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Consultation Results: Morningstar Sweden Sustainability Select 70 Index

After reviewing feedback to the previously issued [consultation](#), Morningstar Indexes has decided to move forward with the proposal to adjust the ESG exclusion criteria, change the method for security selection and capping.

Impacted Index

Portfolio ID	Index Name
2473960	Morningstar Sweden Sustainability Select 70 Index

Adjustment of ESG Exclusions Criteria

The current methodology uses exclusions for controversial weapons involvement including six categories of weapons involvement. The following adjustments to the exclusion criteria will be implemented:

Adjustment Type	Category	ESG Exclusions Criteria
Removal	Activity Exclusions	- Thermal Coal Supporting Products and Services - Adult Entertainment Distribution - Gambling Supporting Products and Services - Military Contracting (Weapons, Weapons Products & Services and Non-Weapons Products & Services) - Oil and Gas Generation and Supporting Products & Services) - Thermal Coal (Power Generation) - Small Arms (Civilian Assault, Civilian Non-Assault, Customers, Key Components, Retail Distribution Assault and Retail Distribution Non-Assault)
Removal	Baseline Exclusions	Controversial Weapons Tailor Made & Essential – Category Level of Involvement

		Controversial Weapons Non-Tailor Made or Nonessential – Category Level of Involvement
Addition	Controversial Weapons Individual Involvement Categories	- Anti-Personnel Mines – Category of Involvement - Biological and Chemical Weapons – Category of Involvement - Cluster Weapons – Category of Involvement

The New Exclusions Are:

To be eligible for index inclusion, all constituents must meet the following criteria:

- The security must not have null or Severe ESG Risk Score (>40)
- Baseline Exclusions:
 - The security must not have null or a controversy score of 5.
 - The security must be compliant with the principles of the United Nations Global Compact.
 - Anti-Personnel Mines
 - Biological and Chemical Weapons
 - Cluster Weapons
- Activity-based exclusions:
 - Nuclear Weapons
 - The company may not have any revenue involvement in the following activities:
 - Thermal Coal - Extraction
 - Tobacco Products - Production
 - The company's product involvement must be less than 5% for the following activities:
 - Adult entertainment - Production
 - Alcoholic beverages - Production
 - Arctic Oil Extraction
 - Gambling – Operations and Specialized Equipment
 - Oil and Gas - Production
 - Shale Energy Extraction
 - Tobacco Production - Retail and Supporting Products & Services

- The company must not have 50% or more of its combined revenue from oil and gas generation and coal power generation.

Other Changes:

Change	Current Methodology	New Methodology
Eligibility	Average Daily Trading Volume filter of at least \$150,000 applied	No Average Daily Trading Volume filter
Selection	Top 75% of companies or 70 whichever is lower, based on the Sustainalytics ESG Risk Score while enforcing sector constraints	All eligible securities after screens are included in the index
Capping	Security weight capping at 2% or 20 times its respective float market cap weight after exclusions	2% security-level capping

This change will take effect at the upcoming reconstitution effective December 22, 2025. There will be no change to the performance history or historical composition of the portfolios.

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