

Sustainability Assessment Report ESG GLOBAL EQUITY FUND

Trillium ESG Global Equity Fund's investment approach integrates Environmental, Social, and Governance (ESG) factors analysis with fundamental financial analysis to provide meaningful insights into value creation opportunities and risk profiles. We also actively engage with the companies held in our portfolios to press for position change on any material ESG concern or opportunity that we believe will help protect or enhance shareholder value. Ultimately, we seek to identify the companies that are best positioned for risk-adjusted, long-term outperformance relative to their peers. The ESG Global Equity Fund seeks to invest in companies that are leaders in managing ESG risks and opportunities.

Portfolio Management Team: Diversity, Equity and Inclusion Metrics*

Diverse %	Women	POC	LGBTQ+
50%	25%	٥%	25%

*Diversity, Equity and Inclusion (DEI) metrics include Individuals that self-identify as part of one or more demographic groups that have historically been underrepresented in decision-making roles in the financial services industry, including: women, non-binary and gender non-conforming individuals, People of Color (POC), members of the LGBTQ+ community, and individuals with disabilities. Data as of 12/31/32. Source: Trillium

Environmental Metrics	ESG GE	MSCI ACWI
Relative Carbon Footprint (tCO2E* / USD\$ invested)	11.0	51.0
Weighted Average Carbon Intensity (WACI) (tCO2E / USD\$ revenue)	35.9	79.2
Implied Temperature Rise (Potential increase by 2050 in degrees Celsius)	1.5	2.8
Science-Based Targets (SBTs) (% of portfolio with committed or accepted science-based target)	74	55

*Tons of carbon dioxide equivalent Source: Data provided by ISS ESG

Relative Carbon Footprint

Relative carbon footprint seeks to illustrate how the carbon intensity of a strategy compares to that of its unconstrained benchmark. This relative measure allows investors to assess how investment decisions made in the portfolio construction process reduce or increase the carbon intensity of one's investment portfolio.

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ESG Global Equity Fund

Every A\$1M invested in the ESG Global Equity Fund produces 11.0 metric tons of Carbon Dioxide (CO₂) annually, the equivalent of **1.4 homes' energy use for one year.**

MSCI ACWI

Every A\$1M invested in its reference benchmark, the MSCI ACWI, produces 51.0 metric tons of CO2, the equivalent of **6.7 homes' energy use for one year**.

Source: www.epa.gov/energy/greenhouse-gas-equivalencies-calculator

43%

Social and Governance Metrics

Women on Board (% of portfolio with at least 30% of women on Board)	76.2	73.3
DEI Targets (% of portfolio with DEI Targets)	27.8	17.6

Source: MSCI



SDG Alignment (% of portfolio with exposure to Sustainable Development Goals)

ESG GE

MSCI ACWI

Calendar Year 2023 Advocacy Highlights

Corporate advocacy includes communications with company executives, shareholder proposals, and other tools. Through engagement and other inputs from the market and civil society, we are able to achieve improvements in corporate policy, performance, and practices. Sometimes this takes the form of withdrawing a shareholder proposal after a commitment to improve is made by the company (referred to as a "successful withdrawal" below). Other times shareholder proposals will go to a vote and companies will generally be responsive to those proposals that receive support in the 20%–50% range as it is difficult for company leadership to ignore such large pluralities. Another way we engage with companies is proxy voting in the best interest of our clients at annual meetings. These votes communicate important information and ESG priorities to the company. The information below is a summary of our advocacy engagement during 2023, including collaborative and individual efforts led by Trillium or other organizations.



Trillium conducted 98 engagements

with companies held in the ESG Global Equity portfolio in 2023

98 total 62% of the Portfolio Engaged

2023 Engagement Data

Social

- 1 Board/Executive Diversity
- 3 Racial Equity
- 1 Artificial Intelligence
- 3 Workplace: Health and Safety
- 2 Forced Labor
- 2 Human Rights
- 3 Workplace: Labor-Management relations
- 1 Weapons and Gun Violence
- 1 Survivor Support
- 3 Workplace social protections/Worker voice
- 7 Workplace Diversity
- 1 Racial Equity; Product Integrity
- 2 Environmental Justice
- 1 Living Wage

Amsterdam | Boston | London | Melbourne | San Francisco | Sydney

- 1 Reproductive Health
- 1 Civil Rights Audit
- 1 Free, Prior, and Informed Consent

104 Total number of companies held

64 Total number of companies engaged

Environmental

- 35 Emissions & Climate
- 5 Food Waste
- 5 Product Integrity
- 6 Sustainable Agriculture
- 1 Recycling
- 7 Deforestation
- 1 Pesticides

Governance

- ¹ Board/Executive Diversity
- ¹ Political/Lobbying Spending

Other

2 Analyst Disclosure Request

Proxy Voting Data

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Total Votes Cast (#)	1,736	8,087
Total Votes Cast (%)	100%	99%
Total Votes Cast Against Management (%)	43%	47%
ESG Proposals - FOR Votes (%)	88.5%	89.1%
Executive Pay Packages – Against Votes (%)	97%	99%
Engagement Data Source: Trillium		

13

total

Shareholder Proposals

Total #	13
Successfully withdrawn	5
Votes over 20%	5
Votes 20% or under	2
Omitted	1

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The MSCI ACWI Index is a free float-adjusted market capitalization weighted index designed to measure the equity market performance of developed and emerging markets.

The Morningstar Sustainability Rating measures how well the companies in a fund's portfolio manage their environmental, social and governance (ESG) risks and opportunities relative to the fund's peers. First, a Morningstar Portfolio Sustainability Score[™] ranging from o to 100 is derived from an asset weighted average of the underlying company ESG

scores quarterly. Next, scored funds are rated monthly: The top 10% receive 5 globes (High), the next 22.5% receive 4 (Above Average), the next 35% receive 3 (Average), the next 22.5% receive 2 (Below Average), and the bottom 10% receive 1 (Low). Sustainalytics provides company-level analysis used in the calculation of Morningstar's Sustainability Score. A higher score indicates that a fund, on average, has more of its assets invested in companies that score well according to the Sustainalytics methodology. For details, visit http://morningstar.com/company/sustainability. Trillium pays a fee to Morningstar to access and publish Morningstar Sustainability data.

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