

| <b>ESG<br/>Report</b>                                                                             |  |
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|                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                              | <i>"We aim to become carbon neutral by 2050 and use our active management to align our investments with the same"</i> |  |  |
| <p>EcoVenture integrates ESG factors throughout our investment process, aligning with the UN's Principles for Responsible Investment. We:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Analyze ESG using robust tools and metrics.</li></ul> <p>This can be observed through our methodology and our mapping for different industries.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Actively engage with companies on ESG issues.</li></ul> <p>Stakeholder</p> |                                                                                                                       |  |  |

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| <p>management through</p> <p>feedback, surveys,</p> <p>change</p> <p>management,</p> <p>promoting</p> <p>diversity</p> <p>and</p> <p>other</p> <p>strategies.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Advocate</li></ul> <p>for</p> <p>standardized</p> <p>ESG</p> <p>disclosure.</p> <p>This is through</p> <p>our</p> <p>proxy</p> <p>influence</p> <p>and through</p> <p>our funding</p> <p>policy</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Promote</li></ul> <p>responsible</p> <p>investing</p> <p>practices</p> <p>within</p> <p>the</p> <p>industry.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Collaborate</li></ul> <p>with</p> |  |  |  |
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others to enhance effectiveness.

- Report transparently on our ESG activities and progress.

By prioritizing ESG, EcoVenture delivers strong returns while fostering a sustainable future.

# Our

Portfolio

EcoVenture applies an exclusion list to align investments with our responsible investing principles. We exclude companies within each sector based on the following criteria:

- **\*\* Modern**

Slavery:\*\*

Companies without a Modern-Day Slavery Statement are excluded.

- **GRI Compliance:**

Companies with no

record of  
GRI  
compliance reports  
are  
excluded.

• **MSCI Index:**

Companies  
with a  
rating of  
BBB or  
lower  
are  
excluded.

This initial screening  
ensures a foundation  
of responsible business  
practices within our  
portfolio. Furthermore,  
there are more exclusions  
sector wise based on  
our expectations and  
standards.

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COMPUT ER INC

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Here’s a list of few  
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exc luded, for a more  
exha ustive list please  
refer to the excel file  
pro vided.



An internal ESG Score is constructed using a weighted average of relevant environmental (E), social (S), and governance (G) data points. They vary across the industry sectors and underlying business and its implications on broader society.

**Methodology:**

Our ESG Score combines internal data analysis with a weighted average of key metrics. The weighting reflects our priorities (e.g., higher weight for social factors). The environmental factors and governance factors are same across the different industries albeit with different weights. These are mainly: Net GHG emissions, GHG Management Score and Climate Change policy. The weight for each of these factors are dependent on the industry they are in for e.g. These are the weights for the 3 factors in the energy sector. A higher focus is on emissions as the industry itself has poor performance in maintain their emissions under limits. The weights for each industry and factors are considered sim

ilarly and can be found in our excel.

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The social factors are the ones whose data was most inconsistent and dynamic, and we approached it sector wise. Assigning more weightage to issues relevant to the sector for eg. Data security score was used for sectors like IT and Communication in place of Occupational Health and Safety scores for industries like utilities and materials. The lack of data prevented us from using more advanced analysis on these metrics. A multi branched tree aggregator was used for scoring . Here's how we did it

We start by identifying the key metrics that are crucial for the evaluation. These included factors like board compensation, Percentage of women on board, OHS score, labour management or any other criteria relevant to my goals.

Next was assigning weights to each metric based on their importance. I made sure that the total of all weights adds up to 1 (or 100%).

Then, I score each option against these metrics. We also used a scaling function to normalize the different ranges into a consistent scoring rank to aggregate and compare. The lower the better.

For the first layer, I calculate the weighted average by multiplying each score by its corresponding weight and summing them up.

If there's a second layer of metrics, I repeat the scoring and weighting process. This layer could represent each of the E, S and G factor which are equal in our analysis as we had a higher level of integration in the previous layer.

Finally, we aggregate the scores from both layers to get a final score for each firm. Then they are rated based on their scales.

Using the final scores, we compared our options and made decisions that aligned with our strategic objectives. The ratings are based on quartile basis with the top 25 percentile being rated as good.

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Integration and Methodology

The scoring methodology for ESG integration was developed internally on the backbone of ESG methodology MSCI uses. Several key factors have been identified in the GICS industries and a unique scoring metric has been adapted with the importance of each factor selected on a discretionary level. We have used a bottom-up approach to create our ratings. We believe in maximizing stakeholder value not just shareholders.

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| <p>Our Stock Selections for Long Term Value Creation.</p>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                 |  |  |  |
| <p>We identify top ESG performers within each GICS sector based on our ESG Rating system. We prioritize at least one security per sector for diversification, even if the pool of qualified options is limited. In such cases, we may consider engagement with companies to encourage positive ESG transitions.</p> <p><b>S</b></p> <hr/> <p>&amp;P 500</p> <p>• — —</p> <p>— —</p> <hr/> <p>ESG SCORE STOCK<br/>Rating - — — — —<br/>— — — 7.7 333333<br/>33 A WK US GOOD</p> <p>Equity</p> <p>7.9 5 E VRG US GOOD</p> <p>Equity</p> <p>9</p> <p>L</p> <p>NT US GOOD</p> |  |  |  |

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**Recommendations:**

- Continuously refine the ESG scoring methodology based on new data and market trends.
- Increase engagement efforts with companies on the cusp of exclusion to promote ESG improvements.



- Advocate for industry-wide adoption of standardized ESG reporting frameworks.

By integrating ESG factors throughout our investment strategy, Eco Venture aims to deliver strong returns for clients while fostering a sustainable future.

| Fixed Income                                                                                                                                                          |  |
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| Although we do not have an active position in the fixed income space now due to a lack of issuances and the complexity of assessing YTM sensitivities to ESG factors. |  |

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