

ERSTE RESPONSIBLE STOCK DIVIDEND

Jointly owned fund pursuant to the InvFG

Semi-Annual Report 2022

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General Information about the Investment Firm

The company	Erste Asset Management GmbH Am Belvedere 1, A-1100 Vienna Telephone: +43 05 0100-19777, fax: +43 05 0100-919777
Registered capital	EUR 2.50 million
Shareholders	Erste Group Bank AG (64.67%) Erste Bank der österreichischen Sparkassen AG (22.17%) Steiermärkische Bank und Sparkassen Aktiengesellschaft (3.30%) Tiroler Sparkasse Bankaktiengesellschaft Innsbruck (1.74%) DekaBank Deutsche Girozentrale, Frankfurt (1.65%) „Die Kärntner“ Trust-Vermögensverwaltungsgesellschaft m. b. H. & Co KG (1.65%) Salzburger Sparkasse Bank Aktiengesellschaft (1.65%) Sieben Tiroler Sparkassen Beteiligungsgesellschaft m. b. H. (1.65%) NÖ-Sparkassen Beteiligungsgesellschaft m. b. H. (0.76%) VIENNA INSURANCE GROUP AG Wiener Versicherung Gruppe (0.76%)
Supervisory Board	Rudolf SAGMEISTER (Chairman) Manfred BARTALSKY Maximilian CLARY UND ALDRINGEN Harald GASSER Gerhard GRABNER Harald Frank GRUBER Oswald HUBER (Deputy Chairman – from 21.09.2022) Radovan JELASITY Peter PROBER Rupert RIEDER Gabriele SEMMELROCK-WERZER Reinhard WATTL Gerald WEBER Appointed by the Works Council: Martin CEC Regina HABERHAUER Heinrich Hubert REINER Peter RIEDERER Nicole WEINHENGST Manfred ZOUREK
Managing directors	Heinz BEDNAR Winfried BUCHBAUER Peter KARL Thomas KRAUS
Prokuristen (proxies)	Karl FREUDENSCHUSS Manfred LENTNER Günther MANDL Gerold PERMOSER Magdalena REISCHL Oliver RÖDER
State commissioners	Wolfgang EXL (from 01.09.2022) Angelika SCHÄTZ Wolfgang TRISKO (until 14.05.2022)
Auditor	Ernst & Young Wirtschaftsprüfungsgesellschaft m.b.H.
Depository bank	Erste Group Bank AG

Dear Unit-holder,

We are pleased to present you the following semi-annual report for the ERSTE RESPONSIBLE STOCK DIVIDEND jointly owned fund pursuant to the InvFG for the period from 1 March 2022 to 31 August 2022.

Asset Allocation

	As of 31.08.2022	
	EUR millions	%
Equities		
GBP	5.5	2.38
DKK	4.1	1.76
EUR	28.3	12.28
HKD	1.5	0.63
JPY	17.0	7.36
CAD	9.2	4.00
NOK	4.0	1.72
CHF	9.2	4.00
USD	147.4	63.97
Transferable securities	226.1	98.11
Bank balances	3.6	1.58
Dividend entitlements	0.7	0.32
Interest entitlements	0.0	0.00
Other deferred items	-0.0	-0.00
Fund assets	230.5	100.00

Statement of Assets and Liabilities as of 31 August 2022

(including changes in securities assets from 1 March 2022 to 31 August 2022)

Security designation	ISIN number	Purch./ additions Units/nominal (nom. in 1,000, rounded)	Sales/ disposals	Holding	Price	Value in EUR	% share of fund assets
Publicly traded securities							
Equities denominated in DKK							
Issue country Denmark							
A.P.MOELL.-M.REG. B DK1000	DK0010244508	1,700	0	1,700	17,755.000	4,058,367.56	1.76
Total issue country Denmark						4,058,367.56	1.76
Total equities denominated in DKK translated at a rate of 7.43735						4,058,367.56	1.76
Equities denominated in EUR							
Issue country Germany							
BAY.MOTOREN WERKE AG ST	DE0005190003	54,100	0	54,100	73.470	3,974,727.00	1.72
Total issue country Germany						3,974,727.00	1.72
Issue country Italy							
SNAM S.P.A.	IT0003153415	160,400	0	825,100	4.736	3,907,673.60	1.70
Total issue country Italy						3,907,673.60	1.70
Total equities denominated in EUR						7,882,400.60	3.42
Total publicly traded securities						11,940,768.16	5.18
Securities admitted to organised markets							
Equities denominated in GBP							
Issue country Great Britain							
GSK PLC LS-.3125	GB00BN7SWP63	278,640	0	278,640	13.794	4,447,792.81	1.93
HALEON PLC LS 0.01	GB00BMX86B70	348,300	0	348,300	2.589	1,043,307.93	0.45
Total issue country Great Britain						5,491,100.74	2.38
Total equities denominated in GBP translated at a rate of 0.86415						5,491,100.74	2.38
Equities denominated in EUR							
Issue country Finland							
SAMPO PLC A	FI0009003305	104,400	54,400	50,000	45.100	2,255,000.00	0.98
Total issue country Finland						2,255,000.00	0.98
Issue country France							
AXA S.A. BEARER EO 2.29	FR0000120628	40,800	0	191,800	23.525	4,512,095.00	1.96
DANONE S.A. EO -.25	FR0000120644	15,600	8,500	80,000	52.510	4,200,800.00	1.82
ORANGE BEARER EO 4	FR0000133308	67,500	98,100	393,000	10.098	3,968,514.00	1.72
Total issue country France						12,681,409.00	5.50

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Issue country Netherlands								
KON. KPN NV	EO-04	NL0000009082	1,484,600	0	1,484,600	3.170	4,706,182.00	2.04
Total issue country Netherlands							4,706,182.00	2.04
Issue country Spain								
ENAGAS BEARER	EO 1.50	ES0130960018	65,700	23,000	42,700	18.190	776,713.00	0.34
Total issue country Spain							776,713.00	0.34
Total equities denominated in EUR							20,419,304.00	8.86
Equities denominated in HKD								
Issue country Hong Kong								
HKT TRUST A.HK.LTD ST.UTS		HK0000093390	158,000	0	1,087,000	10.540	1,451,647.15	0.63
Total issue country Hong Kong							1,451,647.15	0.63
Total equities denominated in HKD translated at a rate of 7.89240							1,451,647.15	0.63
Equities denominated in JPY								
Issue country Japan								
BRIDGESTONE CORP.		JP3830800003	38,100	8,600	129,600	5,353.000	4,976,878.91	2.16
MITSUI OSK LINES		JP3362700001	116,900	0	116,900	3,655.000	3,065,185.21	1.33
SEKISUI HOUSE		JP3420600003	52,200	11,300	253,500	2,374.000	4,317,312.72	1.87
TAKEDA PHARM.CO.LTD.		JP3463000004	50,100	23,400	166,400	3,850.000	4,595,882.11	1.99
Total issue country Japan							16,955,258.95	7.36
Total equities denominated in JPY translated at a rate of 139.39435							16,955,258.95	7.36
Equities denominated in CAD								
Issue country Canada								
BCE INC. NEW		CA05534B7604	10,200	10,400	85,200	63.380	4,100,520.92	1.78
HYDRO ONE LTD		CA4488112083	44,000	33,200	189,400	35.560	5,114,332.14	2.22
Total issue country Canada							9,214,853.06	4.00
Total equities denominated in CAD translated at a rate of 1.31690							9,214,853.06	4.00
Equities denominated in NOK								
Issue country Norway								
YARA INTERNATIONAL NK1.70		N00010208051	16,200	0	94,100	421.400	3,973,619.26	1.72
Total issue country Norway							3,973,619.26	1.72
Total equities denominated in NOK translated at a rate of 9.97925							3,973,619.26	1.72

Security designation	ISIN number	Purch./ additions Units/nominal (nom. in 1,000, rounded)	Sales/ disposals	Holding	Price	Value in EUR	% share of fund assets
Equities denominated in CHF							
Issue country Switzerland							
SWISS RE AG REG. SF -.10	CH0126881561	12,900	0	58,400	76.180	4,533,230.08	1.97
ZURICH INSUR.GR.NA.SF0.10	CH0011075394	220	0	10,600	434.100	4,688,669.25	2.03
Total issue country Switzerland						9,221,899.33	4.00
Total equities denominated in CHF translated at a rate of 0.98140						9,221,899.33	4.00
Equities denominated in USD							
Issue country USA							
ABBVIE INC. DL-.01	US00287Y1091	11,200	13,100	52,700	134.460	7,046,931.53	3.06
AT + T INC. DL 1	US00206R1023	107,000	0	391,400	17.540	6,827,264.68	2.96
BRISTOL-MYERS SQUIBB DL-10	US1101221083	98,900	0	98,900	67.410	6,630,052.21	2.88
CAMPBELL SOUP CO.DL-.0375	US1344291091	32,100	24,100	108,800	50.380	5,451,090.45	2.37
CONAGRA BRANDS INC. DL 5	US2058871029	152,600	0	152,600	34.380	5,217,431.26	2.26
CONSOLIDATED EDISON	US2091151041	5,700	6,100	52,500	97.740	5,103,028.19	2.21
CUMMINS INC. DL 2.50	US2310211063	6,400	0	24,100	215.370	5,161,769.18	2.24
DOW INC. DL-.01	US2605571031	0	8,500	63,300	51.000	3,210,481.83	1.39
FRANKLIN RES INC. DL-.10	US3546131018	181,400	0	181,400	26.070	4,702,996.37	2.04
GENL MILLS DL -.10	US3703341046	21,600	14,400	74,000	76.800	5,651,832.33	2.45
GILEAD SCIENCES DL-.001	US3755581036	10,900	0	73,300	63.470	4,626,672.97	2.01
HASBRO INC. DL-.50	US4180561072	14,400	0	52,500	78.820	4,115,210.58	1.79
INTERPUBL.GR. COS. DL-.10	US4606901001	34,100	0	153,900	27.640	4,230,317.74	1.84
INTL BUS. MACH. DL-.20	US4592001014	23,800	0	59,300	128.450	7,575,043.51	3.29
IRON MOUNTAIN (NEW) DL-.01	US46284V1017	11,300	1,300	87,300	52.610	4,567,503.36	1.98
JOHNSON + JOHNSON DL 1	US4781601046	5,600	2,500	44,300	161.340	7,107,913.08	3.08
JUNIPER NETWORKS DL-.01	US48203R1041	16,000	2,000	51,500	28.420	1,455,551.69	0.63
KELLOGG CO. DL -.25	US4878361082	73,300	0	73,300	72.740	5,302,413.60	2.30
KIMBERLY-CLARK DL 1.25	US4943681035	3,300	0	34,900	127.520	4,425,884.34	1.92
KRAFT HEINZ CO.DL -.01	US5007541064	135,400	0	135,400	37.400	5,036,010.14	2.18
LUMEN TECHNOLOGIES DL 1	US5502411037	47,600	18,500	395,300	9.960	3,915,457.21	1.70
ONEOK INC. (NEW)	US6826801036	14,200	9,000	68,800	61.230	4,189,372.98	1.82
PEPSICO INC. DL-.0166	US7134481081	49,700	0	49,700	172.270	8,514,563.17	3.69
PFIZER INC. DL-.05	US7170811035	45,500	0	161,100	45.230	7,246,335.84	3.14
PRUDENTIAL FINL DL-.01	US7443201022	3,800	0	45,300	95.750	4,313,534.88	1.87
UGI CORP.	US9026811052	52,600	0	52,600	39.500	2,066,232.41	0.90
V.F. CORP.	US9182041080	43,000	0	94,200	41.450	3,883,039.13	1.68
WALGREENS BOOTS AL.DL-.01	US9314271084	29,300	0	107,200	35.060	3,737,687.83	1.62
WESTERN UNION CO. DL-.01	US9598021098	43,600	58,800	86,700	14.820	1,277,802.20	0.55
WILLIAMS COS INC. DL 1	US9694571004	41,000	62,000	143,600	34.030	4,859,736.46	2.11
Total issue country USA						147,449,161.15	63.97
Total equities denominated in USD translated at a rate of 1.00555						147,449,161.15	63.97
Total securities admitted to organised markets						214,176,843.64	92.93

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Breakdown of fund assets

Transferable securities	226,117,611.80	98.11
Bank balances	3,640,059.38	1.58
Dividend entitlements	734,927.37	0.32
Interest entitlements	264.63	0.00
Other deferred items	-10,491.59	- 0.00
Fund assets	230,482,371.59	100.00

Investor note:

The values of assets in illiquid markets may deviate from their actual selling prices.

Dividend-bearing units outstanding	AT0000A1QA61	units	1,080,041.664
Value of dividend-bearing unit	AT0000A1QA61	EUR	107.97
Non-dividend-bearing units outstanding	AT0000A1QA79	units	846,110.007
Value of non-dividend-bearing unit	AT0000A1QA79	EUR	123.13
Non-dividend-bearing units outstanding	AT0000A2R1H6	units	64.438
Value of non-dividend-bearing unit	AT0000A2R1H6	EUR	106.45
KEST-exempt non-dividend-bearing units outstanding	AT0000A1QA87	units	54,748.998
Value of KEST-exempt non-dividend-bearing unit	AT0000A1QA87	EUR	125.62
KEST-exempt non-dividend-bearing units outstanding	AT0000A2CWH1	units	25,235.781
Value of KEST-exempt non-dividend-bearing unit	AT0000A2CWH1	HUF	44,557.95

The Fund is not permitted to engage in repurchase agreements pursuant to Regulation (EU) No. 2015/2365 (Regulation on Transparency of Securities Financing Transactions and of Reuse). For this reason, repurchase agreements were not employed.

No total return swaps pursuant to Regulation (EU) 2015/2365 (Regulation on Transparency of Securities Financing Transactions and of Reuse) were concluded for the Fund during the reporting period.

The Fund is not permitted to engage in securities lending agreements pursuant to Regulation (EU) No. 2015/2365 (Regulation on Transparency of Securities Financing Transactions and of Reuse). For this reason, securities lending agreements were not employed.

Explanation on disclosure pursuant to Delegated Regulation (EU) No. 2016/2251 supplementing Regulation (EU) No. 648/2012 of the European Parliament and of the Council on OTC derivatives, central counterparties, and trade repositories with regard to regulatory technical standards for risk-mitigation techniques for OTC derivative contracts not cleared by a central counterparty:

All OTC derivatives are traded through Erste Group Bank AG.

In the event of negative derivatives exposure, collateral in the form of cash or bonds is pledged to Erste Group Bank AG in accordance with the contractually agreed threshold.

In the event of positive derivatives exposure, EUR-denominated government bonds from the Republic of Austria and/or the Federal Republic of Germany are pledged by Erste Group Bank AG to the Fund in accordance with the contractually agreed threshold. A one-time discount of 4% is agreed with the counterparty for this collateral. Collateral that would require a higher discount pursuant to Annex II to Delegated Regulation (EU) No. 2016/2251 is not accepted.

Purchases and sales of transferable securities in the reporting period not listed in the statement of assets and liabilities

Security designation	ISIN number	Purch./ additions Units/nominal (nom. in 1,000, rounded)	Sales/ disposals
Publicly traded securities			
Equities denominated in GBP			
Issue country Great Britain			
GSK PLC LS-.25	GB0009252882	143,200	348,300
Equities denominated in EUR			
Issue country Germany			
ALLIANZ SE NA N.P.	DE0008404005	3,420	22,620
DEUTSCHE POST AG NA N.P.	DE0005552004	0	71,900
SIEMENS AG NA N.P.	DE0007236101	0	40,400
Equities denominated in SEK			
Issue country Sweden			
ELECTROLUX B	SE0016589188	35,900	91,300
Securities admitted to organised markets			
Equities denominated in USD			
Issue country Ireland			
JOHNSON CONTR.INTL.DL-.01	IE00BY7QL619	0	48,500
Issue country USA			
3M CO. DL-.01	US88579Y1010	3,700	25,500
CISCO SYSTEMS DL-.001	US17275R1023	0	117,800
HP INC DL -.01	US40434L1052	0	123,800
HUNTINGTON BANCSHS INC.	US4461501045	0	256,700
INTEL CORP. DL-.001	US4581401001	12,300	139,900
INTL PAPER DL 1	US4601461035	31,600	115,100
NETAPP INC.	US64110D1046	6,700	50,600

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PROCTER GAMBLE	US7427181091	0	44,000
TRAVELERS COS INC.	US89417E1091	0	28,300
WB DISCOVERY SER.A DL-.01	US9344231041	74,559	74,559

Vienna, September 2022

Erste Asset Management GmbH
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