

JPMorgan Funds - Emerging Markets Sustainable Equity Fund Exclusion Policy

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The table below reflects the sub-fund's exclusion policies. These policies set limits or full exclusions on certain industries and companies based on specific ESG criteria and/or minimum standards of business practice based on international norms. "Revenue Threshold" is the percentage of a company's maximum revenue derived from the source indicated (or, where noted otherwise, the maximum percentage of sub-fund assets that the investments can represent). To the extent that this sub-fund invests in underlying funds or derivatives on indices, in accordance with the Prospectus, these underlying funds and indices may not be bound by the same or similar exclusions as this subfund and therefore may indirectly hold securities prohibited by this exclusion policy.

	CRITERIA	REVENUE THRESHOLD (Unless otherwise stated)
Fossil Fuels ¹	Unconventional oil/gas extraction	5%
	Conventional oil/gas extraction, refining, equipment/services for exploration, pipelines, transportation	5%
	Thermal coal extraction	0%
	Thermal coal expansion	See footnote 3
	Oil/gas expansion	>0 mmboe
	Capex in oil/gas exploration	> 0 of assets
Power Generation ¹	Oil/gas	0% of power production ²
	Nuclear	0% of power production ²
	Thermal coal	0% of power production
	Thermal coal installed capacity	> 5 GW
	Capex in coal-fired power generation	>0 of assets
Weapons	Conventional weapons (including civilian firearms)	5%
	Controversial weapons (anti-personnel mines, biological/chemical weapons, cluster munitions, depleted uranium, white phosphorus)	0%
	Nuclear weapons	0%
Tobacco	Production	0%
	Supplier and distributor	5%
Gambling	Gambling (licensor, operations, support)	10%
Adult Entertainment	Adult entertainment (producer, retailer, distributor)	5%
Normative Screening	The sub-fund excludes companies that are deemed to have failed in respect of established norms such as those referenced in the Principles of the UN Global Compact, the OECD Guidelines for Multinational Enterprises and the UN Guiding Principles for Business and Human Rights. To achieve this, the subfund uses third party data based on research that identifies corporate controversies and assesses how companies manage these controversies. The sub-fund may invest in a company that would have been excluded based on such data if, in the view of the Investment Manager the data is incorrect, or the company demonstrates progress to remediate the violation and the Investment Manager engages with the company.	





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- 1. Exceptions allowed where the issuer meets any one of the following criteria: it has an approved Science Based Target through the Science Based Targets Initiative (SBTi) (SBTi defines and promotes best practice in science-based target setting), the issuance is a use-of-proceeds instrument (instruments designed to raise capital for specific environmental and or social purposes), >80% of revenues are from renewables, >50% of installed energy capacity is renewable energy, transition pathway initiative (TPI) Management Quality Score is 3 or above, TPI Carbon Performance Score is 2oC or below, if the issuer is a utility company which has disclosed quantitative targets to increase renewable energy capacity, alignment with the 'Towards Sustainability' label.
- 2. Eligible for a 'phase-out margin' of 3%, provided it meets the 'Towards Sustainability' criteria. This phase-out margin represents the % of the portfolio that may be exposed to companies which are not aligned with the specified business criteria required under the Towards Sustainability Quality Standard criteria. This margin will decrease to 0% by 30 June 2025. Additionally, companies in this margin shall be subject to a best-in-class selection that selects from the 25% highest ESG-rated companies. A company active in thermal coal power generation may only be considered for inclusion in the phase out margin if its revenue from thermal coal power generation is less than 20%.
- 3. 'Expansion' as defined by: a) Power: companies planning to develop new coal-fired power capacity of at least 100 MW; or b) Mining: companies engaged in coal exploration activities; planning to develop new coal mines or planning a significant increase of at least 1 Mt annual thermal coal production; or c) Services: companies involved in the development or expansion of coal transportation assets or infrastructure assets dedicated to support coal mines, coal transportation and coal-to-gas facilities.

The Investment Manager evaluates and applies values and norms based screening to implement exclusions. To support this screening, it relies on third party provider(s), which may include but is not limited to MSCI, Sustainalytics and/or ISS, who identify an issuer's participation in or the revenue which they derive from activities that are inconsistent with the values and norms based screens. Data inputs supplied by third party providers may be based on data sets and assumptions that may be insufficient, of poor quality or contain biased information. The Investment Manager cannot guarantee the accuracy or completeness of such data.

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