

## SCOR Investment Partners expands its sustainable investment offering, with the launch of a corporate loan fund focused on the preservation of natural capital

As a sustainable investor and aware of environmental issues, SCOR Investment Partners announces the launch of a new corporate loan fund focused on the preservation of natural capital: SCOR Euro Loans Natural Capital.

The fund, classified as Article 9 under EU Sustainable Finance Disclosure Regulation (SFDR) was granted the *LuxFLAG ESG Applicant* fund status<sup>1</sup>. SCOR Euro Loans Natural Capital fund will aim to finance companies committed to limiting their environmental impact, through the sustainable use of water, energy, or a policy of waste reduction. The closed-end structure of the fund will allow to benefit from the current favourable investment conditions and to offer a gross target return of Euribor+5%<sup>2</sup>.

With its seasoned investment team specializing in corporate loans, SCOR Investment Partners puts the preservation of natural capital at the heart of its investment focus and is committed to developing innovative sustainable strategies for institutional investors. The fund invests exclusively in Sustainability-Linked Loans with environmental objectives related to waste, water and energy management.

SCOR Euro Loans Natural Capital, available to institutional investors, has secured an initial commitment of EUR 50 million from SCOR, the company's anchor investor and is targeting EUR 500 million in commitments.

Fabrice Rossary, CEO of SCOR Investment Partners, comments: "The preservation of natural capital is at the heart of the major decisions that need to be made to protect future generations. If managed effectively, all three factors - water, waste, and energy - make a significant contribution to protecting the environment. Investors, both asset owners and investment fund managers, also have a role to play in this regard. This new strategy reinforces our positioning as a responsible investor serving the real economy."

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## About SCOR Investment Partners

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SCOR Investment Partners is the asset management company of the SCOR Group. Created in 2008 and accredited by the Autorité des Marches financiers, the French financial market regulatory body, in May 2009 (no. GP09000006), SCOR Investment Partners has more than 80 employees and is structured around seven management desks: Fixed Income, Corporate Loans, Infrastructure Loans, Direct Real Estate, Real Estate Loans, Insurance-Linked Securities and Fund Selection. Since 2012, SCOR Investment Partners has given institutional investors access to some of the investment strategies developed for the SCOR Group. Assets managed for outside investors totaled EUR 6.1 billion as of September 30, 2022. As of that same date, SCOR Investment Partners had total assets under management of EUR 18.4 billion (including undrawn commitments).

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> ESG - LuxFLAG

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> This target is not a guarantee of return but merely an objective

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