

Press Release

Indxx Integrates ESG Data from Minerva Analytics into Index Solutions

New York – March 18, 2022 – [Indxx](#) is pleased to announce their partnership with Minerva Analytics, Europe's independent proxy voting, ESG and stewardship solution. The collaboration allows Indxx to utilize Minerva's environmental, social and governance (ESG) data and research to develop custom ESG index solutions to meet the growing and global demand for responsible passive investing.

Minerva's offerings draw on the leading regulatory ESG indicators including TCFD, UN Global Compact, OECD MNE Guidelines the UN Guiding Principles on Business and Human Rights. Their framework measures both positive and negative impacts of the UN Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs) on portfolios and seamlessly integrates with stewardship, voting and stock-lending strategies.

"The push to meet the needs and allay the concerns of ESG-focused investors is driving change for index providers like us," said Indxx Managing Partner Rahul Sen Sharma. "As a leading global index provider, our partnership with Minerva Analytics adds to our growing list of unique data provider relationships, allowing us to offer indices in line with the UN Global Compact Principles."

Added Chandan Kumar G V, Manager, Index Products at Indxx, "Responsible investing is at the heart of our sustainability offering. We focus on collaborating with best-in-class data providers and Minerva Analytics is yet another well-respected partner to help us amplify our offerings to clients."

Commenting on their partnership, Minerva Analytics CEO, Sarah Wilson said, "Minerva Analytics is proud to partner with Indxx, with our leading ESG reporting framework underpinning their new and improved Indxx Global CleanTech v2 Index. With more demand than ever for reliable ESG parameters, providing inputs into market-leading indexes through our collaboration with Indxx will enable investors to further integrate ESG factors into their benchmarking and product creation."

The first index using Minerva Analytics data for screening is the Indxx Global CleanTech v2 Index, which is tracked by Global X CleanTech UCITS ETF (CTEK) in Europe. The change will be effective from today. There are more indices using Minerva Analytics' data that are slated to follow.

About Indxx

Founded in 2005, Indxx endeavors to deliver innovative and custom indexing and calculation solutions to the investment management community at large.

Indxx and products tracking its indices have been nominated for and received numerous awards, including 'Best Index Provider - Emerging Markets ETFs' at the ETF Express US Awards in October 2020 and 'Most Innovative ETF Index Provider' for the Americas at the 14th Annual Global ETF Awards in July 2018. For more information about Indxx, please visit: <http://www.indxx.com/>

About Minerva

Minerva Analytics Ltd was launched in March 2019 and was founded by Sarah Wilson and Tim Clarke following their acquisition of Manifest – the proxy voting agency. Manifest was the UK’s first electronic proxy voting service founded in 1995. In addition to a full-service voting platform, Minerva’s services include objective data and research covering voting results, governance, remuneration and sustainability, customized voting policies as well as a number of proprietary ESG benchmarking solutions for up to 6,500 global companies.

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