

# Strategy One Fund

The Netherlands

ANNUAL REPORT

**for the year ended 31 December 2020**

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## General information

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Payment Bank	ABN AMRO Bank N.V. Gustav Mahlerlaan 10 1082 PP Amsterdam The Netherlands

## Historical multi-year overview

### Key figures

(All amounts in EUR)

	2020	2019	2018	2017	2016
Net assets at the beginning of the year	12,216,913	13,226,585	14,513,369	13,738,937	15,868,241
Issue of participations	1,545,876	-	3,172,352	700,000	1,764,612
Direct investment result	102,372	95,989	154,493	135,593	122,034
Indirect investment result	884,641	1,883,518	(734,397)	1,896,386	(1,114,798)
	<u>14,749,802</u>	<u>15,206,092</u>	<u>17,105,817</u>	<u>16,470,916</u>	<u>16,640,089</u>
Redemption of participations	(1,775,876)	(2,699,581)	(3,605,035)	(1,660,495)	(2,623,466)
Expenses	<u>(272,595)</u>	<u>(289,598)</u>	<u>(274,197)</u>	<u>(297,052)</u>	<u>(277,686)</u>
<b>Net assets at the end of the year</b>	<b><u>12,701,331</u></b>	<b><u>12,216,913</u></b>	<b><u>13,226,585</u></b>	<b><u>14,513,369</u></b>	<b><u>13,738,937</u></b>
Investments (including net derivative financial instruments)	12,752,707	11,864,889	12,916,499	14,213,015	13,668,814
Cash	32,542	187,611	252,390	673,403	103,069
Other assets and liabilities	<u>(83,918)</u>	<u>164,413</u>	<u>57,696</u>	<u>(373,049)</u>	<u>(32,946)</u>
<b>Net assets at the end of the year</b>	<b><u>12,701,331</u></b>	<b><u>12,216,913</u></b>	<b><u>13,226,585</u></b>	<b><u>14,513,369</u></b>	<b><u>13,738,937</u></b>
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<b>Net profit/(loss)</b>	<b><u>714,418</u></b>	<b><u>1,689,909</u></b>	<b><u>(854,101)</u></b>	<b><u>1,734,927</u></b>	<b><u>(1,270,450)</u></b>
<b>Number of participations at the end of the year</b>					
Series A Initial	5,761.090	4,845.852	6,752.686	5,907.769	6,937.696
Series A September 2018	-	250.000	250.000	-	-
Series A January 2018	-	200.000	200.000	-	-
Series A October 2017	-	-	-	500.000	-
Series A June 2017	-	-	-	100.000	-
Series A February 2017	-	-	-	100.000	-
Series A July 2016	-	-	-	25.000	25.000
Series A January 2016	-	-	-	150.000	150.000
Series A July 2015	-	-	-	25.000	25.000
Series A May 2015	-	1,000.000	1,000.000	1,000.000	1,000.000
Series A April 2015	-	-	-	1,000.000	1,000.000
Series A January 2015	-	-	-	-	-
Series A December 2014	-	-	-	-	-
Series A October 2014	-	-	-	-	-
Series A April 2014	-	-	-	-	-
Series B Initial	2,786.225	2,786.225	2,901.225	2,496.631	2,753.631
Series B November 2015	-	-	-	500.000	500.000
Series B February 2015	-	-	-	50.000	50.000

## Historical multi-year overview *(continued)*

	2020	2019	2018	2017	2016
<b>NAV per participation at the end of the year</b>					
Series A Initial	1,514.66	1,427.63	1,250.35	1,328.69	1,178.46
Series A September 2018	-	1,042.36	911.49	-	-
Series A January 2018	-	1,058.04	925.91	-	-
Series A October 2017	-	-	-	1,004.65	-
Series A June 2017	-	-	-	1,052.77	-
Series A February 2017	-	-	-	1,091.18	-
Series A July 2016	-	-	-	1,138.66	1,013.99
Series A January 2016	-	-	-	1,088.16	967.42
Series A July 2015	-	-	-	1,000.61	885.69
Series A May 2015	-	1,073.67	940.31	999.22	884.44
Series A April 2015	-	-	-	1,029.37	912.50
Series B Initial	1,426.74	1,346.95	1,182.24	1,258.56	1,117.51
Series B November 2015	-	-	-	1,016.95	902.05
Series B February 2015	-	-	-	1,021.48	906.28

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## Management Report

### Investment Objective

The Fund is a fund for joint account (fonds voor gemene rekening) and is not a legal entity but a contractual arrangement sui generis between the Fund Manager, the Legal Owner and each participant. The Fund commenced operations on 1 May 2012. Privium Fund Management B.V. will act as the Fund Manager (beheerder) of the Fund and Stichting Bewaarder Strategy One Fund will act as the legal owner of the assets and liabilities of the Fund. In managing the assets and liabilities of the Fund, the Fund Manager will act solely in the best interests of the Participants. The Legal Owner will be the legal owner of all assets of the Fund and liabilities of the Fund. The Legal Owner will acquire and hold the assets of the Fund and assume the obligations on behalf and for the account of the Participants. The Legal Owner will act solely in the best interests of the Participants.

The Fund's investment objective is to generate investment returns of on average 5% to 10% per annum on a three to five-year investment horizon. No guarantee is given as to the Fund actually achieving this objective. The aim is to capture a decent part of the upside in rising markets and to limit the exposure during periods where the markets are falling. To achieve this, investments will be made in a mixture of Investee Funds (including hedge funds or other (alternative) collective investment vehicles), stocks, and bonds, in pursuit of a portfolio of investments that are well-diversified.

Frequent and regular distributions of Net Proceeds (including profit distributions) by the Fund are not intended nor anticipated. The Fund does not have any expenditures on research and development.

### Review 2020 and Outlook

The Strategy One Fund gained +6.1% in 2020 (Initial Series A). Looking back, 2020 was a truly exceptional year. Corona dominated financial markets and all our private lives dramatically, massively affecting all parts of our society. Every central bank in the world provided massive liquidity in order to keep the world economy going. After the initial shock it became apparent that the service dependent economies had been severely affected whereas manufacturing economies mostly performed better. What has also become very clear during 2020 was that long-term trends accelerated rapidly and will have a very big impact on certain sectors of the world economy for years to come. Financial markets had quickly come to realise this, and technology stocks performed extraordinary well. On the other side of the coin "old economy stocks" fell dramatically.

The other buzz word for 2020 was "fake news", not just with regards to the Corona virus, but more important towards the US election, where some of these new technology stocks were found to actively be part of spreading misinformation.

The Strategy One Fund performed well during 2020. At its worst we were down about half the world equity markets and beating it at year end. This doesn't mean that we didn't have to deal with some serious frustrations. The largest being Alken, where we have been invested in since 2006. Its exposure to Wirecard worried us for a long time having taken most of our money off the table in 2019. Its collapse and a disastrous decision to sell pretty much everything at the bottom of the market, made us decide to exit the position. There were big successes too particularly in our largest holdings, Phaidros, Adelphi, Gold and Fidelity China.

Looking forward we have found there is absolutely no upside in the government bond market as the world is assuming that we'll see an increase in inflation (at a modest level). This has an impact on volatility for the future as bonds have historically been a shock absorber in volatile markets. If the market is right about the world economic growth and muted inflation this will provide a good tailwind for most equity markets. We are hoping to reduce volatility in our fund by using hedge-funds as most other financial products are now too correlated.

There are currently no plans to change the portfolio in a dramatic way. However, this will also depend on general market circumstances.

We look forward to 2021 and thank you for your continuing support.

## Management Report (*continued*)

### General principles of remuneration policy Privium Fund Management B.V. (‘Privium’)

Privium Fund Management B.V, Fund Manager of various funds, has a careful, controlled and sustainable remuneration policy which meets all the regulatory requirements as included in the Alternative Investment Fund Managers Directive (AIFMD), the guidelines on sound remuneration policies under the AIFMD (ESMA Guidelines) and the Sustainable Finance Disclosure Regulation. The remuneration policy is consistent with and contributes to a sound and effective risk management framework and does not encourage risk taking beyond what is acceptable for Privium Fund Management B.V.

The Board of Privium is responsible for establishing the Remuneration policy. The Board of Privium reviews the Remuneration policy at least once a year and the policy may be amended if circumstances warrant that. Remunerations at Privium may consist out of a fixed remuneration (this may include a payment to cover certain expenses of staff members) and a variable remuneration.

Privium may reclaim all or part of the variable remuneration paid if (i) this payment was made on the basis of incorrect information, (ii) in the event of fraud by the employee, (iii) in the event of serious improper behaviour by the employee or serious negligence in the performance of his tasks, or (iv) in the event of behaviour that has resulted in considerable losses for the fund or Privium.

### Remuneration policy 2020

This policy is based on the situation as of December 31, 2020. The financial year of Privium ends on December 31 of any year. For some of the funds the compensation consists of both a management and a performance fee. Amounts reflect remuneration related to funds managed by Privium, for the time Privium was the Fund Manager of those funds.

The two tables below offer an overview of the remuneration at the level of Privium. The first table shows the remuneration overview as of December 31, 2019 and the second table shows the remuneration overview as of December 31, 2020.

Information per fund is not available. The Board of Privium is being described as Identified Staff in senior management roles. All other staff members are categorized as identified staff outside senior management roles.

#### Overview as December 31, 2019

	Identified staff in senior management roles	Identified staff outside senior management roles	Total staff
Number of staff	2	33	35
Total fixed remuneration	€ 161,214	€ 5,323,500	€ 5,484,714
Total variable remuneration	€ 20,000	€ 4,339,313	€ 4,359,313
<b>Total remuneration</b>	<b>€ 181,214</b>	<b>€ 9,662,813</b>	<b>€ 9,844,027</b>

#### Overview as December 31, 2020

	Identified staff in senior management roles	Identified staff outside senior management roles	Total staff
Number of staff	2	34	36
Total fixed remuneration	€ 148,421	€ 4,839,700	€ 4,988,121
Total variable remuneration	€ 35,000	€ 5,331,064	€ 5,366,064
<b>Total remuneration</b>	<b>€ 183,421</b>	<b>€ 10,170,764</b>	<b>€ 10,354,185</b>

## Management Report (*continued*)

### Remuneration policy 2020 (*continued*)

Privium has delegated certain portfolio management duties of some of its funds to outside investment advisers ('delegates'). Remuneration of identified staff of delegates is not included in the table. The delegates are subject to regulatory requirements on remuneration policies and disclosures that are comparable with the requirements applicable to Privium. Reference to the remuneration of the delegates is included in the Prospectus and annual report of the funds concerned. Since no delegates for portfolio management have been assigned for the Strategy One Fund this is not applicable to the Strategy One Fund.

Variable payments to both identified staff members in senior management roles and identified staff outside senior management depend e.g. on the profitability of the company, the performance of the funds, extraordinary commitment to the firm, customer satisfaction, work according best practice ethical standards, and/or other performance/non-performance related criteria. Regarding the 2020 performance of the Strategy One Fund a variable payment of EUR 38,104.52 has been paid to a Privium identified staff member (outside senior management roles). Privium Fund Management B.V., the Fund Manager of the various funds, does not charge any employee remuneration fees to the funds, except for the Supermarkt Vastgoed fund.

Employee remuneration is paid out of the management and performance fees (if applicable). In total 36 staff members were involved during (some part of) the year 2020 (2019: 35), including consultants and including both part-time and full-time staff.

One staff member, active in portfolio management, has earned more than EUR 1,000,000 in relation to the performance results during the year 2020 (2019: one).

### Remuneration Investee Funds

The Strategy One Fund invests, among other securities, in other Investee Funds. These Funds are managed by other Investment Managers. These Investment Managers are regulated and need to comply with the local legislation in the countries in which they are regulated.

The Investment Objective and Investment Strategy of the Investee Funds are guided by a clear framework and should avoid any excessive risk taking. The Investment Managers of the Investee Funds each have remuneration policies in place as required by law. This both includes fixed and variable remuneration. In the audited financial statements of the Investee Funds these remuneration policies are explained in greater detail. Also on the websites of the Investment Managers these remuneration policies have been published.

### **Risk management**

Privium Fund Management B.V. has a clear and elaborate Risk Management framework, in line with current legislation, such as the Alternative Investment Fund Manager Directive (AIFMD). The Risk Management function within Privium is performed by an independent Risk Manager. Privium has a Risk Management Committee which meets at least on a monthly basis.

The Risk Management framework consists of several individual components, whereby Risk Monitoring is being performed on an ongoing basis.

Under the AIFM Directive, the Fund Manager is required to establish and maintain a permanent risk management function. This function should have a primary role in shaping the risk policy of each Alternative Investment Fund ("AIF") under management by the Fund Manager, risk monitoring and risk measuring in order to ensure that the risk level complies on an ongoing basis with the AIF's risk profile.

The risk management function performs the following roles:

- Implement effective risk management policies and procedures in order to identify, measure, manage and monitor risks;
- Ensure that the risk profile of an AIF is consistent with the risk limits set for the AIF;
- Monitor compliance with risk limits; and
- Provide regular updates to senior management concerning:
  - 1: The consistency of stated profile versus risk limits;
  - 2: The adequacy and effectiveness of the risk management process; and
  - 3: The current level of risk of each AIF and any actual or foreseeable breaches of risk limits.



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## Management Report (*continued*)

### **Risk management** (*continued*)

As described by the AIFM Directive quantitative risk limits are, where possible, constructed for various risk categories: market risk, liquidity risk, credit risk, counterparty risk and operational risk. These risk limits should be in agreement with the risk profile of the fund.

The risk management function is fully independent from the portfolio management function of the Fund Manager. The risk manager has full authority to close positions or the authorization to instruct the closing of positions on his behalf in case of a risk breach.

To ensure that all risk management tasks are executed correctly and timely, the Fund Manager uses an automated system that registers all risk tasks, keeps a list of all pending risk tasks, and escalates risk tasks that have not been executed or report a violation of a risk rule. The system produces an audit log that can be verified by the internal auditor, the external auditor, the management board, the regulator or other stake holders. Not all risk variables have limits but to identify any new relevant risks, every variable that is reported in the system flows through a sanity check. The sanity check will raise an exception if the variable falls outside its “normal” boundaries. The Risk Manager is notified of these exceptions and will make an assessment whether the situation is stable or whether further escalation is needed.

The positions of the fund are administered and reconciled by using a professional portfolio management system. Risk reports such as Value at Risk and Stress Scenarios are run using Bloomberg.

The Fund Manager uses an API-based system in which positions and/or risk exposures are synced from the Portfolio Manager’s Excel (or alternative software) to a central database.

The CM system is responsible for monitoring of the pre-defined risk limits. The limits can either be configured as notification limits, soft limits or hard limits. In case of a breach of any of the limits, the escalation procedures are followed as described in the Risk Management Procedures (Annex 17) of the Privium Handbook.

The reoccurring risk tasks are:

- Weekly risk report by risk management, including Value at Risk.
- Monthly reporting by portfolio management
- Quarterly Operational risk management
- Monthly stress scenarios. On ad hoc basis extra stress scenarios can be done.

On a monthly basis the Risk Committee of the Fund Manager meets to discuss the performances and risks of the Fund. Any breaches are discussed. On a yearly basis a Risk Evaluation and Product Review is conducted.

In 2016 Privium’s senior management team decided to engage an external party in the annual evaluation of the internal processes. This audit primarily focusses on risk management and compliance processes. In Q4 2020 this audit was executed for fifth time and the findings were reported to Privium’s management. The audit did not demonstrate any material deviations.

### **Risk management and willingness to take risks**

There have been no risk breaches during the year 2020. The risk profile of the Fund hasn’t changed during the reporting period. Neither did the investment objective (s) or any of the investment restrictions of the Fund changed during the reporting period.

Reference to the investment objective (s), risk profile and the investment restrictions of the Fund is made in the Prospectus of the Fund and the Key Investor Information Document.

In the table below we list the various risk to which investors in the Fund are exposed and we discuss the measures applied to manage these risks and their potential impact on the Fund’s NAV’s.

## Management Report *(continued)*

### Risk management and willingness to take risks *(continued)*

Sorts of risks	Risk hedged	Measures applied and expected effectiveness	Impact on 2020 NAV	Expected impact on 2021 NAV if risk materializes	Adjustments made or expected adjustments to risk management in 2020 or 2021
Price/Market Risk	No	The fund maintains a number of long only equity and bond investments. Strong bottom-up company analysis is a very important item in mitigating risks during the holding period of a position. However price fluctuations due to general equity and bond market movements during the holding period can't be mitigated or avoided in full by conducting company analysis. This risk is inherent when securities like equities and bonds are traded.	The Fund gained +6.1% in 2020 (Initial series A). The Fund does not have a benchmark. Global Equities, measured by the MSCI World Index (EUR) gained +5% in 2020, bonds measured by the Vanguard Global Bond Index Fund gained +4.8% in 2020 and hedge funds measured by the HFRX Hedge Fund Index (in EUR) gained +3%.	Investments are selected after a thorough due diligence process but the occurrence of this risk will also largely depend on general market circumstances.	No. The Fund Manager is comfortable with the risk exposure currently in place.
Manager Risk	No	The Fund maintains a number of investments in other investment funds. These funds are managed by external Fund Management companies. A rigid due diligence process is in place when investment funds are selected.	The Fund underperformed most global equity indices but outperformed most European equity indices and also outperformed most global bond and hedge fund indices. Global Equities, measured by the MSCI World Index (EUR) gained +5%. Bonds measured by the Vanguard Global Bond Index Fund gained +4.8% in 2020 and hedge funds measured by the HFRX Hedge Fund Index (in EUR) gained +3%.	Much will depend on the actual positioning of the underlying investment funds. However we expect that the selected investment funds will perform better than general equity markets over the long term.	No. The Fund Manager is comfortable with the risk exposure currently in place.
Interest rate risk	No	The Fund maintains a number of investments in corporate credit. However this a small percentage of the portfolio (<5%). Therefore the Fund is not exposed to significant interest rate risk.	None	None	No. The Fund Manager is comfortable with the risk exposure currently in place.
Foreign Exchange risk	Partially	Direct FX risk is only partially hedged. As of December 31, 2020 around 48% of the Sterling exposure was hedged. The USD and CHF FX exposure was not hedged as of December 31, 2020. The Fund has the possibility to hedge foreign FX exposure in full.	Over 70% of the investments are denominated in EUR.	This will largely depend on FX movements.	No. The Fund Manager is comfortable with the risk exposure currently in place.
Liquidity risk	No	Liquidity risk mostly has been mitigated by investing in positions that offer sufficient liquidity.	None	We would not expect a negative NAV impact if this risk would materialize.	No. The Fund Manager is comfortable with the risk exposure currently in place.
Credit risk	No	Spare cash is maintained at ABN AMRO. ABN AMRO has an A credit rating (S&P credit rating) and we would reconsider the relationship if this changes. The Fund also maintains positions in some fixed income securities directly (corporate credit) but these are below 10% of the portfolio.	None on the spare cash and low on the fixed income positions.	Due to the limited exposure to fixed income securities we deem the risk to be limited.	No. The Fund Manager is comfortable with the risk exposure currently in place.
Operational risk	No	This risk is mostly mitigated by having rigid operational procedures in place. Next to that duties and responsibilities are clearly divided between Privium employees. The same is applicable to the service providers of the several Privium Funds.	None	None	No. The Fund Manager is comfortable with the risk exposure currently in place.
Counterparty Risk	No	This risk is mostly mitigated by selecting and maintaining relationships with top tier counterparties and service providers.	None	None	No. The Fund Manager is comfortable with the risk exposure currently in place.
Leverage Risk	No	The Fund is not utilizing any borrowings to take positions. Because the Fund is partially hedging direct foreign FX exposures by using FX forwards, the fund is utilizing implied leverage. As of December 31, 2020 the leverage calculations according to the Gross method and Commitment method are as follows: Gross method: 106.27% and Commitment method: 100%.	None	None	No. The Fund Manager is comfortable with the risk exposure currently in place.

## Management Report (*continued*)

### Control Statement

The Board of Privium Fund Management B.V. declares to have an AO/IB (Handbook) that meets the requirements of the “Wet op het financieel toezicht and the ‘Besluit gedragstoezicht financiële ondernemingen (‘Bgfo’)”. During 2020 we assessed the various aspects of the Privium operations as outlined in the AO/IB (Handbook). We have not identified any internal control measures that do not meet the requirements of Article 121 of the Bgfo and as such we declare that the operations in the year 2020 functioned effectively as described. During 2020 a number of independent service providers have conducted checks on Privium’s operations as part of their ongoing responsibility and investor demand. No errors have been signalled.

Privium is updating its AO/IC (Handbook) on a regular basis as required by law. The 2020 update was completed in November 2020. During the fourth quarter of 2020 the external audit officer performed its annual due diligence on a number of internal procedures at the Fund Manager These are mostly related to Compliance and Risk Management. The external audit officer has reported his findings to the Fund Manager in a report. No meaningful errors have been signalled.

## Financial statements

### BALANCE SHEET

(As at 31 December)

(Profit after appropriation of result)

	Note	31 December 2020 EUR	31 December 2019 EUR
<b>Assets</b>			
<b>Investments</b>			
Equities		2,387,421	1,623,522
Investee funds		10,053,424	9,954,561
Debt instruments		317,026	298,364
	3	<u>12,757,871</u>	<u>11,876,447</u>
<b>Current assets (fall due in less than 1 year)</b>			
Cash at bank and due from custodian	4	32,542	187,611
Interest receivable		5,964	6,000
Prepaid investments		-	250,000
Dividend receivable		-	2,115
		<u>38,506</u>	<u>445,726</u>
<b>Total assets</b>		<u>12,796,377</u>	<u>12,322,173</u>
<b>Investment liabilities</b>			
Derivative financial liabilities		(5,164)	(11,558)
	3	<u>(5,164)</u>	<u>(11,558)</u>
<b>Current liabilities (fall due in less than 1 year)</b>			
Accrued expenses and other payables	5	(89,882)	(93,702)
		<u>(89,882)</u>	<u>(93,702)</u>
<b>Total liabilities</b>		<u>(95,046)</u>	<u>(105,260)</u>
<b>Total assets minus total liabilities</b>		<u>12,701,331</u>	<u>12,216,913</u>
<b>Equity</b>			
Contributions of participants		8,708,703	8,938,703
Undistributed gain		3,992,628	3,278,210
<b>Total shareholders' equity</b>	6	<u>12,701,331</u>	<u>12,216,913</u>

The accompanying notes are an integral part of these financial statements.

## Financial statements

### INCOME STATEMENT (For the years ended 31 December)

	Note	2020 EUR	2019 EUR
<b>Investment result</b>			
<i>Direct investment result</i>			
Interest income	7	11,277	20,473
Dividend income	8	91,095	75,516
		<b>102,372</b>	<b>95,989</b>
<i>Indirect investment result</i>			
Realised gains on equities	3, 9	49,078	103,291
Realised (losses)/gains on investee funds	3, 9	(109,242)	161,531
Realised gains on debt instruments	3, 9	-	62,193
Realised gains/(losses) on forward currency contracts	3	60,174	(72,896)
Unrealised gains/(losses) on forward currency contracts	3	6,394	(12,293)
Unrealised (losses)/gains on equities	3, 9	(27,873)	284,365
Unrealised gains on investee funds	3, 9	892,822	1,349,330
Unrealised gains on debt instruments	3, 9	14,437	16,262
Foreign currency losses on translation	10	(1,149)	(8,265)
		<b>884,641</b>	<b>1,883,518</b>
<b>Total investment income</b>		<b>987,013</b>	<b>1,979,507</b>
<b>Expenses</b>			
Management fee	11, 12	(119,152)	(123,481)
Incentive fee	11, 12	(38,105)	(45,274)
Administration fee	11	(25,379)	(26,027)
Audit fee	11	(21,976)	(24,251)
Depositary fee	11	(20,504)	(19,965)
Bank charges		(10,497)	(12,941)
Custody fee	11	(11,551)	(9,621)
Other operational costs		(7,101)	(7,176)
Legal ownership fee		(6,541)	(6,376)
Interest expense		(1,744)	(4,503)
Legal fee		(1,252)	(2,697)
<b>Total expenses</b>		<b>(263,802)</b>	<b>(282,312)</b>
<b>Net profit for the year before tax</b>		<b>723,211</b>	<b>1,697,195</b>
Withholding tax		(8,793)	(7,286)
<b>Net profit for the year after tax</b>		<b>714,418</b>	<b>1,689,909</b>

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### STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS

(For the years ended 31 December)

	<i>Note</i>	<b>2020</b>	<b>2019</b>
		<b>EUR</b>	<b>EUR</b>
<b>Cash flows from operating activities</b>			
Purchases of investments	3	(2,706,097)	(2,287,148)
Proceeds from sale of investments	3	2,643,895	5,153,187
Net payments for derivative financial instruments		310,174	(72,896)
Interest received		11,313	24,057
Interest paid		(1,985)	(4,881)
Dividend received		93,210	77,963
Management fee paid	11,12	(118,752)	(124,287)
Incentive fee paid	11,12	(43,495)	(1,796)
Administration fee paid		(23,765)	(26,694)
Audit fee paid		(32,703)	(26,523)
Legal ownership fee paid		(6,541)	(7,876)
Legal fee paid		(2,099)	(1,820)
Depositary fee paid		(20,504)	(19,965)
Custody fee paid		(6,011)	(4,856)
Bank charges paid		(11,216)	(13,660)
Withholding tax paid		(8,793)	(7,286)
Other general expenses paid		(551)	(12,452)
<b>Net cash flows provided by operating activities</b>		<b>76,080</b>	<b>2,643,067</b>
<b>Cash flows from financing activities</b>			
Proceeds from sales of participations – Class A	6	1,545,876	-
Payments on redemptions of participations – Class A	6	(1,775,876)	(2,549,600)
Payments on redemptions of participants – Class B	6	-	(149,981)
<b>Net cash flows used in financing activities</b>		<b>(230,000)</b>	<b>(2,699,581)</b>
<b>Net decrease in cash</b>		<b>(153,920)</b>	<b>(56,514)</b>
Cash at the beginning of the year	4	187,611	252,390
Foreign currency translation of cash positions		(1,149)	(8,265)
<b>Cash at the end of the year</b>	4	<b>32,542</b>	<b>187,611</b>
<b>Analysis of cash</b>			
Cash at bank		337	3,549
Due from custodian		32,205	184,062
<b>Total cash</b>	4	<b>32,542</b>	<b>187,611</b>

The accompanying notes are an integral part of these financial statements.

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## Notes to the financial statements

### 1. GENERAL INFORMATION

Strategy One Fund (the “Fund”) is structured as a contractual fund with an open-ended redemption structure under Dutch law, and was established on 19 April 2012. The Fund is a closed fund for joint account (*besloten fonds voor gemene rekening*) and is not a legal entity but a contractual arrangement *sui generis* between the Fund Manager, the Legal Owner and each participant. The Fund commenced operations on 1 May 2012. The Legal Owner of the Fund is registered with the Trade Register of the Netherlands under registration number 851589492 for Dutch tax purposes. The Fund has a registered office at Gustav Mahlerplein 3, Symphony Offices, 26<sup>th</sup> Floor, 1082 MS Amsterdam, the Netherlands.

The Fund may issue Class A and Class B participations. Class A participations can be held by investors residing in the Netherlands or other countries. Class B participations can be held by investors residing in the United Kingdom. As at 31 December 2020 and 2019, both the Class A participations and Class B participations are in issue.

The investment objective of the Fund is to deliver attractive risk-adjusted returns to its participants over a rolling investment horizon of 3 to 5 years with an investment vehicle which targets above average returns in the range of 5% to 10% per annum.

The Fund’s investment activities are managed by Privium Fund Management B.V. (the “Fund Manager”), with the administration delegated to Apex Fund Services (Netherlands) B.V. (the “Administrator”).

The Fund had no employees during the years ended 31 December 2020 and 2019.

The Fund Manager is in possession of an AFM (Stichting Autoriteit Financiële Markten) license as referred to in article 2:65(1)(a) FSA, and as a consequence may offer the Fund to professional and non-professional investors within the Netherlands. The Fund Manager is subject to conduct of business and prudential supervision by the AFM and DNB.

The AFM license of the Fund Manager has been issued prior to the implementation of the AIFMD in the Netherlands, and was automatically converted into an AIFMD license (2:65 Wft new) by the AFM on 22 July 2014, in accordance with the Netherlands AIFMD implementation schedule.

As a result of the implementation Darwin Depository Services B.V. has been appointed as Depository in accordance to article 4:37h FSA.

The financial statements have been authorised for issue by the Fund Manager on 24 June 2021.

### 2. SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING PRINCIPLES AND POLICIES

#### Basis of preparation

The financial statements of the Fund have been prepared in accordance with the reporting principles generally accepted in the Netherlands (“Dutch GAAP”) including the guidelines for annual reporting (RJ) 615 and the statutory provisions concerning annual accounts contained in Part 9, Book 2 of the Dutch Civil Code. The financial statements have also been prepared in accordance with the requirements of the Dutch Financial Supervision Act (“FSA”).

Fair value is the price that would be received to sell an asset or paid to transfer a liability in an orderly transaction between market participants. The financial statements are prepared on a fair value basis for financial investments, except those for which a reliable measure of fair value is not available. Other financial assets and liabilities and non-financial assets and liabilities are stated at amortised cost or historical cost. Transaction costs are expensed in the income statement if these are related to financial assets carried at fair value through profit or loss.

## Notes to the financial statements

### 2. SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING PRINCIPLES AND POLICIES (*CONTINUED*)

#### **Basis of preparation** (*continued*)

Below is a summary of the accounting policies of the Fund.

#### **Functional currency**

The financial statements are presented in Euro (“EUR”), which is the Fund’s functional currency.

#### **Recognition and measurement**

An asset is recognised in the balance sheet when it is probable that future economic benefits of the asset will flow to the Fund and the amount of the asset can be reliably measured. A liability is recognised in the balance sheet when it is probable that an outflow of resources embodying economic benefits will result from the settlement of a present obligation and the amount at which the settlement will take place can be measured reliably. Income is recognised in the income statement when an increase in future economic benefit related to an increase in an asset or decrease in a liability has arisen that can be measured reliably.

Expenses (including value added tax (“VAT”), where applicable) are recognised in the income statement when a decrease in future economic benefit related to a decrease in an asset or an increase in a liability has arisen that can be measured reliably.

#### **Estimates**

The preparation of financial statements in conformity with the relevant rules requires the use of certain critical accounting estimates. It also requires management to exercise its judgement in the process of applying the Fund’s accounting policies. If necessary, for the purposes of providing the view required under Art. 2:362.1 DCC, the nature of these estimates and judgements, including related assumptions, is disclosed in the notes to the financial statements in question.

#### **Foreign exchange**

Transactions in foreign currency are converted at the rates prevailing on the date of the transaction. Monetary assets and liabilities denominated in currencies other than the EUR are converted to EUR at the exchange rates prevailing on the balance sheet date. Foreign currency exchange gains and losses resulting from the settlement of such transactions and from the translation at year end exchange rates are recognised in the income statement. Currency translation differences arising upon the settlement or conversion of monetary items are recognised in the income statement in the period that they are realised, unless hedge accounting is applied. Translation differences on non-monetary assets held at cost are recognised using the exchange rates prevailing at the dates of transactions.

Translation differences in non-monetary assets such as equities, investments in investee funds and debt instruments held at fair value through profit or loss are recognised through profit or loss as part of the fair value gain or loss.

#### **Classification of participations**

The participations of the Fund are classified as equity. These participations are recognised and measured at the redemption amount. Any distribution of equity is recognised through equity.

#### **Basis of valuation - policies in preparing the balance sheet**

Assets and liabilities are generally valued at historical cost, production cost or at fair value at the time of acquisition. Liabilities are initially recognised at fair value and subsequently measured at amortised cost. If no specific valuation principle has been stated, valuation is at historical cost. In the balance sheet, income statement and the cash flow statement, references are made to the notes. Financial investments and financial derivatives are initially measured at fair value which is the fair value of the consideration given or received. Financial investments are subsequently re-measured at fair value.

Gains and losses arising from fair value changes are recognised in the income statement as ‘realised gains on equities’, ‘realised (losses)/gains on investee funds’, ‘realised gains on debt instruments’, realised gains/(losses) on forward currency contracts, ‘unrealised gains/(losses) on forward currency contracts’, ‘unrealised (losses)/gains on equities’, ‘unrealised gains on investee funds’ and ‘unrealised gains on debt instruments’.



## Notes to the financial statements

### 2. SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING PRINCIPLES AND POLICIES (*CONTINUED*)

#### **Basis of valuation - policies in preparing the balance sheet** (*continued*)

The Fund's investments in investee funds are valued based on the reporting received from the administrators of those funds. As at 31 December 2020, the value of investments in investee funds is the aggregate of the Fund's attributable share of the latest available net asset value ("NAV") of the investee funds.

The profit or loss of the Fund on its investments in investee funds is the aggregate of the Fund's attributable share of the result of the investee funds. The Fund Manager may, if it thinks fit, make adjustments as a result of the different bases of determination of results applied by the investee funds. As at 31 December 2020 and 2019, no such adjustments were made.

The Fund measures the fair value of any security which is listed or quoted on any securities exchange or similar electronic system and regularly traded thereon using its last traded price on the relevant business day. If no trades occurred on such day, it will be valued at the closing price on the previous business day.

Where an up-to-date value of an underlying investment is not available, or the valuation date does not coincide with that of the Fund, the Fund Manager will use an estimated value. As at 31 December 2020, no such estimated values were used.

#### *Receivables and prepayments*

The value of accounts receivable and prepaid expenses will be deemed to be the full amount unless it is unlikely to be paid or received in full. Appropriate allowances for estimated irrecoverable amounts are recognised in the income statement when there is objective evidence that the asset is impaired.

#### *Accounts receivable*

Trade receivables are recognised initially at fair value and subsequently measured at amortised cost. If payment of the receivable is postponed under an extended payment deadline, fair value is measured on the basis of the discounted value of the expected revenues. Interest gains are recognised using the effective interest method. When a trade receivable is uncollectible, it is written off against the allowance account for trade receivables.

#### *Dividend income*

Dividend income relating to equity securities are recognized in the income statement on the ex-dividend date. Dividend income is presented gross of any non-recoverable withholding taxes, which are disclosed separately in the income statement.

#### *Interest income and interest expense*

Interest income and expenses are recognised on a pro rata basis, taking account of the effective interest rate of the assets and liabilities to which they relate. In accounting for interest expenses, the recognised transaction expenses for loans received are taken into consideration.

#### *Payables and accruals*

Payables and accruals and deferred income are included at fair value.

#### **Cash**

Cash comprises cash on hand and demand deposits. Cash is carried at face value.

#### **Statement of cash flows**

The statement of cash flows is prepared according to the direct method. The statement of cash flows shows the Fund's cash flows for the year divided into cash flows from operations and financing activities and how the cash flows have affected cash funds.

For the purposes of the statement of cash flows, financial instruments at fair value through profit or loss are included under operating activities. Cash flows from financing activities include proceeds from subscriptions and payments for redemptions of shares of the Fund. As the nature of the Fund is to invest in financial instruments, all cash flows related to investments are classified as cash flows from operating activities.

#### **Shareholders' equity**

All references to net assets and NAV throughout the financial statements are equivalent to shareholders' equity.

## Notes to the financial statements

### 2. SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING PRINCIPLES AND POLICIES (CONTINUED)

#### Tax position

The Dutch tax authorities have granted a ruling confirming that the Fund is tax transparent. This implies that the Fund is not subject to corporate income tax. Distributions made by the Fund (for example in case of redemption by a participant) are not subject to dividend withholding tax.

#### Principles for determining the result

The Fund recognises financial assets and financial liabilities on the date it becomes a party to the contractual provisions of the instrument. A regular way purchase and sale of investments is recognised using trade date accounting.

The changes in the value of the investments held by the Fund are accounted for in the income statement. The Fund may use forward currency contracts to limit the exchange rate risk. Forward currency contracts are accounted for as currency transactions. The change in value of forward currency contracts are also accounted for in the income statement.

Dividend income related to exchange-traded equity investments is recognised in the income statement on the ex-dividend date. Dividend withholding tax is presented gross in the income statement.

Interest income and expense are accounted for in the income statement on the accrual basis. Transaction costs in relation to equities are capitalised while transaction costs in relation to forward currency contracts are expensed immediately.

### NOTES FOR INDIVIDUAL BALANCE SHEET ITEMS

#### 3. Investments

<i>Movement in schedule of investments (All amounts in EUR)</i>	<b>31 December 2020</b>	<b>31 December 2019</b>
<b>Investment in equities</b>		
As at 1 January	1,623,522	1,647,693
Purchases	1,612,910	1,135,111
Sales	(870,216)	(1,546,938)
Realised gains	49,078	103,291
Unrealised (loss)/gain	(27,873)	284,365
<b>As at 31 December</b>	<b>2,387,421</b>	<b>1,623,522</b>
<b>Investment in investee funds</b>		
As at 1 January	9,954,561	10,318,457
Purchases	1,088,962	651,392
Sales	(1,773,679)	(2,526,149)
Realised (loss)/gain	(109,242)	161,531
Unrealised gains	892,822	1,349,330
<b>As at 31 December</b>	<b>10,053,424</b>	<b>9,954,561</b>
<b>Investment in debt instruments</b>		
As at 1 January	298,364	949,615
Purchases	4,225	353,990
Sales	-	(1,083,696)
Realised gain	-	62,193
Unrealised gains	14,437	16,262
<b>As at 31 December</b>	<b>317,026</b>	<b>298,364</b>
<b>Total investments (excluding derivative financial instruments)</b>		
As at 1 January	11,876,447	12,915,765
Purchases	2,706,097	2,140,493
Sales	(2,643,895)	(5,156,783)
Realised (loss)/gain	(60,164)	327,015
Unrealised gains	879,386	1,649,957
<b>As at 31 December</b>	<b>12,757,871</b>	<b>11,876,447</b>

## Notes to the financial statements

### NOTES FOR INDIVIDUAL BALANCE SHEET ITEMS (CONTINUED)

#### 3. Investments (continued)

The table below provides an analysis of the forward currency contracts at 31 December 2020:

Expiration date	Contract currency	Bought	Contract currency	Sold	Contract rate	Valuation rate	Unrealised EUR
29/01/2021	EUR	833,714	GBP	750,000	1.11161863	1.1185	(5,164)
<b>Total unrealised loss on open forward currency contracts</b>							<b>(5,164)</b>

The table below provides an analysis of the forward currency contracts at 31 December 2019:

Expiration date	Contract currency	Bought	Contract currency	Sold	Contract rate	Valuation rate	Unrealised EUR
31/01/2020	EUR	1,169,342	GBP	1,000,000	1.16934173	1.1809	(11,558)
<b>Total unrealised loss on open forward currency contracts</b>							<b>(11,558)</b>

The tables below provide an analysis of fund investments that are measured subsequent to initial recognition at fair value based on how that fair value is determined.

#### 31 December 2020

	Total EUR	Quoted prices (unadjusted) in active markets EUR	Other EUR
Investment in investee funds (assets)	10,053,424	5,941,080	4,112,343*
Derivative financial liabilities	(5,164)	(5,164)	-
<b>Total</b>	<b>10,048,260</b>	<b>5,935,916</b>	<b>4,112,343</b>

#### 31 December 2019

	Total EUR	Quoted prices (unadjusted) in active markets EUR	Other EUR
Investment in investee funds (assets)	9,954,561	7,027,422	2,927,139*
Derivative financial liabilities	(11,558)	(11,558)	-
<b>Total</b>	<b>9,943,003</b>	<b>7,015,864</b>	<b>2,927,139</b>

\*For the investment in investee funds, the fair value is derived from Administrator statements.

#### 4. Cash

As at 31 December 2020, cash comprises of balances held with ABN AMRO Bank N.V. amounting to EUR 337 (2019: EUR 3,549).

As at 31 December 2020, cash also comprises of balances held with ABN AMRO Clearing Bank N.V. of EUR 32,205 (2019: EUR 184,062).

As at 31 December 2020 and 2019, no restrictions in the use of cash exists.

## Notes to the financial statements

### NOTES FOR INDIVIDUAL BALANCE SHEET ITEMS (CONTINUED)

#### 5. Accrued expenses and other payables

As at 31 December, accrued expenses and other payables consist of the following:

<i>(All amounts in EUR)</i>	<b>31 December 2020</b>	<b>31 December 2019</b>
Incentive fee payable	(38,088)	(43,478)
Audit fee payable	(11,586)	(22,313)
Custodian fee payable	(11,032)	(5,492)
Management fee payable	(10,625)	(10,225)
Administration fee payable	(10,301)	(8,687)
FATCA fee payable	(6,000)	-
Legal fee payable	(1,153)	(2,000)
Regulator fee payable	(1,042)	(1,200)
Interest payable	(30)	(271)
Other payables	(25)	(36)
<b>Total accrued expenses and other payables</b>	<b>(89,882)</b>	<b>(93,702)</b>

#### 6. Share capital

##### *Structure of the Fund's capital*

Strategy One Fund is structured as a contractual fund with an open-ended redemption structure and is subject to Dutch law. The Fund may issue Class A and Class B participations. As at 31 December 2020 and 2019, both the Class A participations and Class B participations are in issue. The Fund does not impose any special rights to any of the classes.

Class A participations can be held by investors residing in the Netherlands or other countries. Class B participations are created specifically for investors residing in the United Kingdom. In line with the Prospectus, the results for the year will not be distributed. The Fund Manager will seek approval for the Class B participations (but not the Class A participations) as a reporting fund for United Kingdom tax purposes. The costs concerned with such approval and further reporting fund requirements, if any, may be charged by the Fund Manager to the Class B participants. In line with the Prospectus, the results for the year will not be distributed.

## Notes to the financial statements

### NOTES FOR INDIVIDUAL BALANCE SHEET ITEMS (CONTINUED)

#### 6. Share capital (continued)

The movement of equity in the participations during the year is as follows:

<i>(All amounts in EUR)</i>	<b>31 December 2020</b>	<b>31 December 2019</b>
<i>(Profit after appropriation of result)</i>		
<i>Contributions of participants</i>		
Balance at the beginning of the year	8,938,703	11,638,284
Issue of participations – Class A units	1,545,876	-
Redemption of participations – Class A units	(1,775,876)	(2,549,600)
Redemptions of participants – Class B units	-	(149,981)
<b>Total contributions at the end of the year</b>	<b>8,708,703</b>	<b>8,938,703</b>
<i>Undistributed gain</i>		
Balance at the beginning of the year	3,278,210	1,588,301
Net profit for the year after tax	714,418	1,689,909
<b>Total undistributed gain at the end of the year</b>	<b>3,992,628</b>	<b>3,278,210</b>
<b>Equity at the end of the year</b>	<b>12,701,331</b>	<b>12,216,913</b>

#### *Subscriptions and redemptions*

Participants can, at the sole discretion of the Fund Manager, subscribe to the Fund on a monthly dealing day at the subscription price. The minimum initial subscription for each participant is EUR 100,000. This minimum subscription requirement may be waived by the Fund Manager in its sole discretion. The Class A and Class B participations were issued at an initial subscription price of EUR 1,000 per participation and thereafter at the NAV per participation. Participations may be issued in an existing or a new series on each dealing day at the discretion of the Fund Manager. No subscriptions fees are charged to the participants of the Fund.

Participations are subject to a 6-months lock-up period after which participants will have the possibility to redeem participations as of the first dealing day following 30 calendar days prior written notice to the Administrator.

The Fund is not obliged to redeem more than 50% of the total number of participations outstanding on any dealing day.

The minimum value of participations which may be subject of one redemption request will be the lesser of EUR 10,000 or 10 participations. Redemptions may be subject to a redemption charge of up to 0.5% of the NAV of the participations at the dealing day on which a redemption is affected, which is payable to the Fund.

## Notes to the financial statements

### NOTES FOR INDIVIDUAL BALANCE SHEET ITEMS (CONTINUED)

#### 6. Share capital (continued)

##### Subscriptions and redemptions (continued)

The movement of the participations during the year ended 31 December 2020 was as follows:

	<b>Participations at the beginning of the year</b>	<b>Participations issued</b>	<b>Participations redeemed</b>	<b>Participations at the end of the year</b>
Series A Initial	4,845.852	1,082.822	(167.584)	5,761.090
Series A September 2018	250.000	-	(250.000)	-
Series A January 2018	200.000	-	(200.000)	-
Series A May 2015	1,000.000	-	(1,000.000)	-
Series B Initial	2,786.225	-	-	2,786.225
<b>Total</b>	<b>9,082.077</b>	<b>1,082.822</b>	<b>(1,617.584)</b>	<b>8,547.315</b>

The movement of the participations during the year ended 31 December 2019 was as follows:

	<b>Participations at the beginning of the year</b>	<b>Participations issued</b>	<b>Participations redeemed</b>	<b>Participations at the end of the year</b>
Series A Initial	6,752.686	-	(1,906.834)	4,845.852
Series A September 2018	250.000	-	-	250.000
Series A January 2018	200.000	-	-	200.000
Series A May 2015	1,000.000	-	-	1,000.000
Series B Initial	2,901.225	-	(115.000)	2,786.225
<b>Total</b>	<b>11,103.911</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>(2,021.834)</b>	<b>9,082.077</b>

## Notes to the financial statements

### NOTES FOR INDIVIDUAL BALANCE SHEET ITEMS (CONTINUED)

#### 6. Share capital (continued)

##### Capital management

The Fund's objectives when managing capital are to safeguard the Fund's ability to continue as a going concern in order to provide returns for participants and benefits for other stakeholders and to maintain an optimal capital structure to reduce the cost of capital. In order to maintain or adjust the capital structure, it is not expected that the Fund will declare any dividends. All earnings will normally be retained for investments. However, the Fund reserves the right to declare dividends or make distributions if the Fund Manager so decides. As at 31 December 2020 and 2019, the Fund did not declare dividends or make distributions and all earnings were reinvested in the Fund.

### NOTES FOR INDIVIDUAL INCOME STATEMENT ITEMS

#### 7. Interest income

Interest income relates to the interest on debt instruments and interest on custodian balances.

#### 8. Dividend income

Dividend income relates to dividend from equity instruments.

#### 9. Investment return

<i>(All amounts in EUR)</i>	<b>Profit</b>	<b>2020 Loss</b>	<b>2020 Total</b>	<b>2019 Total</b>
<b>Equities</b>				
Realised result	77,437	(28,359)	49,078	103,291
Unrealised result	166,191	(194,064)	(27,873)	284,365
	<u>243,628</u>	<u>(222,423)</u>	<u>21,205</u>	<u>387,656</u>
<b>Investee funds</b>				
Realised result	110,474	(219,716)	(109,242)	161,531
Unrealised result	1,194,290	(301,468)	892,822	1,349,330
	<u>1,304,764</u>	<u>(521,184)</u>	<u>783,580</u>	<u>1,510,861</u>
<b>Debt instruments</b>				
Realised result	-	-	-	62,193
Unrealised result	14,437	-	14,437	16,262
	<u>14,437</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>14,437</u>	<u>78,455</u>
<b>Total result</b>	<u>1,562,829</u>	<u>(743,607)</u>	<u>819,222</u>	<u>1,976,972</u>

## Notes to the financial statements

### NOTES FOR INDIVIDUAL INCOME STATEMENT ITEMS (CONTINUED)

#### 10. Foreign currency losses on translation

Realised and unrealised exchange differences consist of realised and unrealised translation losses on assets and liabilities other than financial assets and liabilities. For the year ended 31 December 2020, this amounted to losses of EUR 1,149 (2019: losses of EUR 8,265). The following average and closing rates have been applied in the preparation of these financial statements (the equivalent of one Euro is shown):

	2020		2019	
	Average	Closing	Average	Closing
<i>Showing the equivalent of 1 Euro</i>				
Great Britain Pound	0.88990	0.89397	0.87733	0.84595
Swiss Franc	1.07057	1.08134	1.11251	1.08495
United States Dollar	1.14220	1.22170	1.11935	1.12133

#### 11. Expenses

The Fund makes use of various parties for management, administration and custody services. The table below provides a breakdown of expenses.

(All amounts in EUR)

	2020	2019
<b>Expenses accruing to Fund Manager</b>		
Management fee	(119,152)	(123,481)
Incentive fee	(38,105)	(45,274)
<b>Other expenses</b>		
Administration fee	(25,379)	(26,027)
Audit fee	(21,976)	(24,251)
Depositary fee	(20,504)	(19,965)
Custody fee	(11,551)	(9,621)
Commission fees	(6,660)	(7,083)
Legal ownership fee	(6,541)	(6,376)
FATCA fee	(6,000)	(6,000)
Bank charges	(3,837)	(5,858)
Interest expense	(1,744)	(4,503)
Legal fee	(1,252)	(2,697)
Other general expenses	(1,101)	(1,176)
<b>Total</b>	<b>(263,802)</b>	<b>(282,312)</b>

The basis on which various costs are charged to the Fund are disclosed in detail in the Prospectus. It is a Dutch regulatory requirement to disclose any differences between actual costs and the costs disclosed in the Prospectus. During the years ended 31 December 2020 and 2019, all costs actually charged to the Fund were in accordance with the costs disclosed in the Prospectus. During the year, the Fund also incurred costs such as interest expense of EUR 1,744 (2019: EUR 4,503), FATCA fees of EUR 6,000 (2019: EUR 6,000), bank charges of EUR 3,837 (2019: EUR 5,858), legal fee of EUR 1,252 (2019: EUR 2,697) and other general expenses of EUR 1,101 (2019: EUR 1,176) which are not detailed in the Prospectus.

No redemption fees were charged to the participants of the Fund for 2020 and 2019.



## Notes to the financial statements

### NOTES FOR INDIVIDUAL INCOME STATEMENT ITEMS (CONTINUED)

#### 11. Expenses (continued)

##### Ongoing charges ratio

The ongoing charges ratio is the ratio of the total costs to the average net assets of the Fund. The average net assets are based on the Fund's net assets at each calculation of the NAV i.e. monthly.

For the year ended 31 December 2020, the ongoing charges ratio for the Fund is as follows:

	<b>2020</b>
Ongoing charges ratio including incentive fees	2.21%
Ongoing charges ratio excluding incentive fees	1.89%
Ongoing charges ratio including expenses of underlying funds	0.80%

For the year ended 31 December 2019, the ongoing charges ratio for the Fund is as follows:

	<b>2019</b>
Ongoing charges ratio including incentive fees	2.28%
Ongoing charges ratio excluding incentive fees	1.91%
Ongoing charges ratio including expenses of underlying funds	0.98%

##### Turnover factor

For the year ended 31 December 2020, the turnover factor for the Fund is 17.01% (2019: 37.12%). The turnover factor is calculated by adding total purchases and sales, subtracting total subscriptions plus total redemptions and dividing the total by the average NAV. The turnover factor reflects the asset turnover rate of the Fund.

## 12. RELEVANT CONTRACTS

### Fund Manager

#### Management fee

Privium Fund Management B.V. acts as the Fund Manager to the Fund. The Fund Manager is entitled to an annual management fee of 1.0% of the NAV of the Fund. The management fee is calculated monthly and payable monthly in arrears. Details of management fees charged for the year are disclosed in the income statement.

#### Incentive fee

The Fund Manager is also entitled to an annual incentive fee calculated per series equal to 5% of the amount by which the NAV per participation increased over the High Water Mark ("HWM") per participation. In calculating the incentive fee in an absolute amount, an equitable adjustment shall be made for participations subscribed and redeemed during the financial year and any distributions paid to participants during the financial year shall be added back. The incentive fee in respect of the relevant outstanding participations of the series shall be payable to the Fund Manager as to 90% of the estimated amount thereof one month after the end of the relevant financial year. The balance shall be payable within 14 days following completion of the audit of the accounts for the relevant financial year. On redemption of participations during a financial year an amount equal to any accrued incentive fee in respect of such participations shall be deducted from the redemption price and due to the Fund Manager.

As at 31 December 2020 the HWM per participations for Class A and Class B are 1,427.64 and 1,346.96 respectively and are calculated since 31 December 2019. The NAV per participations are higher and therefore an incentive fee is levied.

No incentive fee will be levied if, at the relevant valuation date, there has been no increase in the NAV per participation of the relevant series over the higher of the HWM per participation applicable to the relevant series of participations. Details of performance fees charged for the year are disclosed in the income statement.

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### 12. RELEVANT CONTRACTS (CONTINUED)

#### Administrator

The Fund has entered into an administration agreement with Apex Fund Services (Netherlands) B.V. The Administrator charges a fee based on 0.175% of the NAV of the Fund up to EUR 10 million, 0.150% of the NAV between EUR 10 million and EUR 30 million, 0.120% between EUR 30 million and EUR 50 million and 0.100% on the NAV above EUR 50 million. There is a minimum fixed fee of EUR 7,500 per annum (excluding VAT). The Administrator also charges a fixed fee of EUR 5,000 per annum for the preparation of the annual report. No VAT has to be paid on these amounts.

Details of administration fees charged for the year are disclosed in the income statement.

#### Custodian

ABN AMRO Clearing Bank N.V. are appointed as Custodian of the Fund. The Custodian is entitled to receive fees from the Fund in accordance with its customary charges.

#### Depository

The Fund has entered into a depository agreement with Darwin Depository Services B.V. The Depository charges an annual fee of EUR 16,500 (excluding VAT) in remuneration for its service to the Fund. The fee is payable quarterly in advance. Details of depository fees charged for the year are disclosed in the income statement. The Depository is liable for the loss of a financial instrument taken into custody.

#### Independent Auditor

The Fund appointed Ernst & Young Accountants LLP as the Independent Auditor. The Independent Auditor's remuneration consists of EUR 15,506 (2019: EUR 15,006) audit fee for the audit of the financial statements and an amount of EUR Nil (2019: EUR 859) for the review on the Prospectus. A further amount of EUR 6,970 (2019: EUR 8,386) was paid to the UK tax advisor in respect of preparing the UK tax reporting.

#### Legal Owner

CSC Governance B.V. has been appointed as Management Board of the Legal Owner. The remuneration consists of an annual fixed fee of EUR 3,500 and variable remuneration of 0.0125%. This fee is capped at EUR 6,500 per annum.

### 13. RELATED PARTY TRANSACTIONS

Related party transactions are transfers of resources, services or obligations between related parties and the Fund, regardless of whether a price has been charged. Parties are considered to be related if one party has the ability to control the other party or exercise significant influence over the other party in making financial or operational decisions or is part of key management of the Fund. The following provides details on the related parties of the Fund and transactions with the related parties.

The Fund Manager is considered a related party.

As at 31 December 2020, the Portfolio Manager of the Fund, Mr. Hein Jurgens, held 464.54 (2019: 611,334) shares of Series A Initial shares and 2,532.714 (2019: 2,532.714) shares of Series B Initial shares.

## Notes to the financial statements

### 13. RELATED PARTY TRANSACTIONS (CONTINUED)

The following transactions occurred between the Fund and the Fund Manager during the reporting year.

*Transactions from 1 January 2020 – 31 December 2020 and balances as at 31 December 2020*

	<b>Paid</b>	<b>Balance</b>
	<b>EUR</b>	<b>EUR</b>
Management fee	(118,752)	(10,625)
Incentive fee	(43,495)	(38,088)

*Transactions from 1 January 2019 – 31 December 2019 and balances as at 31 December 2019*

	<b>Paid</b>	<b>Balance</b>
	<b>EUR</b>	<b>EUR</b>
Management fee	(124,287)	(10,225)
Incentive fee	(1,796)	(43,478)

### 14. FINANCIAL INVESTMENTS AND ASSOCIATED RISKS

The Fund aims to deliver attractive risk-adjusted returns to its participants over a rolling investment horizon of 3 to 5 years with an investment vehicle which targets above average returns in the range of 5% to 10% per annum.

The Fund attempts to accomplish its objective by investing in a diversified portfolio of stocks and bonds and other securities that are selected on the basis of their potential positive contribution to the Fund's investment objectives, for example hedge funds or other alternative collective investment vehicles. The Fund Manager selects a number of complementary investment strategies in order to diversify risk.

In its investment process, the Fund Manager takes a predominantly top-down approach to capitalise on varying market conditions. The Fund Manager limits positions in single stocks to 5% (at cost) of total assets, unless it is a publicly quoted fund. The position in individual (hedge) funds is limited to 15% (at cost) of total assets and the position in single bonds is limited to 20% (at cost) of total assets.

The Fund's activities expose it to a variety of financial risks: market risk (including market price risk, interest rate risk and currency risk), credit risk and liquidity risk.

The funds, to which the Fund subscribes, indirectly expose the Fund to various risks which are not outlined below. These risks are monitored by the Investment Manager of the Fund.

#### **Market risk**

Market risk is the risk that the fair value of future cash flows of a financial instrument will fluctuate as a result of changes in market prices whether those changes are caused by factors specific to the individual security or its issuer or factors affecting all securities traded in the market. There may be various reasons why markets fall, like recessions caused by a change in the economic business cycle or a pandemic. Market risk comprises market price risk, interest rate risk and currency risk. The Fund's market risk is managed through diversification of its investments.

#### *Interest rate risk*

Interest rate risk is the risk that the fair value or future cash flows of a financial instrument will fluctuate because of changes in market interest rates. The Fund's exposure to market risk for changes in interest rates relates to the Fund's investment in debt instruments. The Fund holds fixed interest securities that expose the Fund to fair value interest rate risk.

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### 14. FINANCIAL INVESTMENTS AND ASSOCIATED RISKS (CONTINUED)

#### Market risk (continued)

##### Currency risk

Currency risk is the risk that the fair value or future cash flows of a financial instrument will fluctuate because of changes in foreign exchange rates. Currency risk exposure arises from the Fund investing in financial instruments and entering into transactions which are denominated in currencies other than its functional currency.

The Fund uses forward rate contracts to mitigate the foreign currency exchange risk. This hedging strategy is intended to substantially mitigate the currency risk but does not eliminate such risk.

The Fund uses forward currency contracts in order to manage the currency risk exposure of foreign currency positions. The forward currency contracts are settled on a gross basis and as such, the Fund has a settlement risk EUR 0.8 million (2019: EUR 1.1 million) and a credit risk exposure towards the counterparty at 31 December 2020 of EUR Nil (2019: EUR Nil).

	2020			2019		
	Net position	Notional amounts forwards	Total currency exposure	Net position	Notional amounts forwards	Total currency exposure
	EUR	EUR	EUR	EUR	EUR	EUR
<b>Currency</b>						
Great Britain Pound	1,064,150	(833,714)	230,436	1,631,713	(1,169,342)	462,371
Swiss Franc	366,158	-	366,158	507,714	-	507,714
United States Dollar	1,221,785	-	1,221,785	929,026	-	929,026

##### Credit risk

Credit risk is the risk that a counterparty to a financial instrument will fail to discharge an obligation or commitment that it has entered into with the Fund. It arises from cash and other receivables. The carrying values of financial assets (excluding any investments in equity instruments and investments in investee funds) best represent the maximum credit risk exposure at the reporting date and amounts to EUR 350,368 (2019: EUR 732,532).

All transactions of the Fund are cleared by ABN AMRO Clearing Bank N.V. representing a concentration risk. Bankruptcy or insolvency of ABN AMRO Clearing Bank N.V. may cause the Fund's rights with respect to the cash and/or its investments to be delayed or limited. The Fund regularly monitors its risk by monitoring the credit quality of ABN AMRO Clearing Bank N.V. and ABN AMRO Bank N.V. as reported.

The current credit rating of ABN AMRO Clearing Bank N.V. and ABN AMRO Bank N.V. is 'A' (2019: 'A'), as determined by Standard and Poor's. If the credit quality or the financial position of this entity deteriorates significantly the Investment Manager will deal with another provider.

##### Liquidity risk

Liquidity risk is the risk that the Fund will encounter difficulty in meeting obligations arising from its financial liabilities.

The Fund's Prospectus provides for the monthly creation and cancellation of participations and it is therefore exposed to the liquidity risk of meeting participant's redemptions. To manage this liquidity risk the Fund has a 6 months lock-up period and a 30-day notice period for the participants. In addition, the Fund is not obliged to redeem more than 50% of the total participations in issue on any dealing day.

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### 14. FINANCIAL INVESTMENTS AND ASSOCIATED RISKS (CONTINUED)

#### Liquidity risk (continued)

The Fund is exposed to liquidity risk as the investments of the Fund in investee funds cannot immediately be converted into cash. The liquidity risk involved with the investee funds will be dependent on the redemption policies of the individual investee funds. Some of the investee funds may be or become illiquid, and the realisation of investments from them may take a considerable time and/or be costly. The Fund's investments in such investee funds may not be readily realisable and their marketability may be restricted, in particular because the investee funds may have restrictions that allow redemptions only at specific infrequent dates with considerable notice periods, and apply lock-ups and/or redemption fees.

The liquidity risk is significantly reduced because the Fund diversifies its investments across different investee funds.

The Fund's other liabilities are short-term in nature.

### 15. NET ASSET VALUE AS ISSUED

The NAV for the years ended 31 December 2020 and 2019 is as follows:

	2020	2019
<b>NAV per participation in accordance with the Prospectus at the end of the year</b>		
Series A Initial	1,514.66	1,427.63
Series A September 2018	-	1,042.36
Series A January 2018	-	1,058.04
Series A May 2015	-	1,073.67
Series B Initial	1,426.75	1,346.95

### 16. SCHEDULE OF INVESTMENTS

	2020 EUR	% of NAV	2019 EUR	% of NAV
<b>Strategy / Sector*</b>				
Alternative Investment	1,994,883	15.7	1,852,196	15.2
Asset Allocation	1,935,944	15.2	1,662,079	13.6
Banks	179,345	1.4	106,990	0.9
Biotechnology	29,139	0.2	23,777	0.2
Bonds - Sovereign	108,762	0.9	108,440	0.9
Closed-end Funds	1,298,384	10.2	1,290,678	10.5
Commodity Fund	685,118	5.4	273,638	2.2
Computers	6,517	0.1	82,486	0.7
Cosmetics/Personal Care	123,516	1.0	107,583	0.9
Electric	139,974	1.1	-	-
Equity Fund	4,824,213	38.0	5,221,483	42.7
Food	434,141	3.4	367,301	3.0
Internet	67,190	0.5	-	-
Mining	94,163	0.7	141,583	1.2
Pharmaceuticals	388,651	3.1	395,417	3.2
Real Estate Investment Trust	332,969	2.6	242,796	2.0
Water	114,962	0.9	-	-
	<b>12,757,871</b>	<b>100.4</b>	<b>11,876,447</b>	<b>97.2</b>

\*Please note the strategy / sector detail does not include a look through at the underlying funds level.

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### 17. INVESTOR RIGHTS

The Fund does not impose any special rights to the investors of any of the classes.

### 18. EVENTS AFTER THE BALANCE SHEET DATE

#### Introduction Sustainable Finance Disclosure Regulation (SFDR)

As per 10 March 2021 the EU Sustainable Finance Disclosure Regulation (SFDR) has come into force. In the context of the SFDR, the Fund is classified as an Article 6 fund. Additional SFDR related disclosures can be found in the Prospectus of the Fund.

No other material events occurred after the balance sheet date that could influence the transparency of the financial statements.

### 19. DATE OF AUTHORISATION

The financial statements have been authorised for issue by the Fund Manager in Amsterdam on 24 June 2021.

## Investment portfolio as at 31 December 2020 (excluding forward currency contracts)

Assets	Currency	Fair value EUR	% of NAV
<b>Investee Funds</b>			
Ev Smaller Companies Fund (NA Listing)	EUR	362,920	2.9
Fidelity China Special Situa (LN Listing)	GBP	578,941	4.6
Jo Hambro-Cont Europe-€-A (ID Listing)	EUR	423,777	3.3
Keel Capital - Foghorn X2 - Eur S12 (LX Listing)	EUR	262,770	2.1
Keel Capital - Foghorn X2 - Eur S13 (LX Listing)	EUR	270,044	2.1
Phaidros Fund - Balanced B (LX Listing)	EUR	1,935,944	15.2
Phaidros Fund - Fallen Ang-E (LX Listing)	EUR	535,484	4.2
Pictet-Water-I€ (LX Listing)	EUR	899,653	7.1
Schroder Gaia Egerton Ee-Ca (LX Listing)	EUR	692,675	5.5
Syncona Ltd (LN Listing)	GBP	746,493	5.9
The Adelphi Europe Fund-Euro (KY Listing)	EUR	1,302,208	10.3
The Egerton Ls Eur&Gbp Ltd Cl B S1 Eur (Non-Listed)	EUR	369,647	2.9
The Egerton Ls Fd Cl B Eur Rep S0218 (Non-Listed)	EUR	292,543	2.3
The Egerton Ls Fd Cl B Eur Rep S1 (Non-Listed)	EUR	552,951	4.4
The Egerton Ls Fd Cl C Eur Rep S1 (Non-Listed)	EUR	275,484	2.2
Third Point Offshore Investment (LN Listing)	USD	551,890	4.2
		<b>10,053,424</b>	<b>79.2</b>
<b>Equities</b>			
Apple Inc (UW Listing)	USD	6,517	0.1
Autolus Therapeutics Plc (UW Listing)	USD	29,139	0.2
Beyond Meat Inc (UW Listing)	USD	38,880	0.3
Chaarat Gold Holdings Ltd (LN Listing)	GBP	94,163	0.7
Ing Groep Nv-Cva (NA Listing)	EUR	62,221	0.5
Londonmetric Property Plc (LN Listing)	GBP	332,969	2.6
Mercadolibre Inc (UW Listing)	USD	67,190	0.5
Nestle Sa-Reg (SW Listing)	CHF	227,931	1.8
Nomad Foods Ltd (UN Listing)	USD	167,330	1.3
Novartis Ag-Reg (SW Listing)	CHF	137,774	1.1
Roche Holding Ag-Genusschein (SW Listing)	CHF	159,738	1.3
Rwe Ag (GY Listing)	EUR	139,974	1.1
Unilever Plc (NA Listing)	EUR	123,516	1.0
Vinci Sa (FP Listing)	EUR	114,962	0.9
Wisdomtree Metal Securities (GY Listing)	EUR	685,117	5.4
		<b>2,387,421</b>	<b>18.8</b>
<b>Debt Instruments</b>			
Rabobk 6 1/2 12/29/49	EUR	117,125	0.9
Republic Of Turkey 5.2% 16/02/2026	EUR	108,762	0.9
Teva Pharm Fnc NI Ii 1.875% 31/03/2027 100	EUR	91,139	0.7
		<b>317,026</b>	<b>2.5</b>
		<b>12,757,871</b>	<b>100.5</b>

## Investment portfolio as at 31 December 2019 (excluding forward currency contracts)

Assets	Currency	Fair value EUR	% of NAV
<b>Investee Funds</b>			
Alken Capital Fund-One-J Cap (LX Listing)	EUR	513,287	4.2
Alken Fund-Absol Ret Eur-Eu1 (LX Listing)	EUR	137,348	1.1
Centricus Wittenburg Eur-A2 (LX Listing)	EUR	451,343	3.7
Ecofin Global Utilities And (LN Listing)	GBP	156,654	1.3
Ev Smaller Companies Fund (NA Listing)	EUR	314,855	2.6
Fidelity China Special Situa (LN Listing)	GBP	368,910	3.0
Golden Prospect Precious Met (LN Listing)	GBP	55,864	0.5
Jo Hambro-Cont Europe-€-A (ID Listing)	EUR	976,650	8.0
Pershing Square Holdings Ltd (NA Listing)	USD	110,494	0.9
Phaidros Fund - Balanced B (LX Listing)	EUR	1,662,078	13.5
Pictet-Water-I€ (LX Listing)	EUR	860,926	7.0
Schroder Gaia Egerton Ee-Ca (LX Listing)	EUR	746,035	6.1
Syncona Ltd (LN Listing)	GBP	662,037	5.4
The Adelphi Europe Fund-Euro (KY Listing)	EUR	1,106,160	9.1
The Egerton Ls Eur&Gbp Ltd Cl B S1 Eur(Non-Listed)	EUR	339,958	2.8
The Egerton Ls Fd Cl B Eur Rep S0218 (Non-Listed)	EUR	268,860	2.2
The Egerton Ls Fd Cl B Eur Rep S1 (Non-Listed)	EUR	508,613	4.2
The Egerton Ls Fd Cl C Eur Rep S1 (Non-Listed)	EUR	252,205	2.1
Third Point Offshore Investm (LN Listing)	USD	462,284	3.8
		<b>9,954,561</b>	<b>81.5</b>
<b>Equities</b>			
Apple Inc (UW Listing)	USD	82,486	0.7
Autolus Therapeutics Plc (UW Listing)	USD	23,777	0.2
Beyond Meat Inc (UW Listing)	USD	16,719	0.1
Chaarat Gold Holdings Ltd (LN Listing)	GBP	141,583	1.2
Etf's Physical Gold (GY Listing)	EUR	273,637	2.2
Ishares Core Em Imi Acc (LN Listing)	USD	71,875	0.6
Londonmetric Property Plc (LN Listing)	GBP	242,797	2.0
Nestle Sa-Reg (SW Listing)	CHF	190,158	1.6
Nomad Foods Ltd (UN Listing)	USD	160,424	1.3
Novartis Ag-Reg (SW Listing)	CHF	150,782	1.2
Roche Holding Ag-Genusschein (SW Listing)	CHF	161,701	1.3
Unilever Nv- (NA Listing)	EUR	107,583	0.9
		<b>1,623,522</b>	<b>13.3</b>
<b>Debt Instruments</b>			
Rabobk 6 1/2 12/29/49	EUR	106,990	0.9
Republic Of Turkey 5.2% 16/02/2026	EUR	108,440	0.8
Teva Pharm Fnc NI Ii 1.875% 31/03/2027 100	EUR	82,934	0.7
		<b>298,364</b>	<b>2.4</b>
		<b>11,876,447</b>	<b>97.2</b>



## Other information

### Provisions of the Prospectus on distribution policy

The Fund Manager shall have sole discretion whether to distribute any income of the Fund or whether to retain it within the Fund. Any sums which it determines to distribute shall be paid to participants pro rata to the number of participations held by each of them.

### Interests held by the Directors

As at 31 December 2020, the Board of Directors did not hold any shares in the Fund or in any of the investments that the Fund holds.

### Provision of information

This annual report and the Prospectus of the Fund are available free of charge from the Fund Manager or available for download free of charge from the Fund Manager's website: [www.priviumfund.com](http://www.priviumfund.com).



## Independent auditor's report

To: The shareholders and the directors of Privium Fund Management B.V. as investment manager of Strategy One Fund.

## Report on the audit of the financial statements 2020 included in the annual report

### Our opinion

We have audited the financial statements 2020 of Strategy One Fund, based in Amsterdam, The Netherlands.

In our opinion the accompanying financial statements give a true and fair view of the financial position of Strategy One Fund as at December 31, 2020, and of its result and its cash flows for 2020 in accordance with Part 9 of Book 2 of the Dutch Civil Code.

The financial statements comprise:

- The balance sheet as at 31 December 2020
- The following statements for 2020: Profit and loss statement and cash flow statement
- The notes comprising a summary of the accounting policies and other explanatory information

### Basis for our opinion

We conducted our audit in accordance with Dutch law, including the Dutch Standards on Auditing. Our responsibilities under those standards are further described in the "Our responsibilities for the audit of the financial statements" section of our report.

We are independent of Strategy One Fund in accordance with the Wet toezicht accountantsorganisaties (Wta, Audit firms supervision act), the Verordening inzake de onafhankelijkheid van accountants bij assurance-opdrachten (ViO, Code of Ethics for Professional Accountants, a regulation with respect to independence) and other relevant independence regulations in the Netherlands. Furthermore we have complied with the Verordening gedrags- en beroepsregels accountants (VGBA, Dutch Code of Ethics).

We believe the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion.

## Report on other information included in the annual report

In addition to the financial statements and our auditor's report thereon, the annual report contains other information that consists of:

- The management report
- Other information as required by Part 9 of Book 2 of the Dutch Civil Code
- General information

Based on the following procedures performed, we conclude that the other information:

- Is consistent with the financial statements and does not contain material misstatements
- Contains the information as required by Part 9 of Book 2 of the Dutch Civil Code

We have read the other information. Based on our knowledge and understanding obtained through our audit of the financial statements or otherwise, we have considered whether the other information contains material misstatements. By performing these procedures, we comply with the requirements of Part 9 of Book 2 of the Dutch Civil Code and the Dutch Standard 720. The scope of the procedures performed is substantially less than the scope of those performed in our audit of the financial statements.

Management is responsible for the preparation of the other information, including the management report in accordance with Part 9 of Book 2 of the Dutch Civil Code and other information as required by Part 9 of Book 2 of the Dutch Civil Code.



## Description of responsibilities for the financial statements

### Responsibilities of management for the financial statements

Management is responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of the financial statements in accordance with Part 9 of Book 2 of the Dutch Civil Code. Furthermore, management is responsible for such internal control as management determines is necessary to enable the preparation of the financial statements that are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

As part of the preparation of the financial statements, management is responsible for assessing the company's ability to continue as a going concern. Based on the financial reporting framework mentioned, management should prepare the financial statements using the going concern basis of accounting unless management either intends to liquidate the company or to cease operations, or has no realistic alternative but to do so. Management should disclose events and circumstances that may cast significant doubt on the company's ability to continue as a going concern in the financial statements.

### Our responsibilities for the audit of the financial statements

Our objective is to plan and perform the audit engagement in a manner that allows us to obtain sufficient and appropriate audit evidence for our opinion.

Our audit has been performed with a high, but not absolute, level of assurance, which means we may not detect all material errors and fraud during our audit.

Misstatements can arise from fraud or error and are considered material if, individually or in the aggregate, they could reasonably be expected to influence the economic decisions of users taken on the basis of these financial statements. The materiality affects the nature, timing and extent of our audit procedures and the evaluation of the effect of identified misstatements on our opinion.

We have exercised professional judgment and have maintained professional skepticism throughout the audit, in accordance with Dutch Standards on Auditing, ethical requirements and independence requirements. Our audit included among others:

- Identifying and assessing the risks of material misstatement of the financial statements, whether due to fraud or error, designing and performing audit procedures responsive to those risks, and obtaining audit evidence that is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion. The risk of not detecting a material misstatement resulting from fraud is higher than for one resulting from error, as fraud may involve collusion, forgery, intentional omissions, misrepresentations, or the override of internal control
- Obtaining an understanding of internal control relevant to the audit in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the company's internal control
- Evaluating the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of accounting estimates and related disclosures made by management
- Concluding on the appropriateness of management's use of the going concern basis of accounting, and based on the audit evidence obtained, whether a material uncertainty exists related to events or conditions that may cast significant doubt on the company's ability to continue as a going concern. If we conclude that a material uncertainty exists, we are required to draw attention in our auditor's report to the related disclosures in the financial statements or, if such disclosures are inadequate, to modify our opinion. Our conclusions are based on the audit evidence obtained up to the date of our auditor's report. However, future events or conditions may cause a company to cease to continue as a going concern



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## Description of responsibilities for the financial statements *(continued)*

Our responsibilities for the audit of the financial statements *(continued)*

- Evaluating the overall presentation, structure and content of the financial statements, including the disclosures
- Evaluating whether the financial statements represent the underlying transactions and events in a manner that achieves fair presentation

We communicate with management regarding, among other matters, the planned scope and timing of the audit and significant audit findings, including any significant findings in internal control that we identify during our audit.

The Hague, 24 June 2021

Ernst & Young Accountants LLP

Signed by R.J. Bleijs