



T. ROWE PRICE FUNDS OEIC

# Asian Opportunities Equity Fund – Carbon Footprint

As at 31 December 2023

At T. Rowe Price, we recognize that many of our clients wish to understand the carbon footprint of their portfolios and, as such, we provide the following analysis.

While carbon footprint analysis can be a useful tool for comparing portfolios, we would caution that a significant portion of the carbon emissions data set is estimated as many companies do not report this figure. In particular, there is typically a greater degree of estimation included in Scope 3 Carbon Emissions data.

Additionally, the statistic of carbon intensity can lack informational relevance in some cases. Carbon intensity is a calculation of carbon emissions divided by revenues, so a low emitting company selling an inexpensive product can have a higher carbon footprint than a high emitting company selling an expensive product; and trend movements can be skewed by currency moves affecting revenues.

The following analysis is produced by T. Rowe Price using data provided by Sustainalytics.

The comparator benchmark of the Fund is the MSCI All Country Asia Ex Japan Net Index. The manager is not constrained by the fund's benchmark, which is used for performance comparison purposes only.

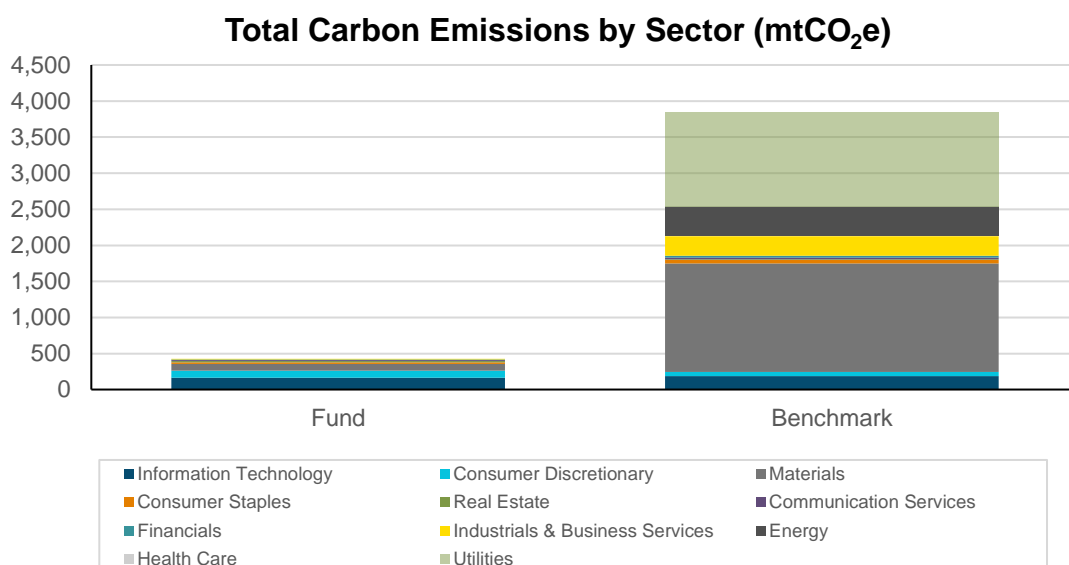
## EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

	Data Availability				Carbon Metrics		
	Total Percentage of Data Available	Percentage of Data Reported	Percentage of Data Estimated	Percentage of Carbon Metrics Pro-rated	Total Carbon Emissions	Carbon Emissions per US \$1 mn Invested	Weighted Average Carbon Intensity
	%	%	%	%	mtCO <sub>2</sub> e	mtCO <sub>2</sub> e / US\$1 mn AuM	mtCO <sub>2</sub> e / US\$1 mn Revenue
<b>Scope 1 &amp; 2 Carbon Emissions</b>							
Fund	94.80	74.81	19.99	5.20	426	28.30	70.49
Benchmark	99.02	81.88	17.14	0.98	3,842	255.08	400.21
Fund vs Benchmark					-88.9%	-88.9%	-82.4%
<b>Scope 1, 2 &amp; 3 Carbon Emissions</b>							
Fund	94.80	41.81	53.00	5.20	1,418	94.15	208.43
Benchmark	98.67	48.45	50.22	1.33	11,250	746.85	748.11
Fund vs Benchmark					-87.4%	-87.4%	-72.1%

The benchmark carbon metrics are calculated using the total net assets of the Fund invested according to the composition of the benchmark.

An explanation of the terms used in the above table is included in the Glossary.

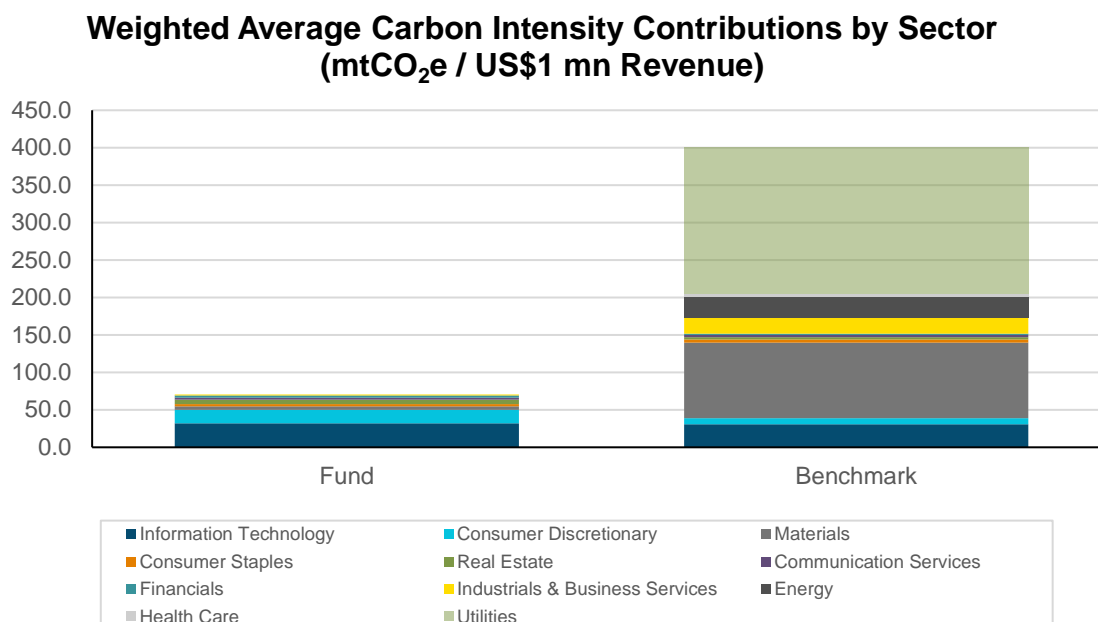
## TOTAL SCOPE 1&amp;2 CARBON EMISSION ALLOCATION BY SECTOR



## TOP 10 COMPANY CONTRIBUTORS TO TOTAL SCOPE 1&amp;2 CARBON EMISSIONS

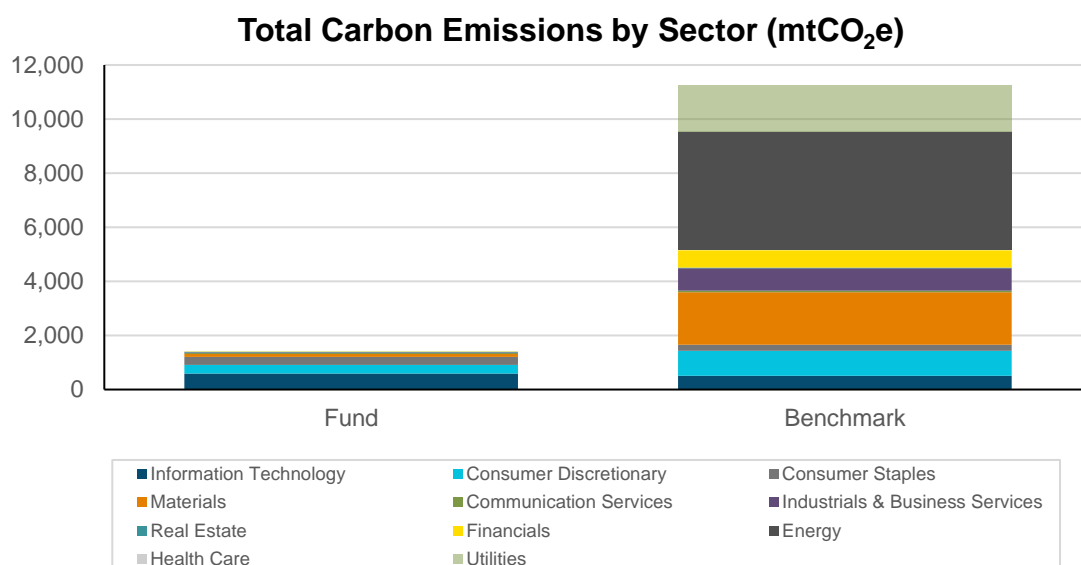
Company	Sector	Portfolio Weight	Active Weight	Carbon Emissions Contribution	Carbon Emissions
		%	%	%	mtCO <sub>2</sub> e
LG Chemical	Materials	1.57	1.22	22.06	94
Samsung Electronics	Information Technology	9.35	3.91	19.32	82
ASE Technology Holding	Information Technology	2.36	2.14	10.99	47
Fuyao Glass Industry	Consumer Discretionary	1.88	1.82	9.52	41
Taiwan Semiconductor Manufacturing	Information Technology	9.87	2.04	8.33	36
Yum China Holdings	Consumer Discretionary	1.51	1.22	7.56	32
Jollibee Foods	Consumer Discretionary	2.17	2.14	3.61	15
China Resources Mixc Lifestyle Services	Real Estate	1.72	1.68	3.53	15
Tsingtao Brewery	Consumer Staples	0.98	0.90	2.40	10
DFI RETAIL GROUP HOLDINGS	Consumer Staples	0.19	0.19	1.76	7
<b>Total of Top 10</b>		<b>31.61</b>	<b>–</b>	<b>89.09</b>	<b>380</b>

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**WEIGHTED AVERAGE SCOPE 1&2 CARBON INTENSITY CONTRIBUTION BY SECTOR****TOP 10 COMPANY CONTRIBUTORS TO WEIGHTED AVERAGE SCOPE 1&2 CARBON INTENSITY**

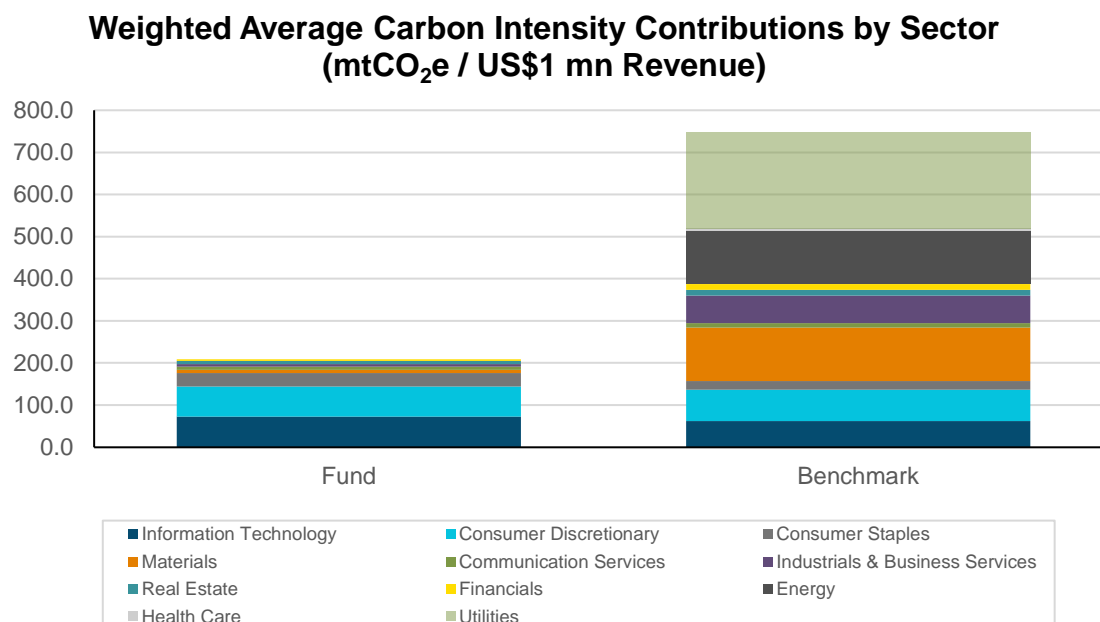
Company	Sector	Portfolio Weight %	Active Weight %	Weighted Average Carbon Intensity mtCO <sub>2</sub> e / US\$1 mn Revenue
Taiwan Semiconductor Manufacturing	Information Technology	9.87	2.04	20.62
Fuyao Glass Industry	Consumer Discretionary	1.88	1.82	9.94
Samsung Electronics	Information Technology	9.35	3.91	8.33
China Resources Mixc Lifestyle Services	Real Estate	1.72	1.68	5.90
LG Chemical	Materials	1.57	1.22	4.69
Yum China Holdings	Consumer Discretionary	1.51	1.22	3.75
ASE Technology Holding	Information Technology	2.36	2.14	2.91
Tencent Holdings	Comm. Services	5.89	1.76	1.81
Tsingtao Brewery	Consumer Staples	0.98	0.90	1.72
Jollibee Foods	Consumer Discretionary	2.17	2.14	1.69
<b>Total of Top 10</b>		<b>37.30</b>	<b>—</b>	<b>61.36</b>

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**TOTAL SCOPE 1,2&3 CARBON EMISSION ALLOCATION BY SECTOR****TOP 10 COMPANY CONTRIBUTORS TO TOTAL SCOPE 1,2&3 CARBON EMISSIONS**

Company	Sector	Portfolio Weight %	Active Weight %	Carbon Emissions Contribution %	Carbon Emissions mtCO <sub>2</sub> e
ASE Technology Holding	Information Technology	2.36	2.14	25.59	363
Sumber Alfaria Trijaya	Consumer Staples	1.76	1.70	14.85	211
Samsung Electronics	Information Technology	9.35	3.91	12.03	171
Yum China Holdings	Consumer Discretionary	1.51	1.22	10.56	150
LG Chemical	Materials	1.57	1.22	7.48	106
Fuyao Glass Industry	Consumer Discretionary	1.88	1.82	4.30	61
Taiwan Semiconductor Manufacturing	Information Technology	9.87	2.04	3.84	54
Jollibee Foods	Consumer Discretionary	2.17	2.14	3.56	51
Tsingtao Brewery	Consumer Staples	0.98	0.90	3.56	50
DFI RETAIL GROUP HOLDINGS	Consumer Staples	0.19	0.19	2.16	31
<b>Total of Top 10</b>		<b>31.65</b>	<b>–</b>	<b>87.92</b>	<b>1,247</b>

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ASE Technology Holding	Information Technology	2.36	2.14	22.56
Sumber Alfaria Trijaya	Consumer Staples	1.76	1.70	18.55
Yum China Holdings	Consumer Discretionary	1.51	1.22	17.44
Samsung Electronics	Information Technology	9.35	3.91	17.25
Li Auto	Consumer Discretionary	1.45	1.09	15.21
Fuyao Glass Industry	Consumer Discretionary	1.88	1.82	14.94
Tsingtao Brewery	Consumer Staples	0.98	0.90	8.50
Zomato	Consumer Discretionary	0.82	0.69	8.17
China Resources Mixc Lifestyle Services	Real Estate	1.72	1.68	7.27
<b>Total of Top 10</b>		<b>31.70</b>	<b>–</b>	<b>161.49</b>

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## GLOSSARY OF TERMS

**Scope 1** - Direct Carbon Emissions from owned or controlled sources (e.g. fuel combustion, company vehicles, fugitive emissions).

**Scope 2** - Indirect Carbon Emissions from the generation of purchased electricity, steam, heating and cooling consumed by the reporting company.

**Scope 3** - Includes all other indirect Carbon Emissions that occur in a company's value chain (e.g. purchased goods and services, business travel, employee commuting, waste disposal, use of sold products, transportation and distribution (up- and downstream), Investments, leased assets and franchises).

**mtCO<sub>2</sub>e** - Metric tons of carbon dioxide equivalent.

**Percentage of Data Reported** - The percentage for which Carbon Emissions data is reported by Companies.

**Percentage of Data Estimated** - The percentage for which Carbon Emissions data is estimated by Sustainalytics.

**Percentage of Carbon Metrics Pro-rated** - The percentage of the Fund and Benchmark which are pro-rated based on the Carbon Metrics of the remainder.

**Total Carbon Emissions** - Total amount of greenhouse gas (GHG) emissions that are released by the Fund holdings that are attributable to the % ownership of the Fund in each company, aggregated to give the total carbon emissions equivalent for the Fund. This metric is grossed up using the percentage of data available to give the overall carbon footprint of the Fund. Only applicable to equities.

**Carbon Emissions per US\$1mn investment in the Fund** - This metric enables an investor to calculate the carbon emissions of their investment in the Fund. Only applicable to equities.

**Weighted Average Carbon Intensity** - The weighted average, by Fund weight, of the total carbon emissions per US\$1mn of revenues for each of the Fund holdings. This metric gives the Fund's exposure to carbon intensive companies and can be applied across equity and fixed income portfolios. This is the Task Force on Climate-Related Financial Disclosures (TCFD) recommended metric.

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