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Ambienta is awarded 2022 Best Alternative Fund by MainStreet Partners and launches a long-only equity strategy

- 2021 was a strong year for Ambienta X: the X Alpha Fund results confirm the differentiation of Ambienta's approach to sustainability
- Mainstreet Partners selected Ambienta's leadership in the liquid sustainability space by awarding the Best Alternative Fund prize
- The company crowns its achievements by expanding the range of liquid products managed by the Ambienta X division into the long only arena with the launch of the Ambienta X Sustainable Leaders Fund

Ambienta SGR, one of Europe's largest asset managers dedicated to environmental sustainability, has received the 2022 ESG Champions Award from MainStreet Partners as Best Alternative Fund for Ambienta X Alpha. MainStreet Partners is a leading independent advisory and portfolio analytics firm focusing on sustainability and impact investing. The ESG Champions awards recognize a select number of funds and asset managers that have excelled within a universe of 4,200 funds managed by over 160 asset managers. The award acknowledges the differentiated approach pioneered by the team at **Ambienta X**. A successful 2021 for Ambienta's London-based Public Markets division was underpinned by a strong growth in the talent pool and in Assets under Management (to \$700 million).

The Firm continues its innovative path within the European marketplace: following the success of the flagship long/short X Alpha Fund since its launch in May 2020, the investment manager has broadened its offering with the recent launch of a new SFDR Article 9 long-only equity strategy, **Ambienta X Sustainable Leaders**. The Fund invests in sustainability champions and leverages the experience gained from the absolute return fund's long portfolio. A holistic approach to sustainable investing focused on companies characterized by strong competitive advantages in the field of pollution control and resource efficiency across all sectors, which have outperformed both the broader markets and the most relevant thematic indices.



Fabio Pecce, Partner and Chief Investment Officer of Ambienta X: “We are pleased to be recognized for X Alpha and to transfer our know-how and experience to directional strategies. The name of the new fund captures what we constantly seek in our investments: sustainable competitive advantages amplified by long-term structural tailwinds”.

Fabio Ranghino, Partner and Head of Sustainability & Strategy at Ambienta, added: “We invest exclusively in solutions that address environmental issues of which we measure impact contribution as key lever of competitive advantage and value creation. After pioneering the concept within private equity, this success confirms applicability of our approach to public markets, because sustainability drives value, across all asset classes.”

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Ambienta is a European environmental sustainability investor across private and public markets. Operating out of Milan, London, Paris, and Munich, Ambienta manages over €1.5 billion in assets with a focus on investing in private and public companies driven by environmental megatrends and whose products or services improve Resource Efficiency or Pollution Control. In private equity Ambienta has completed 47 investments to date and in public equity markets, Ambienta has pioneered one of the world’s largest absolute return fund entirely focused on environmental sustainability and manages a full suite of sustainable products ranging from low risk multi asset fund to equity long only.

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