

# EXPLANATION OF HOW KEY ELEMENTS OF THE BENCHMARK METHODOLOGY REFLECT ENVIRONMENTAL, SOCIAL, AND GOVERNANCE (ESG) FACTORS

Solactive J.P. Morgan Asset Management China Carbon Transition Index GTR



This document provides an explanation of how the key elements of the benchmark methodology reflect ESG factors. It is compiled in accordance with the requirements of point (d) of Article 13 (1) of Regulation (EU) 2016/1011 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 8 June 2016 (the "Benchmarks Regulation") and of the Commission Delegated Regulation (EU) 2020/1817.

### **General Information**

Name of the benchmark administrator	Solactive AG
Type of benchmark or family of benchmarks	Equity
Name of the benchmark or family of benchmarks	Solactive J.P. Morgan Asset Management China Carbon Transition Index GTR (DE000SL0GMS8)
Does the benchmark methodology for the benchmark or family of benchmarks take into account ESG factors?	Yes

# ESG Factors Applied in the Benchmark Methodology

List of environmental factors considered	> Exclusion of companies generating revenues (in proportion to their tota revenues) >20% from Thermal Coal Extraction
	Exclusion of companies red flagged as UN Global Compact Severe Viola tors
	> Exclusion of companies found to be doing harm to any of the 6 Environ mental Objectives of the EU Taxonomy
	> Exclusion of companies generating revenues (in proportion to their tota revenues) >20% from Thermal Coal Generation
	> Exclusion of companies with in Capex investments (in proportion to thei total assets) in coal-fired power generation >0%
List of social factors considered	> Exclusion of companies with any connection to Controversial Weapons
	> Exclusion of companies generating revenues (in proportion to their tota revenues) >10% from Conventional Weapons
	> Exclusion of companies generating revenues (in proportion to their tota revenues) >0% from Tobacco Production
	> Exclusion of companies with any connection to White Phosphorous
	> Exclusion of companies generating revenues (in proportion to their total revenues) > 0% from Nuclear Weapons
	<ul> <li>Exclusion of companies with any connection to Nuclear Weapons (Fissil Material)</li> </ul>
	> Exclusion of companies with any connection to Nuclear Weapons (War head & Missile)
	> Exclusion of companies with any connection to Nuclear Wepaons (Components)
	> Exclusion of companies red flagged as UN Global Compact Severe Viola tors



	> Exclusion of companies generating revenues (in proportion to their total revenues) >10% from Gambling (Licensor, operations, support)
	> Exclusion of companies generating revenues (in proportion to their total revenues) >5% from Adult Entertainment (Producer, retailer, distributor)
List of governance factors considered	> Exclusion of companies red flagged as UN Global Compact Severe Violators

## Data and Standards used

Data Input	The data used to construct the index is sourced externally from J.P. Morgan
Verification and quality of data	The provider of ESG-related data input is selected by the Administrator based on an assessment of its existing processes in order to ensure the reliability and representativeness of the ESG-related data. The data provider has established processes in accordance with accepted and established market standards that ensure the permanent quality and reliability of the ESG-data provided.
Reference standards	International standards referenced by the index methodology are listed in the respective section above.
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