



RITRANSPARENCY REPORT 2020

Perennial Value Management Limited





About this report

The PRI Reporting Framework is a key step in the journey towards building a common language and industry standard for reporting responsible investment (RI) activities. This RI Transparency Report is one of the key outputs of this Framework. Its primary objective is to enable signatory transparency on RI activities and facilitate dialogue between investors and their clients, beneficiaries and other stakeholders. A copy of this report will be publicly disclosed for all reporting signatories on the PRI website, ensuring accountability of the PRI Initiative and its signatories.

This report is an export of the individual Signatory organisation's response to the PRI during the 2020 reporting cycle. It includes their responses to mandatory indicators, as well as responses to voluntary indicators the signatory has agreed to make public. The information is presented exactly as it was reported. Where an indicator offers a response option that is multiple-choice, all options that were available to the signatory to select are presented in this report. Presenting the information exactly as reported is a result of signatory feedback which suggested the PRI not summarise the information. As a result, the reports can be extensive. However, to help easily locate information, there is a **Principles index** which highlights where the information can be found and summarises the indicators that signatories complete and disclose.

Understanding the Principles Index

The Principles Index summarises the response status for the individual indicators and modules and shows how these relate to the six <u>Principles for Responsible Investment</u>. It can be used by stakeholders as an 'at-a-glance' summary of reported information and to identify particular themes or areas of interest.

Indicators can refer to one or more Principles. Some indicators are not specific to any Principle. These are highlighted in the 'General' column. When multiple Principles are covered across numerous indicators, in order to avoid repetition, only the main Principle covered is highlighted.

All indicators within a module are presented below. The status of indicators is shown with the following symbols:

Symbol	Status
✓	The signatory has completed all mandatory parts of this indicator
Ø	The signatory has completed some parts of this indicator
8	This indicator was not relevant for this signatory
-	The signatory did not complete any part of this indicator
Ъ	The signatory has flagged this indicator for internal review

Within the table, indicators marked in blue are mandatory to complete. Indicators marked in grey are voluntary to complete.



Principles Index



Organisa	ntional Overview				Р	rin	cip	le		General
Indicator	Short description	Status	Disclosure	1	2	3	4	5	6	
OO TG	·	8	n/a							
00 01	Signatory category and services	✓	Public							√
00 02	Headquarters and operational countries	√	Public							√
00 03	Subsidiaries that are separate PRI signatories	✓	Public							✓
OO 04	Reporting year and AUM	✓	Public							✓
OO 05	Breakdown of AUM by asset class	~	Asset mix disclosed in OO 06							√
OO 06	How would you like to disclose your asset class mix	✓	Public							✓
OO 07	Fixed income AUM breakdown	8	n/a							✓
OO 08	Segregated mandates or pooled funds	8	n/a							✓
OO 09	Breakdown of AUM by market	✓	Public							✓
OO 10	Active ownership practices for listed assets	✓	Public							✓
00 11	ESG incorporation practices for all assets	✓	Public							✓
OO 12	Modules and sections required to complete	✓	Public							✓
OO LE 01	Breakdown of listed equity investments by passive and active strategies	✓	Public							✓
OO LE 02	Reporting on strategies that are <10% of actively managed listed equities	8	n/a							✓
OO FI 01	Breakdown of fixed income investments by passive and active strategies	8	n/a							✓
OO FI 02	Reporting on strategies that are <10% of actively managed fixed income	8	n/a							✓
OO FI 03	Fixed income breakdown by market and credit quality	8	n/a							✓
OO SAM 01	Breakdown of externally managed investments by passive and active strategies	8	n/a							✓
OO PE 01	Breakdown of private equity investments by strategy	✓	Public							✓
OO PE 02	Typical level of ownership in private equity investments	✓	Public							✓
00 PR 01	Breakdown of property investments	8	n/a							✓
00 PR 02	Breakdown of property assets by management	8	n/a							✓
00 PR 03	Largest property types	8	n/a							✓
OO INF 01	Breakdown of infrastructure investments	8	n/a							✓
OO INF 02	Breakdown of infrastructure assets by management	8	n/a							✓
OO INF 03	Largest infrastructure sectors	8	n/a							✓
OO HF 01	Breakdown of hedge funds investments by strategies	8	n/a							✓
OO End	Module confirmation page	✓	-							

CCStrate	CCStrategy and Governance					rin	cip	le		General
Indicator	Short description	Status	Disclosure	1	2	3	4	5	6	
SG 01	RI policy and coverage	✓	Public							✓
SG 01 CC	Climate risk	✓	Private							✓
SG 02	Publicly available RI policy or guidance documents	✓	Public						✓	
SG 03	Conflicts of interest	✓	Public							✓
SG 04	Identifying incidents occurring within portfolios	✓	Public							✓
SG 05	RI goals and objectives	✓	Public							✓
SG 06	Main goals/objectives this year	✓	Private							✓
SG 07	RI roles and responsibilities	✓	Public							✓
SG 07 CC	Climate-issues roles and responsibilities	✓	Public							✓
SG 08	RI in performance management, reward and/or personal development	✓	Private							✓
SG 09	Collaborative organisations / initiatives	✓	Public				✓	✓		
SG 09.2	Assets managed by PRI signatories	8	n/a	✓						
SG 10	Promoting RI independently	✓	Public				✓			
SG 11	Dialogue with public policy makers or standard setters	✓	Private				✓	✓	✓	
SG 12	Role of investment consultants/fiduciary managers	✓	Public				✓			
SG 13	ESG issues in strategic asset allocation	✓	Public	✓						
SG 13 CC		✓	Private							✓
SG 14	Long term investment risks and opportunity	✓	Public	~						
SG 14 CC		✓	Private							✓
SG 15	Allocation of assets to environmental and social themed areas	✓	Private	✓						
SG 16	ESG issues for internally managed assets not reported in framework	✓	Public							✓
SG 17	ESG issues for externally managed assets not reported in framework	8	n/a							✓
SG 18	Innovative features of approach to RI	✓	Public							✓
SG 19	Communication	✓	Public		✓				✓	
SG End	Module confirmation page	✓	-							

Direct -	Listed Equity Incorporation				P	rin	cip	le		General
Indicator	Short description	Status	Disclosure	1	2	3	4	5	6	
LEI 01	Percentage of each incorporation strategy	✓	Public	~						
LEI 02	Type of ESG information used in investment decision	✓	Public	✓						
LEI 03	Information from engagement and/or voting used in investment decision-making	✓	Public	~						
LEI 04	Types of screening applied	✓	Public	✓						
LEI 05	Processes to ensure screening is based on robust analysis	✓	Public	✓						
LEI 06	Processes to ensure fund criteria are not breached	✓	Private	✓						
LEI 07	Types of sustainability thematic funds/mandates	✓	Public	✓						
LEI 08	Review ESG issues while researching companies/sectors	✓	Public	✓						
LEI 09	Processes to ensure integration is based on robust analysis	✓	Public	✓						
LEI 10	Aspects of analysis ESG information is integrated into	✓	Public	✓						
LEI 11	ESG issues in index construction	8	n/a	✓						
LEI 12	How ESG incorporation has influenced portfolio composition	✓	Public	~						
LEI 13	Examples of ESG issues that affected your investment view / performance	✓	Public	✓						
LEI End	Module confirmation page	✓	-							

Direct - L	Direct - Listed Equity Active Ownership						cip	le		General
Indicator	Short description	Status	Disclosure	1	2	3	4	5	6	
LEA 01	Description of approach to engagement	✓	Public		✓					
LEA 02	Reasoning for interaction on ESG issues	✓	Public	✓	✓	✓				
LEA 03	Process for identifying and prioritising engagement activities	✓	Public		✓					
LEA 04	Objectives for engagement activities	✓	Public		✓					
LEA 05	Process for identifying and prioritising collaborative engagement	✓	Public		✓					
LEA 06	Role in engagement process	✓	Public		✓		✓			
LEA 07	Share insights from engagements with internal/external managers	✓	Public	✓	✓					
LEA 08	Tracking number of engagements	✓	Public		✓					
LEA 09	Number of companies engaged with, intensity of engagement and effort	✓	Public		✓					
LEA 10	Engagement methods	✓	Public		✓					
LEA 11	Examples of ESG engagements	✓	Private		✓					
LEA 12	Typical approach to (proxy) voting decisions	✓	Public		✓					
LEA 13	Percentage of voting recommendations reviewed	8	n/a		✓					
LEA 14	Securities lending programme	✓	Public		✓					
LEA 15	Informing companies of the rationale of abstaining/voting against management	✓	Public		✓					
LEA 16	Informing companies of the rationale of abstaining/voting against management	✓	Public		✓					
LEA 17	Percentage of (proxy) votes cast	✓	Public		✓					
LEA 18	Proportion of ballot items that were for/against/abstentions	✓	Public		✓					
LEA 19	Proportion of ballot items that were for/against/abstentions	✓	Public		✓					
LEA 20	Shareholder resolutions	✓	Public		✓					
LEA 21	Examples of (proxy) voting activities	✓	Public		✓					
LEA End	Module confirmation page	✓	-							

Confider	Confidence building measures						cip	le		General
Indicator	Short description	Status	Disclosure	1	2	3	4	5	6	
CM1 01	Assurance, verification, or review	✓	Public							✓
CM1 02	Assurance of last year's PRI data	✓	Public							✓
CM1 03	Other confidence building measures	✓	Public							✓
CM1 04	Assurance of this year`s PRI data	✓	Public							✓
CM1 05	External assurance	8	n/a							✓
CM1 06	Assurance or internal audit	✓	Public							✓
CM1 07	Internal verification	✓	Public							✓
CM1 01 End	Module confirmation page	✓	-							



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Organisational Overview

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Bas	sic info	rmation			
00 01	Mar	ndatory	Public	Gateway/Peering	General
00	01.1	Select the services and funds	you offer		
Select th	e servic	es and funds you offer	% of asse	et under management (AU	M) in ranges
Fund man	agemen	t	○ 0%○ <10%○ 10-50%● >50%)	
Fund of fu	nds, ma	nager of managers, sub-advised	I products	,	
Other			● 0%○ <10%○ 10-50%○ >50%)	
Total 100%	%				
		Further options (may be selec	ted in addition to the a	above)	
	ledge fu	nds edge funds			
O 02	Mar	ndatory	Public	Peering	Genera
00	02.1	Select the location of your org	anisation's headquart	ers.	
Aus	tralia				
00	02.2	Indicate the number of countri	ies in which you have	offices (including your head	lquarters).
126					



○ >10

OO 02.3 Indicate the approximate number of staff in your organisation in full-time equivalents (FTE).

FTE

41

OO 03 Mandatory Public Descriptive General

OO 03.1

Indicate whether you have subsidiaries within your organisation that are also PRI signatories in their own right.

O Yes

No

OO 04 Mandatory Public Gateway/Peering General

00 04.1

Indicate the year end date for your reporting year.

31/12/2019

00 04.2

Indicate your total AUM at the end of your reporting year.

Include the AUM of subsidiaries, but exclude advisory/execution only assets, and exclude the assets of your PRI signatory subsidiaries that you have chosen not to report on in OO 03.2

	trillions	billions	millions	thousands	hundreds
Total AUM		5	000	000	000
Currency	AUD				
Assets in USD		3	386	998	050

 \square Not applicable as we are in the fund-raising process

00 04.4

Indicate the assets which are subject to an execution and/or advisory approach. Provide this figure based on the end of your reporting year

☑ Not applicable as we do not have any assets under execution and/or advisory approach



OO 06 Mandatory Public Descriptive General

OO 06.1

Select how you would like to disclose your asset class mix.

 \bigcirc as percentage breakdown

as broad ranges

	Internally managed (%)	Externally managed (%)
Listed equity	>50%	0
Fixed income	0	0
Private equity	<10%	0
Property	0	0
Infrastructure	0	0
Commodities	0	0
Hedge funds	0	0
Fund of hedge funds	0	0
Forestry	0	0



Farmland	0	0
Inclusive finance	0	0
Cash	0	0
Money market instruments	0	0
Other (1), specify	0	0
Other (2), specify	0	0

OO 06.2 Publish asset class mix as per attached image [Optional].

OO 06.3

ndicate whether your organisation has any off-balance sheet assets [Optional]

○ Yes

No

OO 06.5 Indicate whether your organisation uses fiduciary managers.

- O Yes, we use a fiduciary manager and our response to OO 5.1 is reflective of their management of our assets.
- No, we do not use fiduciary managers.

OO 09 **Mandatory Public Peering** General Indicate the breakdown of your organisation's AUM by market. 00 09.1 **Developed Markets** 100 **Emerging Markets** 0 **Frontier Markets** 0 Other Markets 0 Total 100%



100%

AUSTRALIAN MARKET

10	Man	datory	Public	Gateway	Genera
00 10	.1	Select the active ownership activ	ities your organisa	tion implemented in the rep	oorting year.
		Listed equity – engagement			
✓V	Ve eng	age with companies on ESG factor	rs via our staff, col	aborations or service provi	ders.
□ V	Ve do r	not engage directly and do not requ	uire external mana	gers to engage with compa	nies on ESG factor
		Listed equity – voting			
✓ V	Ve cast	t our (proxy) votes directly or via de	edicated voting pro	viders	
		(1)	0 1		
□V	Ve do r	not cast our (proxy) votes directly a	and do not require	external managers to vote of	on our behalf
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□ V		not cast our (proxy) votes directly a	Public	Gateway	on our behalf Genera
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11	Man	datory Select the internally managed as	Public set classes in which	Gateway th you addressed ESG inco	Genera
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Core modules ☑ Organisational Overview RI implementation directly or via service providers $\ensuremath{\square}$ Listed Equity incorporation ☑ Engagements ☑ (Proxy) voting ☐ Private Equity Closing module ☑ Closing module **Peering questions Mandatory to Report Voluntary to** OO LE 01 **Public** Gateway General **Disclose** OO LE Provide a breakdown of your internally managed listed equities by passive, active - quantitative (quant), active - fundamental and active - other strategies. 01.1 Percentage of internally managed listed equities Passive

Active - quantitative (quant)

Active - fundamental and active - other



100

Total

100%

OO PE 01	Mandatory	Public	General	
00 PE	Provide a breakdown of y	our organisation's internall	y managed private equity ir	nvestments by



Investment strategy	Percentage of your internally managed private equity holdings (in terms of AUM)
Venture capital	>50%10-50%<10%● 0%
Growth capital	>50%10-50%<10%0%
(Leveraged) buy-out	>50%10-50%<10%● 0%
Distressed/Turnaround/Special Situations	>50%10-50%<10%● 0%
Secondaries	>50%10-50%<10%● 0%
Other investment strategy, specify (1)	>50%10-50%<10%● 0%
Other investment strategy, specify (2)	>50%10-50%<10%● 0%
Total 100%	

OO PE 02	Mandatory to Report Voluntary to Disclose	Public	Descriptive	General



OO PE 02.1

Indicate the level of ownership you typically hold in your private equity investments.

- O a majority stake (>50%)
- 50% stake
- O a significant minority stake (between 10-50%)
- a minority stake (<10%)
- a mix of ownership stakes



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Investment policy

SG 01 Mandatory Public Core Assessed General

New selection options have been added to this indicator. Please review your prefilled responses carefully.

SG 01.1

Indicate if you have an investment policy that covers your responsible investment approach.

Yes

SG 01.2

Indicate the components/types and coverage of your policy.

Select all that apply

Policy components/types	Coverage by AUM
☑ Policy setting out your overall approach	Applicable policies cover all AUM
☑ Formalised guidelines on environmental factors	O Applicable policies cover a majority of AUM
☑ Formalised guidelines on social factors	O Applicable policies cover a minority of AUM
☑ Formalised guidelines on corporate governance factors	
☑ Fiduciary (or equivalent) duties	
☐ Asset class-specific RI guidelines	
☐ Sector specific RI guidelines	
☐ Screening / exclusions policy	
☑ Engagement policy	
☑ (Proxy) voting policy	
☑ Other, specify (1)	
Exclusion list for RI funds	
☐ Other, specify(2)	



SG 01.3	Indicate if the investment policy covers any of the following		
	anisation's definition of ESG and/or responsible investment and it's relation to investments		
	estment objectives that take ESG factors/real economy influence into account		
☐ Time hori	izon of your investment		
☑ Governar	nce structure of organisational ESG responsibilities		
☑ ESG inco	prporation approaches		
☑ Active ow	vnership approaches		
☑ Reporting			
☑ Climate compared to the	change		
□ Understa	nding and incorporating client / beneficiary sustainability preferences		
☐ Other RI	considerations, specify (1)		
☐ Other RI	considerations, specify (2)		
	Describe your organisation's investment principles and overall investment strategy		

SG 01.4

Describe your organisation's investment principles and overall investment strategy, interpretation of fiduciary (or equivalent) duties, and how they consider ESG factors and real economy impact.

Perennial Value is a specialist active Australian equities manager. The cornerstone of Perennial Value's investment process is our proprietary, in-house research. We offer a range of investment options including the Perennial Value Australian Shares Trust, Perennial Value Smaller Companies Trust, Perennial Value Microcap Opportunities Trust, Perennial Value Shares for Income Trust, Perennial Value Wealth Defender Australian Shares Trust and the Perennial Smaller Companies Sustainable Future Trust. ESG issues are considered at each stage of the investment process, including stock research reports and the portfolio management process. We have also developed a proprietary ESG database which captures over 30 different data points of ESG data, an in-house ESG and Engagement scoring system for each company under coverage and a number of 'true-to-label' responsible investment products including the Sustainable Future Trust.

 \bigcirc No

SG 02 Mandatory Public Core Assessed PRI 6

New selection options have been added to this indicator. Please review your prefilled responses carefully.

SG 02.1

Indicate which of your investment policy documents (if any) are publicly available. Provide a URL and an attachment of the document.

☑ Policy setting out your overall approach

URL/Attachment

☐ URL

☑ Attachment (will be made public)



Attachment

File 1:PIML Responsible Investment Policy.pdf

☐ Formalised guidelines on environmental factors
☐ Formalised guidelines on social factors
☐ Formalised guidelines on corporate governance factors
☐ Fiduciary (or equivalent) duties
☐ Engagement policy
☑ (Proxy) voting policy
URL/Attachment
☑ URL
URL
https://d1ojo2h1269cp1.cloudfront.net/wp-content/uploads/2020/02/Proxy Voting Record Jan 2019-Dec-2019.pdf
<u> </u>
☐ Attachment (will be made public)
☐ Other, specify (1)
☐ We do not publicly disclose our investment policy documents
SG 02.2 Indicate if any of your investment policy components are publicly available. Provide URL and an attachment of the document.
☑ Your organisation's definition of ESG and/or responsible investment and it's relation to investments
URL/Attachment
☑ URL
URL
https://perennial.net.au/our-story/corporate-social-responsibility-esg/
☐ Attachment
☑ Your investment objectives that take ESG factors/real economy influence into account
URL/Attachment
☑ URL



URL https://d1ojo2h1269cp1.cloudfront.net/wp-content/uploads/2019/11/PIML_Responsible_Investment_Policy.pdf □ Attachment ☑ Governance structure of organisational ESG responsibilities **URL/Attachment ☑** URL URL https://d1ojo2h1269cp1.cloudfront.net/wpcontent/uploads/2019/11/PIML Responsible Investment Policy.pdf ☐ Attachment ☑ ESG incorporation approaches **URL/Attachment ☑** URL **URL** https://d1ojo2h1269cp1.cloudfront.net/wp-content/uploads/2019/11/PIML Responsible Investment Policy.pdf □ Attachment ☑ Active ownership approaches **URL/Attachment ☑** URL URL https://d1ojo2h1269cp1.cloudfront.net/wp-content/uploads/2019/11/PIML Responsible Investment Policy.pdf □ Attachment

URL/Attachment



☑ Reporting

☑ URL

URL

https://d1ojo2h1269cp1.cloudfront.net/wp-content/uploads/2019/11/PIML_Responsible_Investment_Policy.pdf

☐ Attachment

☑ Climate change

URL/Attachment

☑ URL

URL

https://d1ojo2h1269cp1.cloudfront.net/wp-content/uploads/2019/11/PIML_Responsible_Investment_Policy.pdf

☐ Attachment

☐ We do not publicly disclose any investment policy components

SG 03 Mandatory Public Core Assessed General

SG 03.1

Indicate if your organisation has a policy on managing potential conflicts of interest in the investment process.

Yes

SG 03.2

Describe your policy on managing potential conflicts of interest in the investment process.

Perennial's conflict of interest policy covers how we manage any potential conflicts in the investment process. Such competing interests may make it difficult for the company or individual to fulfil their duties impartially and can create an appearance of impropriety that may undermine confidence in the company or the individual, even if no unethical or improper act results from the conflict.

There must be no conflict, or perception of such, between the interests of any employee and their responsibility to Perennial or its stakeholders. All employees may never improperly use their position for personal or private gain to themselves, a family member, or any other person.

All staff and authorised representatives have a responsibility under the terms and conditions of their employment or appointment to use all reasonable endeavours to avoid any situation where their interests may conflict or be inconsistent with the interests of Perennial. If such a situation arises, or may reasonably be expected to arise, employees and senior executives are required to notify their supervisor immediately. Perennial has also developed organisational policies and procedures to assist in the management of conflicts of interest including the Gifts Policy & Code of Conduct.

 \bigcirc No

SG 04 Voluntary Public Descriptive General

SG 04.1

Indicate if your organisation has a process for identifying and managing incidents that occur within investee entities.

Yes

 \bigcirc No

SG 04.2

Describe your process on managing incidents

When a company-specific ESG incident arises we will typically seek to engage with Company management on the issue. If we have significant unresolved concerns in relation to the issue we will seek to escalate the issue by one or a combination of the following:

- writing to Company management;
- · meeting with the Chairperson or Lead Independent Director;
- writing a formal letter to the Board of Directors;
- voting against proposals in the Annual General Meeting;

If the issue remains unresolved, we will consider divesting or reducing our holding in the Company.

Objectives and strategies SG 05 Mandatory Public Gateway/Core Assessed General Indicate if and how frequently your organisation sets and reviews objectives for its responsible SG 05.1 investment activities. O Quarterly or more frequently O Biannually Annually O Less frequently than annually O Ad-hoc basis O It is not set/reviewed **Governance and human resources SG 07 Mandatory Public Core Assessed** General

Indicate the internal and/or external roles used by your organisation, and indicate for each whether

they have oversight and/or implementation responsibilities for responsible investment.



SG 07.1

Roles				
☑ Board members or trustees				
☑ Oversight/accountability for responsible investment				
☐ Implementation of responsible investment				
$\hfill \square$ No oversight/accountability or implementation responsibility for responsible investment				
☑ Internal Roles (triggers other options)				
Select from the below internal roles				
☐ Chief Executive Officer (CEO), Chief Investment Officer (CIO), Chief Operating Officer (COO), Investment Committee				
☑ Oversight/accountability for responsible investment				
☐ Implementation of responsible investment				
$\hfill \square$ No oversight/accountability or implementation responsibility for responsible investment				
$\hfill \Box$ Other Chief-level staff or head of department, specify				
☑ Portfolio managers				
☑ Oversight/accountability for responsible investment				
☑ Implementation of responsible investment				
$\hfill\square$ No oversight/accountability or implementation responsibility for responsible investment				
☑ Investment analysts				
☑ Oversight/accountability for responsible investment				
☑ Implementation of responsible investment				
$\hfill\square$ No oversight/accountability or implementation responsibility for responsible investment				
☑ Dedicated responsible investment staff				
☑ Oversight/accountability for responsible investment				
☑ Implementation of responsible investment				
$\hfill \square$ No oversight/accountability or implementation responsibility for responsible investment				
☐ Investor relations				
☐ Other role, specify (1)				
☐ Other role, specify (2)				
☐ External managers or service providers				

SG 07.2

For the roles for which you have RI oversight/accountability or implementation responsibilities, indicate how you execute these responsibilities.

The Board and CEO have oversight of all investment activities, including responsible investment. Analysts and portfolio managers execute the responsible investment oversight and implementation in their day to day role including considering ESG in company research, engagement and portfolio construction. This is especially the case for those involved in the Smaller Companies Sustainable Future Trust which is primarily focussed on responsible investing. In late 2019, Emilie O'Neill was hired as a dedicated ESG analyst. Her responsibilities in 2020 will be to continue to ensure integration of ESG risks, ESG data and reporting, engagement, proxy voting and sustainable strategies.

SG 07.3

Indicate the number of dedicated responsible investment staff your organisation has.



Number

2

SG 07.4

Additional information. [Optional]

Perennial Value has two team members who along with their Portfolio Management or analyst responsibilities, coordinate, record and implement ESG issues and engagement within the team. This includes Damian Cottier who is the portfolio manager of our Sustainable Future Strategies and dedicated ESG analyst, Emilie O'Neill.

SG 07	7 CC	Manda Disclos	tory to Report Voluntary to se	Public	Descriptive	General
	SG 07		ndicate the roles in the organisatio esponsibilities for climate-related is		ht, accountability and/or manage	ment
			Board members or trustees			
			sight/accountability for climate-rela	ted issues		
		☐ Asses	ssment and management of climat	e-related issues		
		□ No re	sponsibility for climate-related issu	ues		
			Chief Executive Officer (CEO), Investment Committee	Chief Investment C	Officer (CIO), Chief Risk Officer (C	CRO),
			sight/accountability for climate-rela	ted issues		
		☐ Asses	ssment and management of climat	e-related issues		
		□ No re	sponsibility for climate-related issu	ies		
			Portfolio managers			
			sight/accountability for climate-rela	ted issues		
		☑ Asses	ssment and management of climat	e-related issues		
		□ No re	sponsibility for climate-related issu	ıes		
			Investment analysts			
			sight/accountability for climate-rela	ted issues		
		☑ Asses	ssment and management of climat	e-related issues		
		□ No re	sponsibility for climate-related issu	les		
			1			
			Dedicated responsible investme	ent staff		
			sight/accountability for climate-rela	ted issues		
		☑ Asses	ssment and management of climat	e-related issues		
		□ No re	sponsibility for climate-related issu	ies		



SG 07.6 CC For board-level roles that have climate-related issue oversight/accountability or implementation responsibilities, indicate how these responsibilities are executed.

The Board has environmental related risks in the company risk register which will be considered as part of Perennial's risk management process going forward and is reviewed periodically.

We have a number of other processes in place to support Perennial's consideration of climate related risks including:

- Perennial Responsible Investment Working Group Perennial staff have formed an internal committee in which staff decide and implement corporate ESG initiatives, including but not limited to environmental concerns.
- The board and investment team have approved the Perennial Responsible Investment Policy which states: "We acknowledge that climate change is potentially a significant risk to the planet and the global economy. Accordingly, it is likely that significant parts of the international community will seek to move towards a lower-carbon economy over time for the benefit and sustainability of the planet, society and the economy. This transition will have impacts on our investments and we will seek to understand and engage with companies on the impacts of both climate change and a move towards a lower-carbon economy on their businesses."
- Establishment of the Sustainable Future strategies which consider ESG as part of the investment strategy.
 One of the investment themes of the portfolio is the environment. We seek companies that provide solutions and technologies for water management and supply, renewable energy, low carbon technologies, waste management and recycling, biomaterials and environmental services.
- The hire of a dedicated ESG analyst in 2019.
- Creation and maintenance of an ESG database for over 400 stocks and development of the ESG&E Score system. The ESG&E score is a proprietary scoring system set up and run in-house by the Perennial sustainability team with input and insight from the sector analysts. The scoring mechanism is an absolute score out of 10, each for environment, social and governance performance as well as engagement. E,S&G scores are each weighted 20%, while engagement is weighted 40%. This provides a total ESG&E score which is then compared to the benchmark. Our Sustainable Future Trust must have an ESG&E score that is better than the benchmark.

Prom	oting	responsible investment			
9	Man	datory	Public	Core Assessed	PRI 4,5
SG 09.1 Select the collaborative organisation and/or initiatives of wh which it participated during the reporting year, and the role			ember or in		
Select all that apply					
☑ Prir	nciples	for Responsible Investment			
		Your organisation's role in the i	nitiative during the	reporting period (see definitions)	
	□ Ва	asic			
	☑Mo	oderate			
	□ Ac	lvanced			



Provide a brief commentary on the level of your organisation's involvement in the initiative. [Optional]

We actively encourage and provide advice to Australian listed companies on their RI impact and focus, we complete the annual PRI reporting with rigor, we voted on the 2019 Annual Report and Accounts and the Signatory General Meeting Minutes and completed the 2019 PRI Signatory Survey.

☐ Asian Corporate Governance Association
☐ Australian Council of Superannuation Investors
□ AVCA: Sustainability Committee
☐ France Invest – La Commission ESG
□ BVCA – Responsible Investment Advisory Board
□ CDP Climate Change
□ CDP Forests
□ CDP Water
□ CFA Institute Centre for Financial Market Integrity
☑ Climate Action 100+
Your organisation's role in the initiative during the reporting period (see definitions)
□ Basic
☐ Advanced

Provide a brief commentary on the level of your organisation's involvement in the initiative. [Optional]

We have joined the Climate Action 100+ and signed up to 3 working groups on Australian companies.

☐ Code for Responsible Investment in SA (CRISA)
☐ Council of Institutional Investors (CII)
□ Eumedion
☐ Extractive Industries Transparency Initiative (EITI)
☐ ESG Research Australia
☐ Invest Europe Responsible Investment Roundtable
☐ Global Investors Governance Network (GIGN)
☐ Global Impact Investing Network (GIIN)
☐ Global Real Estate Sustainability Benchmark (GRESB)
☐ Green Bond Principles
☐ HKVCA: ESG Committee
☐ Institutional Investors Group on Climate Change (IIGCC)
☐ Interfaith Center on Corporate Responsibility (ICCR)
☐ International Corporate Governance Network (ICGN)
☐ Investor Group on Climate Change, Australia/New Zealand (IGCC)
☐ International Integrated Reporting Council (IIRC)
☐ Investor Network on Climate Risk (INCR)/CERES
☐ Local Authority Pension Fund Forum
☐ Principles for Financial Action in the 21st Century
☐ Principles for Sustainable Insurance
☑ Regional or National Social Investment Forums (e.g. UKSIF, Eurosif, ASRIA, RIAA), specify
Responsible Investment Association Australasia.
Your organisation's role in the initiative during the reporting period (see definitions)
□ Basic
☑ Moderate
☐ Advanced



Provide a brief commentary on the level of your organisation's involvement in the initiative. [Optional]

We are members of RIAA and are in the process of having our Sustainable Future Trust certified by RIAA. We participate in various RIAA events and have sponsored the RIAA conference in 2020.

	☐ Responsible F	inance Principles in Inclusive Fir	nance		
	☐ Shareholder A	ssociation for Research and Edu	ucation (Share)		
	☐ United Nations	s Environmental Program Financ	ce Initiative (UNEP F	=1)	
	☐ United Nations	s Global Compact			
	Other collabor	ative organisation/initiative, spec	cify		
	Supporter of the	ne Task Force on Climate-Relate	ed Financial Disclos	ures (TCFD)	
		Your organisation's role in the	initiative during the	reporting year (see definitions)	
	☑ Basic				
	☐ Moder	ate			
	☐ Advan	ced			
		Provide a brief commentary or [Optional]	n the level of your o	rganisation's involvement in the	initiative.
	We publicly su	ipport the TCFD initiative and en	courage companies	s to report disclosures in line wit	h TCFD
	☐ Other collabor	ative organisation/initiative, spec	cify		
	☐ Other collabor	ative organisation/initiative, spec	cify		
	☐ Other collabor	ative organisation/initiative, spec	cify		
SG 10	Mandate	ory	Public	Core Assessed	PRI 4
		dicate if your organisation promotiatives.	otes responsible inv	estment, independently of collal	oorative
	Yes				
	SG 10.2	Indicate the actions your orgal independently of collaborative the objectives of the selected participation/contribution.	initiatives. Provide	o promote responsible investme a description of your role in cor al frequency of your	ent tributing to
	education o	or supported education or trainir r training may be for clients, inve , legal advisers etc.)			
	☐ Provided	financial support for academic o	r industry research	on responsible investment	
		input and/or collaborated with a	cademia on RI relat	ed work	
		Description			
				ual rapart, was interviewed by r	

Completed the RIAA survey on Impact Investing for their annual report, was interviewed by researchers from the Australian National University who are conducting research on Modern slavery.



	Frequency of contribution
	Quarterly or more frequently
	○ Biannually
	○ Annually
	○ Less frequently than annually
	Ad hoc
	○ Other
	Encouraged better transparency and disclosure of responsible investment practices across the investment lustry
✓ (Spoke publicly at events and conferences to promote responsible investment
	Description
F E F E	We speak at RI conferences when we get the opportunity. Damian Cottier, the portfolio manager for the Perennial Smaller Companies Sustainable Future Trust, was a panellist at the iPARM conference on Environmental, Social and Governance (ESG) and it's Impact on Performance. The sustainability team hosted a webinar with Commsec on "Investing in ESG &Small Caps". We hosted a webinar with the Ethical Advisers Co-op and also for HUB24 on ESG and responsible investing. Damian also was interviewed by Rachel Alembakis of the Sustainability Report on sustainability and investing and the sustainability team is presenting to clients of Morgan Stapley to discuss the benefits of ESG investing.

Frequency of contribution

O Quarterly or more frequently

O Biannually

 $\bigcirc \ \text{Annually}$

 \bigcirc Less frequently than annually

Ad hoc

Other

 $\ensuremath{\boxdot}$ Wrote and published in-house research papers on responsible investment

Description

We often write notes, videos and articles on responsible investing and sustainable companies for our website and social media pages. We have been quoted in the media for some of our work.



		Frequency of contribution			
	Quarter	y or more frequently			
	O Biannua	ılly			
	O Annually	/			
	O Less fre	quently than annually			
	O Ad hoc				
	Other				
	Encouraged	the adoption of the PRI			
	Responded t	o RI related consultations by	non-governmental	organisations (OECD, FSB etc.)	
\checkmark	Wrote and pu	ublished articles on responsib	le investment in the	e media	
		Description			
	See above fo	r further information.			
		Frequency of contribution			
	O Quarter	y or more frequently			
	O Biannua	illy			
	○ Annually	/			
	O Less fre	quently than annually			
	Ad hoc				
	Other				
	A member of	PRI advisory committees/ wo	orking groups, spec	ify	
	On the Board	of, or officially advising, othe	er RI organisations	(e.g. local SIFs)	
	Other, specif	у			
○ No					
Outso	urcing to fi	duciary managers and in	vestment consu	Itants	
12	Mandatory		Public	Core Assessed	PRI 4
New sele	ction options	s have been added to this ir	ndicator. Please re	eview your prefilled responses	carefully.
SG 12.	1 Indica	te whether your organisation	uses investment co	onsultants.	
		tment consultants			
☑ No, v	we do not use	investment consultants.			
ESG is	ssues in ass	set allocation			
13	Mandatory		Public	Descriptive	PRI 1



	SG 13.1	Indicate whether the organisation of provide a description of the scenar etc.).				
	☐ Yes, in or	der to assess future ESG factors				
	☑ Yes, in or	der to assess future climate-related r	isks and opportunit	ies		
		Describe				
	We recently undertook a high level scenario analysis of one of our main funds using Citi research estimates and IEA's energy price assumptions at a 2 degree scenario. In 2020, we hope to do this across all portfolios and increase the depth of the range of scenarios considered.					
	\square No, our or	ganisation does not currently carry o	out scenario analysi	s and/or modelling		
	SG 13.2	Indicate if your organisation considerable assets between sectors or geographics.		strategic asset allocation and/or	allocation of	
		We do the following				
	☐ Allocati	on between asset classes				
	□ Determ	ining fixed income duration				
	☐ Allocation of assets between geographic markets					
	Sector Se	weightings				
	☐ Other,	specify				
	□ We do	not consider ESG issues in strategic	asset allocation			
14		ndatory to Report Voluntary to close	Public	Additional Assessed	PRI 1	
	SG 14.1	Some investment risks and opport following are considered.	unities arise as a re	esult of long term trends. Indicat	e which of the	
	☑ Changing	demographics				
☑ Climate change						
	☑ Resource scarcity					
	☑ Technological developments					
	☐ Other, specify(1)					
	☐ Other, specify(2)					
	☐ None of the	ne above				

SG 14.2

Indicate which of the following activities you have undertaken to respond to climate change risk and opportunity

- $\hfill \square$ Established a climate change sensitive or climate change integrated asset allocation strategy
- $\ensuremath{\,\boxtimes\,}$ Targeted low carbon or climate resilient investments

Specify the AUM invested in low carbon and climate resilient portfolios, funds, strategies or asset classes.



	trillions	billions	millions	thousands	hundreds
Total AUM			3	000	000
Currency	AUD				
Assets in USD			2	032	199

Specify the framework or taxonomy used.

This is part of our Sustainable Future Strategies which negatively screen for a number of factors including fossil fuels and invest in companies making a positive contribution to a sustainable future, including companies that are primarily focused on the generation of renewable energy.

☑ Phase ou	ut your investments in your fossil fuel holdings			
☑ Reduced portfolio exposure to emissions intensive or fossil fuel holdings				
✓ Used emissions data or analysis to inform investment decision making				
☑ Sought c	limate change integration by companies			
☐ Sought c	limate supportive policy from governments			
☐ Other, sp	pecify			
☐ None of t	the above			
SG 14.3	Indicate which of the following tools the organisation uses to manage climate-related risks and opportunities.			
☑ Scenario	analysis			
☑ Disclosur	res on emissions risks to clients/trustees/management/beneficiaries			
☐ Climate-r	related targets			
☑ Encouraç	ging internal and/or external portfolio managers to monitor emissions risks			
☐ Emission	s-risk monitoring and reporting are formalised into contracts when appointing managers			
☑ Weighted	d average carbon intensity			
☑ Carbon fo	ootprint (scope 1 and 2)			
☑ Portfolio	carbon footprint			
	bon emissions			
☑ Carbon ir	ntensity			
☐ Exposure	e to carbon-related assets			
☐ Other em	nissions metrics			
☐ Other, sp	pecify			
□ None of t	the above			

Greenhouse gas emissions intensity using Scope 1 and 2 data from Vigeo EIRIS

frameworks that you used.

If you selected disclosure on emissions risks, list any specific climate related disclosure tools or

SG 14.4

Asset class implementation not reported in other modules

SG 16 Mandatory Public Descriptive General

SG 16.1

Describe how you address ESG issues for internally managed assets for which a specific PRI asset class module has yet to be developed or for which you are not required to report because your assets are below the minimum threshold.

Asset Class	Describe what processes are in place and the outputs or outcomes achieved
Private equity	We consider material ESG risks and opportunities when assessing investments as part of the due diligence process. We discuss ESG metrics relevant for the company with management and must be comfortable they are engaged on ESG topics. Corporate governance is a key ESG issue for investments in this asset class and we will often work with the company to improve corporate governance practices, including but not limited to; independence of the board, diversity on the board including gender and skills & remuneration.

Innovation

SG 18 Voluntary Public Descriptive General

SG 18.1

Indicate whether any specific features of your approach to responsible investment are particularly innovative.

Yes

SG 18.2

Describe any specific features of your approach to responsible investment that you believe are particularly innovative.

In our Sustainable Future Trust, our focus is on positive ESG contributors; or what we call Sustainable Future Enablers. We define these companies as those making a positive contribution to creating a sustainable future. This is different to other funds in the market who typically use negative screening or simply just remove the poor ESG contributors. We use an exclusion list, but primarily our focus is on actively selecting the positive contributors, not just removing the "bad".

We also believe our approach to ESG engagement is a differentiator when compared to peers. Engagement is weighted 40% in our ESG scoring system and is a deciding factor in our investment decisioning. We have a large team and undertake over a thousand meeting annually, which provides us with many opportunities to engage with management on ESG issues.

 \bigcirc No

Communication

SG 19 Mandatory Public Core Assessed PRI 2, 6



SG 19.1

Indicate whether your organisation typically discloses asset class specific information proactively. Select the frequency of the disclosure to clients/beneficiaries and the public, and provide a URL to the public information.

Listed equity - Incorporation

Do you disclose?

- O We do not proactively disclose it to the public and/or clients/beneficiaries
- We disclose to clients/beneficiaries only.
- \bigcirc We disclose it publicly

Disclosure to clients/beneficiaries			
Disclosure to clients/beneficiaries			
Broad approach to ESG incorporation			
 Detailed explanation of ESG incorporation strategy used 			
Frequency			
☐ Quarterly or more frequently			
□ Biannually			
☑ Annually			
☐ Less frequently than annually			
☐ Ad-hoc/when requested			

Listed equity - Engagement

Do you disclose?

- O We do not disclose to either clients/beneficiaries or the public.
- We disclose to clients/beneficiaries only.
- We disclose to the public



Disclo	osure to clients/beneficiaries			
	Disclosure to clients/beneficiaries			
☑ Det	ails on the overall engagement strategy			
	ails on the selection of engagement cases and definition of objectives of the selections, priorities and ic goals			
☑ Nui	mber of engagements undertaken			
☑ Bre	akdown of engagements by type/topic			
□ Bre	akdown of engagements by region			
□An	assessment of the current status of the progress achieved and outcomes against defined objectives			
☑ Exa	amples of engagement cases			
	ails on eventual escalation strategy taken after the initial dialogue has been unsuccessful (i.e. filing tions, issuing a statement, voting against management, divestment etc.)			
☐ Def	☐ Details on whether the provided information has been externally assured			
☑ Out	comes that have been achieved from the engagement			
□ Oth	per information			
	Farmer			
	Frequency			
☑ Qua	arterly or more frequently			
□ Bia	nnually			
☐ Anr	nually			
□ Les	s frequently than annually			
□ Ad-	hoc/when requested			
	Listed equity – (Proxy) Voting			
	Do you disclose?			
	O We do not disclose to either clients/beneficiaries or the public.			
	○ We disclose to clients/beneficiaries only.			
	● We disclose to the public			

The information disclosed to clients/beneficiaries is the same

Yes

 \bigcirc No



Disclosure to public and URL		
Disclosure to public and URL		
Disclose all voting decisions		
O Disclose some voting decisions		
Only disclose abstentions and votes against management		
Frequency		
☐ Quarterly or more frequently		
☑ Biannually		
□ Annually		
☐ Less frequently than annually		
☐ Ad hoc/when requested		
URL		
https://d1ojo2h1269cp1.cloudfront.net/wp-content/uploads/2020/02/Proxy_Voting_Record_Jan_2019-Dec-2019.pdf		



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Direct - Listed Equity Incorporation

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ESG incorporation in actively managed listed equities

Implementation processes **LEI 01 Mandatory Public Gateway** PRI 1 Indicate which ESG incorporation strategy and/or combination of strategies you apply to your actively managed listed equities; and the breakdown of your actively managed listed equities by **LEI 01.1** strategy or combination of strategies. ESG incorporation strategy (select all that apply) ☐ Screening alone (i.e., not combined with any other strategies) ☐ Thematic alone (i.e., not combined with any other strategies) ☑ Integration alone (i.e., not combined with any other strategies) Percentage of active listed equity to which the strategy is applied — you may estimate +/-% 5% 99.0 ☐ Screening and integration strategies ☐ Thematic and integration strategies ☐ Screening and thematic strategies ☑ All three strategies combined Percentage of active listed equity to which the strategy is applied - you may estimate +/-% 5% 1.0 ☐ We do not apply incorporation strategies Total actively managed listed equities 100%

Describe your organisation's approach to ESG incorporation and the reasons for choosing the particular strategy/strategies.

The majority of Perennial's equity investments use an integration strategy to incorporate ESG as we believe this strategy is a meaningful way to integrate ESG considerations to our investment process. This strategy places the integration of ESG on the same level as other important key metrics that are considered when analysing sound companies to invest in.

We believe that integration of material sustainability considerations should be considered as part of a holistic stock selection process given it has the potential to impact risk, returns and company outlook.

Our dedicated Sustainable Future strategies apply screening (both negative and positive screens), thematic and integration given the investment process of these funds.



LEI 01.2

LEI 01.3

If assets are managed using a combination of ESG incorporation strategies, briefly describe how these combinations are used. [Optional]

Our dedicated Sustainable Future portfolios use a combination of the three strategies to construct the portfolio. We start with an exclusionary screen which eliminates stocks involved in fossil fuels, alcohol, tobacco, weapons and other exclusions as listed in our PDS. We then seek to invest in companies making a positive contribution to a sustainable future that are engaged in sectors such as renewable energy, healthcare, water remediation and education together with companies in other sectors which have an ESGE Score better than the benchmark.

LEI 02 Voluntary Public Additional Assessed PRI 1

LEI 02.1

Indicate what ESG information you use in your ESG incorporation strategies and who provides this information.

Type of ESG information

☑ Raw ESG company data

Indicate who provides this information

- ☑ ESG research provider
- ☑ In-house specialised ESG analyst or team
- ☑ In-house analyst or portfolio manager
- ☑ Company-related analysis or ratings

Indicate who provides this information

- ☑ ESG research provider
- ☑ In-house specialised ESG analyst or team
- ✓ In-house analyst or portfolio manager
- ☑ Sector-related analysis or ratings

Indicate who provides this information

- $\ensuremath{\,\boxtimes\,}$ ESG research provider
- ☑ In-house specialised ESG analyst or team
- ✓ In-house analyst or portfolio manager
- ☑ Country-related analysis or ratings

Indicate who provides this information



- ☑ ESG research provider
- ☑ Sell-side
- $\ensuremath{\,\boxtimes\,}$ In-house specialised ESG analyst or team
- ☑ In-house analyst or portfolio manager

Indicate who provides this information

- ☑ ESG research provider
- ☑ Sell-side
- ☑ In-house specialised ESG analyst or team
- ✓ In-house analyst or portfolio manager
- ☑ ESG issue-specific analysis or ratings

Indicate who provides this information

- ☑ ESG research provider
- ☑ In-house specialised ESG analyst or team
- ✓ In-house analyst or portfolio manager
- ☐ Other, specify

LEI 02.2

Indicate whether you incentivise brokers to provide ESG research.

Yes

LEI 02.3

Describe how you incentivise brokers

Brokers are incentivised to provide ESG research by two methods:

- 1.A factor in the Annual Broker review is an assessment of the ESG research a broker provided over the previous year. This is a factor in determining the percentage of brokerage that will be allocated to the broker over the upcoming year. Other factors that form the end rating include level of service, quality of company analysis etc.
- 2.Brokers can also be incentivised and rewarded for quality ESG research by tagging them in trades. An example of when this may occur is if a broker was to provide a high quality report on ESG which may be company, sector or country specific.

 \bigcirc No

LEI 03	Voluntary	Public	Additional Assessed	PRI 1
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LEI 03.1

Indicate whether your organisation has a process through which information derived from ESG engagement and/or (proxy) voting activities is made available for use in investment decision-making.

☑ Engagemen	ľ
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- \bigcirc We have a systematic process to ensure the information is made available.
- We occasionally make this information available.
- O We do not make this information available.

☑ (Proxy) voting

- We have a systematic process to ensure the information is made available.
- O We occasionally make this information available.
- O We do not make this information available.

(A) Implementation: Screening

LEI 04 Mandatory Public Descriptive PRI 1

LEI 04.1

Indicate and describe the type of screening you apply to your internally managed active listed equities.

Type of screening

✓ Negative/exclusionary screening

Screened by

- ✓ Product
- Activity
- □ Sector
- ☐ Country/geographic region
- $\hfill\square$ Environmental and social practices and performance
- ☐ Corporate governance

Description

Sustainable Future Strategy uses a negative screen as described in a prior SG section.

☑ Positive/best-in-class screening

Screened by



☑ Product
☑ Activity
□ Sector
☐ Country/geographic region
☑ Environmental and social practices and performance
☑ Corporate governance
Description
Sustainble Future Strategy invests in companies having positive impacts as described in a prior SG section
Norms-based screening

LEI 04.2

Describe how you notify clients and/or beneficiaries when changes are made to your screening criteria.

We notify clients/beneficiaries in accordance with our compliance procedure including through updating our official fund documentation.

Man	datory	Public	Core Assessed	PRI 1
LEI 05.1	Indicate which processes analysis.	your organisation uses	to ensure ESG screening is I	pased on robust
☑ Comp	rehensive ESG research is und	lertaken or sourced to d	etermine companies' activitie	s and products.
	panies are given the opportunity ect inaccuracies.	by you or your research	n provider to review ESG rese	earch on them
	nal research and data used to ic RI staff, the internal audit function		excluded/included is subject	to internal audit
☐ Third-	party ESG ratings are updated	regularly to ensure that	portfolio holdings comply with	fund policies.
☐ Tradii	ng platforms blocking / restricting	g flagged securities on t	the black list.	
	nmittee, body or similar with rep reviews some or all screening		nt of the individuals who cond	luct company
☐ A per	odic review of internal research	is carried out.		
☐ Revie	w and evaluation of external res	search providers.		
☐ Other	; specify			
□ None	of the above			
LEI 05.2	Indicate the proportion of comprehensive ESG rese		listed equity portfolio that is s screening strategy.	ubject to
⊚ <10%				
O 10-50	%			
O 51-90	%			
O >90%				



LEI 05.5

Additional information. [Optional

We use internal research by the ESG and stock analysts to ensure validity of our screening processes. We also compare this to broker reports and external ESG research and data providers, however, given the nature of our fund in Australian small cap stocks, we find that the external data provider coverage in our universe is typically low.

(E	3) Implement	ation: Thematic				
LEI 07	Mandat	ory	Public	Descriptive	PRI 1	
	LEI 07.1	Indicate the type of sustainabi	ility thematic fur	nds or mandates your organis	sation manages.	
	□ Environmentally themed funds□ Socially themed funds☑ Combination of themes					
	LEI 07.2 Describe your organisa		orocesses relati	ng to sustainability themed for	unds. [Optional]	
	Our Sustainable Future strategies exclude stocks with direct exposure to: Fossil fuels Alcohol Tobacco Weapons Forestry activities Gambling activities Unhealthy fast food					
We also seek to invest in companies that make a positive contribution to create a sustainable futuon thematic sustainability themes like: Healthcare		tribution to create a sustaina	ble future. We focus			
Water management and supply						
	Renewable er					
	Low carbon technologies Education					

(C) Implement	ation: Integration of ESG fac	otors		
LEI 08	Mandato	Mandatory		Core Assessed	PRI 1
	LEI 08.1	Indicate the proportion of active are systematically researched			and G factors



ESG issues	Proportion impacted by analysis	
Environmental		
	Environmental	
	O <10%	
	○ 10-50%	
	○ 51-90%	
Social		
	Social	
	O <10%	
	○ 10-50%	
	○ 51-90%	
Corporate		
Governance	Corporate Governance	
	O <10%	
	○ 10-50%	
	○ 51-90%	
	● >90%	

LEI 09	Mandato	pry	Public	Core Assessed	PRI 1
	LEI 09.1	Indicate which processes your analysis.	organisation uses	to ensure ESG integration is base	ed on robust
☑ Comprehensive ESG research is undertaken or sourced to determine companies' a		letermine companies' activities an	d products		
		es are given the opportunity by your inaccuracies	ou or your researcl	h provider to review ESG research	n on them
	☐ Third-par	ty ESG ratings are updated regul	arly		
	☐ A periodio	c review of the internal research i	s carried out		
		d, regular ESG specific meetings vestments team	between responsi	ble investment staff and the fund	manager or
	☐ ESG risk	profile of a portfolio against bend	hmark		
	☐ Analysis	of the impact of ESG factors on in	nvestment risk and	return performance	
	☐ Other; sp	ecify			
	☐ None of t	he above			



	LEI 09.2	Indicate the proportion of your comprehensive ESG research		isted equity portfolio that is subje ation strategy.	ct to
	○ <10%				
	O 10-50%				
	○ 51-90%				
	>90%				
LEI 09.5 Describe how ESG information is held and used by your portfolio mana					
	☑ ESG info	rmation is held within centralised	databases or tools	, and it is accessible by all releva	nt staff
		rmation or analysis is a standard tor analysis generated by investr		of all company research notes or	
	☐ Systemat investment of		now ESG information	on and research were incorporate	d into
	☑ Other; sp	ecify			
	ESG tab i	n company models to assess en	vironment, social, g	povernance and engagement fact	ors
	☐ None of t	he above			
LEI 10	Mandato	ory to Report Voluntary to	Public	Core Assessed	PRI 1
LLITO	Disclose		rubiic	Oute Assessed	FIXIT
	New selection carefully.	options have been added to t	his indicator. Plea	se review your prefilled respor	ıses
	LEI 10.1	Indicate which aspects of investigation	stment analysis you	ı integrate material ESG informat	ion into.
	☐ Economic	c analysis			
	☑ Industry a	analysis			
		Proportion of actively mana	aged listed equity e	xposed to investment analysis	
	O <109	%			
	○ 10-5	0%			
	○ 51-9	0%			
	● >90°	%			
	☑ Quality of	management			
		Proportion of actively man	aged listed equity e	xposed to investment analysis	
	O <10°	%			
	○ 10-5	0%			
	○ 51-9	0%			
	• >90°	%			
		of company strategy			



	Proportion of actively managed listed equity exposed to investment analysis		
○ <10%			
○ 10-50	%		
○ 51-90	%		
● >90%			
☑ Portfolio we	eighting		
	Proportion of actively managed listed equity exposed to investment analysis		
○ <10%			
○ 10-50	%		
○ 51-90	%		
>90%			
☐ Security se	ensitivity and/or scenario analysis		
☐ Fair value/f	☐ Fair value/fundamental analysis		
☐ Other; specify			
LEI 10.3	Describe how you integrate ESG information into portfolio weighting.		
SG factors are one of the matters taken into account by portfolio managers when determining portfolio			

ESG factors are one of the matters taken into account by portfolio managers when determining portfolio weightings and whether to hold stocks. Material ESG risks are taken into account when deciding whether to invest in a stock and, if so, the size of the weighting in the stock.

	Outpu	its and c	outcomes			
	•	Valenta		D. I.I.	Description	DDI 4
LEI 1	2	Volunta	iry	Public	Descriptive	PRI 1
	LEI 12		dicate how your ESG incorporati	on strategies have i	nfluenced the composition of you	r portfolio(s)
	□ Scre	eening				
	□ The	matic				
	✓ Inte	gration of	ESG factors			
			Select which of these effects for	ollowed your ESG ir	ntegration.	
	V	Reduce	or prioritise the investment unive	rse		
	V	d Overweig	ght/underweight at sector level			
	V	d Overweig	ght/underweight at stock level			
	☑ Buy/sell decisions					
	V	I Engagen	nent / Voting			
		Other; sp	pecify			
	□ None of the above					



LEI 13 Voluntary Public Descriptive PRI 1

LEI 13.1

Provide examples of ESG factors that affected your investment view and/or performance during the reporting year.

☑ ESG factor 1

ESG factor and explanation

A funeral services provider was held in one of our strategies. We discovered media reports that suggested the company was charging vulnerable clients a late payment fee, paid by clients in advance, and was disguised as an "administration fee". We contacted the company to understand the validity of the media reports and how widespread the issue may be. The company subsequently released a media statement stating that "...the administration fee is discussed with the families at the time of the funeral arrangement...[the company] policy is to refund any administration fee that may have been inadvertently paid."

Integration

□ Screening
□ Thematic
☑ Integration

Impact on investment decision or performance

Post media coverage and engagement with the company, we were not satisfied that the company was treating clients fairly. Customer treatment and outcomes are considered in the "social" factors of our ESG process. We subsequently divested our holdings in the company as it did not meet our ESG criteria and posed a risk of reduced customer patronage given the media coverage.

☑ ESG factor 2



ESG factor and explanation

Although we have dedicated sustainable strategies, we also consider ESG integration across all funds under management. An example of ESG integration includes the reduction in exposure to gambling related stocks from one of our investment products. Although gambling-related stocks are excluded from our sustainable strategies, it is not an explicit exclusion in other funds. However, we are mindful of the impact of potential ESG issues on stocks that we hold - including regulatory risk - and reduced exposure to gambling related stocks in this instance.

ESG incorporation strategy applied

Thematic, Integration

☐ Screening

☑ Thematic

Impact on investment decision or performance

We have reduced the casino and gaming related companies in one of our investment products. Although gambling is not an explicit exclusion for this fund, this year we reduced our holdings in Tabcorp and Star Casino. This has contributed to the relative performance of the portfolio.

☑ ESG factor 3

ESG factor and explanation

We do not currently hold any thermal coal mining companies in our large cap fund and have not for some time as we are concerned around transition risk and the impact of investment exclusions relating to coal stocks.

ESG incorporation strategy applied

Thematic

☐ Screening

☑ Thematic

☐ Integration

Impact on investment decision or performance

In our sustainable strategies, we do not invest in companies associated with the extraction or sale of thermal coal. We also have no exposure to thermal coal in any portfolio. This is two fold, given the environmental consequences, but also, thematic as the economy shifts to greener forms of energy. We believe this will benefit our portfolio returns in the long run given we are future proofing the portfolio for long term thematic trends.

☑ ESG factor 4



☐ ESG factor 5

LEI 13.2

Additional information.[Optional]

These examples allowed us to make better informed investment decisions.



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EA 01	Mand	atory	Public	Core Assessed	PRI 2
New se	lection c	pptions have been adde	d to this indicator. Pleas	se review your prefilled respo	nses carefully.
LEA (01.1	Indicate whether your or voting).	ganisation has an active c	ownership policy (includes enga	gement and/or
⊚ Ye	:S				
	LEA 01.2	Attach or provide a	URL to your active owner	ship policy.	
	○ Attach	ment provided:			
	⊚ URL p	rovided:			
		URL			
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	LEA 01.3	Indicate what your a	active engagement policy	covers:	
		General approach	to Active Ownership		
		flicts of interest			
	_		ardship code requirement	S	
		ets/funds covered by acti	ive ownership policy		
	-	ectations and objectives			
	☑ Eng	agement approach			
		Engagement			
	\checkmark	ESG issues			
		Prioritisation of engager	ment		
	\checkmark	Methods of engagemen	t		
		Transparency of engage	ement activities		
	\checkmark	Due diligence and moni	toring process		
	\checkmark	Insider information			



 $\ensuremath{\,\boxtimes\,}$ Escalation strategies

 $\begin{tabular}{ll} \square Other; (specify) \\ \hline \square (Proxy) voting approach \\ \end{tabular}$

 \square Service Provider specific criteria

		Voting			
		☑ ESG issues			
☑ Prioritisation and scope of voting activities					
		☑ Transparency of voting activities			
		☐ Regional voting practice approaches			
		☐ Filing or co-filing resolutions			
		☑ Company dialogue pre/post-vote			
		☑ Decision-making processes			
		☐ Securities lending processes			
☐ Other; (specify)					
☐ Other					
☐ None of the above					
	\circ No				
	LEA 01.4	Do you outsource any of your active ownership activities to service providers?			
	○ Yes				
	No				
	_				
	Engagement				

Public

Indicate the method of engagement, giving reasons for the interaction.

Core Assessed

PRI 1,2,3

PRII Principles for Responsible Investment

LEA 02

LEA 02.1

Mandatory

Type of engagement	Reason for interaction
Individual / Internal staff engagements	☑ To influence corporate practice (or identify the need to influence it) on ESG issues
	☑ To encourage improved/increased ESG disclosure
	☑ To gain an understanding of ESG strategy and/or management
	☐ We do not engage via internal staff
Collaborative engagements	☑ To influence corporate practice (or identify the need to influence it) on ESG issues
	☑ To encourage improved/increased ESG disclosure
	☑ To gain an understanding of ESG strategy and/or management
	☐ We do not engage via collaborative engagements
Service provider engagements	☐ To influence corporate practice (or identify the need to influence it) on ESG issues
	☐ To encourage improved/increased ESG disclosure
	\square To gain an understanding of ESG strategy and/or management
	☑ We do not engage via service providers

LEA 03 Mandatory Public Core Assessed PRI 2

New selection options have been added to this indicator. Please review your prefilled responses carefully.

LEA 03.1

Indicate whether your organisation has a formal process for identifying and prioritising engagements.

Yes

LEA 03.2

Indicate the criteria used to identify and prioritise engagements for each type of engagement.



Type of engagement	Criteria used to identify/prioritise engagements				
Individual / Internal staff					
engagements	Individual / Internal staff engagements				
	☐ Geography/market of the companies				
	☑ Materiality of the ESG factors				
	☑ Exposure (size of holdings)				
	☑ Responses to ESG impacts that have already occurred				
	☐ Responses to divestment pressure				
	☐ Consultation with clients/beneficiaries				
	☐ Consultation with other stakeholders (e.g. NGOs, trade unions, etc.)				
	☑ Follow-up from a voting decision				
	☑ Client request				
	☐ Breaches of international norms				
	☐ Other; (specify)				
	\square We do not outline engagement criteria for our individual engagements				
Collaborative engagements					
	Collaborative engagements				
	☑ Potential to enhance knowledge of ESG issues through other investors				
	☑ Ability to have greater impact on ESG issues				
	☑ Ability to add value to the collaboration				
	☐ Geography/market of the companies targeted by the collaboration				
	☑ Materiality of the ESG factors addressed by the collaboration				
	☐ Exposure (size of holdings) to companies targeted by the collaboration				
	☐ Responses to ESG impacts addressed by the collaboration that have already occurred				
	☐ Responses to divestment pressure				
	☐ Follow-up from a voting decision				
	☐ Alleviate the resource burden of engagement				
	☐ Consultation with clients/beneficiaries				
	☐ Consultation with other stakeholders (e.g. NGOs, trade unions, etc.)				
	☐ Other; (specify)				
	☐ We do not outline engagement criteria for our collaborative engagement providers				

 \bigcirc No

LEA 04 Mandatory Public Core Assessed PRI 2

New selection options have been added to this indicator. Please review your prefilled responses carefully.



LEA 04.1

Indicate whether you define specific objectives for your organisation's engagement activities.

Individual / Internal staff engagements	 All engagement activities Majority of engagement activities Minority of engagement activities We do not define specific objectives for engagement activities carried out by internal staff 			
Collaborative engagements	 All engagement activities Majority of engagement activities Minority of engagement activities We do not define specific objectives for engagement activities carried out through collaboration 			

LEA 05 Mandatory Public Core Assessed PRI 2

LEA 05.1

Indicate whether you monitor and/or review engagement outcomes.

Individual / Internal staff engagements	 Yes, in all cases Yes, in a majority of cases Yes, in a minority of cases We do not monitor, or review engagement outcomes when the engagement is carried out by our internal staff.
Collaborative engagements	 Yes, in all cases Yes, in a majority of cases Yes, in a minority of cases We do not monitor, or review engagement outcomes when the engagement is carried out through collaboration.

LEA 05.2

Indicate whether you do any of the following to monitor and/or review the progress of engagement activities.



Individual / Internal staff engagements	 □ Define timelines/milestones for your objectives □ Track and/or monitor progress against defined objectives and/or KPIs ☑ Track and/or monitor the progress of action taken when original objectives are not met ☑ Revisit and, if necessary, revise objectives on a continuous basis □ Other; specify
Collaborative engagements	 ☑ Define timelines/milestones for your objectives ☐ Track and/or monitor progress against defined objectives and/or KPIs ☑ Track and/or monitor the progress of action taken when original objectives are not met ☑ Revisit and, if necessary, revise objectives on a continuous basis ☐ Other; specify

LEA 06 Mandatory Public Additional Assessed PRI 2,4

LEA 06.1

Indicate whether your organisation has an escalation strategy when engagements are unsuccessful.

Yes

LEA 06.2

Indicate the escalation strategies used at your organisation following unsuccessful engagements.

- ☑ Collaborating with other investors
- ☐ Issuing a public statement
- ☐ Filing/submitting a shareholder resolution
- ☑ Voting against the re-election of the relevant directors
- ☑ Voting against the board of directors or the annual financial report
- ☐ Submitting nominations for election to the board
- ☐ Seeking legal remedy / litigation
- ☑ Reducing exposure (size of holdings)
- ☑ Divestment
- ☐ Other; specify

 \bigcirc No

LEA 06.3

Additional information. [Optional

If we have significant unresolved concerns in relation to the issue we will seek to escalate by one or a combination of the following:

- writing to Company management;
- meeting with the Chairperson or Lead Independent Director; or
- writing a formal letter to the Board of Directors.

If the issue remains unresolved, we will consider divesting our holding in the Company.



LEA 07 Voluntary Public Additional Assessed PRI 1,2

LEA 07.1

Indicate whether insights gained from your organisation`s engagements are shared with investment decision-makers.

Type of engagement	Insights shared
Individual / Internal staff engagements	Yes, systematicallyYes, occasionallyNo
Collaborative engagements	Yes, systematicallyYes, occasionallyNo

LEA 07.2

Indicate the practices used to ensure that information and insights gained through engagements are shared with investment decision-makers.

П	Involving	investment	decision	-makers	when	develoni	na an	engagement	nrogramme
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☐ Holding investment team meetings and/or presentations

☑ Using IT platforms/systems that enable data sharing

 \Box Internal process that requires portfolio managers to re-balance holdings based on interaction and outcome levels

Other; specify

We have a company meetings engagement file which documents all meetings from analysts and portfolio managers. In this file, ESG topics and impact are disclosed.

☐ None

LEA 07.3

Indicate whether insights gained from your organisation's engagements are shared with your clients/beneficiaries.

Type of engagement	Insights shared
Individual/Internal staff engagements	Yes, systematicallyYes, occasionallyNo
Collaborative engagements	○ Yes, systematically● Yes, occasionally○ No

LEA 07.4

Additional information. [Optional

All engagement activities are documented in a centralised database of company meetings. Comments are included on any ESG topics addressed and impact of the discussion including any follow ups required.

The specific ESG engagement meetings are then documented by the ESG team in another centralised database and this is sent to clients on request, used to analyse our engagement outcomes, helps to influence proxy voting and used for reporting.



LEA 08 Mandatory Public Gateway PRI 2

LEA 08.1

Indicate whether you track the number of your engagement activities.

Type of engagement	Tracking engagements			
Individual/Internal staff engagements	Yes, we track the number of our engagements in fullYes, we partially track the number of our engagementsWe do not track			
Collaborative engagements	 Yes, we track the number of collaborative engagements in full Yes, we partially track the number of our collaborative engagements We do not track 			

LEA 08.2

Additional information [Optional]

Each engagement activity is tracked in our company meetings database and ESG specific engagement or collaboration in a ESG specific database.

Outputs and outcomes

LEA 09 Mandatory to Report Voluntary to Disclose Public Core Assessed PRI 2

LEA 09.1

Indicate the proportion of companies in your listed equities portfolio with which your organisation engaged during the reporting year.

	We did not complete any engagements in the reporting year.	Number of companies engaged (avoid double counting, see explanatory notes)	Proportion of companies engaged with, out of total listed equities portfolio
Individual / Internal staff engagements		335	100
Collaborative engagements	☑		

LEA 09.2

Indicate the breakdown of engagements conducted within the reporting year by the number of interactions (including interactions made on your behalf).



No. of interactions with a company	% of engagements
	○ >76%
One interaction	• 51-75%
	○ 11-50%
	○ 1-10%
	○ None
	○ >76%
2 to 3 interactions	○ 51-75%
	11-50%
	○ 1-10%
	○ None
	○ >76%
More than 3 interactions	○ 51-75%
	○ 11-50%
	1-10%
	○ None
Total	
	100%

LEA 10	Voluntary	Public	Additional Assessed	PRI 2
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LEA 10.1	Indicate which of the following your engagement involved.
☑ Letters and emails to companies	
In a minority of cases	

 $\ensuremath{\boxdot}$ Meetings and/or calls with board/senior management

O In a minority of cases

O In a majority of cases

In a majority of cases

O In all cases

O In all cases

☑ Meetings and/or calls with the CSR, IR or other management

In a minority of cases

O In a majority of cases

In all cases

☑ Visits to operations

In a minority of cases

O In a majority of cases

O In all cases

 $\ensuremath{\boxdot}$ Visits to supplier(s) in supplier(s) from the company's supply chain

In a minority of cases

O In a majority of cases

O In all cases

☑ Participation in roadshows

In a minority of cases

○ In a majority of cases

O In all cases

□ Other

LEA 10.2

Additional information. [Optional]

Our engagement activities include emails, phone calls, face to face meetings, investor briefings, AGM's, results calls and site visits.

We engage with representatives from investor relations, executive management, board members & the chair and specialists within the organisation.

(Proxy) voting and shareholder resolutions

LEA 12 Mandatory Public Descriptive PRI 2

LEA 12.1

Indicate how you typically make your (proxy) voting decisions.



Approach

- O We use our own research or voting team and make voting decisions without the use of service providers.
- We hire service providers who make voting recommendations and/or provide research that we use to guide our voting decisions.

Based on

- O The service-provider voting policy we sign off on
- Our own voting policy
- Our clients' requests or policies
- Other (explain)
- O We hire service providers who make voting decisions on our behalf, except in some pre-defined scenarios where we review and make voting decisions.
- O We hire service providers who make voting decisions on our behalf.

LEA 12.2

Provide an overview of how you ensure that your agreed-upon voting policy is adhered to, giving details of your approach when exceptions to the policy are made.

We utilise a proxy voting platform called Viewpoint which allows us to track meetings and the manner in which we voted. This includes whether we have voted in line with management recommendations and CGI Glass Lewis recommendations.

The Viewpoint system allows us to review proxy voting and identify exceptions to the voting policy.

LEA 14 Voluntary Public Additional Assessed PRI 2

LEA 14.1 Does your organisation have a securities lending programme?

○ Yes

No

LEA 14.2 Describe why your organisation does not lend securities.

Our policy is to not lend securities.

LEA 15 Mandatory Public Descriptive PRI 2

LEA 15.1

Indicate the proportion of votes participated in within the reporting year in which where you or the service providers acting on your behalf raised concerns with companies ahead of voting.

- 100%
- O 99-75%
- O 74-50%
- O 49-25%
- **②** 24-1%
- O Neither we nor our service provider(s) raise concerns with companies ahead of voting



LEA	15.2	Indicate the reasons for raising	your concerns with th	ese companies ahead of voting.	
□Vo	☐ Vote(s) concerned selected markets				
□Vo	☐ Vote(s) concerned selected sectors				
☑ Vc	☑ Vote(s) concerned certain ESG issues				
☑ Vo	ite(s) co	oncerned companies exposed to	controversy on specific	c ESG issues	
☑ Vo	ite(s) co	oncerned significant shareholding	S		
□ Cli	ent req	uest			
□ Ot	her				
LEA ·	15.3	Additional information. [Optional	al]		
allows a	analysts		hen voting on compan	ncerns with the company where re y issues. We may also engage w our knowledge on these issues.	
A 16	Mar	datory	Public	Core Assessed	PRI 2
LEA	16.1		companies for abstair	e service provider(s) acting on yo ning or voting against managemer of all eligible votes.	
O 10	0%				
○ 99	-75%				
O 74	-50%				
O 49	-25%				
⊚ 24	-1%				
\circ W	e do no	t communicate the rationale to co	ompanies		
	ot applic nmenda		rice providers did not a	abstain or vote against manageme	ent
LEA	16.2	Indicate the reasons why your abstaining or voting against ma		mmunicate to companies, the rati dations.	onale for
□Vo	ite(s) co	oncern selected markets			
□Vo	□ Vote(s) concern selected sectors				
☑ Vo	☑ Vote(s) concern certain ESG issues				
✓ Vo	☑ Vote(s) concern companies exposed to controversy on specific ESG issues				
☑ Vo	☑ Vote(s) concern significant shareholdings				
□ Cli	ent req	uest			
□ Ot	her				



LEA 16.3

In cases where your organisation does communicate the rationale for abstaining or voting against management recommendations, indicate whether this rationale is made public.

O Yes

No

LEA 16.4

Additional information. [Optional]

In circumstances where we intend to vote against company recommendations, we attempt to provide notice or discuss our votes with the company ahead of time. We believe this demonstrates best practice, allowing for the company board to respond to our concerns prior to our vote being finalised.

LEA 17 Mandatory Public Core Assessed PRI 2

LEA 17.1

For listed equities in which you or your service provider have the mandate to issue (proxy) voting instructions, indicate the percentage of votes cast during the reporting year.

• We do track or collect this information

Votes cast (to the nearest 1%)

%

100

Specify the basis on which this percentage is calculated

- Of the total number of ballot items on which you could have issued instructions
- Of the total number of company meetings at which you could have voted
- Of the total value of your listed equity holdings on which you could have voted
- O We do not track or collect this information

LEA 17.3 Additional information. [Optional]

Our Responsible Investment Policy states:

Perennial should vote on all company resolutions considered at general meetings where it has the voting authority and responsibility to do so, regardless of the materiality of the resolution. Voting rights are a valuable asset which should be managed with the same care and diligence as any other asset. Ultimately, shareholders' ability to influence management depends on shareholders' willingness to exercise those rights.

Perennial generally supports Boards by positive use of its voting power unless there is good reason for doing otherwise (for example, a proposal which Perennial believes will damage shareholders' rights or economic interests). If Perennial intends to vote against a proposal, we will typically contact the company in time for the problem to be considered with a view to achieving a satisfactory solution.

Perennial may abstain from voting on proposals in the following circumstances:

- □ Where it is unable to support the resolution but where it believes that it would be against investors' interests to oppose publicly,
- ☐ Where exclusions may arise from the Corporations Act or any conflict of interest; and
- ☐ Where Perennial has already made a decision to dispose of the securities.

All votes must be made in the best interest of the unit holders and clients.



LEA 18 Voluntary Public Additional Assessed PRI 2

LEA 18.1

Indicate whether you track the voting instructions that you or your service provider on your behalf have issued.

Yes, we track this information

LEA 18.2

Of the voting instructions that you and/or third parties on your behalf have issued, indicate the proportion of ballot items that were:

Voting instructions	Breakdown as percentage of votes cast
For (supporting) management recommendations	92.5
Against (opposing) management recommendations	4.9
Abstentions	2.6

100%

 \bigcirc No, we do not track this information

LEA 18.3

In cases where your organisation voted against management recommendations, indicate the percentage of companies which you have engaged.

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LEA 19	Mandatory	Public	Core Assessed	PRI 2

LEA 19.1

Indicate whether your organisation has a formal escalation strategy following unsuccessful voting.

Yes

 \bigcirc No



LEA 19.2

Indicate the escalation strategies used at your organisation following abstentions and/or votes against management.

☑ Contacting the company's board

☑ Contacting the company's senior management

 \square Issuing a public statement explaining the rationale

☐ Initiating individual/collaborative engagement

☐ Directing service providers to engage

 $\ensuremath{\,\boxtimes\,}$ Reducing exposure (holdings) / divestment

☐ Other

LEA 20 Voluntary Public Descriptive PRI 2

LEA 20.1

Indicate whether your organisation, directly or through a service provider, filed or co-filed any ESG shareholder resolutions during the reporting year.

O Yes

No

LEA 21 Voluntary Public Descriptive PRI 2

LEA 21.1

Provide examples of the (proxy) voting activities that your organisation and/or service provider carried out during the reporting year.

☑ Add Example 1

ESG Topic	Health and Safety Executive Remuneration Climate Change Human rights Company leadership issues Pollution General ESG Diversity Shareholder rights Health and Safety Sustainability reporting Water risks Labour practices and supply chain management Anti-bribery and corruption Deforestation Aggressive tax planning Cyber security Political spending / lobbying Other governance Plastics
Conducted	□ Other
by	☑ Individual/Internal □ Service provider
Objectives	We became aware of two fatalities in the financial year from staff of a held metal recycling company in our portfolio. We engaged with management to get further detail of the incidents and understand the companies response to these safety issues.
Scope and Process	We hoped to see adequate progress on safety management given the two fatalities that occurred during the year. In our view, executive short term incentives (STIs) were not adjusted down appropriately, given for the safety failures of the firm that year. We subsequently voted against the 2019 remuneration report with provided reasoning "we view the reduction in STI's as inadequate in light of two fatalities during FY19". This was against management recommendations and CGI Glass Lewis recommendations.
Outcomes	 □ Company changed practice □ Company committed to change □ Disclosure / report published □ Divestment □ Failed/no outcome



☐ Increased understanding / information
☐ Invested in company
☑ Ongoing
□ Voting
□ Other

☑ Add Example 2



ESG Topic	Human rights, Labour practices and supply chain management □ Executive Remuneration □ Climate Change □ Human rights □ Company leadership issues □ Pollution □ General ESG □ Diversity □ Shareholder rights □ Health and Safety
	☐ Sustainability reporting ☐ Water risks
	☑ Labour practices and supply chain management☐ Anti-bribery and corruption
	□ Deforestation □ Aggressive tax planning □ Cyber security
	□ Political spending / lobbying□ Other governance
	□ Plastics □ Other
Conducted by	☑ Individual/Internal□ Service provider
Objectives	A large retail chain in FY19 received resolutions requestioned by minority shareholders surrounding concerns on the company's domestic fresh food supply chains from modern slavery and labour abuses. They sought the company to adopt principles on the accreditation and compliance of suppliers, labour rights education and grievance procedures. Our objectives on these resolutions were to become educated on the topic, and issues specific to the company, to allow us to make an informed decision when making a voting decision.
Scope and Process	We engaged with the company's management, the organisation that requestioned the resolution, analysts internally and analysts externally to gather the relevant information. We reviewed recent initiatives the company undertook to address these issues and compared it to peers. This allowed us to make an informed view when voting on this resolution. Ultimately, we believed that the company was making sufficient progress on its supply chain and we did not vote for the resolution which was in line with management and CGI Glass Lewis recommendations. We will continue to monitor the progress of the company on labour practices and supply chain management which will be particularly topical as the company reports on Modern Slavery under the Act in 2020.
Outcomes	 □ Company changed practice □ Company committed to change □ Disclosure / report published



□ Divestment
☐ Failed/no outcome
☐ Increased understanding / information
☐ Invested in company
☑ Ongoing
□ Voting
□ Other

☑ Add Example 3



ESG Topic	Climate Change, Human rights □ Executive Remuneration ☑ Climate Change ☑ Human rights □ Company leadership issues □ Pollution □ General ESG □ Diversity □ Shareholder rights □ Health and Safety
	□ Sustainability reporting □ Water risks □ Labour practices and supply chain management □ Anti-bribery and corruption □ Deforestation
	□ Aggressive tax planning □ Cyber security □ Political spending / lobbying □ Other governance □ Plastics □ Other
Conducted by	☑ Individual/Internal □ Service provider
Objectives	An Energy company in our portfolio had an environmental and human rights related shareholder proposals in the 2019 proxy, including the alignment of the company to the Paris Agreement of phasing our coal emissions by 2030. Another proposal was regarding free, prior and informed consent. The sustainability team and the company analyst engaged to discuss our position on these issues. The objective was to decide if we would vote against management and our service provider and in line with the proposals.
Scope and Process	The sustainability team and stock analyst decided that we would vote for the shareholder proposal in relation to the alignment with the Paris Agreement to phase out coal generation and the proposal regarding free, prior and informed consent. We believe that it is in the best interest for the company and community to phase out coal generated emissions by 2030 given reputational, environmental and regulatory concerns and an opportunity for the business to show industry leadership. We also believe that the company should be reviewing Informed Consent to Aboriginal native title holders as it is in the best interest of shareholders and the community to ensure human rights are being met. The risks around FPIC include protests, reputational harm, fines and legal risks. The analyst discussed these views with the company prior to voting. Despite the resolutions not being passed at the AGM, the process of engagement and voting for these proposals demonstrated to management that we care about these issues and expect the company to be taking adequate steps to address these concerns.
Outcomes	□ Company changed practice



	☐ Company committed to change		
	□ Disclosure / report published		
	□ Divestment		
	☐ Failed/no outcome		
	☑ Increased understanding / information		
	□ Invested in company		
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Confidence building measures **Public Additional Assessed** CM1 01 **Mandatory** General Indicate whether the reported information you have provided for your PRI Transparency Report this CM1 01.1 year has undergone: ☐ Third party assurance over selected responses from this year's PRI Transparency Report ☐ Third party assurance over data points from other sources that have subsequently been used in your PRI responses this year ☐ Third party assurance or audit of the correct implementation of RI processes (that have been reported to the PRI this year) ☑ Internal audit of the correct implementation of RI processes and/or accuracy of RI data (that have been reported to the PRI this year) ☑ Internal verification of responses before submission to the PRI (e.g. by the CEO or the board) O Whole PRI Transparency Report has been internally verified Selected data has been internally verified ☐ Other, specify ☐ None of the above CM1 02 **Mandatory Public Descriptive** General CM1 02.1 We undertook third party assurance on last year's PRI Transparency Report O Whole PRI Transparency Report was assured last year O Selected data was assured in last year's PRI Transparency Report • We did not assure last year's PRI Transparency report O None of the above, we were in our preparation year and did not report last year. CM1 03 **Mandatory Public Descriptive** General We undertake confidence building measures that are unspecific to the data contained in our PRI CM1 03.1 Transparency Report:

☑ We adhere to an RI certification or labelling scheme



	CM1 03.2	Which scheme?			
☐ National SRI label based on the EUROSIF Transparency guidelines					
☐ B-corporation					
☐ UK Stewardship code					
	☐ GRESB				
	□ Commo	dity type label (e.g. BCI)			
	☐ Social la	bel			
	☐ Climate	label			
	☑ RIAA				
		% of total AUM the scheme	e applies		
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	○ 25-	50 %			
	○ 50-	70 %			
	○ >75	5 %			
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Relevant modules			
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