

## GBI - Good Governance UCITS B Share Class (USD)

Monthly Report

December 2024

### Returns \*

	B Share Class (USD)	S&P 500 TRI (USD)
December 2024	-0.95%	-2.38%
Inception to date	50.09%	47.75%

\* Past performance does not guarantee and is not a reliable indicator of future results. Returns are shown net of fund fees and before taxes (other than withholding tax). Returns are calculated using the unit price which is based on the daily net asset value per unit, source Rcube Asset management. Reference Index is the S&P500 Total Return Index (S&P500 TRI), source Bloomberg code SPXNTR.

### Monthly Commentary

Despite a pullback in December, US equity markets experienced a strong year in 2024, characterized by 57 all-time high closings. The S&P 500 TR was down 2.38% in December and up 25.02% for the year. Most of this strong 2024 performance was driven by mega cap strength, election-related optimism, robust economic growth, and AI-related industrial revolution expectations.

All caps benefited from this 2024 equity rally, amplified by the US election results. However, the recent uncertainty around inflation and fewer-than-expected Federal Reserve rate cuts led to disappointments, especially for smaller capitalization. In this context, the S&P MidCap 400 and S&P SmallCap 600 were down 7.12% and 7.95% in December respectively, but up 13.93% and 8.70% for the year.

This year, most sectors posted gains, led by the two technology sectors, Information Technology and Communication Services, closing up 40.23% and 36.61%, respectively. In contrast, the losers of 2024 have been Materials and Healthcare, down 0.04% and up 2.58%, respectively.

The GBI - Good Governance UCITS Class B (USD) was down 0.95% in December and up 22.78% in 2024. The fund generated an outperformance of 1.43% in December, which can mainly be attributed to the large-cap overweight of the fund. For 2024, the fund was 2.24% behind the index, essentially explained by its strategic overweight and underweight allocations. While the fund benefited from a positive allocation to Information Technology and Consumer Discretionary, it suffered from an overweight to the Healthcare sector and an underweight to the Communication Services sector. It is also worth noting that this underperformance can be attributed to the absence of Tesla and Meta in the portfolio.

Finally, it is worth noting that despite a few spikes in August and when the Fed signaled fewer-than-expected 2025 rate cuts in December, volatility remained low, with the VIX closing the year below 18.

### Key Fund Data

NAV B Share Class (USD)	150.09
AUM in fund	USD 8.84 million
Number of positions	99

### Investment Objective

GBI – Good Governance UCITS is an open-ended French UCITS FCP. The goal of this ESG strategy is to outperform its reference index, the S&P 500 Net Total Return Index, over a full business-cycle. In order to do so, the fund systematically selects the 100 companies that have demonstrated the strongest governance characteristics within the S&P 500 universe, excluding tobacco, defense, and oil companies.

### Fund Information

Domicile	France
Inception	May 28, 2021
Liquidity	Daily
Management Company	Rcube Asset Management SAS
ESG Research provider	Cité Gestion SA
Custodian	CACEIS Bank
Administrator	CACEIS Fund Administration
SFDR Classification	Article 8
Auditor	PriceWaterhouseCoopers

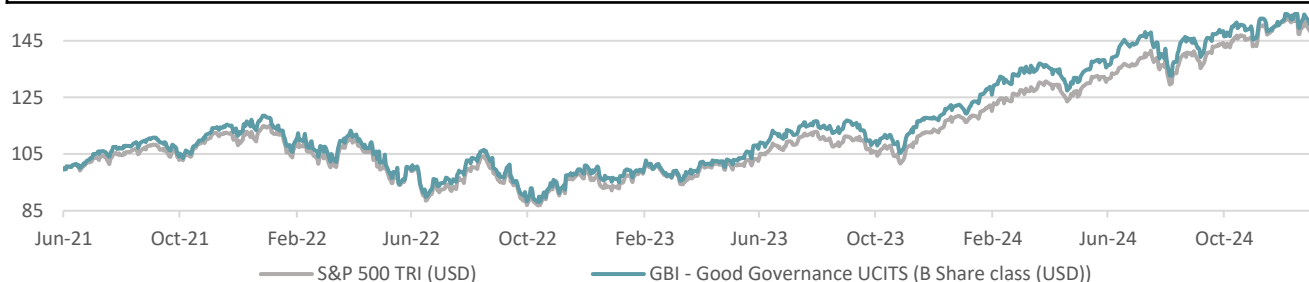
Note: Please refer to the KID and the prospectus for complete information. Sustainability-related aspects are available on [www.rcube.com](http://www.rcube.com), Policies and regulatory mandatory information link.

Year	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Year to date	
2024	GBI - Good Governance UCITS (B Share Class (USD))	3.02%	6.12%	2.08%	-4.47%	4.53%	5.42%	-0.95%	2.50%	1.76%	-1.94%	4.14%	-0.95%	22.78%
	S&P 500 TRI (USD)	1.68%	5.34%	3.22%	-4.08%	4.96%	3.59%	1.22%	2.43%	2.14%	-0.91%	5.87%	-2.38%	25.02%
2023	GBI - Good Governance UCITS (B Share Class (USD))	3.79%	-2.56%	4.78%	1.01%	3.67%	6.19%	2.78%	-0.09%	-6.37%	-1.47%	9.31%	4.02%	26.92%
	S&P 500 TRI (USD)	6.28%	-2.44%	3.67%	1.56%	0.43%	6.61%	3.21%	-1.59%	-4.77%	-2.10%	9.13%	4.54%	26.29%
2022	GBI - Good Governance UCITS (B Share Class (USD))	-6.62%	-2.47%	3.39%	-8.10%	-1.93%	-6.32%	9.63%	-5.07%	-9.50%	7.87%	6.08%	-4.68%	-18.30%
	S&P 500 TRI (USD)	-5.17%	-3.00%	3.71%	-8.72%	0.18%	-8.26%	9.22%	-4.08%	-9.21%	8.10%	5.59%	-5.76%	-18.11%
2021	GBI - Good Governance UCITS (B Share Class (USD))					0.00%**	3.48%	3.34%	3.14%	-5.56%	7.42%	0.30%	5.02%	17.88%*
	S&P 500 TRI (USD)					0.00%**	2.33%	2.37%	3.04%	-4.66%	7.00%	-0.70%	4.48%	14.28%*

\* May 28 2021 to Dec 31 2021

\*\*May 28, 2021 – May 31, 2021.

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**ESG Commentary on the portfolio and Portfolio Impact Measures**

Impact Cubed conducted its annual review of the Good Governance model portfolio (excluding cash) used for the last April rebalancing.

The table below shows to what degree the portfolio analysed contributes to each of the 17 SDGs (Sustainable Development Goals). The contribution is calculated based on the impact exposure of each company to the 15 factors presented in our last monthly report. As an example, the Waste Efficiency measure impacts SDGs 6, 12, 14 and 15, while the Carbon Efficiency impacts SDGs 7 and 15. The measure Impact Cubed uses is a weighted average of all factor exposures (relative to benchmark) mapped to a particular SDG, adjusted for the number of these factors. The weighted average takes into account the direct or indirect relationship between factors and a specific goal. The detailed report is available on request.

UN SDG PORTFOLIO EXPOSURE	
1 NO POVERTY	CARBON EFFICIENCY, GENDER EQUALITY, ENVIRONMENTAL GOOD, SOCIAL GOOD, ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT, EMPLOYMENT
2 ZERO HUNGER	TAX GAP, ENVIRONMENTAL GOOD, SOCIAL GOOD, AVOIDING ENVIRONMENTAL HARM, ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT, EMPLOYMENT, AVOIDING WATER SCARCITY
3 GOOD HEALTH AND WELLBEING	CARBON EFFICIENCY, WASTE EFFICIENCY, WATER EFFICIENCY, GENDER EQUALITY, TAX GAP, ENVIRONMENTAL GOOD, SOCIAL GOOD, AVOIDING ENVIRONMENTAL HARM, AVOIDING SOCIAL HARM, EMPLOYMENT, AVOIDING WATER SCARCITY
4 QUALITY EDUCATION	GENDER EQUALITY, TAX GAP, SOCIAL GOOD, EMPLOYMENT
5 GENDER EQUALITY	WATER EFFICIENCY, GENDER EQUALITY, EXECUTIVE PAY, ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT, AVOIDING WATER SCARCITY
6 CLEAN WATER AND SANITATION	WASTE EFFICIENCY, WATER EFFICIENCY, ENVIRONMENTAL GOOD, SOCIAL GOOD, AVOIDING ENVIRONMENTAL HARM, AVOIDING SOCIAL HARM, AVOIDING WATER SCARCITY
7 AFFORDABLE AND CLEAN ENERGY	CARBON EFFICIENCY, ENVIRONMENTAL GOOD, AVOIDING ENVIRONMENTAL HARM
8 DECENT WORK AND ECONOMIC GROWTH	CARBON EFFICIENCY, WASTE EFFICIENCY, WATER EFFICIENCY, EXECUTIVE PAY, BOARD INDEPENDENCE, TAX GAP, ENVIRONMENTAL GOOD, SOCIAL GOOD, AVOIDING ENVIRONMENTAL HARM, ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT, EMPLOYMENT, AVOIDING WATER SCARCITY
9 INDUSTRY, INNOVATION AND INFRASTRUCTURE	CARBON EFFICIENCY, WASTE EFFICIENCY, WATER EFFICIENCY, TAX GAP, ENVIRONMENTAL GOOD, SOCIAL GOOD, AVOIDING ENVIRONMENTAL HARM, AVOIDING SOCIAL HARM, ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT, AVOIDING WATER SCARCITY
10 REDUCED INEQUALITIES	GENDER EQUALITY, EXECUTIVE PAY, BOARD INDEPENDENCE, TAX GAP, ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT, EMPLOYMENT, AVOIDING WATER SCARCITY
11 SUSTAINABLE CITIES AND COMMUNITIES	CARBON EFFICIENCY, WASTE EFFICIENCY, WATER EFFICIENCY, TAX GAP, ENVIRONMENTAL GOOD, SOCIAL GOOD, AVOIDING ENVIRONMENTAL HARM, AVOIDING SOCIAL HARM, ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT, EMPLOYMENT, AVOIDING WATER SCARCITY
12 RESPONSIBLE CONSUMPTION AND PRODUCTION	CARBON EFFICIENCY, WASTE EFFICIENCY, WATER EFFICIENCY, ENVIRONMENTAL GOOD, SOCIAL GOOD, AVOIDING ENVIRONMENTAL HARM, AVOIDING SOCIAL HARM
13 CLIMATE ACTION	CARBON EFFICIENCY, WASTE EFFICIENCY, WATER EFFICIENCY, ENVIRONMENTAL GOOD, AVOIDING ENVIRONMENTAL HARM, ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT, AVOIDING WATER SCARCITY
14 LIFE BELOW WATER	CARBON EFFICIENCY, WASTE EFFICIENCY, WATER EFFICIENCY, ENVIRONMENTAL GOOD, AVOIDING ENVIRONMENTAL HARM, AVOIDING WATER SCARCITY
15 LIFE ON LAND	CARBON EFFICIENCY, WASTE EFFICIENCY, WATER EFFICIENCY, ENVIRONMENTAL GOOD, SOCIAL GOOD, AVOIDING ENVIRONMENTAL HARM, AVOIDING WATER SCARCITY
16 PEACE, JUSTICE AND STRONG INSTITUTIONS	GENDER EQUALITY, EXECUTIVE PAY, BOARD INDEPENDENCE, TAX GAP, ENVIRONMENTAL GOOD, SOCIAL GOOD, AVOIDING ENVIRONMENTAL HARM, AVOIDING SOCIAL HARM, ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT, EMPLOYMENT
17 PARTNERSHIPS FOR THE GOALS	GENDER EQUALITY, EXECUTIVE PAY, TAX GAP, ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT

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Impact-Cubed measures Investment Impact in terms of sustainable development for any portfolio of listed securities. Understanding, measuring and managing investment impact facilitates cheaper access to capital for more sustainable companies, and with that, encourages a flourishing planet.

Impact-Cubed was originally used to measure investment impact in-house by Auriel Equity Investors LLP. It was spun off as a separate company (currently seeking B-Corp Certification in the UK) in summer 2017 with the intention of becoming a self-sustaining service to the investment community. This service by Impact Cubed helps investors make informed decisions about the way they allocate capital, by shedding light on the varying levels and areas of impact delivered by different investment portfolios.

Company website: [www.impactcubed.com](http://www.impactcubed.com)

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### Share Classes Available for the GBI – Good Governance UCITS

Share classes	Inception date	Currency	ISIN code	Min. investment	Administrative Fees	Management fees*	Entry Fees	NAV 31/12/2024
A	28 May 2021	EUR	FR0013525854	EUR 100'000	0.25%	0.97%	3%	139.31
B	28 May 2021	USD	FR0013525862	USD 110'000	0.25%	0.97%	3%	150.09
C	24 April 2023	USD	FR001400HCD4	USD 110'000	0.25%	1.50%	0%	145.21

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Rcube has partnered with Green Blue Investment in 2020 to launch GBI - GOOD GOVERNANCE UCITS in 2021.

### ESG Research Provider

Green Blue Invest is the ESG Brand of Cité Gestion Private Bank.

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