### IPUT REAL ESTATE DUBLIN

# SUSTAINABILITY-RELATED PERIODIC DISCLOSURES

### ANNEX I AND IV

of Regulation (EU) 2019/2088 and Commission Delegated Regulations

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Template periodic disclosure for the financial products referred to in Article 8, paragraphs 1, 2 and 2a, of Regulation (EU) 2019/2088 and Article 6, first paragraph, of Regulation (EU) 2020/852

Product name: IPUT Property Fund Legal entity identifier: 984500AE63F2AB60882

# Environmental and/or social characteristics

### Did this financial product have a sustainable investment objective?

• • Yes	• X No
It made sustainable investments with an environmental objective:%	It <b>promoted Environmental/Social (E/S)</b> <b>characteristics</b> and while it did not have as its objective a sustainable investment, it had a proportion of% of sustainable investments
in economic activities that qualify as environmentally sustainable under the EU Taxonomy	with an environmental objective in economic activities that qualify as environmentally sustainable under the EU Taxonomy
in economic activities that do not qualify as environmentally sustainable under the EU Taxonomy	with an environmental objective in economic activities that do not qualify as environmentally sustainable under the EU Taxonomy
	with a social objective
It made <b>sustainable investments with a social objective:%</b>	X It promoted E/S characteristics, but <b>did not make any sustainable investments</b>

# To what extent were the environmental and/or social characteristics promoted by this financial product met?

IPUT plc (the Company) has adopted a Responsible Investment Strategy in relation to the portfolio of its sub-fund, the IPUT Property Fund (the **Fund**) and its investment and development activity. The Responsible Investment Strategy details the Company's programme to implement environmental, social and governance initiatives for the Fund and includes key performance indicators in the areas of climate action, social value, and resource efficiency.

The Fund promoted environmental characteristics during the reference period by continuing to progress on its pathway to net zero carbon. The Company has designed its first net zero carbon office development, 25 North Wall Quay, with works commencing on site in 2022. This redevelopment has significantly reduced upfront embodied carbon emissions and has been designed to minimise operational carbon emissions.

The Fund promoted social characteristics through its extensive placemaking initiatives, including Making Impact thought leadership.

#### Sustainable investment

means an investment in an economic activity that contributes to an environmental or social objective, provided that the investment does not significantly harm any environmental or social objective and that the investee companies follow good governance practices.

The **EU Taxonomy** is a classification system laid down in Regulation (EU) 2020/852, establishing a list of **environmentally sustainable economic activities**. That Regulation does not include a list of socially sustainable economic activities. Sustainable investments with an environmental objective might be aligned with the Taxonomy or not.



#### Sustainability indicators measure how the environmental or social characteristics promoted by the financial product are attained.

### How did the sustainability indicators perform?

The Company discloses the Fund's performance on environmental, social and governance issues through annual Responsibility Reports. The Company's Principal Adverse Impacts statement outlines 2023 performance for climate and other environment-related indicators, social and employee, respect for human rights, anti-corruption and anti-bribery matters, as well as indicators applicable to investments in real estate assets.

- In 2023, total greenhouse gas emissions (scope 1,2 and 3) reported by the Company decreased compared to 2022. The main driver for the decrease in scope 3 emissions was reduced upfront embodied carbon emissions from our development projects under construction in 2023. The decrease in scope 1 and 2 emissions reflects a proactive approach to asset management. The Company aims to see further reductions in the coming years to achieve the pathway to net zero carbon ambitions.
- There were no emissions to water and no hazardous or radioactive waste generated by the Company.
- Strong governance principles continue to be applied, with no violations of any legislation to date.

The Company also participates in the Global Real Estate Sustainability Benchmark (**GRESB**) annually, which is the global standard for investors in real estate in environmental, social and governance benchmarking and reporting, and, as a signatory of the Principles for Responsible Investment (**PRI**), annual submissions are completed to report on the Company's policies and practices that incorporate sustainability risks and issues into decision making processes. These assessments help to measure sustainability indicators, supporting the environmental and social characteristics promoted by the Company.

### ...and compared to previous periods?

The Company's Principal Adverse Impacts statement provides details on the performance in 2023 compared to the performance in 2022. Additionally, the Company's annual Responsibility Reports provide detail on performance over recent years, with 2019 performance used as a baseline for the Company's pathway to net zero carbon by 2030.

### What were the objectives of the sustainable investments that the financial product partially made and how did the sustainable investment contribute to such objectives?

Not applicable as the Fund did not make sustainable investments.

### How did the sustainable investments that the financial product partially made not cause significant harm to any environmental or social sustainable investment objective?

Not applicable as the Fund did not make sustainable investments

How were the indicators for adverse impacts on sustainability factors taken into account?

The Company's Principal Adverse Impacts statement details the adverse impacts on sustainability factors on investment decisions. These include sustainability indicators used by the Company, including scope 1, 2, and 3 greenhouse gas emissions.

Were sustainable investments aligned with the OECD Guidelines for Multinational Enterprises and the UN Guiding Principles on Business and Human Rights? Details:

Not applicable as the Fund did not make sustainable investments.

Principal adverse

impacts are the most significant negative impacts of investment decisions on sustainability factors relating to environmental, social and employee matters, respect for human rights, anticorruption and antibribery matters.



# How did this financial product consider principal adverse impacts on sustainability factors?

The Fund is comprised of only real estate assets, so the nature of the Company's business activities and its investment strategy inform the relevance of certain sustainability factors, and consequently the consideration of their adverse impacts.

The Company has numerous policies in place to support the consideration of principal adverse impacts on sustainability factors. The Company's risk management policy sets out the approach to identifying, assessing, measuring, managing and reporting risks and using risk information to enhance decision-making and management strategies. The Company also has a suite of ESG policies that integrate consideration of these risks in the investment decision making and ownership of assets and assessment of likely impact on product returns.

The Company's investment strategy and policies are reviewed and approved by the Company's Board of Directors on an annual basis, with supporting management procedures and responsibilities in place. In considering principal adverse impacts, third-party verified data is used where available.

A high level overview of principal adverse impacts (PAIs) considered as at 31 December 2023 were:

PAI Category	PAI	Actions taken
Greenhouse gas emissions	GHG emissions <sup>1</sup>	Designing buildings to avoid use of fossil fuels
Biodiversity	Activities negatively affecting biodiversity-sensitive areas	No assets located in or near biodiversity-sensitive areas
	Emissions to water Hazardous waste and radioactive waste ratio	Engaged in protecting and enhancing biodiversity value across assets and developments No direct emissions of substances to water Generated no hazardous or radioactive waste
Social and employee matters	Violations/lack of compliance of UNGC Principles and OECD Guidelines for Multinational Enterprises Gender pay gap Board diversity	No violations of any local, national or international legislation. Remuneration Committee and policy in place to review remuneration Monitoring of diversity

The EU Taxonomy sets out a "do not significant harm" principle by which Taxonomy-aligned investments should not significantly harm EU Taxonomy objectives and is accompanied by specific Union criteria.

The "do no significant harm" principle applies only to those investments underlying the financial product that take into account the Union criteria for environmentally sustainable economic activities. The investments underlying the remaining portion of this financial product do not take into account the Union criteria for environmentally sustainable economic activities.

Any other sustainable investments must also not significantly harm any environmental or social objectives.



The list includes the investments constituting **the greatest proportion of investments** of the financial product during the reference period which is: 1/1/2023 – 31/12/2023



#### Asset allocation

describes the share of investments in specific assets. To comply with the EU Taxonomy, the criteria for **fossil gas** include limitations on emissions and switching to fully renewable power or low-carbon fuels by the end of 2035. For **nuclear energy**, the criteria include comprehensive safety and waste management rules

Enabling activities directly enable other activities to make a substantial contribution to an environmental objective.

Transitional activities are activities for which low-carbon alternatives are not yet available and among others have greenhouse gas emission levels corresponding to the best performance.

### What were the top investments of this financial product?

Largest investments	Sector	% Assets	Country
IPUT Property Fund	Real estate	100%	Ireland

### What was the proportion of sustainability-related investments?

Not applicable as the Fund did not make sustainabile investments.

### What was the asset allocation?



**#1 Aligned with E/S characteristics** includes the investments of the financial product used to attain the environmental or social characteristics promoted by the financial product.

**#2 Other** includes the remaining investments of the financial product which are neither aligned with the environmental or social characteristics, nor are qualified as sustainable investments.

### In which economic sectors were the investments made?

All of the Fund's investments have been made in commercial real estate.



### To what extent were the sustainable investments with an environmental objective aligned with the EU Taxonomy?

Not applicable as the Fund did not make any sustainable investments.

### Did the financial product invest in fossil gas and/or nuclear energy related activities complying with the EU Taxonomy<sup>2</sup>?

× No

In fossil gas

In nuclear energy

Yes

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Fossil gas and/or nuclear related activities will only comply with the EU Taxonomy where they contribute to limiting climate change ("climate change mitigation") and do not significantly harm any EU Taxonomy objective - see explanatory note in the left hand margin. The full criteria for fossil gas and nuclear energy economic activities that comply with the EU Taxonomy are laid down in Commission Delegated Regulation (EU) 2022/1214.

Taxonomy-aligned activities are expressed as a share of:

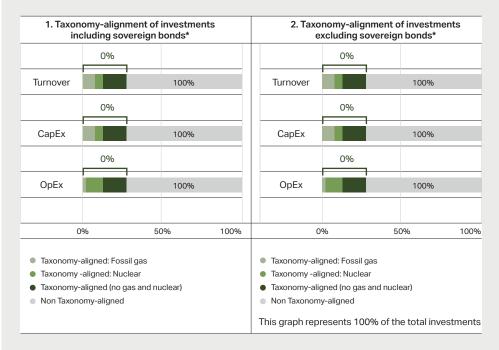
- turnover reflecting the share of revenue from green activities of investee companies.

capital expenditure

(CapEx) showing the green investments made by investee companies, e.g. for a transition to a green economy.

#### operational

**expenditure** (OpEx) reflecting green operational activities of investee companies. The graphs below show in green the percentage of investments that were aligned with the EU Taxonomy. As there is no appropriate methodology to determine the taxonomy-alignment of sovereign bonds<sup>\*</sup>, the first graph shows the Taxonomy alignment in relation to all the investments of the financial product including sovereign bonds, while the second graph shows the Taxonomy alignment only in relation to the investments of the financial product other than sovereign bonds.



\*For the purpose of these graphs, 'sovereign bonds' consist of all sovereign exposures

# What was the share of investments made in transitional and enabling activities?

Not applicable as the Fund does not make sustainable investments.

### How did the percentage of investments that were aligned with the EU Taxonomy compare with previous reference periods?

Not applicable as the Fund did not make any sustainable investments.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> Fossil gas and/or nuclear related activities will only comply with the EU Taxonomy where they contribute to limiting climate change ("climate change mitigation") and do not significantly harm any EU Taxonomy objective - see explanatory note in the left hand margin. The full criteria for fossil gas and nuclear energy economic activities that comply with the EU Taxonomy are laid down in Commission Delegated Regulation (EU) 2022/1214.



What was the share of sustainable investments with an environmental objective not aligned with the EU Taxonomy?

Not applicable as the Fund did not make any sustainable investments.



#### What was the share of socially sustainable investments?

Not applicable as the Fund did not make any sustainable investments.



### What investments were included under "other", what was their purpose and were there any minimum environmental or social safeguards?

Cash and cash equivalents are held as ancillary liquidity and used to meet the minimum capital requirement.



Reference benchmarks

are indexes to measure whether the financial product attains the

environmental or social characteristics that they

promote.

### What actions have been taken to meet the environmental and/or social characteristics during the reference period?

In line with the Company's Responsible Investment Strategy, activities throughout the year have been undertaken to improve energy efficiency and performance, with the aim of reducing greenhouse gas emissions as a result. These actions are undertaken on an asset-by-asset basis and have included optimise, retrofit and repositioning projects in accordance with our pathway to net zero carbon by 2030.

As part of the Company's participation in the annual GRESB real estate assessment, the Company achieved a 5 star rating for the standing investments and developments for the second time in 2023 which reflect the environmental and social characteristics promoted by the Fund.

### How did this financial product perform compared to the reference benchmark?

An index has not been designated as a reference benchmark for the purpose of attaining the environmental or social characteristics promoted by the Fund.

### How does the reference benchmark differ from a broad market index?

Not applicable.

How did this financial product perform with regard to the sustainability indicators to determine the alignment of the reference benchmark with the environmental or social characteristics promoted?

Not applicable.

# How did this financial product perform compared with the reference benchmark?

Not applicable.

### How did this financial product perform compared with the broad market index?

Not applicable.

### Template principal adverse sustainability impacts statement

For the purposes of this Annex, the following definitions shall apply:

- (1) 'scope 1, 2 and 3 GHG emissions' means the scope of greenhouse gas emissions referred to in points (1)(e)(i) to (iii) of Annex III to Regulation (EU) 2016/1011 of the European Parliament and of the Council<sup>1</sup>;
- (2) 'greenhouse gas (GHG) emissions' means greenhouse gas emissions as defined in Article 3, point (1), of Regulation (EU) 2018/842 of the European Parliament and of the Council<sup>2</sup>;
- (3) 'weighted average' means a ratio of the weight of the investment by the financial market participant in an investee company in relation to the enterprise value of the investee company;
- (4) 'enterprise value' means the sum, at fiscal year-end, of the market capitalisation of ordinary shares, the market capitalisation of preferred shares, and the book value of total debt and non-controlling interests, without the deduction of cash or cash equivalents;
- (5) 'companies active in the fossil fuel sector' means companies that derive any revenues from exploration, mining, extraction, production, processing, storage, refining or distribution, including transportation, storage and trade, of fossil fuels as defined in Article 2, point (62), of Regulation (EU) 2018/1999 of the European Parliament and of the Council<sup>3</sup>;
- (6) 'renewable energy sources' means renewable non-fossil sources, namely wind, solar (solar thermal and solar photovoltaic) and geothermal energy, ambient energy, tide, wave and other ocean energy, hydropower, biomass, landfill gas, sewage treatment plant gas, and biogas;
- (7) 'non-renewable energy sources' means energy sources other than those referred to in point (6);
- (8) 'energy consumption intensity' means the ratio of energy consumption per unit of activity, output or any other metric of the investee company to the total energy consumption of that investee company;

<sup>1</sup> Regulation (EU) 2016/1011 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 8 June 2016 on indices used as benchmarks in financial instruments and financial contracts or to measure the performance of investment funds and amending Directives 2008/48/EC and 2014/17/EU and Regulation (EU) No 596/2014 (OJ L 171, 29.6.2016, p. 1).

<sup>2</sup> Regulation (EU) 2018/842 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 30 May 2018 on binding annual greenhouse gas emission reductions by Member States from 2021 to 2030 contributing to climate action to meet commitments under the Paris Agreement and amending Regulation (EU) No 525/2013 (OJ L 156, 19.6.2018, p. 26).

<sup>3</sup> Regulation (EU) 2018/1999 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 11 December 2018 on the Governance of the Energy Union and Climate Action, amending Regulations (EC) No 663/2009 and (EC) No 715/2009 of the European Parliament and of the Council, Directives 94/22/EC, 98/70/EC, 2009/31/EC, 2009/73/EC, 2010/31/EU, 2012/27/EU and 2013/30/EU of the European Parliament and of the Council, Council Directives 2009/119/EC and (EU) 2015/652 and repealing Regulation (EU) No 525/2013 of the European Parliament and of the Council (OJ L 328, 21.12.2018, p. 1).

- (9) 'high impact climate sectors' means the sectors listed in Sections A to H and Section L of Annex I to Regulation (EC) No 1893/2006 of the European Parliament and of the Council<sup>4</sup>;
- (10) 'protected area' means designated areas in the European Environment Agency's Common Database on Designated Areas (CDDA);
- (11) 'area of high biodiversity value outside protected areas' means land with high biodiversity value as referred to in Article 7b(3) of Directive 98/70/EC of the European Parliament and of the Council<sup>5</sup>;
- (12) 'emissions to water' means direct emissions of priority substances as defined in Article 2(30) of Directive 2000/60/EC of the European Parliament and of the Council<sup>6</sup> and direct emissions of nitrates, phosphates and pesticides ;
- (13) 'areas of high water stress' means regions where the percentage of total water withdrawn is high (40-80%) or extremely high (greater than 80%) in the World Resources Institute's (WRI) Water Risk Atlas tool "Aqueduct";
- (14) 'hazardous waste and radioactive waste' means hazardous waste and radioactive waste;
- (15) 'hazardous waste' means hazardous waste as defined in Article 3(2) of Directive 2008/98/EC of the European Parliament and of the Council<sup>7</sup>;
- (16) 'radioactive waste' means radioactive waste as defined in Article 3(7) of Council Directive 2011/70/Euratom<sup>8</sup>;
- (17) 'non-recycled waste' means any waste not recycled within the meaning of 'recycling' in Article 3(17) of Directive 2008/98/EC;
- (18) 'activities negatively affecting biodiversity-sensitive areas' means activities that are characterised by all of the following:
  - (a) those activities lead to the deterioration of natural habitats and the habitats of species and disturb the species for which a protected area has been designated;

8 Council Directive 2011/70/Euratom of 19 July 2011 establishing a Community framework for the responsible and safe management of spent fuel and radioactive waste (OJ L 199, 2.8.2011, p. 48).

<sup>4</sup> Regulation (EC) No 1893/2006 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 20 December 2006 establishing the statistical classification of economic activities NACE Revision 2 and amending Council Regulation (EEC) No 3037/90 as well as certain EC Regulations on specific statistical domains Text with EEA relevance (OJ L 393, 30.12.2006, p. 1–39).

<sup>5</sup> Directive 98/70/EC of the European Parliament and of the Council of 13 October 1998 relating to the quality of petrol and diesel fuels and amending Council Directive 93/12/EEC (OJ L 350, 28.12.1998, p. 58).

<sup>6</sup> Directive 2000/60/EC of the European Parliament and of the Council of 23 October 2000 establishing a framework for Community action in the field of water policy (OJ L 327, 22.12.2000, p. 1).

<sup>7</sup> Directive 2008/98/EC of the European Parliament and of the Council of 19 November 2008 on waste and repealing certain Directives (OJ L 312, 22.11.2008, p. 3).

- (b) for those activities, none of the conclusions, mitigation measures or impact assessments adopted pursuant to any of the following Directives or national provisions or international standards that are equivalent to those Directives have been implemented:
  - (i) Directive 2009/147/EC of the European Parliament and of the Council<sup>9</sup>;
  - (ii) Council Directive 92/43/EEC<sup>10</sup>;
  - (iii) an Environmental Impact Assessment (EIA) as defined in Article 1(2), point (g), of Directive 2011/92/EU of the European Parliament and of the Council<sup>11</sup>;
  - (iv) for activities located in third countries, conclusions, mitigation measures or impact assessments adopted in accordance with national provisions or international standards that are equivalent to the Directives and impact assessments listed in points (i), (ii) and (iii);
- (19) 'biodiversity-sensitive areas' means Natura 2000 network of protected areas, UNESCO World Heritage sites and Key Biodiversity Areas ('KBAs'), as well as other protected areas, as referred to in Appendix D of Annex II to Commission Delegated Regulation (EU) 2021/2139<sup>12</sup>;
- (20) 'threatened species' means endangered species, including flora and fauna, listed in the European Red List or the IUCN Red List, as referred to in Section 7 of Annex II to Delegated Regulation (EU) 2021/2139;
- (21) 'deforestation' means the temporary or permanent human-induced conversion of forested land to non-forested land;
- (22) 'UN Global Compact principles' means the ten Principles of the United Nations Global Compact;
- (23) 'unadjusted gender pay gap' means the difference between average gross hourly earnings of male paid employees and of female paid employees as a percentage of average gross hourly earnings of male paid employees;
- (24) 'board' means the administrative, management or supervisory body of a company;
- (25) 'human rights policy' means a policy commitment approved at board level on human rights that the economic activities of the investee company shall be in line with the UN Guiding Principles on Business and Human Rights;

<sup>9</sup> Directive 2009/147/EC of the European Parliament and of the Council of 30 November 2009 on the conservation of wild birds (OJ L 20, 26.1.2010, p. 7).

<sup>10</sup> Council Directive 92/43/EEC of 21 May 1992 on the conservation of natural habitats and of wild fauna and flora (OJ L 206, 22.7.1992, p. 7).

<sup>11</sup> Directive 2011/92/EU of the European Parliament and of the Council of 13 December 2011 on the assessment of the effects of certain public and private projects on the environment (OJ L 026, 28.1.2012, p. 1).

<sup>12</sup> Commission Delegated Regulation (EU) 2021/2139 of 4 June 2021 supplementing Regulation (EU) 2020/852 of the European Parliament and of the Council by establishing the technical screening criteria for determining the conditions under which an economic activity qualifies as contributing substantially to climate change mitigation or climate change adaptation and for determining whether that economic activity causes no significant harm to any of the other environmental objectives (OJ L 442, 9.12.2021, p. 1).

(27) 'whistleblower' means 'reporting person' as defined in Article 5(7) of Directive (EU) 2019/1937 of the European Parliament and of the Council<sup>13</sup>;

- (27) 'inorganic pollutants' means emissions within or lower than the emission levels associated with the best available techniques (BAT-AEL) as defined in Article 3, point (13) of Directive 2010/75/EU of the European Parliament and of the Council<sup>14</sup>, for the Large Volume Inorganic Chemicals- Solids and Others industry;
- (28) 'air pollutants' means direct emissions of sulphur dioxides (SO<sub>2</sub>), nitrogen oxides (NO<sub>x</sub>), non-methane volatile organic compounds (NMVOC), and fine particulate matter (PM<sub>2,5</sub>) as defined in Article 3, points (5) to (8), of Directive (EU) 2016/2284 of the European Parliament and of the Council<sup>15</sup>, ammonia (NH<sub>3</sub>) as referred to in that Directive and heavy metals (HM) as referred to in Annex I to that Directive;
- (29) 'ozone depletion substances' mean substances listed in the Montreal Protocol on Substances that Deplete the Ozone Layer.

For the purposes of this Annex, the following formulas shall apply:

(1) 'GHG emissions' shall be calculated in accordance with the following formula:

$$\sum_{n}^{i} \left( \frac{\text{current value of investment}_{i}}{\text{investee company's Scope}(x) GHG \text{ emissions}_{i}} \right)$$

(2) 'carbon footprint' shall be calculated in accordance with the following formula:

 $\frac{\sum_{n}^{i} \left( \frac{\text{current value of investment}_{i}}{\text{investee company's enterprise value}_{i}} \times \text{investee company's Scope 1, 2 and 3 GHG emissions}_{i} \right)}$ 

current value of all investments  $(\in M)$ 

13 Directive (EU) 2019/1937 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 23 October 2019 on the protection of persons who report breaches of Union law (OJ L305, 26.11.2019, p. 17).

14 Directive 2010/75/EU of the European Parliament and of the Council of 24 November 2010 on industrial emissions (integrated pollution prevention and control) (OJ L 334, 17.12.2010, p. 17).

15 Directive (EU) 2016/2284 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 14 December 2016 on the reduction of national emissions of certain atmospheric pollutants, amending Directive 2003/35/EC and repealing Directive 2001/81/EC (Text with EEA relevance), OJ L 344, 17.12.2016, p. 1–31

(3) 'GHG intensity of investee companies' shall be calculated in accordance with the following formula:

 $\sum_{n}^{l} \left( \frac{\text{current value of investment}_{i}}{\text{current value of all investments ($\in M$)}} \times \frac{\text{investee company's Scope 1, 2 and 3 GHG emissions}_{i}}{\text{investee company's $\in M$ revenue}_{i}} \right)$ 

(4) 'GHG intensity of sovereigns' shall be calculated in accordance with the following formula:

$$\sum_{n}^{i} \left( \frac{\text{current value of investment}_{i}}{\text{current value of all investments ($\in M$)}} \times \frac{\text{The country's Scope 1, 2 and 3 GHG emissions}_{i}}{\text{Gross Domestic Product}_{i}($\in M$)} \right)$$

(5) 'inefficient real estate assets' shall be calculated in accordance with the following formula:

((Value of real estate assets built before 31/12/2020 with EPC of C or below) + (Value of real estate assets built after 31/12/2020 with PED below NZEB in Directive 2010/31/EU)) Value of real estate assets required to abide by EPC and NZEB rules

For the purposes of the formulas, the following definitions shall apply:

- (1) 'current value of investment' means the value in EUR of the investment by the financial market participant in the investee company;
- (2) 'enterprise value' means the sum, at fiscal year-end, of the market capitalisation of ordinary shares, the market capitalisation of preferred shares, and the book value of total debt and non-controlling interests, without the deduction of cash or cash equivalents;
- (3) 'current value of all investments' means the value in EUR of all investments by the financial market participant;
- (4) 'nearly zero-energy building (NZEB)', 'primary energy demand (PED)' and 'energy performance certificate (EPC)' shall have the meanings given to them in paragraphs 2, 5 and 12 of Article 2 of Directive 2010/31/EU of the European Parliament and of the Council<sup>16</sup>.

16 Directive 2010/31/EU of the European Parliament and of the Council of 19 May 2010 on the energy performance of buildings (recast) (OJ L 153, 18.6.2010, p. 13).

### Table 1

### Financial market participant IPUT Property Fund, 984500AE63F2AB60882

#### Summary

The IPUT Property Fund, 984500AE63F2AB60882, considers principal adverse impacts of its investment decisions on sustainability factors.

The present statement is the consolidated statement on principal adverse impacts on sustainability factors of the *IPUT Property Fund*.

This statement on principal adverse impacts on sustainability factors covers the reference period from 01 January to 31 December 2023.

### Description of the principal adverse impacts on sustainability factors

Indicators applicable to investments in investee companies					
Adverse sustainability indicator	Metric	Impact 2023	Impact 2022	Explanation	Actions taken, and actions planned and targets set for the next reference period

Greenhouse gas emissions	1. GHG emissions	Scope 1 GHG emissions	888.69	942.72	Formula applied as follows: Scope 1 emissions: natural gas,	IPUT is committed to reducing GHG emissions across the
		Scope 2 GHG emissions	11.38	112.21	refrigerants and unregulated process loads	portfolio, through its pathway to net zero carbon for buildings
		Scope 3 GHG emissions	33923.46	58898.73	Scope 2 emissions: market- based electricity	within direct control, as well as through engagement with suppliers and occupiers in
		Total GHG emissions	34823.54	59953.66	<ul> <li>Scope 3 emissions: reported and estaimated occupier energy, operational waste, water, business travel, upfront embodied carbon, occupier refrigerants and electricity transmission and distribution losses</li> <li>Current value of investment: gross property value</li> <li>Investee company's enterprise value: net asset value (including</li> <li>areas of indirect control To reduce scope 1 emist we are designing buildin avoid fossil fuels and we degasifying existing ass through retrofit projects applicable.</li> <li>To reduce scope 2 emist we are maximising renew across our assets throug procurement and general opportunities, and optim</li> </ul>	areas of indirect control.
	2. Carbon footprint	Carbon footprint	16.83	27.41		To reduce scope 1 emissions, we are designing buildings to avoid fossil fuels and we are degasifying existing assets through retrofit projects as applicable.
	3. GHG intensity of investee companies	GHG intensity of investee companies	260.76	504.95		To reduce scope 2 emissions, we are maximising renewables across our assets through procurement and generation opportunities, and optimising performance to minimise energy use intensity.

#### CLIMATE AND OTHER ENVIRONMENT-RELATED INDICATORS

4. Exposure to companies active in the fossil fuel sector	Share of investments in companies active in the fossil fuel sector	0%	0%		To reduce scope 3 emissions, we are developing net zero carbon buildings, which is helping to reduce upfront embodied carbon emissions.
5. Share of non- renewable energy consumption and production	Share of non- renewable energy consumption and non-renewable energy production of investee companies from non-renewable energy sources compared to renewable energy sources, expressed as a percentage of total energy sources	53%	51%		Occupier energy consumption also significantly contributes to our scope 3 emissions, and through engagement we continue to increase data coverage and make reductions where possible. 100% of IPUT's portfolio is real estate assets, with no investments in companies active in the fossil fuel sector.
6. Energy consumption intensity per high impact climate sector	Energy consumption in GWh per million EUR of revenue of investee companies, per high impact climate sector	0.03	0.07	Revenue is based on gross rental income	

Biodiversity	7. Activities negatively affecting biodiversity- sensitive areas	Share of investments in investee companies with sites/operations located in or near to biodiversity- sensitive areas where activities of those investee companies negatively affect those areas	0%	0%	neighbourhoods and long-term approach t we invest and behave management of our p We have no assets lo or near biodiversity-s areas, and are engage protecting and enhar biodiversity value acr	At IPUT, we are stewards of our neighbourhoods and apply a long-term approach to how we invest and behave in the management of our portfolio. We have no assets located in or near biodiversity-sensitive areas, and are engaged in protecting and enhancing biodiversity value across our standing assets and developments.
Water	8. Emissions to water	Tonnes of emissions to water generated by investee companies per million EUR invested, expressed as a weighted average	0 tonnes/ €1M	0 tonnes/ €1M		IPUT has made no direct emissions of priority substances to water and our occupiers have reported no water-related pollution incidents.
Waste	9. Hazardous waste and radioactive waste ratio	Tonnes of hazardous waste and radioactive waste generated by investee companies per million EUR invested, expressed as a weighted average	0 tonnes/ €1M	0 tonnes/ €1M		IPUT has generated no hazardous or radioactive waste and our occupiers have reported no hazardous or radioactive waste generation.

Social and employee matters	10. Violations of UN Global Compact principles and Organisation for Economic Cooperation and Development (OECD) Guidelines for Multinational Enterprises	Share of investments in investee companies that have been involved in violations of the UNGC principles or OECD Guidelines for Multinational Enterprises	0%	0%	There have been no violations of any local, national or international legislation.
	11.Lack of processes and compliance mechanisms to monitor compliance with UN Global Compact principles and OECD Guidelines for Multinational Enterprises	Share of investments in investee companies without policies to monitor compliance with the UNGC principles or OECD Guidelines for Multinational Enterprises or grievance / complaints handling mechanisms to address violations of the UNGC principles or OECD Guidelines for Multinational Enterprises	0%	0%	IPUT applies a risk management framework to ensure risks to the Fund's strategy are identified, understood and managed. Policies are in place to support mitigation measures.

#### INDICATORS FOR SOCIAL AND EMPLOYEE, RESPECT FOR HUMAN RIGHTS, ANTI-CORRUPTION AND ANTI-BRIBERY MATTERS

12.Unadjusted gender pay gap	Average unadjusted gender pay gap of investee companies	27%	26%	IPUT has a Board Remuneration Committee in place to review IPUT's remuneration policy and approve performance-related remuneration.
13.Board gender diversity	Average ratio of female to male board members in investee companies, expressed as a percentage of all board members	33%	33%	At IPUT, we continue to build an inclusive culture, with a diverse and dedicated team and Board of Directors. Board gender diversity continues to be monitored.
14. Exposure to controversial weapons (anti- personnel mines, cluster munitions, chemical weapons and biological weapons)	Share of investments in investee companies involved in the manufacture or selling of controversial weapons	0%	0%	IPUT has no investments in the manufacture or selling of controversial weapons.

Adverse sustair	ability indicator	Metric	Impact 2023	Impact 2022	Explanation	Actions taken, and actions planned and targets set for the next reference period
Environmental	15.GHG intensity	GHG intensity of investee countries	N/A	N/A	The IPUT Property Fund has no investments in sovereigns and supranationals	N/A
Social	16.Investee countries subject to social violations	Number of investee countries subject to social violations (absolute number and relative number divided by all investee countries), as referred to in international treaties and conventions, United Nations principles and, where applicable, national law	N/A	N/A	The IPUT Property Fund has no investments in sovereigns and supranationals	N/A

### Indicators applicable to investments in sovereigns and supranationals

Adverse susta	inability indicator	Metric	Impact 2023	Impact 2022	Explanation	Actions taken, and actions planned and targets set for the next reference period
Fossil fuels	17.Exposure to fossil fuels through real estate assets	Share of investments in real estate assets involved in the extraction, storage, transport or manufacture of fossil fuels	0%	0%		100% of IPUT's portfolio of real estate assets, made up of offices, retail and logistics that are not involved in the extraction, storage, transport or manufacture of fossil fuels.
Energy efficiency	18.Exposure to energy-inefficient real estate assets	Share of investments in energy- inefficient real estate assets	34.87%	43.42%	Calculations taken based on Building Energy Ratings and Valuations as at 31 December 2023	IPUT apply a long-term approach to how we invest, and we are proactive in the management of our assets, modernising our portfolio to ensure it remains resilient and attractive to our shareholders. This includes energy efficiency measures, which continue to be implemented.

### Indicators applicable to investments in real estate assets

#### Other indicators for principal adverse impacts on sustainability factors

#### Description of policies to identify and prioritise principal adverse impacts on sustainability factors

The Fund is comprised of only real estate assets, so the nature of the Company's business activities and its investment strategy informs the relevance of certain sustainability factors, and consequently the consideration of their adverse impacts.

The Company has numerous policies in place to support the consideration of principal adverse impacts on sustainability factors. The Company's risk management policy sets out the approach to identifying, assessing, measuring, managing, and reporting risks and using risk information to enhance decision-making and management strategies. The Company also has a suite of ESG policies that integrate consideration of these risks in the investment decision making and ownership of assets and assessment of likely impact on product returns.

The Company's investment strategy and policies are reviewed and approved by the Company's Board of Directors on an annual basis, with supporting management procedures in place. In considering principal adverse impacts, third-party verified data is used where available.

#### **Engagement policies**

The Company has in place a Stewardship and Engagement policy and recognises the role engagement plays in delivering the Fund's Responsible Investment ambitions. The Company engages with several stakeholders, both individually and collaboratively, with the objective of fostering mutual understanding of the Responsible Investment Strategy, which has three key pillars: climate action; resource efficiency; and social value. Engagement with shareholders is the responsibility of the senior management team who maintain regular dialogue with shareholders.

#### **References to international standards**

The Company does not use a specific index designated as a reference benchmark. The Global Real Estate Sustainability Benchmark (GRESB) is used to assess the Fund on an annual basis. GRESB is the global standard for investors in real estate in environmental, social and governance benchmarking and reporting.

#### **Historical comparison**

The Company has measured performance against its Responsible Investment Strategy to ensure continuous improvement. Historical performance data has helped to identify and inform principal adverse impacts.

### Table 2

### Additional climate and other environment-related indicators

Adverse sustainability impact	Adverse impact on sustainability factors	Metric
	(qualitative or quantitative)	

### Indicators applicable to investments in investee companies

#### CLIMATE AND OTHER ENVIRONMENT-RELATED INDICATORS

Emissions	1. Emissions of inorganic pollutants	No inorganic pollutants, inorganic pollutants or ozone depleting substances are emitted as part of IPUT's operations, therefore this is not considered adverse. IPUT do not monitor tenant operations.         mission
	2. Emissions of air pollutants	
	3. Emissions of ozone-depleting substances	
	4. Investments in companies without carbon emission reduction initiatives	
Energy performance	5. Breakdown of energy consumption by type of non- renewable sources of energy	IPUT procures renewable electricity for all areas within its direct control, and numerous occupiers procure renewable electricity, with some also generating on-site electricity through PV arrays. 100% non-renewable gas was procured in 2023, therefore this factor is considered to have adverse impacts.
		IPUT is designing its developments to avoid fossil fuels and degasification projects are also being undertaken to reduce reliance on natural gas.

Water, waste and material emissions	6. Water usage and recycling	Water consumption is monitored at IPUT's directly managed assets and reported where possible across the wider portfolio. In our developments, we are including rainwater harvesting to help meet water demand. This factor is therefore not considered to be adverse.
	<ol> <li>Investments in companies without water management policies</li> </ol>	IPUT has a water management policy which applies across its entire portfolio of real estate assets. This factor is therefore not considered to be adverse.
	8. Exposure to areas of high water stress	IPUT has no assets located in areas of high water stress. This factor is therefore not considered to be adverse.
	9. Investments in companies producing chemicals	100% of IPUT's investments are in real estate assets. These factors are therefore not considered to be adverse.
	10. Land degradation, desertification, soil sealing	
	11. Investments in companies without sustainable land/ agriculture practices	
	12. Investments in companies without sustainable oceans/seas practices	
	13.Non-recycled waste ratio	IPUT reports waste data and has >98% diversion from landfill rate in the last 5 years. This factor is therefore not considered to be adverse.
	14.Natural species and protected areas	IPUT has a biodiversity policy which applies across its entire portfolio. Given the city centre location of numerous assets, this factor is not considered to be adverse.
	15.Deforestation	100% of IPUT's investments are in real estate assets. This factor is therefore not considered to be adverse.
Green securities	16.Share of securities not issued under Union legislation on environmentally sustainable bonds	100% of IPUT's investments are in real estate assets. This factor is therefore not considered to be adverse.

Indicators applicable to investments in sovereigns and supranationals		
Green securities	17. Share of bonds not issued under Union legislation on environmentally sustainable bonds	Not applicable as IPUT has no investments in sovereigns and supranationals.
	Indicators applicable to investments in real e	estate assets
Greenhouse gas emissions	18.GHG emissions	Scope 1, 2 and 3, and total greenhouse emissions are considered applicable and are included as a mandatory indicator.
Energy consumption	19. Energy consumption intensity	IPUT monitors and reports energy use intensity for directly- managed assets as part of its pathway to net zero carbon, and for its wider portfolio where possible. This is tracked as a key risk indicator, and remained low risk throughout 2022 and 2023, so is not considered to be adverse.
Waste	20. Waste production in operations	IPUT is responsible for waste removal at all directly managed assets, with 100% waste diverted from landfill at these sites. This factor is therefore not considered to be adverse.
Resource consumption	21.Raw materials consumption for new construction and major renovations	This factor has limited data available. It is therefore not currently considered to be adverse, but will be reviewed once data is available.
Biodiversity	22.Land artificialisation	This factor has limited data available. It is therefore not currently considered to be adverse, but will be reviewed once data is available.

### Table 3

### Additional indicators for social and employee, respect for human rights, anti-corruption and anti-bribery matters

INDICATORS FOR SOCIAL AND EMPLOYEE, RESPECT FOR HUMAN RIGHTS, ANTI-CORRUPTION AND ANTI-BRIBERY MATTERS		
Adverse sustainability impact	Adverse impact on sustainability factors (qualitative or quantitative)	Metric
	Indicators applicable to investments in investe	e companies
	1. Investments in companies without workplace accident prevention policies	100% of IPUT's investments are in real estate assets. This factor is therefore not considered to be adverse.
	2. Rate of accidents	The rate of accidents in 2023 was 0.29. This factor is therefore considered to be adverse.
Social and employee matters		IPUT applies a safety management system and use the accident frequency rate and incident frequency rate as a measure of health and safety performance across development projects and directly-managed assets.
	3. Number of days lost to injuries, accidents, fatalities or illness	As a weighted average, the number of days lost was 0.69%. This factor is therefore not considered to be adverse.
	4. Lack of a supplier code of conduct	0% investments in investee companies without any supplier code of conduct. This factor is therefore not considered to be adverse.

	5. Lack of grievance/complaints handling mechanism related to employee matters	IPUT has an employee handbook outlining the policies and approach for employee matters. This factor is therefore not considered to be adverse.
	6. Insufficient whistleblower protection	IPUT has a whistleblower policy. This factor is therefore not considered to be adverse.
	7. Incidents of discrimination	0 incidents/ €1M. This factor is therefore not considered to be adverse.
	8. Excessive CEO pay ratio	IPUT has a Board Remuneration Committee in place to review IPUT's remuneration policy and approve perfromance-related remuneration. This factor is therefore not considered to be adverse.
	9. Lack of a human rights policy	IPUT has a human rights policy. This factor is therefore not considered to be adverse.
	10. Lack of due diligence	IPUT has a due diligence process in place. This factor is therefore not considered to be adverse.
	11.Lack of processes and measures for preventing trafficking in human beings	100% of IPUT's investments are in real estate in Ireland. This factor is thereofre not considered to be adverse.
Human Rights	12. Operations and suppliers at significant risk of incidents of child labour	100% of IPUT's investments are in real estate in Ireland. This factor is thereofre not considered to be adverse.
	13. Operations and suppliers at significant risk of incidents of forced or compulsory labour	100% of IPUT's investments are in real estate in Ireland. This factor is therefore not considered to be adverse.
	14.Number of identified cases of severe human rights issues and incidents	IPUT has no cases of severe human rights issues and incidents. This factor is therefore not considered to be adverse.
	15. Lack of anti-corruption and anti-bribery policies	IPUT has anti-corruption and anti-bribery policies in place. This factor is therefore not considered to be adverse.
Anti-corruption and anti-bribery	16. Cases of insufficient action taken to address breaches of standards of anti-corruption and anti-bribery	IPUT has had no cases of insufficient action taken, and has had no breaches of these standards. This factor is therefore not considered to be adverse.
	17.Number of convictions and amount of fines for violation of anti-corruption and anti-bribery laws	IPUT has had no convictions or fines and places high importance on compliance with anti-corruption and bribery, with regular staff training undertaken. This factor is therefore not considered to be adverse.

Indicators applicable to investments in sovereigns and supranationals		
Social	18. Average income inequality score	Not applicable as IPUT has no investments in sovereigns and supranationals.
	19. Average freedom of expression score	Not applicable as IPUT has no investments in sovereigns and supranationals.
Human rights	20. Average human rights performance	Not applicable as IPUT has no investments in sovereigns and supranationals.
Governance	21. Average corruption score	Not applicable as IPUT has no investments in sovereigns and supranationals.
	22.Non-cooperative tax jurisdictions	Not applicable as IPUT has no investments in sovereigns and supranationals.
	23. Average political stability score	Not applicable as IPUT has no investments in sovereigns and supranationals.
	24. Average rule of law score	Not applicable as IPUT has no investments in sovereigns and supranationals.



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