Summary document

Robeco Umbrella Fund I N.V. - Robeco QI Global Developed Enhanced Index Equities Fund

This financial product promotes environmental or social characteristics, but does not have as its objective sustainable investment.

The Subfund has the following E/S characteristics:
1. The Subfund promotes certain minimum environmental and social safeguards through applying exclusion criteria with regards to products and business practices that Robeco believes are detrimental to society, such as investments in controversial behaviour, controversial weapons, and certain fossil fuel-related activities.
2. The Subfund promotes having a lower corporate Carbon Footprint than the General Market Index.
3. The Subfund promotes having a lower water and waste footprint than the General Market Index.
4. The Subfund promotes adherence to and conducting business activities in accordance with the United Nations Universal Declaration of Human Rights, the International Labor Organization's (ILO) labor standards, the United Nations Guiding Principles for Business and Human Rights (UNGPs), the United Nations Global Compact (UNGC) and the OECD Guidelines for Multinational Enterprises, by scrutinizing companies that violate these principles.
5. The Subfund's promotes having a weighted average ESG score that is better than that of the General Market Index.
6. The Subfund promotes having a larger share of companies with a positive SDG score (1,2,3) in the portfolio than the General Market Index.

There is no reference benchmark designated for the purpose of attaining the environmental or social characteristics promoted by the Subfund.

Investment Strategy

Robeco QI Global Developed Enhanced Index Equities Fund is an actively managed fund that invests in stocks of companies in developed markets. The selection of these stocks is based on a quantitative model as described in the Investment policy strategy paragraph in the Supplement of this prospectus. The strategy integrates sustainability indicators on a continuous basis as part of the stock selection process. Amongst others, the Fund applies norms-based and activity-based exclusions
and considers Principal Adverse Impacts in the investment process.

Benchmark

Not applicable.

Planned asset allocation

The product plans to make a minimum of 50% sustainable investments. All investments are aligned with the E/S characteristics, with the exception of investments in the category “other” which are mostly cash and cash equivalents.

Monitoring and due diligence

Robeco has incorporated the sustainability aspects of the investment strategies into adequate investment due diligence processes and procedures for the selection and monitoring of investments, amongst others taking into account Robeco’s risk appetite and sustainability risk management policies. Portfolio managers and analysts are primarily responsible for conducting investment due diligence on their strategies on a daily basis. They are supported by independent monitoring, performed by the Financial Risk Management and Investment Restrictions departments.

Data sources, methodologies and limitations

The product uses several sources for gathering sustainability data. Robeco scrutinises the data quality of each provider during due diligence assessments, that includes reviewing the data model, performing statistical checks and evaluating coverage. Data processing takes places in different forms, the preference is always to have data acquisition as automated as possible to avoid any operational risks or unnecessary human intervention.

Robeco maintains comprehensive methodology documents of our proprietary analytical frameworks on our website. In addition, for some social and environmental characteristics, Robeco relies on externally sourced content for which we aim to select the best of breed vendor for each of our target characteristics. The primary limitation to the methodology or data source is the lack of corporate disclosure. Like many other financial market participants, we struggle to find adequate information on the principal adverse indicators. To overcome this issue, Robeco has resorted to using multiple data providers, since each has its own respective strengths and weaknesses.

Engagement strategy

The holdings of the fund are subject to the selection process of Robeco's value engagement program, that consists of a constructive dialogue between investors and investee companies to discuss how they manage ESG risks and opportunities, as well as stakeholder impact. Although this type of engagement is not directly related to the sustainable investment objective of the fund, it can be that adverse sustainability impacts are addressed via the value engagement program.