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Sustainability Profile | 31 December 2025

Neuberger Next Generation Connectivity Fund

SFDR Classification: Article 8 | **Benchmark:** MSCI All-Country World Index (ACWI) (Total Return, Net of Tax, USD)

Fund Overview

A thematic, forward-looking, global equity portfolio investing in key enablers and beneficiaries of 5G and future connectivity. More details on the fund can be found here.

Sustainability Features

- **Sustainable investments**[1] – minimum commitment to hold 10.0% (held in the 2025 calendar year: 41.1%)
- **Avoidance and involvement criteria**[2] – Controversial Weapons Policy, Thermal Coal Involvement Policy, Global Standards Policy, Sustainable Exclusion Policy

ESG Ratings (Combined ratings coverage: 100%)

Neuberger Quotient Rating[3]

Proprietary internal rating on issuers' sector-relative ESG scores

Environmental & Social: B (D C B A; Lowest – Highest)

Governance: 2.2 (4 3 2 1; Lowest – Highest)

Third-Party ESG Rating

MSCI ESG Score[4]: 6.2 (0 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10; Lowest – Highest)

Climate Metrics

	Scope 1 & 2	Scope 3
Carbon Footprint (Tons CO_2e per $m invested; Eligible coverage: 100%, coverage: 93.6%)	16.0	132.7
Carbon Intensity (Tons CO_2e per $m revenue; Eligible coverage: 100%, coverage: 95.6%)	62.2	521.6

Engagement Metrics[5]

124
Total number of engagements

40
Number of unique issuers engaged

Percentage of Engagements by Category and Primary Engagement Topics

Environmental – 23%
- Energy management
- Green opportunities
- Climate risk management

Social – 35%
- Responsible use of AI
- Human capital management
- Supply chain management

Governance – 90%
- Long-term business strategy
- Capital structure
- Compensation structure

Source: Neuberger, Trucost, MSCI. Unless otherwise stated, all reporting data shown is an average of the four quarter ends, throughout the 2025 calendar year. Where a fund was launched during the year, only subsequent full quarter ends are included. Investment strategies' ESG integration approaches may evolve over time. This material is intended as a broad overview of the portfolio managers' current style, philosophy and process. The Fund is actively managed, which means that the investments are selected at the discretion of the investment manager. Effective 1 July 2024, the Neuberger Berman 5G Connectivity Fund changed name to the Neuberger Berman Next Generation Connectivity Fund.

1. As per SFDR. More details on the methodology can be found here. For definitions please refer to the Glossary at the end of this material.
2. Additional avoidance criteria may be applied. Please see the fund's supplement for the comprehensive list of avoidance criteria, which can be found here.
3. This rating is based on Neuberger's proprietary methodology. Further information, including disclosures under Regulation (EU) 2024/3005 (the ESG Ratings Regulation), is available here: http://nb.com/ESGRatingsRegulation.
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Glossary

SFDR Classification
According to the Sustainable Finance Disclosure Regulation ("SFDR"), a fund will be classified as Article 6, 8 or 9 depending on their sustainability characteristics. Article 8 funds promote environmental or social characteristics provided that the companies in which the investments are made follow good governance practices. Article 9 funds have a sustainable investment objective. All other funds would be classified as Article 6 funds.

Sustainable Investments
Investment in an economic activity that positively 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.

Neuberger Quotient Rating
Neuberger's proprietary internal rating system that scores issuers on environmental, social and governance characteristics relative to peers. It is built around the concept of sector-specific ESG risk and opportunity and assesses issuers against certain ESG metrics. The fund-level rating is calculated as a weighted average of the issuer-level ratings.

Third-party ESG Rating
This is represented by the MSCI ESG Score, which indicates how well an issuer manages its most material ESG risks relative to sector peers or the overall ESG performance of a region.

Coverage
Coverage refers to the proportion of portfolio holdings within the data coverage universe of a rating system based on a particular metric.

Neuberger Net-Zero Alignment Indicator – Alignment Status
We measure issuer net-zero readiness using our proprietary Net-Zero Alignment Indicator, a forward-looking tool that seeks to capture an issuer's status and progress toward net-zero targets. The Indicator was created in partnership with our clients with decarbonization targets and incorporates specific sub-indicators that were informed by the high-level expectations of the Institutional Investor Group on Climate Change ("IIGCC"). The net-zero alignment status of the fund is measured by the sum of investments in issuers with approved science-based emissions reduction targets.

Carbon Emission
Carbon emissions are apportioned to the portfolio based on total assets for the banking sector and EVIC (enterprise value including cash) for all other sectors. Scope 1 emissions are from directly emitting sources that are owned or controlled. Scope 2 emissions are from the consumption of purchased electricity, steam, or other sources of energy generated upstream from a company's direct operations. Scope 3 emissions encompass all other emissions associated with an issuer's operations that are not directly owned or controlled by the issuer.

Carbon Footprint
Carbon footprint is derived from the absolute emissions attributed to an investor based on their ownership share of an issuer's total invested capital as defined by EVIC. The sum of issuer's total apportioned carbon emissions is normalized by the total market value of investments covered by TruCost carbon emissions data to calculate the portfolio carbon footprint, expressed in metric tons CO_2e/$million invested.

Carbon Intensity
Carbon intensity is derived from the absolute emissions attributed to an investor divided by million dollars in revenue. Carbon intensity contribution is normalized by the total market value weight of holdings covered by TruCost to calculate the portfolio weighted average carbon intensity, expressed in metric tones of CO_2e /$million revenue.

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Risk Considerations

Market Risk: The risk of a change in the value of a position as a result of underlying market factors, including among other things, the overall performance of companies and the market perception of the global economy.

Emerging Markets Risk: Emerging markets are likely to bear higher risk due to a possible lack of adequate financial, legal, social, political and economic structures, protection and stability as well as uncertain tax positions which may lead to lower liquidity. **The NAV of the fund may experience medium to high volatility due to lower liquidity and the availability of reliable information, as well as due to the fund's investment policies or portfolio management techniques.**

Liquidity Risk: The risk that the fund may be unable to sell an investment readily at its fair market value. In extreme market conditions this can affect the fund's ability to meet redemption requests upon demand.

Smaller Companies Risk: The fund may invest in small capitalisation companies. Such investments involve greater risk than is customarily associated with larger, more established companies due to the greater business risks of small size, limited markets and financial resources, narrow product lines and a frequent lack of depth of management.

Concentration Risk: The fund's investments may be concentrated in a small number of investments and its performance may therefore be more variable than the performance of a more diversified fund.

Counterparty Risk: The risk that a counterparty will not fulfil its payment obligation for a trade, contract or other transaction, on the due date.

Operational Risk: The risk of direct or indirect loss resulting from inadequate or failed processes, people and systems including those relating to the safekeeping of assets or from external events.

Derivatives Risk: The fund is permitted to use certain types of financial derivative instruments (including certain complex instruments). This may increase the fund's leverage significantly which may cause large variations in the value of your share. Investors should note that the fund may achieve its investment objective by investing principally in Financial Derivative Instruments (FDI). There are certain investment risks that apply in relation to the use of FDI. The fund's use of FDI can involve significant risks of loss.

Currency Risk: Investors who subscribe in a currency other than the base currency of the fund are exposed to currency risk. Fluctuations in exchange rates may affect the return on investment. Where past performance is shown it is based on the share class to which this factsheet relates. **If the currency of this share class is different from your local currency, then you should be aware that due to exchange rate fluctuations the performance shown may increase or decrease if converted into your local currency.**

For full information on the risks please refer to the fund prospectus and offering documents, including the KID or KIID, as applicable.

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