

# Swisscanto Flex Collective Foundation FLEX 45

Mixed Portfolio | Reinvesting | March 2026 | Marketing material

## Description

The portfolio is actively managed and invested globally, with a balanced positioned investment profile. The assets are primarily invested in collective investment schemes of Swisscanto and investment groups of Swisscanto investment foundations. The strategic asset allocation is as follows: 2% liquidity, 27% bonds, 45% equities, and 26% real estate. Tactical investments in gold are also permitted. BVV2 investment guidelines apply.

## Profile / Suitability

Only the investment of assets of tax-exempt occupational pension vehicles in Switzerland is permitted (2. pillar).

## Key Facts

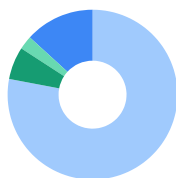
Launch date	01.04.2013
Currency	CHF
Benchmark	Customized
Volume in millions (31.03.2026)	175.09
Foundation	Swisscanto Flex Sammelstiftung der Kantonalbanken
Asset Management	Zürcher Kantonalbank
Custodian	Zürcher Kantonalbank

## Portfolio Data

Volatility p.a.	6.3%
Tracking Error p.a.	0.96%

## Breakdown by Currency

CHF	77.98%
USD	13.23%
EUR	2.61%
Other	6.19%



## Indexed Performance in CHF (net)



## Performance in % as of 31.03.2026

	1M	3M	YTD	12M	5J p.a.	Lanc p.a.	2023	2024	2025
Portfolio	-3.52	-1.11	-1.11	4.63	3.09	4.32	5.09	9.86	6.84
Benchmark	-3.28	-1.03	-1.03	4.94	3.31	4.57	6.46	9.89	7.23

Past performance is no indicator for future performance and does not offer any guarantee for future success.

## Breakdown by Asset Category in %

	Portfolio	BM	Delta	Bandwith
Cash	0.32	2.00	-1.68	0 - 10
Bonds CHF	12.09	17.00	-4.91	9 - 25
Bonds Foreign Currency	10.71	10.00	0.71	4 - 16
Swiss Equities	23.76	22.50	1.26	17 - 28
Foreign Equities	24.30	22.50	1.80	17 - 28
Swiss Real Estate	23.63	23.00	0.63	18 - 28
Foreign Real Estate	4.21	3.00	1.21	0 - 6
Gold	0.96	0.00	0.96	0 - 5

## Sustainability

The assets are managed in accordance with the Responsible sustainability characteristic. The following sustainability approaches are applied to a majority of investments: Stewardship: Voting & Engagement, Avoidance of controversies, ESG integration, and Climate: CO<sub>2</sub>e reduction.

### Stewardship



Voting &  
Engagement

### Controversies



Avoidance of  
controversies

### ESG



ESG integration

### Climate



CO<sub>2</sub>e-emissions  
reduction

# Explanations on sustainability approaches

## Stewardship: Voting & engagement



Stewardship encompasses voting (exercising voting rights at annual general meetings) and engagement (conducting active dialogue on sustainability issues) at companies in which investments are made. With the Swisscanto funds we practice voting and engagement, while with direct investments we only practice engagement. In doing so we aim to promote sustainable business strategies and practices, compliance with recognised international principles, and best practice standards on sustainability issues.

## Avoidance of controversies



Exclusion criteria are designed to avoid investments in business activities and practices that are particularly contrary to sustainability principles. We pay special attention to avoiding investments in controversial and conventional weapons, thermal coal as well as investments that violate the principles of the UN Global Compact (such as human rights, labour standards, the environment and tackling corruption).

## ESG integration



ESG integration refers to systematic inclusion of ESG criteria (environmental, social and good corporate governance) in the investment process. Here, we systematically incorporate corresponding financially relevant ESG risks and opportunities, of companies and countries, for example, into our analyses.

## Climate: CO<sub>2</sub>e reduction



CO<sub>2</sub>e reduction refers to the reduction of greenhouse gas emissions (such as carbon dioxide and methane) in the investment context. Here, we are guided by a CO<sub>2</sub>e benchmark (especially for passive investment strategies) or by the targets set out in the Paris Climate Agreement. This agreement aims to limit global warming to well below 2 degrees Celsius compared to pre-industrial times, aiming to achieve a maximum temperature rise of 1.5 degrees Celsius.

## Further information

Further, supplementary product-specific explanations regarding the sustainability approaches applied can be found in the relevant legal documents at [products.swisscanto.com](https://products.swisscanto.com)

## Sustainability approaches

The sustainability approaches presented are applied to a majority of the investments within the present asset management portfolio. This primarily applies to the implementation of actively managed investments in traditional asset categories with investment products from the Swisscanto brand. Accordingly, the sustainability approaches are not implemented for all assets. There are additional exceptions to the application of sustainability approaches within the investment products used.

## CO<sub>2</sub>e

CO<sub>2</sub>e equivalents (CO<sub>2</sub>e) are a measure to standardise the climate impact of the greenhouse gases carbon dioxide (CO<sub>2</sub>), methane (CH<sub>4</sub>), nitrous oxide (N<sub>2</sub>O) and fluorinated greenhouse gases (CFCs). All of these gases remain in the atmosphere for different lengths of time and do not contribute equally to the greenhouse effect.

## ESG

ESG stands for the aspects of environment (E), social (S) and governance (G).

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