

## sycomore

# next generation

**Share ID** 

Isin code | LU1973748020 NAV | 117.3€

Assets | 401.4 M€

#### SFDR 8

## Sustainable Investments

% AUM: ≥ 25% % Companies\*: ≥ 50% \*Excluding derivatives, cash & equivalent

#### Risk indicator

Higher risk

Lower risk

The risk indicator assumes you keep the product for 5 years. **Warning:** the actual risk can vary significantly if you cash in at an early stage and you may get back less.

The fund does not offer any guarantee of return or performance and presents a risk of capital loss

#### **Investment Team**



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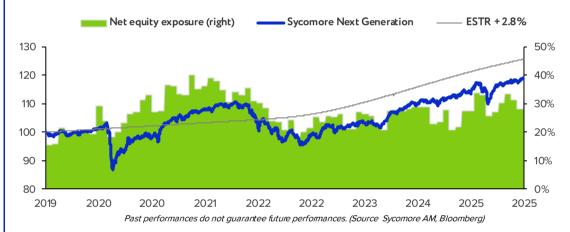


France

#### Investment strategy

Sycomore Next Generation is a flexible, multi-asset SRI fund that combines Sycomore's proven expertise in responsible stock and bond picking and international asset allocation, to achieve performance and diversification. The fund's investment process draws from a thorough fundamental analysis, combined with the ESG analysis of companies and countries, with an additional macroeconomic overlay. Managed actively, the fund's exposure to equities (0-50%) and fixed income (0-100%) - including corporate and sovereign debt - is designed to enhance its risk-return profile, to achieve steady capital growth. Employing a multi-themed SRI approach, the fund seeks to invest in companies addressing social, environmental, and technological challenges as highlighted by the United Nations' Sustainable Development Goals, for the generations to come.

### Performance as of 30.09.2025



	Sep	2025	1 year	3 yrs	5 yrs	Inc.	Annu.	2024	2023	2022	2021
Fund %	1.1	4.5	6.1	24.6	21.2	19.2	2.8	6.4	9.2	-10.6	5.3
Index %	0.4	3.9	5.4	18.8	22.9	25.7	3.6	6.7	6.2	2.5	1.5

## Statistics

	Corr.	Beta	Alpha	Vol.	Sharpe	Info	Draw	Cana:	Yield to `	Yield to
					Ratio	Ratio	Down	Sensi.	mat.	worst
3 years	0.0	-0.3	9.4%	3.6%	1.3	0.5	-13.7%			
Inception	0.0	0.0	2.8%	5.1%	0.3	-0.2	-15.7%	3.3	4.6%	3.7%

## Fund commentary

The Fed lowered its key rates by 25 bp, as widely anticipated, and the market is expecting two further cuts before the end of the year. In contrast, the ECB has left its rates unchanged and is rather more optimistic on growth within the Eurozone; however, the central bank has not issued any signals regarding its monetary policy over the next few months. Equity markets continued to rise, driven by technology, banks and metals. We strengthened our exposure to Asia and Japan. Spreads have narrowed across the credit spectrum, causing the High-Yield segment to outperform better-rated issuers. In particular, the downgrade of France and the upgrade of Spanish and Italian credit ratings had little impact on corporate debt risk premiums. The primary market stayed very dynamic in September.

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#### **Fund Information**

#### Inception date

29/04/2019

#### **ISIN** codes

Share IC - LU1961857478 Share ID - LU1973748020 Share RC - LU1961857551

#### **Bloomberg tickers**

Share IC - SYCNXIE LX Share ID - SYCNXID LX Share RC - SYCNXRE LX

#### **Benchmark**

ESTR + 2.8%

#### **Legal form**

SICAV compartment

#### **Domiciliation**

Luxembourg

#### **PEA** eligibility

Nο

#### **Investment period**

3 yrs

#### **Minimum investment**

None

#### **UCITS V**

Yes

## Valuation

Daily

#### Currency

EUR

#### **Cut-Off**

11am CET Paris (BPSS LUX)

#### **Cash Settlement**

D+2

#### Admin and management fees

Share IC - 0.75% Share ID - 0.75% Share RC - 1.35%

#### Performance fees

15% > Benchmark

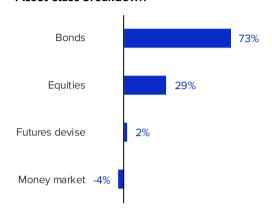
#### Transaction fees

None

#### **Equities**

Number of holdings 45 Weight of top 20 stocks 16%

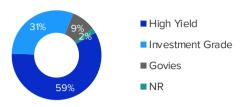
#### Asset class breakdown



#### **Bonds**

Number of bonds 156 Number of issuers 127

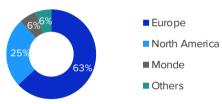
#### Bond allocation



## Currency breakdown



## Equity country breakdown



SPICE, for Society & Suppliers, People, Investors, Clients, Environment is our tool for assessing a company's performance on sustainability criteria. This tool incorporates the analysis of economic, governance, environmental, social, and societal risks and opportunities covering both the company's daily operations and its product and service offer.

The analysis process covers 90 criteria and leads to a rating per letter. These 5 ratings are weighted based on the company's most material impacts\*.

	Fund	Index
SPICE	3.4/5	3.6/5
S score	3.3/5	3.3/5
P score	3.5/5	3.7/5
I score	3.5/5	3.7/5
C score	3.5/5	3.5/5
E score	3.4/5	3.3/5

#### Performance contributors

Positive	Avg. weight	Contrib	Negative	Avg. weight	Contrib
Asml	1.02%	0.27%	Birkenstock	0.49%	-0.07%
Thalès	0.48%	0.09%	Deutsche Telekom	0.68%	-0.06%
Airbus Group	0.78%	0.08%	Astrazeneca	0.85%	-0.05%

#### **Direct Equities**

	Weight	SPICE	NEC	CS	
		rating	score	score	
Jpmorgan Chase & Co	1.0%	3.2/5	-2%	13%	
Asml	0.9%	4.3/5	12%	27%	
Microsoft	0.8%	3.8/5	2%	29%	
Schneider	0.8%	4.2/5	10%	39%	
Nvidia	0.8%	3.6/5	-9%	23%	

## **Bond holdings**

	Weight
Italy 1.3% 2026	2.5%
Roquette Freres Sa 5.5% 2029	1.3%
Scor 3.9% 2025	1.3%
Lutech 5.0% 2027	1.1%
Infopro 5.5% 2031	1.1%

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## Sustainability thematics



- Digital and communication
- Health & Safety
- Energy transition
- SPICE Leadership
- SPICE transformation
- Sustainable mgmt of resources Access and Inclusion
- Nutrition and well-being

### **Environmental analysis**

#### **ESG** scores

	Fund
ESG*	3.3/5
Environment	3.4/5
Social	3.3/5
Governance	3.3/5

### Net Environmental Contribution (NEC) \*\*

Degree of alignment of economic activities with the ecological transition, integrating biodiversity, climate and resources, on a standard scale from -100% for total misalignment to +100% for complete alignment, where 0% corresponds to the world economy average. The results are calculated by Sycomore AM or by the



#### European taxonomy

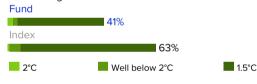
Share of EU taxonomy-aligned company revenues provided by MSCI. Coverage rate: fund 72%

Fund



#### Climate alignment - SBTi

Share of companies that have validated their greenhouse gas reduction targets with the Science-Based Targets initiative.



#### Fossil fuel exposure

Share of revenues from activities linked to fossil fuels from upstream to production, supplied by S&P Global.





#### Carbon intensity of sales \*\*

Weighted average of annual greenhouse gas emissions (GHG Protocol) from scopes 1, 2, 3 upstream and downstream as modelled by MSCI per annual sales in k€.

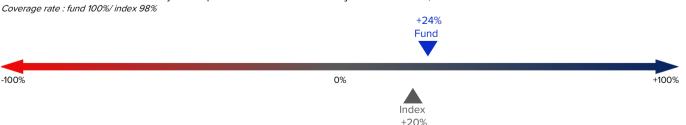
Coverage rate: fund 55%

Fund Index 966 kg. eq. CO 2 /k€ 759

## Societal and social analysis

#### Societal contribution

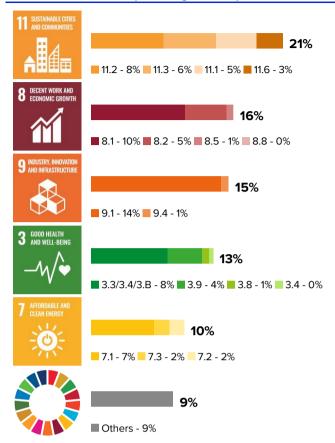
Contribution of the economic activity of companies to the resolution of major societal issues, on a scale from -100% to +100%.



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#### Sustainable development goals exposure



This chart represents the main exposures to the United Nations Sustainable Development Goals and their 169 targets. Exposure is defined as the opportunity, for each company, to contribute positively to reaching SDGs, providing their products and services. This exercise doesn't aim to measure the companies effective contribution to SDGs, which is computed through our societal contribution (CS) and net environnemental contribution (NEC) metrics. For each invested company, activities are analysed in order to identify those which are exposed to SDGs. For a same activity, its number of targets can vary between 0 and 2. The company target exposure to one of its activities is weighted by the revenue share gained from this activity. For more details, our annual SRI report is available in our ESG documentation.

No significant exposure: 25%

## ESG follow-up, news and dialogue

#### Dialogue and engagement

#### SAP

We discussed diversity (DEI) issues with SAP's HR Director via the Club 30% in Germany. Owing to legal constraints in the United States, the company has made adjustments to several key performance and communication indicators. The company reiterated its commitment to DEI which remains deeply embedded in its HR strategy. SAP's approach focuses on integrating DEI across broader leadership and growth strategies rather than addressing the issue in isolation via independent programmes.

#### **ESG** controversies

#### Sanofi

The Paris Court of Appeal has ordered Sanofi SA and Sanofi Winthrop Industrie SA to pay 150.7 million euros in damages to the French Social Security Fund (CNAM) for antitrust practices regarding the generic versions of Plavix, which caused long-standing excess costs until 2021. These practices, for which the group was initially fined in 2013 by the Anti-Trust Authority, involved disparaging generic drugs and promoting Sanofi's product. The group is considering filing an appeal with the Cour de Cassation (Supreme Court).

## Votes

**0 / 0** voted general assembly over the month.

Details on our votes are available here the day following the company's AGM  $\underline{\mathsf{Here}}$ .

#### Orange

We asked Orange about the means deployed to protect the mental health of its employees, both as a rule and following the announcement of the reorganisation. We also requested more details on the investigation conducted by the Comité National de Prévention et de Sécurité and on the handling of whistle blowing reports. Finally, Orange presented its skill retention initiatives: upskilling, reskilling, internal mobility, development of an inter-generational dimension...

#### Eramet

In September 2025, the Indonesian authorities seized 148 hectares from the PT Weda Bay Nickel concession on the island of Halmahera owing to the lack of a forestry licence, although the company does own a mining licence. This land seizure is part of a broader crackdown, as 4.2 million hectares are currently managed without a licence by 51 companies.

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