



## REPORT ON INTERMEDIATION COSTS PAID OVER FISCAL YEAR 2022





## Pursuant to the AMF General Regulation, we draw your attention to our report on intermediation costs, detailing Ostrum Asset Management's use of investment decision-making and order execution services during the 2022 financial year.

The investment decision-making and order execution services, representing a primary interest for customers, is governed by a procedure in accordance with main regulatory requirements.

Furthermore, as per Instruction AMF n° 2007-02, Ostrum Asset Management did not charge in 2022 the following services as part of commission sharing agreements:

- 1. Valuation of portfolios ;
- 2. Purchase or rental of computers;
- 3. Payment of communication services such as electronic networks and dedicated phone lines;
- 4. Registering fees for seminars ;
- 5. Subscriptions to publications ;
- 6. Payment of travel, recreation;
- 7. Payment of software, notably order management systems and administration software as word processing or accounting programs;
- 8. Membership in professional associations;
- 9. Purchase or rental of offices;
- 10. Payment of employees' wages;
- 11. Public information offered;
- 12. Direct payments of money ;
- 13. Safekeeping and administration of financial instruments.

## Intermediation costs have proceeded in both on transactions performed on UCITS / FIA funds and on portfolios managed under mandate.

These intermediation costs paid in respect of the year 2022 break down as follows:

- Execution costs accounted for 100% of intermediation costs
- Costs of research services accounted for 0% of total intermediation costs,

Details of intermediation costs, by type of managed portfolios are presented in the table below:

Distribution of intermediation costs by portfolios			
Data expressed in percentage	Order execution	Analysis / Research	Total intermediation costs
Mandates	100	0	100
Funds	100	0	100

Finally, Ostrum Asset Management did not sign commission sharing agreements, hence costs relating to research services paid to third parties under commission sharing agreements accounted for 0% of the total intermediation costs made during the accounting period of 2022.

The selection of service providers for order execution services is supervised by a procedure, notably to prevent conflicts of interest.

More broadly, Ostrum Asset Management have introduced a conflict of interest prevention and management policy. This policy is available on Ostrum Asset Management: <a href="https://www.ostrum.com">www.ostrum.com</a>



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