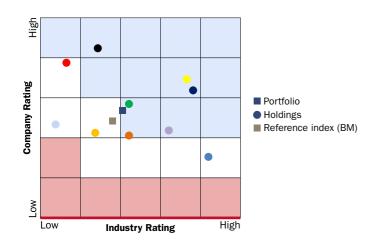
## **Sustainable Investing Approaches**

Exclusion (negative screening)	✓
ESG Integration	✓
Stewardship	×
Sustainability-themed	×
Sustainability Objectives	X

# Environmental, Social and Governance Scores (ESG Scores)



## J. Safra Sarasin Sustainability Matrix



# Best-In-Class universe: JSS ESG A-rated

- superior ESG profile, industry leaders
- eligible for all sustainable strategies

### Neutral universe: JSS ESG B-rated

- no particular ESG credentials, industry followers
- eglible for "integrated" sustainable strategies

# Worst-Out universe: JSS ESG C-rated

- weak ESG credentials, industry laggards
- not eligible for JSS sustainable strategies

# Exclusions: JSS ESG D-rated

- controversial business activities
- not eligible for JSS sustainable strategies

# Sustainability Ratings of Top 10 Holdings

Company name	weignt	Company Rating	industry	industry Rating
5.375% CCAMCL 23.07.27	1.4%	1.5	Asset Management & Custody Banks	4.2
5.400% Sands CN Ltd 08.08.28	1.4%	3.9	Casinos & Gaming	0.7
4.500% Meituan 02.04.28	1.4%	2.1	Restaurants	1.4
2.950% Prudential PLC 03.11.33	1.3%	3.5	Life & Health Insurance	3.7
3.875% PKO Bank Polski 12.09.27	1.2%	2.8	Diversified Banks	2.2
3.875 Bank Gospo Krajowego 13.03.35	1.2%	3.2	Government Related Issuers	3.8
7.767% Standard Chartered 16.11.28	1.2%	2.1	Diversified Banks	2.2
3.250% TSMC Arizona 25.10.51	1.1%	4.2	Semiconductors	1.4
5.250% Aramco 17.07.34	1.1%	2.3	Integrated Oil & Gas	0.4
4.850% Prosus NV 06.07.27	1.1%	2.2	Broadline Retail	3.2

# **Definitions and Explanations**

**Exclusion criteria:** Controversial weapons (biological, chemical and nuclear weapons, cluster munitions and anti-personnel mines), coal, GMO in agriculture and medicine, palm oil, defence and armament, tobacco, adult entertainment, violation of human rights and other UN Global Compact Principles.

**ESG scores:** An issuer's rating is the aggregation of more granular information analysed along the Environmental, Social and Governance pillars (on a scale from 0-5). Comparison at this level and aggregated at portfolio level provides more precise insights on the portfolio's exposure to sustainability risks.

**Sustainability Matrix:** Using our proprietary methodology, companies and industries are rated according to sustainability criteria (on a scale from 0-5). This results in a specific positioning for each company in our Sustainability Matrix, displaying both the sustainability risk exposure of a given industry (industry rating) and the relative ability of a company to mitigate those risks (company rating).

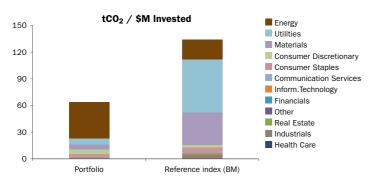
Sustainability rating of top 10 holdings: The table shows the company and industry ESG rating (on a scale from 0-5) of the 10 holdings with the highest portfolio weight.



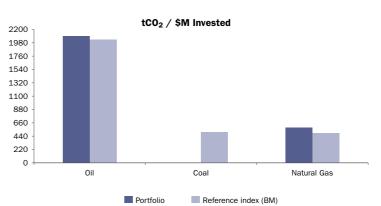
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# **Carbon Footprint**



# **Stranded Assets - Potential CO2 Emissions**



# Largest CO<sub>2</sub> Emitters

Company Name	% of Portfolio Footprint	Mitigation Efforts
JOINT STOCK COMP NAT COMP KAZMUNAYGAS	29.6%	average
PTT TREASURY CENTER COMPANY LIMITED	13.2%	average
RUWAIS POWER COMPANY PJSC	9.6%	average
THAIOIL TREASURY CENTER COMPANY LIMITED	8.6%	above average
GOHL CAPITAL LIMITED	6.6%	above average
ECOPETROL S.A.	4.8%	above average
PTTEP TREASURY CENTER COMPANY LIMITED	3.8%	above average
CENCOSUD S.A.	2.4%	below average
RELIANCE INDUSTRIES LIMITED	2.2%	average
SUZANO AUSTRIA GMBH	2.2%	above average

# **Definitions and Explanations**

**Carbon footprint:** The portfolio's carbon footprint is a function of sector allocation and holdings' carbon intensity. Lowering the footprint vs the benchmark while preserving a sectoral balance is therefore a way to reduce related risks in the portfolio. The portfolio's Scope 1 and 2 footprint is calculated. It is measured in tons of CO2 equivalent per USD million Enterprise Value Including Cash (EVIC).

**Stranded assets:** The chart shows future CO2 emissions of fossil fuel reserves owned by the companies held in the portfolio compared to the benchmark. These CO2 emissions are measured in tons of CO2 equivalent per USD million Enterprise Value Including Cash (EVIC). In an environment where world leaders have agreed on carbon emissions limitations in order to address climate change issues, the economy needs to respect a global carbon budget. This in turn means that carbon assets (mostly fossil fuel reserves) are becoming stranded. Potential emissions from fossil fuel reserves therefore give insights into stranded asset risks in the portfolio.

Largest CO2 emitters and their mitigation efforts: Climate change is a major risk driver for the entire economy and thus also a focus of political action (COP21 / Paris Agreement, UN Sustainable Development Goal 13, etc.). The way companies approach their carbon emissions (mitigation efforts) is therefore key for the long term success of their own business as well as the ecosystem in which they operate. The metric presented here shows holdings' preparedness and commitment to this challenge.



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