

# Raiffeisen Energy Equities

(Original German name: Raiffeisen-Energie-Aktien)

# annual fund report

financial year Jun 1, 2023 - May 31, 2024

#### Note:

The audit opinion issued by KPMG Austria GmbH only applies for the full German-language version.



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# Report for the financial year from Jun 1, 2023 to May 31, 2024

# **General fund information**

ISIN	Tranche	Income class	Currency	Launch date
AT0000688668	Raiffeisen Energy Equities (R) A	income-distributing	EUR	Feb 28, 2002
AT0000A1TWR6	Raiffeisen Energy Equities (RZ) A	income-distributing	EUR	Apr 3, 2017
AT0000688676	Raiffeisen Energy Equities (R) T	income-retaining	EUR	Feb 28, 2002
AT0000A1TWQ8	Raiffeisen Energy Equities (RZ) T	income-retaining	EUR	Apr 3, 2017
AT0000688684	Raiffeisen Energy Equities (R) VTA	full income-retaining (outside Austria)	EUR	Oct 29, 2002

# **Fund characteristics**

Fund currency	EUR
Financial year	Jun 1 – May 31
Distribution/payment/reinvestment date	Aug 16
Type of fund	Investment fund pursuant to § 2 of the Austrian Investment Fund Act, InvFG (UCITS)
Effective management fee for the fund	R-Tranche (EUR): 2.000 %
	RZ-Tranche (EUR): 1.000 %
Max. management fee for subfunds	0.750 %
Custodian bank	Raiffeisen Bank International AG
Management company	Raiffeisen Kapitalanlage-Gesellschaft m.b.H.
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	Companies register number: 83517 w
Fund management	Raiffeisen Kapitalanlage-Gesellschaft m.b.H.
Auditor	KPMG Austria GmbH

The fund is actively managed without reference to a benchmark.



#### Legal notice

The software used performs calculations on the basis of more than the two decimal places displayed. Minor discrepancies cannot be ruled out due to further calculations using published results.

The value of a unit is calculated by dividing the entire value of the investment fund inclusive of its income by the number of units. The total value of the investment fund is calculated on the basis of the current market prices of the securities, money market instruments and subscription rights in the fund plus the value of the fund's financial investments, cash holdings, credit balances, receivables and other rights net of its payables. That value will be calculated by the custodian bank.

The net assets are calculated in accordance with the following principles:

- a) The value of assets quoted or traded on a stock exchange or other regulated market shall be determined, in principle, on the basis of the most recently available price.
- b) Where an asset is not quoted or traded on a stock market or another regulated market or where the price for an asset quoted or traded on a stock market or another regulated market does not appropriately reflect its actual market value, the prices provided by reliable data providers or, alternatively, market prices for equivalent securities or other recognized market valuation methods shall be used.



Dear unitholder,

Raiffeisen Kapitalanlage-Gesellschaft m.b.H. is pleased to present its annual fund report for Raiffeisen Energy Equities for the financial year from Jun 1, 2023 to May 31, 2024. The accounting is based on the price calculation as of May 31, 2024.

## **Fund details**

	May 31, 2022	May 31, 2023	May 31, 2024
Total fund assets in EUR	159,738,059.34	122,517,640.33	118,635,664.20
Net asset value/distributing units (R) (AT0000688668) in EUR	120.73	113.27	123.93
Issue price/distributing units (R) (AT0000688668) in EUR	120.73	113.27	123.93
Net asset value/distributing units (RZ) (AT0000A1TWR6) in EUR	113.54	107.59	117.94
Issue price/distributing units (RZ) (AT0000A1TWR6) in EUR	113.54	107.59	117.94
Net asset value/reinvested units (R) (AT0000688676) in EUR	142.78	135.32	151.83
Issue price/reinvested units (R) (AT0000688676) in EUR	142.78	135.32	151.83
Net asset value/reinvested units (RZ) (AT0000A1TWQ8) in EUR	117.56	111.54	123.57
Issue price/reinvested units (RZ) (AT0000A1TWQ8) in EUR	117.56	111.54	123.57
Net asset value/fully reinvestet units (R) (AT0000688684) in EUR	144.57	137.01	153.73
Issue price/fully reinvested units (R) (AT0000688684) in EUR	144.57	137.01	153.73

	Aug 16, 2023	Aug 16, 2024
Distribution/unit (R) (A) EUR	3.0000	3.0000
Distribution/unit (RZ) (A) EUR	3.7500	3.0000
Outpayment/unit (R) (T) EUR	0.0000	0.0582
Outpayment/unit (RZ) (T) EUR	2.6612	1.7565
Reinvestment/unit (R) (T) EUR	16.6465	10.7122
Reinvestment/unit (RZ) (T) EUR	12.1749	8.1559
Reinvestment/unit (R) (VTA) EUR	16.8545	10.9045

The distribution will occur free-of-charge at the fund's paying agents. Payment will be made by the custodian banks.

# Units in circulation

	Units in circulation	lation Sales		Units in circulation
	on May 31, 2023			on May 31, 2024
AT0000688668 (R) A	114,624.576	8,082.811	-4,011.909	118,695.478
AT0000A1TWR6 (RZ) A	4,902.436	854.765	-552.960	5,204.241
AT0000688676 (R) T	487,051.750	58,934.650	-107,213.980	438,772.420
AT0000A1TWQ8 (RZ) T	71,449.647	7,590.216	-11,894.613	67,145.250
AT0000688684 (R) VTA	256,370.670	41,337.849	-113,037.344	184,671.175
Total units in circulation				814,488.564



# Development of the fund assets and income statement

# Performance in financial year (fund performance)

Distributing units (R) (AT0000688668)	
Net asset value per unit at start of financial year in EUR	113.27
Distribution on Aug 16, 2023 (net asset value: EUR 115.53) of EUR 3.0000, corresponds to 0.025967 units	
Net asset value per unit at end of financial year in EUR	123.93
Total value incl. units purchased through distribution (1.025967 x 123.93)	127.15
Net income/net reduction per unit	13.88
Performance of one unit during the financial year in %	12.25
Distributing units (RZ) (AT0000A1TWR6)	
Net asset value per unit at start of financial year in EUR	107.59
Distribution on Aug 16, 2023 (net asset value: EUR 109.10) of EUR 3.7500, corresponds to 0.034372 units	
Net asset value per unit at end of financial year in EUR	117.94
Total value incl. units purchased through distribution (1.034372 x 117.94)	121.99
Net income/net reduction per unit	14.40
Performance of one unit during the financial year in %	13.39
Reinvested units (R) (AT0000688676)	
Net asset value per unit at start of financial year in EUR	135.32
Net asset value per unit at end of financial year in EUR	151.83
Net income/net reduction per unit	16.51
Performance of one unit during the financial year in %	12.20
Reinvested units (RZ) (AT0000A1TWQ8)	
Net asset value per unit at start of financial year in EUR	111.54
Outpayment on Aug 16, 2023 (net asset value: EUR 114.30) of EUR 2.6612, corresponds to 0.023283 units	
Net asset value per unit at end of financial year in EUR	123.57
Total value incl. units purchased through outpayment (1.023283 x 123.57)	126.45
Net income/net reduction per unit	14.91
Performance of one unit during the financial year in %	13.36
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Fully reinvested units (R) (AT0000688684)	
Net asset value per unit at start of financial year in EUR	137.01
Net asset value per unit at end of financial year in EUR	153.73
Net income/net reduction per unit	16.72
Performance of one unit during the financial year in %	12.20
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The performance is calculated assuming wholesale reinvestment of distributed/paid-out amounts at their net asset value on the distribution/payment date.

The Depotbank calculates the unit value separately for each unit certificate class. Discrepancies may arise in the annual performance figures for individual unit certificate classes.

The performance is calculated by Raiffeisen KAG on the basis of published fund prices, using the method developed by OeKB (Österreichische Kontrollbank AG). Individual costs such as transaction fees, the subscription fee, the redemption fee, the custody charges of the investor and taxes are not included in the performance calculation. If included, these would lead to a lower performance. Past performance is not a reliable indicator of future performance. Markets could develop very differently in the future. Based on the illustration, you can assess how the fund was managed in the past.

#### Development of fund assets in EUR

Fund assets on May 31, 2023 (934,399.079 units)		122,517,640.33
Distribution on Aug 16, 2023 (EUR 3.0000 x 114,997.300 distributing units (R) (AT0000688668))		-344,991.90
Distribution on Aug 16, 2023 (EUR 3.7500 x 4,923.607 distributing units (RZ) (AT0000A1TWR6))		-18,463.53
Outpayment on Aug 16, 2023 (EUR 2.6612 x 69,955.764 reinvested units (RZ) (AT0000A1TWQ8))		-186,166.28
Issuance of units	16,216,409.42	
Redemption of units	-33,345,738.79	
Pro rata income adjustment	568,839.62	-16,560,489.75
Overall fund result		13,228,135.33
Fund assets on May 31, 2024 (814,488.564 units)		118,635,664.20



# **Fund result in EUR**

## A. Realized fund result

Income (excl. closing price)		
Interest income	57,242.97	
Net Income from subfunds (incl. actual distributions)	457.20	
Net dividend income from subfunds	4,861.81	
Dividend income (incl. dividend equivalent)	4,090,360.34	
Austrian dividend income	439,350.01	
		4,592,272.33
Expenses		
Management fees	-2,291,918.81	
Custodian bank fees / Custodian's fees	-107,195.25	
Auditing costs	-5,760.00	
Expenses for tax advice / tax representation	-3,948.37	
Custody charge	-46,166.49	
Publicity costs, regulatory fees	-7,603.83	
Costs associated with foreign sales	-15,565.47	
Cost of advisers and other service providers	-10,071.58	
Research expenses	-11,223.69	
		-2,499,453.49
Ordinary fund result (excl. income adjustment)  Realized closing price		2,092,818.84
Distribution-equivalent	43,626.60	
Profits realized from securities		
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Losses realized from securities	7,128,884.05 -194,083.70	
		6,978,426.95
Losses realized from securities		
Losses realized from securities  Realized closing price (excl. income adjustment)  Realized fund result (excl. income adjustment)		
Losses realized from securities  Realized closing price (excl. income adjustment)  Realized fund result (excl. income adjustment)		
Losses realized from securities  Realized closing price (excl. income adjustment)  Realized fund result (excl. income adjustment)  Unrealized closing price	-194,083.70	
Losses realized from securities  Realized closing price (excl. income adjustment)  Realized fund result (excl. income adjustment)  3. Unrealized closing price  Change in unrealized closing price	-194,083.70 4,373,745.74	9,071,245.79
Realized closing price (excl. income adjustment)  Realized fund result (excl. income adjustment)  Unrealized closing price  Change in unrealized closing price  Change in dividends receivable	-194,083.70 4,373,745.74	9,071,245.79
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Realized closing price (excl. income adjustment)  Realized fund result (excl. income adjustment)  3. Unrealized closing price  Change in unrealized closing price  Change in dividends receivable	-194,083.70 4,373,745.74 351,983.42	9,071,245.79
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The result for the past financial year includes explicitly reported transaction costs (incl. external transaction-related costs, see item 15a "Transaction costs" in section II of the prospectus) in the amount of 37,375.67 EUR.



# Capital market report

The year 2023 ended on a positive note for most capital market investors thanks to a fulminant finish on the equity and bond markets in the final quarter. Many stock markets posted double-digit percentage gains for the year, but for a long time it did not look that way. It was only towards the end of the year that the markets eventually favoured more positive interest rate and economic scenarios in view of the incoming data. The negative outlier among the major stock markets over the past twelve months was China, where share prices fell sharply. The Chinese equity markets also weighed on the major global emerging markets equity indices and thereby masked the fact that most emerging stock markets had a good year. This year, share prices have mostly continued to climb and the Chinese stock markets have also started a recovery. Many equity indices in the USA, Europe and Asia climbed to new record highs.

Recessions, further interest rate hikes or the first interest rate cuts were repeatedly priced in and out over the past twelve months, causing considerable price fluctuations not only in equities but also in bonds. In anticipation of rapid and substantial interest rate cuts in the USA and Europe, too, bond prices rose sharply in virtually all market segments towards the end of 2023. For most bond investors, 2023 was therefore a good year overall. The riskier market segments (high-yield bonds, emerging market bonds) showed the best performance. In recent months, however, expectations for interest rate cuts got significantly scaled back again, particularly in the US, but also in Europe, at least for the current year. Bond markets remain volatile.

Commodities came repeatedly under pressure in 2023. Prices for oil and gas, but also for many industrial metals, fell sharply. Only precious metals recorded slight gains thanks to rising gold prices. Gold has continued to appreciate in the new year. Precious metals but also industrial metals were up by around 15% at the end of May (in euro terms), while energy commodities have only seen a slight price increase so far this year. Among major currencies, the Japanese yen and the Chinese yuan stood out in 2023 with significant weakness. While the Chinese currency has stabilized so far this year, the yen has continued its slide. The Swiss franc has also been somewhat weaker this year. In contrast, there has been little movement between the euro and the US dollar over the past 12 months.

The disruptions and distortions caused by the pandemic and lockdowns have been almost fully overcome. However, global economic relations and production chains are once again under strain from escalating geopolitical confrontations and renewed conflicts in regions that are important transit points for trade routes. This is likely to result in lasting and serious upheavals in supply chains and global economic structures and could significantly change the competitive positions of entire industries and regions. This is compounded by the long-term challenges posed by climate change, demographics, and elevated levels of public debt in many countries. The financial market environment remains challenging and is likely to harbour major price fluctuations in almost all asset classes for the foreseeable future.



# **Fund investment policy report**

Companies that are mainly active in the oil and gas sector are weighted at around 75% within the fund. Accordingly, the prices for crude oil and natural gas have a large influence on the price development of Raiffeisen Energy Equities. The price for one barrel of Brent oil recorded a price increase of 12% during the reporting period, mainly due to geopolitical tensions and a recovery on the global economy. In this environment, gas prices went up even more, with an increase of around 35% in Europe. This also ensured a positive price trend within the fund. Overall, Raiffeisen Energy Equities gained nearly 15% in the period under review. In particular, the large integrated oil and gas companies recorded price gains for the most part, but so did the stocks of oil service companies. On the other hand, falling gas prices in the US, as opposed to Europe, had only a minor negative impact due to their low weighting in the fund.

The majority of renewable energy stocks generally performed weaker during the reporting period. Most stocks of "green" energy producers were especially under selling pressure during this market phase of high interest rates and simultaneously falling electricity prices.

The fund added stocks such as Northland Power (producer of renewable energies). Siemens Energy (renewable energy equipment, among other things) also made it into the portfolio in June 2023 and generated some profits again in May 2024.

On the other hand, some of the fund's largest positions were reduced slightly, including Equinor, Shell and Eni, among others. But also the positions in First Solar (PV module producer) and Inpex (liquid gas) were reduced, in part considerably, following a phase of pleasant price development.

The investments underlying this financial product do not take into account the EU criteria for environmentally sustainable economic activities.



# Makeup of fund assets in EUR

Any discrepancies in terms of the market value or the share of the fund assets result from rounding-off. **UCITS** refers to units in an undertaking for collective investment in transferable securities

§ 166 InvFG refers to units in investment funds in the form of "other portfolios of assets"

§ 166 (1) item 2 InvFG refers to units in special funds

§ 166 (1) item 3 InvFG refers to units in undertakings for collective investment in transferable securities pursuant to § 166 (1) item 3 InvFG (such as alternative investments/hedge funds)

§ 166 (1) item 4 InvFG refers to units in real estate funds

Type of security	OGAW/§ 166	Currency	Market value in EUR	Share of fund assets
Equities		AUD	6,256,798.20	5.27 %
Equities		BRL	1,045,978.74	0.88 %
Equities		CAD	4,822,052.77	4.06 %
Equities		DKK	4,384,062.59	3.70 %
Equities		EUR	49,920,533.00	42.08 %
Equities		GBP	7,054,619.49	5.95 %
Equities		HUF	2,880,102.86	2.43 %
Equities		JPY	4,899,577.15	4.13 %
Equities		NOK	12,651,284.94	10.66 %
Equities		PLN	2,216,187.81	1.87 %
Equities		USD	16,265,455.23	13.71 %
Total Equities			112,396,652.78	94.74 %
Investment certificates Raiffeisen	OGAW	EUR	3,023,280.00	2.55 %
Total Investment certificates Raiffeisen			3,023,280.00	2.55 %
Subscription rights		GBP	106,778.79	0.09 %
Total Subscription rights			106,778.79	0.09 %
Total securities			115,526,711.57	97.38 %
Bank balances/liabilities				
Bank balances/liabilities in fund currency			2,866,301.98	2.42 %
Bank balances/liabilities in foreign currency			-0.40	0.00 %
Total bank balances/liabilities			2,866,301.58	2.42 %
Accruals and deferrals				
Interest claims (on securities and bank balances)			6,028.24	0.01 %
Dividends receivable			470,007.60	0.40 %
Total accruals and deferrals			476,035.84	0.40 %
Other items				
Various fees			-233,384.79	-0.20 %
Total other items			-233,384.79	-0.20 %
Total fund assets			118,635,664.20	100.00 %



# Portfolio of investments in EUR as of May 31, 2024

Dates indicated for securities refer to the issue and redemption dates. An issuer's right of premature redemption (where applicable) is not specified.

The securities marked with a "Y" have an open-ended maturity (is perpetual). The price for forward exchange transactions is indicated in the relevant counter currency for the currency in question.

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Type of security OGAW	//§ 166 ISIN	Security title	Currency	Volume Units/Nom.	Purchases Sales In period under review Units/Nom.	Pool-/ ILB Factor	Price	Market value in EUR	Share of fund assets
Equities	AU000000STO6	SANTOS LTD STO	AUD	613,750			7.490000	2,816,695.26	2.37 %
Equities	AU0000224040	WOODSIDE ENERGY GROUP LTD WDS	AUD	98,800			27.150000	1,643,589.35	1.39 %
Equities	AU000000WOR2	WORLEY LTD WOR	AUD	200,000			14.660000	1,796,513.59	1.51 %
Equities	BRUGPAACNOR8	ULTRAPAR PARTICIPACOES SA UGPA3	BRL	250,000	50,000		23.600000	1,045,978.74	0.88 %
Equities	CA09950M3003	BORALEX INC -A BLX	CAD	60,000			34.920000	1,413,860.58	1.19 %
Equities	CA45790B1040	INNERGEX RENEWABLE ENERGY INE	CAD	100,000			9.530000	643,093.33	0.54 %
Equities	CA6665111002	NORTHLAND POWER INC NPI	CAD	75,000	75,000		23.480000	1,188,339.29	1.00 %
Equities	CA9237251058	VERMILION ENERGY INC VET	CAD	140,000			16.690000	1,576,759.57	1.33 %
Equities	DK0060094928	ORSTED A/S ORSTED	DKK	20,000			419.000000	1,123,542.78	0.95 %
Equities	DK0061539921	VESTAS WIND SYSTEMS A/S VWS	DKK	125,000			194.550000	3,260,519.81	2.75 %
Equities	ES0127797019	EDP RENOVAVEIS SA EDPR	EUR	257,354	7,354		14.660000	3,772,809.64	3.18 %
Equities	IT0003132476	ENI SPA ENI	EUR	310,000	90,000		14.368000	4,454,080.00	3.75 %
Equities	PTGAL0AM0009	GALP ENERGIA SGPS SA GALP	EUR	250,000	180,000		19.270000	4,817,500.00	4.06 %
Equities	ES0144580Y14	IBERDROLA SA IBE	EUR	360,242	15,424		12.080000	4,351,723.36	3.67 %
Equities	FI0009013296	NESTE OYJ NESTE	EUR	60,000			19.020000	1,141,200.00	0.96 %
Equities	DE000A0D6554	NORDEX SE NDX1	EUR	200,000			14.630000	2,926,000.00	2.47 %
Equities	AT0000743059	OMV AG OMV	EUR	117,000	20,000 23,000		45.360000	5,307,120.00	4.47 %
Equities	ES0173516115	REPSOL SA REP	EUR	330,000	75,000		14.850000	4,900,500.00	4.13 %
Equities	IT0000433307	SARAS SPA SRS	EUR	2,000,000			1.613000	3,226,000.00	2.72 %
Equities	GB00BP6MXD84	SHELL PLC SHELL	EUR	160,000	50,000		32.975000	5,276,000.00	4.45 %
Equities	DE000ENER6Y0	SIEMENS ENERGY AG ENR	EUR	75,000	100,000 25,000		26.030000	1,952,250.00	1.65 %
Equities	FR0000120271	TOTALENERGIES SE TTE	EUR	85,000	25,000		65.310000	5,551,350.00	4.68 %
Equities	NL0009432491	VOPAK VPK	EUR	60,000			37.400000	2,244,000.00	1.89 %
Equities	GB00BNKT5L33	CAPRICORN ENERGY PLC CNE	GBP	147,992	147,992		1.901800	330,729.95	0.28 %
Equities	GB0004478896	HUNTING PLC HTG	GBP	700,000			4.150000	3,413,631.02	2.88 %
Equities	GB00B5N0P849	JOHN WOOD GROUP PLC WG/	GBP	600,000			1.871000	1,319,153.94	1.11 %
Equities	GB00BDR05C01	NATIONAL GRID PLC NG/	GBP	201,000			8.430000	1,991,104.58	1.68 %
Equities	HU0000153937	MOL HUNGARIAN OIL AND GAS PL MOL	HUF	400,000			2,800.000000	2,880,102.86	2.43 %
Equities	JP3294460005	INPEX CORP 1605	JPY	350,000	50,000		2,376.500000	4,899,577.15	4.13 %
Equities	NO0010234552	AKER ASA-A SHARES AKER	NOK	55,000			623.000000	3,002,804.31	2.53 %
Equities	NO0010345853	AKER BP ASA AKRBP	NOK	66,569			265.400000	1,548,279.08	1.31 %
Equities	NO0010096985	EQUINOR ASA EQNR	NOK	160,000	70,000		298.000000	4,178,424.33	3.52 %
Equities	NO0010199151	PGS ASA PGS	NOK	1,497,595			9.314000	1,222,381.90	1.03 %
Equities	LU0075646355	SUBSEA 7 SA SUBC	NOK	159,600			193.000000	2,699,395.32	2.28 %



Type of security	OGAW/§ 166	ISIN	Security title	Currency		Purchases Sales In period under review Units/Nom.	Pool-/ ILB Factor	Price	Market value in EUR	Share of fund assets
Equities		PLPKN0000018	ORLEN SA PKN	PLN	150,000			63.250000	2,216,187.81	1.87 %
Equities		US05722G1004	BAKER HUGHES CO BKR	USD	175,000	50,000		32.480000	5,243,058.76	4.42 %
Equities		US21867A1051	CORE LABORATORIES INC CLB	USD	60,000			18.330000	1,014,482.06	0.86 %
Equities		CA29250N1050	ENBRIDGE INC ENB	USD	66,000			35.760000	2,177,068.54	1.84 %
Equities		US29355A1079	ENPHASE ENERGY INC ENPH	USD	7,000			130.660000	843,667.56	0.71 %
Equities		US3364331070	FIRST SOLAR INC FSLR	USD	10,000	10,000		276.780000	2,553,085.51	2.15 %
Equities		US5006881065	KOSMOS ENERGY LTD KOS	USD	500,000			6.060000	2,794,945.12	2.36 %
Equities		US86745K1043	SUNNOVA ENERGY INTERNATIONAL NOVA	USD	150,000			5.080000	702,887.19	0.59 %
Equities		US86771W1053	SUNRUN INC RUN	USD	70,000			14.500000	936,260.49	0.79 %
Investment certificates Raiffeisen	OGAW	AT0000A2DFH4	RAIFFEISEN SMARTENERGY ESG EQUITIES (I) T	EUR	18,000			167.960000	3,023,280.00	2.55 %
Subscription rights		GB00BSRK4Y08	NATIONAL GRID PLC-NIL NGPN	GBP	58,625	58,625		1.550000	106,778.79	0.09 %
Total licensed securities admitted to trading on the official another regulated market and investment certificates	l market or								115,526,711.57	97.38 %
Total securities									115,526,711.57	97.38 %
Bank balances/liabilities										
				EUR					2,866,301.98	2.42 %
				USD					-0.40	-0.00 %
Total bank balances/liabilities									2,866,301.58	2.42 %
Accruals and deferrals										
Interest claims (on securities and bank balances)									6,028.24	0.01%
Dividends receivable									470,007.60	0.40 %
Total accruals and deferrals									476,035.84	0.40 %
Other items										
Various fees									-233,384.79	-0.20 %
Total other items									-233,384.79	-0.20 %
Total fund assets									118,635,664.20	100.00 %

ISIN	Income class		Currency	Net asset value per unit	Units in circulation
AT0000688668	R	income-distributing	EUR	123.93	118,695.478
AT0000A1TWR6	RZ	income-distributing	EUR	117.94	5,204.241
AT0000688676	R	income-retaining	EUR	151.83	438,772.420
AT0000A1TWQ8	RZ	income-retaining	EUR	123.57	67,145.250
AT0000688684	R	full income-retaining (outside Austria)	EUR	153.73	184,671.175



#### Exchange rates

 $For eign \ currency \ assets \ were \ converted \ into \ EUR \ on \ the \ basis \ of \ the \ exchange \ rates \ applicable \ on \ May \ 29, \ 2024$ 

Currency		Price (1 EUR =)
Australian Dollars	AUD	1.632050
Brazilian Reals	BRL	5.640650
Canadian Dollars	CAD	1.481900
Danish Kroner	DKK	7.458550
British Pound	GBP	0.851000
Hungarian Forint	HUF	388.875000
Japanese Yen	JPY	169.764650
Norwegian Kroner	NOK	11.411000
Polish Zloty	PLN	4.281000
US Dollars	USD	1.084100

#### Securities purchases and sales during the period under review not listed under the portfolio of assets:

Type of security	OGAW/§ 166	ISIN	Security title	Currency	Purchases Additions	Sales Disposals
Equities		NL0014559478	TECHNIP ENERGIES NV TE	EUR		125,000
Equities		GB00BQ98V038	CAPRICORN ENERGY PLC CNE	GBP		282,857
Equities		GB00BRJ7R218	CAPRICORN ENERGY PLC CNE	GBP	188,571	188,571
Equities		US30040W1080	EVERSOURCE ENERGY ES	USD		20,000
Subscription rights		ES0627797907	EDP RENOVAVEIS SA-BONUS RIGH DIEDR	EUR		250,000
Subscription rights		ES0627797915	EDP RENOVAVEIS SA-BONUS RIGH DIEDS	EUR	253,333	253,333
Subscription rights		ES06445809Q1	IBERDROLA SA-RTS IBE/D	EUR	344,818	344,818
Subscription rights		ES06445809R9	IBERDROLA SA-RTS IBE/D	EUR	354,137	354,137



## Information on securities lending transactions and repurchase agreements

During the reporting period, no securities lending transactions were performed on behalf of the fund. Accordingly, the information concerning securities lending transactions which is stipulated in § 8 of the Austrian Securities Lending and Repurchase Agreement Ordinance and Art. 13 of Regulation (EU) No. 2015/2365 is not required.

During the reporting period, no repurchase agreements were concluded on behalf of the fund. Accordingly, the information concerning repurchase agreements which is stipulated in § 8 of the Austrian Securities Lending and Repurchase Agreement Ordinance and Art. 13 of Regulation (EU) No. 2015/2365 is not required.

#### Total return swaps and similar derivative instruments

A total return swap is a credit derivative instrument. Income and fluctuations in the value of the underlying financial instrument (underlying instrument or reference asset) are exchanged for fixed interest payments.

The fund did not enter into total return swaps or similar derivative instruments in the period under review.

# Calculation method for overall risk

Calculation method for overall risk Simplified approach
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# Remuneration paid to the employees of Raiffeisen Kapitalanlage-Gesellschaft m.b.H. in EUR (financial year 2023 of Raiffeisen Kapitalanlage-Gesellschaft m.b.H.)

Total number of employees	281
Number of risk-bearers	94
Fixed remuneration	27,084,610.23
Variable remuneration (bonuses)	2,689,523.10
Total remuneration for employees	29,774,133.33
of which remuneration for managing directors	1,332,891.89
of which remuneration for managers (risk-bearers)	2,301,015.53
of which remuneration for other risk-bearers	10,783,571.36
of which remuneration for employees in positions of control	230,294.55
of which remuneration for employees in the same income bracket as managing directors	
and risk-bearers due to their overall remuneration	0.00
Total remuneration for risk-bearers	14,647,773.33

- > The remuneration guidelines ("remuneration guidelines") issued by Raiffeisen Kapitalanlage-Gesellschaft m.b.H. serve as a binding framework for fulfillment of the remuneration policy and practice requirements stipulated in §§ 17 (a) to (c) of the Austrian Investment Fund Act (InvFG), § 11 of the Austrian Alternative Investment Fund Managers Act (AIFMG) and Enclosure 2 to § 11 AIFMG. Fixed and variable remuneration components are determined on the basis of these remuneration guidelines.
  - Raiffeisen Kapitalanlage-Gesellschaft m.b.H. has established a systematic, structured, differentiating and incentivizing compensation system which reflects the company's values as well as clear and consistent outline conditions. Its employees' compensation comprises fixed salary components as well as variable salary components for some positions. This remuneration in particular, the variable salary component (where applicable) reflects an objective organizational structure ("job grades").
  - Compensation is determined on the basis of regular market comparisons and in accordance with local remuneration practice. The goal is to encourage employees' long-term loyalty to the company while also promoting their performance and their development within the framework of a management or specialist career path. At Raiffeisen Kapitalanlage-Gesellschaft m.b.H., an employee's basic salary (fixed remuneration) is non-discretionary remuneration which does not vary in accordance with the performance of the company (earnings before interest and tax) or of the specific employee (individual target achievement). It primarily reflects relevant professional experience and organizational responsibility, as outlined in the employee's job description as part of his terms of employment. The employee's fixed salary is determined on the basis of his market value, his individual qualifications and the position which he holds at Raiffeisen Kapitalanlage-Gesellschaft m.b.H. Raiffeisen Kapitalanlage-Gesellschaft m.b.H. uses all of the standard remuneration management instruments (e.g. domestic and foreign remuneration studies, salary bands, position grading).
  - The employee's variable salary reflects the achievement of company and performance targets which are specified and reviewed within the scope of a performance management process. Employees' targets are specified on the basis of the company's strategic targets, the targets of their organizational unit or department and their function. Target agreements are concluded and the employee's level of target achievement (= performance) is determined through annual performance appraisals ("MBO system").
  - The target structure at Raiffeisen Kapitalanlage-Gesellschaft m.b.H. differentiates between qualitative targets which include individual targets or division and department targets and quantitative targets, e.g. performance and income targets, and also quantifiable project targets. Every manager is also assigned management targets. Quantitative one-year or multiple-year targets also apply within the scope of the company's core activities of sales and fund management.
- > Since the performance period 2015, in accordance with the regulatory requirements a portion of the variable remuneration for risk-bearers is paid out in the form of units in an investment fund managed by Raiffeisen Kapitalanlage-Gesellschaft m.b.H. In addition, as required by law portions of the variable remuneration of risk-bearers are deferred and paid out over a period of several years.



- > The supervisory board of Raiffeisen Kapitalanlage-Gesellschaft m.b.H. resolves the general remuneration policy principles specified by the remuneration committee, reviews them at least once a year and is responsible for their implementation and for monitoring of this issue. The supervisory board most recently fulfilled this duty on Dec 01, 2023. It has not identified any need for changes or any irregularities in relation to the remuneration policy of Raiffeisen Kapitalanlage-Gesellschaft m.b.H.
- In addition, at least once per year a central and independent internal review determines whether the company's remuneration policy has been implemented in accordance with the applicable remuneration regulations and procedures. The internal auditing division of Raiffeisen Kapitalanlage-Gesellschaft m.b.H. published its most recent report on Nov 06, 2023. This report has not resulted in any material findings concerning the remuneration policy of Raiffeisen Kapitalanlage-Gesellschaft m.b.H.
- > The remuneration policy of Raiffeisen Kapitalanlage-Gesellschaft m.b.H. has not been subject to any significant changes in the reporting period.

#### Remuneration principles of Raiffeisen Kapitalanlage-Gesellschaft m.b.H.

- > The remuneration principles of Raiffeisen Kapitalanlage-Gesellschaft m.b.H. support the business strategy and the long-term goals, interests and values of the company and of the investment funds managed by Raiffeisen Kapitalanlage-Gesellschaft m.b.H.
- > The remuneration principles of Raiffeisen Kapitalanlage-Gesellschaft m.b.H. include measures to avoid conflicts of interest.
- > The remuneration principles and policies of Raiffeisen Kapitalanlage-Gesellschaft m.b.H. are consistent with and promote sound and effective risk-taking practices and avoid incentives for any inappropriate risk-taking propensity which exceed the level of risk tolerated by Raiffeisen Kapitalanlage-Gesellschaft m.b.H. or the investment funds under its management.
- > The total amount of variable remuneration will not limit the capacity of Raiffeisen Kapitalanlage-Gesellschaft m.b.H. to strengthen its capital base.
- > Variable remuneration is not paid by means of instruments or methods which facilitate circumvention of applicable legal requirements.
- > Employees in positions of control are rewarded irrespective of the business unit which they supervise, they have an appropriate level of authority and their remuneration is determined on the basis of the fulfillment of their organizational targets in connection with their functions, irrespective of the results of the business activities under their supervision.
- > Guaranteed variable remuneration is not consistent with sound risk management or the "pay-for-performance" principle and should not be included in future remuneration plans. Guaranteed variable remuneration is the exception:, This is only provided in connection with new hirings and only where Raiffeisen Kapitalanlage-Gesellschaft m.b.H. has a sound and strong capital base. It is limited to the first year of employment.
- > Any payments relating to the premature termination of a contract must reflect the performance realized over the relevant period of time and must not reward failures or misconduct.

Raiffeisen Kapitalanlage-Gesellschaft m.b.H. complies with the code of conduct for the Austrian investment fund industry 2012.

Vienna, 12 September 2024

Raiffeisen Kapitalanlage-Gesellschaft m.b.H.

Mag. (FH) Dieter Aigner

Ing. Michal Kustra

Mag. Hannes Cizek



# **Audit opinion**

#### Report on the annual fund report

#### **Audit opinion**

We have audited the annual fund report issued by Raiffeisen Kapitalanlage-Gesellschaft m.b.H., Vienna, for its fund Raiffeisen Energy Equities, consisting of the portfolio of investments as of May 31, 2024, the income statement for the financial year ending as of this date and the other disclosures required under Annex I Schedule B of the 2011 Austrian Investment Fund Act (Investmentfondsgesetz, InvFG).

In our view, the annual fund report complies with applicable statutory requirements and provides a true and fair view of the net assets and financial position as of May 31, 2024 as well as the earnings position for the fund for the financial year ending as of this date, in compliance with Austrian commercial law, the provisions of InvFG 2011.

#### Basis for the audit opinion

We performed our audit in accordance with § 49 (5) InvFG 2011 in accordance with Austrian principles of orderly auditing. These principles require application of the International Standards on Auditing (ISA). Our responsibilities on the basis of these requirements and standards are outlined in further detail in the "Responsibilities of the auditor for the audit of the annual fund report" section of our audit certificate. We are independent from the company, in compliance with Austrian commercial law and professional standards, and we have fulfilled our other professional duties in accordance with these requirements. In our view, we have obtained sufficient and suitable audit documentation as a basis for our audit opinion. In our view, the documentation we have obtained up to the date of this audit certificate forms a sufficient and suitable basis for our audit opinion of the same date.

#### Other information

The company's legal representatives are responsible for the other information provided. This other information comprises all of the information included in the annual fund report, with the exception of the portfolio of investments, the income statement, the other disclosures required under Annex I Schedule B InvFG 2011 and the audit certificate.

Our audit opinion for the annual fund report does not cover this other information, and we do not provide any sort of assurance in this regard.

In connection with our audit of the annual fund report, we have the responsibility to read such other information and, in doing so, assess whether this other information contains material inconsistencies with the annual fund report or with the knowledge obtained in our audit, or whether such information appears to be otherwise misrepresented.

If, on the basis of the work we have carried out in regard of the other information obtained prior to the date of the audit certificate, we conclude that a material misstatement of such other information exists, we are obliged to report the matter. We have nothing to report in this respect.

#### Responsibilities of the company's legal representatives and the supervisory board for the annual fund report

The company's legal representatives are responsible for the preparation of the annual fund report and for ensuring that it provides a true and fair view of the fund's net assets, financial and earnings position in compliance with Austrian commercial law and the provisions of InvFG 2011. The company's legal representatives are also responsible for the internal controls which they deem necessary in order to enable the preparation of an annual fund report which is free from material misrepresentations caused by fraudulent acts or errors.

The supervisory board is responsible for monitoring the company's accounting process in relation to the funds under its management.

#### Responsibilities of the auditor for the audit of the annual fund report

Our goals are to establish sufficient certainty as to whether the annual fund report as a whole is free from material misrepresentations caused by fraudulent acts or errors and to issue an audit certificate which includes our audit opinion.

Sufficient certainty means a high level of certainty, but not a guarantee, that an orderly audit performed in accordance with the recognized Austrian principles, which require application of the ISA, will always uncover any material misrepresentation. Misrepresentations may result from malicious acts or on the basis of errors and will be deemed material where they may be reasonably expected, either individually or collectively, to influence the economic decisions made by users on the basis of this annual fund report.



As part of an audit complying with the recognized Austrian principles of orderly auditing, which require application of the ISA, we exercise due discretion throughout our audit and maintain a critical distance.

In addition, the following applies:

- > We identify and assess the risks of material misrepresentations caused by fraudulent acts or errors in the annual fund report, plan audit activities in response to these risks, implement these activities and obtain audit documentation which is sufficient and suitable in order to serve as a basis for our audit opinion. The risk of material misrepresentations resulting from malicious acts not being uncovered is greater than the risk resulting from errors, since malicious acts may include collusive collaboration, falsifications, deliberate incompleteness, misleading representations or the suspension of internal controls.
- > We obtain a picture of the internal control system which is relevant for the audit so as to plan audit activities which are adequate in the given circumstances, but not with the objective of providing an audit opinion regarding the effectiveness of the company's internal control system.
- > We evaluate the adequacy of the accounting methods applied by the company's legal representatives as well as the reasonableness of the legal representatives' estimates in the accounting as well as the related disclosures.
- > We evaluate the overall picture, the structure and the contents of the annual fund report including the disclosures and whether the annual fund report provides a true and fair view of the underlying business transactions and events.

We discuss matters with the supervisory board including the planned scope of the audit and its schedule as well as significant audit findings, including any significant shortcomings in the internal control system that we identify in the course of our audit.

#### **Auditor in charge**

The auditor in charge of the audit is Mr. Wilhelm Kovsca.

Vienna 12 September 2024

KPMG Austria GmbH Wirtschaftsprüfungs- und Steuerberatungsgesellschaft

Wilhelm Kovsca Auditor



# Tax treatment

Once the new reporting framework comes into effect (from Jun 6, 2016), Österreichische Kontrollbank (OeKB) will prepare the details of the tax arrangements for the fund and publish them on my.oekb.at. The tax documents are available for downloading for all funds. The tax documents are also available on our website www.rcm.at. Please visit my.oekb.at for detailed information on offsettable and reimbursable foreign taxes.



# **Fund regulations**

# Fund regulations pursuant to the 2011 Austrian Investment Fund Act

The Austrian Financial Market Authority (FMA) has approved the fund regulations for the investment fund Raiffeisen Energy Equities, a jointly owned fund pursuant to the 2011 Austrian Investment Fund Act, as amended (InvFG).

The investment fund is an undertaking for collective investment in transferable securities (UCITS) and is managed by Raiffeisen Kapitalanlage-Gesellschaft m.b.H. (hereinafter: the "management company") which is headquartered in Vienna.

#### Article 1 Fund units

The fund units are embodied in unit certificates with the character of financial instruments which are issued to bearer.

The unit certificates shall be represented by global certificates for each unit class. Actual securities are not issued.

#### Article 2 Custodian bank (depositary)

Raiffeisen Bank International AG, Vienna, is the investment fund's custodian bank (depositary).

The custodian bank (depositary), the regional Raiffeisen banks, Kathrein Privatbank Aktiengesellschaft, Vienna, and other paying agents referred to in the prospectus are the paying agents for unit certificates.

## Article 3 Investment instruments and principles

The following assets pursuant to InvFG may be selected for the investment fund.

The investment fund invests at least 51 % of its fund assets in the form of directly purchased individual securities – i.e. which are not held indirectly through investment funds or through derivatives – in international equities and equity-equivalent securities issued by companies in the oil & gas, energy infrastructure and service, electricity and gas supply industries and other sectors of the energy industry.

The following investment instruments are purchased for the fund assets, while complying with the investment focus outlined above.

#### Securities

The fund may purchase securities (including securities with embedded derivative instruments) as permitted by law.

#### Money market instruments

Money market instruments may comprise up to 49 % of the fund assets.

#### Securities and money market instruments

Not fully paid-in securities or money market instruments and subscription rights for such instruments or other not fully paid-in financial instruments may only be purchased for up to 10 % of the fund assets.

Securities and money market instruments may be purchased if they comply with the criteria concerning listing and trading on a regulated market or a securities exchange pursuant to InvFG.

Securities and money market instruments which do not fulfill the criteria laid down in the above paragraph may be purchased for up to 10 % of the fund assets in total.

#### Units in investment funds

Units in investment funds (UCITS, UCI) may each amount to up to 10 % of the fund assets – and up to 10 % of the fund assets in total – insofar as these UCITS or UCI do not for their part invest more than 10 % of their fund assets in units in other investment funds.



#### **Derivative instruments**

Derivative instruments may be used as part of the fund's investment strategy for up to 49 % of the fund assets (calculated on the basis of market prices) and for hedging purposes.

#### Investment fund's risk measurement method

The investment fund applies the following risk measurement method:

#### Commitment approach

The commitment figure is calculated pursuant to the 3rd chapter of the 4th Austrian Derivatives Risk Calculation and Reporting Ordinance (Derivate-Risikoberechnungs- und Meldeverordnung, DeRiMV), as amended.

The overall risk for derivative instruments which are not held for hedging purposes is limited to 60 % of the overall net value of the fund assets.

#### Sight deposits or deposits at notice

Sight deposits and deposits at notice with terms not exceeding 12 months may amount to up to 25 % of the fund assets. No minimum bank balance is required.

Within the framework of restructuring of the fund portfolio and/or a justified assumption of impending losses for securities, the investment fund may hold a lower proportion of securities and a higher proportion of sight deposits or deposits at notice with terms not exceeding 12 months.

#### **Short-term loans**

The management company may take up short-term loans of up to 10 % of the fund assets for account of the investment fund.

#### Repos

Repurchase agreements may comprise up to 100 % of the fund assets.

#### Securities lending

Securities lending transactions may comprise up to 30 % of the fund assets.

Investment instruments may only be acquired uniformly for the entire investment fund, not for an individual unit class or for a group of unit classes.

However, this does not apply for currency hedge transactions. These transactions may only be entered into in relation to a single unit class. Expenses and income resulting from a currency hedge transaction shall exclusively be allocated to the relevant unit class.

## Article 4 Issuance and redemption modalities

The unit value shall be calculated in EUR or the currency of the unit class.

The value of the units will be calculated on each banking day in Austria.

#### Issuance and subscription fee

Units will be issued on any banking day in Austria.

The issue price is the unit value plus a fee per unit of up to  $5\,\%$  to cover the management company's issuing costs.

Unit issuance shall not in principle be subject to limitation; however, the management company reserves the right temporarily or entirely to discontinue its issuance of unit certificates.

The management company shall be entitled to introduce a graduated subscription fee.



## Redemption and redemption fee

Units will be redeemed on any banking day in Austria.

The redemption price is based on the value of a unit. No redemption fee will be charged.

At the request of a unitholder, its unit shall be redeemed out of the investment fund at the applicable redemption price, against surrender of the unit certificate.

# Article 5 Accounting year

The investment fund's accounting year runs from June 1 to May 31.

## Article 6 Unit classes and appropriation of income

Income-distributing unit certificates, income-retaining unit certificates with payment of capital gains tax and income-retaining unit certificates without payment of capital gains tax may be issued for the investment fund.

Various classes of unit certificates may be issued for this investment fund. The management company may decide to establish unit classes or to issue units in a given unit class.

#### Appropriation of income for income-distributing unit certificates (income distribution)

Once costs have been covered, the income received during the past accounting year (interest and dividends) may be distributed at the discretion of the management company. Distribution may be waived subject to due consideration of the unitholders' interests. The distribution of income from the sale of assets of the investment fund including subscription rights shall likewise be at the discretion of the management company. A distribution from the fund assets and interim distributions are also permissible.

The fund assets may not through distributions fall below the minimum volume for a termination which is stipulated by law.

From August 16 of the following accounting year the amounts are to be distributed to the holders of income-distributing unit certificates. Any remaining balances shall be carried forward to a new account.

In any case, from August 16 an amount calculated pursuant to InvFG shall be paid out, to be used where applicable to meet any capital gains tax commitments on the distribution-equivalent return on those unit certificates, unless the management company ensures through appropriate proof from the custodians that as of the payment date the unit certificates may only be held by unitholders who are either not subject to Austrian income or corporate income tax or who fulfill the requirements for an exemption pursuant to § 94 of the Austrian Income Tax Act or for a capital gains tax exemption.

# Appropriation of income in case of income-retaining unit certificates with payment of capital gains tax (income retention)

Income during the accounting year net of costs shall not be distributed. In case of income-retaining unit certificates, from August 16 an amount calculated pursuant to InvFG shall be paid out, to be used where applicable to meet any capital gains tax commitments on the distribution-equivalent return on those unit certificates, unless the management company ensures through appropriate proof from the custodians that at the time of payout the unit certificates may only be held by unitholders who are either not subject to Austrian income or corporate income tax or who fulfill the requirements for an exemption pursuant to § 94 of the Austrian Income Tax Act or for a capital gains tax exemption.

# Appropriation of income in case of income-retaining unit certificates without payment of capital gains tax (full income retention)

Income during the accounting year net of costs shall not be distributed. No payment pursuant to InvFG will be made. August 16 of the following accounting year shall be the key date pursuant to InvFG in case of failure to pay capital gains tax on the annual income. The management company shall ensure through appropriate proof from the custodians that at the time of payout the unit certificates may only be held by unitholders who are either not subject to Austrian income or corporate income tax or who fulfill the requirements for exemption as per § 94 of the Austrian Income Tax Act or for a capital gains tax exemption.

If these preconditions have not been met as of the payment date, the amount calculated pursuant to InvFG shall be paid out by the custodian bank in the form of credit.



# Appropriation of income in case of income-retaining unit certificates without payment of capital gains tax (full income retention – foreign tranche)

Income-retaining unit certificates without payment of capital gains tax shall only be sold outside Austria.

Income during the accounting year net of costs shall not be distributed. No payment pursuant to InvFG will be made.

The management company shall ensure through appropriate proof that as of the payment date the unit certificates may only be held by unitholders who are either not subject to Austrian income or corporate income tax or who fulfill the requirements for exemption pursuant to § 94 of the Austrian Income Tax Act or for a capital gains tax exemption. This can be validly proved by the cumulative submission of statements from both the custodian bank and the management company that they are not aware of a sale to other persons.

#### Article 7 Management fee, reimbursement of expenses, liquidation fee

The management company shall receive for its management activity an annual remuneration of up to 2 % of the fund assets, calculated pro rata through May 31, 2019 on the basis of the values at the end of each month. This remuneration will be included in the calculation of the unit value on each day of stock exchange trading in the form of an accrual. From June 1, 2019 the remuneration is calculated, recorded and deducted monthly on the basis of the respective fund assets for each calendar day.

The management company is entitled to reimbursement of all expenses associated with its management of the fund.

The management company shall be entitled to introduce a graduated management fee.

The costs arising at the introduction of new unit classes for existing asset portfolios shall be deducted from the unit prices of the new unit classes.

In case of the liquidation of the investment fund, the liquidator shall receive remuneration amounting to 0.5 % of the fund assets.

Please refer to the prospectus for further information on this investment fund.



## **Appendix**

List of stock exchanges with official trading and organized markets

# 1. Stock exchanges with official trading and organized markets in the member states of the EEA, as well as stock exchanges in European countries which are not EEA members that are considered to be equal to regulated markets

Each Member State is required to maintain an updated register of regulated markets authorized by it. This register is to be made available to the other member states and to the Commission.

According to this provision, the Commission is obliged to publish once a year a register of the regulated markets of which it has received notice.

Due to decreasing restrictions and to trading segment specialization, the register of "regulated markets" is undergoing great changes. In addition to the annual publication of a register in the official gazette of the European Union, the Commission will therefore provide an updated version on its official internet site.

#### 1.1. The current register of regulated markets is available at:

https://registers.esma.europa.eu/publication/searchRegister?core=esma\_registers\_upreg1

#### 1.2. The following stock exchanges are to be included in the register of regulated markets:

1.2.1. Luxembourg Euro MTF Luxembourg

1.2.2. Switzerland SIX Swiss Exchange AG, BX Swiss AG<sup>2</sup>

#### 1.3. Recognized markets in the EEA pursuant to § 67 (2) item 2 InvFG:

Markets in the EEA classified as recognized markets by the relevant supervisory authorities.

#### NOTICE

As soon as the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland (UK) loses its status as an EEA member state upon its departure from the EU, the stock exchanges / regulated markets located there will consequently also lose their status as EEA stock exchanges / regulated markets. In this regard, we would like to point out the following stock exchanges and regulated markets located in the UK:

Cboe Europe Equities Regulated Market – Integrated Book Segment, London Metal Exchange, Cboe Europe Equities Regulated Market – Reference Price Book Segment, Cboe Europe Equities Regulated Market – Off-Book Segment, London Stock Exchange Regulated Market (derivatives), NEX Exchange Main Board (non-equity), London Stock Exchange Regulated Market, NEX Exchange Main Board (equity), Euronext London Regulated Market, ICE FUTURES EUROPE, ICE FUTURES EUROPE - AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS DIVISION, ICE FUTURES EUROPE - FINANCIAL PRODUCTS DIVISION, ICE FUTURES EUROPE - EQUITY PRODUCTS DIVISION and Gibraltar Stock Exchange

In these fund regulations, they shall explicitly be regarded as selected stock markets or recognized regulated markets of a third country within the meaning of the 2011 Austrian Investment Fund Act and the UCITS Directive.

#### 2. Stock exchanges in European states which are not members of the EEA

2.1. Bosnia & Herzegovina: Sarajevo, Banja Luka

2.2. Montenegro: Podgorica

2.3. Russia: Moscow Exchange

2.4. Serbia: Belgrade

2.5. Turkey: Istanbul (for Stock Market, "National Market" only)

#### 3. Stock exchanges in non-European states

3.1. Australia: Sydney, Hobart, Melbourne, Perth

3.2. Argentina: Buenos Aires

3.3. Brazil: Rio de Janeiro, Sao Paulo

3.4. Chile: Santiago

3.5. China: Shanghai Stock Exchange, Shenzhen Stock Exchange

3.6. Hong Kong: Hong Kong Stock Exchange

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> To open the register, in the left-hand column under "Entity type", select "Regulated market" and click "Search" (click "Show table columns" and "Update" as necessary). The link may be modified by the European Securities and Markets Authority (ESMA).

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Due to the expiry of equivalence for Swiss stock exchanges, SIX Swiss Exchange AG and BX Swiss AG are now included under Section 2 "Stock exchanges in European states which are not members of the EEA" until further notice.



3.7. India: Mumbai3.8. Indonesia: Jakarta3.9. Israel: Tel Aviv

3.10. Japan: Tokyo, Osaka, Nagoya, Kyoto, Fukuoka, Sapporo

3.11. Canada: Toronto, Vancouver, Montreal
3.12 Colombia: Bolsa de Valores de Colombia
3.13. Korea: Korea Exchange (Seoul, Busan)

3.14. Malaysia: Kuala Lumpur, Bursa Malaysia Berhad

3.15. Mexico: Mexico City

3.16. New Zealand: Wellington, Auckland
3.17 Peru Bolsa de Valores de Lima
3.18. Philippines: Philippine Stock Exchange
3.19. Singapore: Singapore Stock Exchange

3.20. South Africa: Johannesburg3.21. Taiwan: Taipei3.22. Thailand: Bangkok

3.23. USA: New York, NYCE American, New York

Stock Exchange (NYSE), Philadelphia, Chicago, Boston, Cincinnati; Nasdaq

3.24. Venezuela: Caracas

3.25. United Arab

Emirates: Abu Dhabi Securities Exchange (ADX)

#### 4. Organized markets in states which are not members of the European Community

4.1. Japan: Over-the-counter market
4.2. Canada: Over-the-counter market
4.3. Korea: Over-the-counter market
4.4. Switzerland: Over-the-counter market

of the members of the International Capital Market Association (ICMA), Zurich

4.5. USA: Over-the-counter market (subject to supervisory oversight, e.g.

SEC, FINRA)

#### 5. Stock exchanges with futures and options markets

5.1. Argentina: Bolsa de Comercio de Buenos Aires5.2. Australia: Australian Options Market, Australian

Securities Exchange (ASX)

5.3. Brazil: Bolsa Brasiliera de Futuros, Bolsa de Mercadorias & Futuros, Rio de

Janeiro Stock Exchange, Sao Paulo Stock Exchange

5.4. Hong Kong: Hong Kong Futures Exchange Ltd.

5.5. Japan: Osaka Securities Exchange, Tokyo International Financial Futures

Exchange, Tokyo Stock Exchange

5.6. Canada: Montreal Exchange, Toronto Futures Exchange

5.7. Korea: Korea Exchange (KRX)

5.8. Mexico: Mercado Mexicano de Derivados

5.9. New Zealand: New Zealand Futures & Options Exchange
5.10. Philippines: Manila International Futures Exchange
5.11. Singapore: The Singapore Exchange Limited (SGX)

5.13. South Africa: Johannesburg Stock Exchange (JSE), South African Futures Exchange

(SAFEX)

5.15. Turkey: TurkDEX

5.16. USA: NYCE American, Chicago Board Options

Exchange, Chicago Board of Trade, Chicago Mercantile Exchange, Comex, FINEX,

ICE Future US Inc. New York, Nasdaq, New York Stock Exchange,

Boston Options Exchange (BOX)



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