

Use this information to help you complete your tax return. You may find the Frequently Asked Questions below and the Special Information on page four particularly helpful.

If you had taxable distributions of \$10 or more from any of your funds, a **Form 1099-DIV** will be sent to you. The IRS does not require reporting of dividends and capital gains distributions to shareholders that total less than \$10. If you sold or exchanged shares this year, a **Form 1099-B** will also be sent. However, a form is not sent for any redemption less than \$20, less than a share, and had no withholding. You are responsible for reporting all dividends, capital gains and redemptions regardless of amount. A **Form 1099-R** will be sent if you have taken distributions in the past year from any pension, retirement, profit-sharing plan, or IRA invested in Natixis Funds.

Make sure your Social Security number or Tax Identification number is correct on your tax forms. If this number is incorrect or missing, submit a new **Form W-9** to Natixis Funds. Without a correct Form W-9 on file, the IRS may require Natixis Funds to withhold 28% of your earnings. Call Natixis Funds or your local IRS office to request a Form W-9.

If you have any questions about your Natixis Funds account, visit our website at [im.natixis.com](http://im.natixis.com), or call us at (800) 225-5478, Monday through Friday, 8:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m. ET. If you need tax advice, be sure to contact a qualified tax professional.

### FOR MORE YEAR-END INFORMATION

- Call the Personal Access Line® at (800) 225-5478, *press* 3.
- Visit the “Tax Information Notice” section on [im.natixis.com](http://im.natixis.com).
- Download tax information directly into TurboTax or H&R Block. Visit [im.natixis.com/tax-information](http://im.natixis.com/tax-information) for more information.

## FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS

**Q. Why does the amount of income on my year-end statement differ from the amount on my Form 1099-DIV?**

A. Dividend and capital gains distributions are sometimes reclassified after year-end to properly reflect the fund’s actual earnings. If this occurs, the information on your year-end statement will differ from the figures reported on your Form 1099-DIV. **For tax reporting purposes, use the amount shown on your Form 1099-DIV.**

**Q. Why are the dividend and capital gains distributions from my IRAs excluded from Form 1099-DIV?**

A. Funds you hold in a retirement account, such as an IRA, are not listed on Form 1099-DIV because you do not need to report those earnings until they are withdrawn. If you have withdrawn from your Natixis Funds IRA plan, a **Form 1099-R** will be sent to you.

**Q. What is a foreign tax credit or deduction?**

A. When a mutual fund invests in securities outside of the United States, it may be required to pay foreign taxes. In order to avoid double taxation, shareholders may be eligible to claim a foreign tax credit or deduction. If your fund qualified to pass through any foreign taxes, it is reported on your Form 1099-DIV. Consult with your tax advisor for more information.

**Q. What are the IRS Cost Basis Regulations?**

A. Shares purchased before January 1, 2012 (“non-covered shares”) use the *average cost single category* method. Shares purchased after January 1, 2012 are referred to by the IRS as “covered shares.” Cost basis for covered shares sold in this year will be reflected on your Form 1099-B, and we will report the cost basis to the IRS according to the method you chose.

We report cost basis information to both you and the IRS on Form 1099-B. The form is divided into sections indicating if the shares sold were held long or short-term, and if the cost basis information is reported to the IRS. This means when you sell shares, the redemption information could be separated into multiple sections on the Form 1099-B depending on the age of the shares sold.

**Q. What is Form 5498 and why is it sent in May after tax returns are filed?**

A. Form 5498 reports gross contributions to IRAs, including rollover contributions made during 2025 and regular 2025 contributions made through April 15, 2026. For this reason, we don’t send this form until May. If you have multiple funds in an IRA, they will appear on one Form 5498. The form is for your records only and *does not need to be filed* with your tax return.

## Corporate dividends received deduction

The table below is provided to enable corporate shareholders to calculate the amount of dividends their fund distributes that qualify for the corporate dividend-received deduction.

Funds	Corporate Dividends Received Deduction
Gateway Equity Call Premium Fund	100.000000%
Gateway Fund	100.000000%
Loomis Sayles Global Allocation Fund	39.972760%
Loomis Sayles High Income Fund	0.326260%
Loomis Sayles International Growth Fund	6.567000%
Loomis Sayles Investment Grade Bond Fund	0.158931%
Loomis Sayles Strategic Alpha Fund	0.467614%
Loomis Sayles Strategic Income Fund	2.838000%
Mirova Global Megatrends Fund	100.000000%
Natixis Oakmark Fund	94.302739%
Natixis Target Retirement 2015 Fund	7.191897%
Natixis Target Retirement 2020 Fund	8.072291%
Natixis Target Retirement 2025 Fund	10.651679%
Natixis Target Retirement 2030 Fund	7.649559%
Natixis Target Retirement 2035 Fund	10.233945%
Natixis Target Retirement 2040 Fund	14.709675%
Natixis Target Retirement 2045 Fund	11.429661%
Natixis Target Retirement 2050 Fund	17.052492%
Natixis Target Retirement 2055 Fund	14.957797%
Natixis Target Retirement 2060 Fund	14.258131%
Natixis Target Retirement 2065 Fund	14.506019%
Natixis U.S. Equity Opportunities Fund	98.675590%
Vaughan Nelson Mid Cap Fund	13.743325%
Vaughan Nelson Small Cap Fund	58.377000%

## Qualified dividend income

The table below is provided to enable shareholders to calculate the amount of dividends their fund distributes that are qualified dividend income eligible for reduced taxes. The percentage should be applied to the amount shown in **Box 1a, Total Ordinary Dividends**, on your **Form 1099-DIV**. Shareholder Specific Qualified Dividend Income is reported in **Box 1b** of Form 1099-DIV.

Funds	Qualified Dividend Income
Gateway Equity Call Premium Fund	100.000000%
Gateway Fund	100.000000%
Loomis Sayles Global Allocation Fund	50.246000%
Loomis Sayles High Income Fund	0.373000%
Loomis Sayles International Growth Fund	100.000000%
Loomis Sayles Investment Grade Bond Fund	0.138000%
Loomis Sayles Strategic Alpha Fund	0.457000%
Loomis Sayles Strategic Income Fund	2.781000%
Mirova Global Megatrends Fund	100.000000%
Mirova International Megatrends Fund	100.000000%
Natixis Oakmark Fund	100.000000%
Natixis Oakmark International Fund	93.744000%
Natixis Target Retirement 2015 Fund	7.718000%
Natixis Target Retirement 2020 Fund	8.618000%
Natixis Target Retirement 2025 Fund	11.405000%
Natixis Target Retirement 2030 Fund	8.188000%
Natixis Target Retirement 2035 Fund	10.987000%
Natixis Target Retirement 2040 Fund	15.756000%
Natixis Target Retirement 2045 Fund	12.272000%
Natixis Target Retirement 2050 Fund	18.294000%
Natixis Target Retirement 2055 Fund	16.057000%
Natixis Target Retirement 2060 Fund	15.267000%
Natixis Target Retirement 2065 Fund	15.555000%
Natixis U.S. Equity Opportunities Fund	100.000000%
Vaughan Nelson Mid Cap Fund	10.612000%
Vaughan Nelson Select Fund	100.000000%
Vaughan Nelson Small Cap Fund	100.000000%

## Section 163(j) Interest Dividends

The table below is provided to enable corporate shareholders to calculate the amount of dividends their fund distributes that qualify for Section 163(j) Interest Dividends.

Funds	Section 163(j) Interest Dividends	Funds	Section 163(j) Interest Dividends
Loomis Sayles Core Plus Bond Fund	89.795521%	Natixis Target Retirement 2020 Fund	16.693093%
Loomis Sayles Global Allocation Fund	38.966526%	Natixis Target Retirement 2025 Fund	17.215634%
Loomis Sayles High Income Fund	89.473467%	Natixis Target Retirement 2030 Fund	9.377704%
Loomis Sayles Intermediate Duration Bond Fund	91.472296%	Natixis Target Retirement 2035 Fund	7.996900%
Loomis Sayles Investment Grade Bond Fund	90.648887%	Natixis Target Retirement 2040 Fund	7.533323%
Loomis Sayles Limited Term Government and Agency Fund	87.715384%		
Loomis Sayles Senior Floating Rate and Fixed Income Fund	88.985371%		
Loomis Sayles Strategic Alpha Fund	83.562292%		
Loomis Sayles Strategic Income Fund	82.042763%		
Mirova Global Green Bond Fund	77.612476%		
Natixis Target Retirement 2015 Fund	17.775403%		

## Foreign tax credit reporting information

The following funds have elected to pass through a per share amount as income to its shareholders. Loomis Sayles International Growth Fund's per share amount is \$ 0.01048050. In accordance with IRS regulations, the amount of ordinary income indicated on Form 1099-DIV includes the amount of the foreign tax credit passed through by the Funds. As a shareholder in these Funds, you may be entitled to either deduct on your Federal income tax return or take a tax credit against your Federal tax liability for the amount passed through to you on Form 1099-DIV, Box 7. The tax deduction is only available to taxpayers that itemize deductions on their Federal income tax returns.

Consult your tax advisor with any specific questions regarding this information or how it impacts your tax return.

## U.S. government interest for state income tax returns

Dividends derived from interest on U.S. government securities may be exempt from state and local taxes. The table indicates the percentage of government ordinary income received by the fund and the source from which it was derived. **The table below does not include the following categories as there is no applicable information: Federal Home Loan Bank, Federal Farm Credit Bank, Other Direct Federal Obligations and Other Indirect Federal Obligations.**

Funds	DIRECT FEDERAL OBLIGATIONS			INDIRECT FEDERAL OBLIGATIONS			
	UST Bills, Bonds & Notes	Student Loan Mktng	Tennessee Valley	GNMA	FNMA	Federal Home Loan Mortgage	Repos
Gateway Equity Call Premium Fund	0.000000%	0.000000%	0.000000%	0.000000%	0.000000%	0.000000%	4.016828%
Gateway Fund	0.000000%	0.000000%	0.000000%	0.000000%	0.000000%	0.000000%	3.489067%
Loomis Sayles Core Plus Bond Fund	29.674943%	0.000000%	0.102561%	0.009710%	11.672577%	7.375074%	0.799028%
Loomis Sayles Global Allocation Fund	2.810382%	0.000000%	0.000000%	0.000000%	0.000000%	0.000000%	1.257267%
Loomis Sayles Growth Fund	0.000000%	0.000000%	0.000000%	0.000000%	0.000000%	0.000000%	1.869524%
Loomis Sayles High Income Fund	1.099357%	0.000000%	0.000000%	0.000000%	0.000000%	0.000000%	1.210218%
Loomis Sayles Intermediate Duration Bond Fund	20.532183%	0.000000%	0.000000%	1.092035%	0.000000%	0.556829%	1.342496%
Loomis Sayles International Growth Fund	0.000000%	0.000000%	0.000000%	0.000000%	0.000000%	0.000000%	1.814931%
Loomis Sayles Investment Grade Bond Fund	13.663916%	0.013125%	0.000000%	0.000000%	0.065114%	0.238219%	1.330608%
Loomis Sayles Limited Term Government and Agency Fund	47.748768%	0.000000%	0.000000%	6.895236%	5.014763%	30.790400%	0.639540%
Loomis Sayles Senior Floating Rate and Fixed Income Fund	0.495578%	0.000000%	0.000000%	0.000000%	0.000000%	0.000000%	2.380766%
Loomis Sayles Strategic Alpha Fund	14.882385%	0.154341%	0.000000%	0.000000%	0.140298%	0.029004%	1.532369%
Loomis Sayles Strategic Income Fund	6.993913%	0.000000%	0.000000%	0.000000%	0.000000%	0.000000%	1.147434%
Mirova Global Green Bond Fund	0.000000%	0.000000%	0.000000%	0.000000%	0.000000%	0.000000%	3.917573%
Mirova Global Megatrends Fund	0.000000%	0.000000%	0.000000%	0.000000%	0.000000%	0.000000%	1.799603%
Mirova International Megatrends Fund	0.000000%	0.000000%	0.000000%	0.000000%	0.000000%	0.000000%	1.369494%
Natixis Oakmark Fund	0.000000%	0.000000%	0.000000%	0.000000%	0.000000%	0.000000%	4.723485%
Natixis Oakmark International Fund	0.000000%	0.000000%	0.000000%	0.000000%	0.000000%	0.000000%	2.044349%
Natixis Target Retirement 2015 Fund	1.725109%	0.000000%	0.000000%	0.912750%	2.595858%	0.618744%	2.827375%
Natixis Target Retirement 2020 Fund	1.769479%	0.000000%	0.000000%	0.710845%	2.032440%	1.061178%	2.629618%
Natixis Target Retirement 2025 Fund	1.707817%	0.000000%	0.000000%	0.652842%	2.246337%	0.862934%	3.294293%
Natixis Target Retirement 2030 Fund	0.878877%	0.000000%	0.000000%	0.363347%	1.115473%	0.471060%	2.271021%
Natixis Target Retirement 2035 Fund	0.658643%	0.000000%	0.000000%	0.263287%	0.765948%	0.456534%	2.596334%
Natixis Target Retirement 2040 Fund	0.640887%	0.000000%	0.000000%	0.179358%	0.617515%	0.469998%	2.784501%
Natixis Target Retirement 2045 Fund	0.248173%	0.000000%	0.000000%	0.059456%	0.214625%	0.166699%	1.801255%
Natixis Target Retirement 2050 Fund	0.277992%	0.000000%	0.000000%	0.092723%	0.336334%	0.173957%	2.463094%
Natixis Target Retirement 2055 Fund	0.195087%	0.000000%	0.000000%	0.049003%	0.188182%	0.112994%	2.092403%
Natixis Target Retirement 2060 Fund	0.140803%	0.000000%	0.000000%	0.048098%	0.143809%	0.099299%	1.936911%
Natixis Target Retirement 2065 Fund	0.146192%	0.000000%	0.000000%	0.038319%	0.145226%	0.104653%	2.436640%
Natixis U.S. Equity Opportunities Fund	0.000000%	0.000000%	0.000000%	0.000000%	0.000000%	0.000000%	3.740754%
Vaughan Nelson Mid Cap Fund	0.000000%	0.000000%	0.000000%	0.000000%	0.000000%	0.000000%	0.086535%
Vaughan Nelson Select Fund	0.000000%	0.000000%	0.000000%	0.000000%	0.000000%	0.000000%	2.978066%
Vaughan Nelson Small Cap Fund	0.000000%	0.000000%	0.000000%	0.000000%	0.000000%	0.000000%	5.894459%

Note: California, Connecticut and New York require that a specific percent of the RIC assets be federal obligations or income derived from federal obligations, before pass through treatment is available. This threshold requirement dictates a RIC (mutual fund) to maintain more than 50% of its assets in specified obligations at the close of each quarter end of its taxable year.

## Taxability of capital gains in your state

The information below indicates the taxation by states and the District of Columbia of long-term gains distributions made by regulated investment companies, based upon the latest information furnished by the Investment Company Institute.

- **Capital gains distributions accepted in either cash or additional fund shares are taxed at a more favorable rate than ordinary income by the following states:**  
Arizona, Arkansas, Colorado, Hawaii, Louisiana, Massachusetts, Montana, North Dakota, South Carolina, Utah, Vermont and Wisconsin.
- **Capital gains distributions accepted in either cash or additional fund shares are *not taxed* by the following states:**  
Alaska, Florida, Missouri, Nevada, New Hampshire, South Dakota, Tennessee, Texas, Washington and Wyoming.
- **All other states and the District of Columbia tax capital gains distributions as ordinary income.**

We suggest that you consult your tax advisor about the current tax status of distributions in your state.

## Special information

Here are some things to keep in mind as you review your tax forms.

- The 1099-DIV and 1099-B forms do not reflect 2025 distributions for the AEW Global Focused Real Estate Fund. The Fund has filed with the Internal Revenue Service for a 30-day extension to mail these tax forms to shareholders. Therefore, separate forms will mail in late February. If you are a shareholder of the AEW Global Focused Real Estate Fund, consult with your tax professional as to how this may impact the filing of your tax return.
- On May 1, 2025, the Mirova International Sustainable Equity Fund was renamed the Mirova International Megatrends Fund.
- On May 1, 2025, the Mirova Global Sustainable Equity Fund was renamed the Mirova Global Megatrends Fund.
- On May 1, 2025, the Vaughan Nelson Small Cap Value Fund was renamed the Vaughan Nelson Small Cap Fund.
- On June 25, 2025, the Mirova Global Green Bond Fund was liquidated.
- On July 29, 2025, The Natixis Target Retirement Funds were liquidated (including each target date of 2015, 2020, 2025, 2030, 2035, 2040, 2045, 2050, 2055, 2060 and 2065).
- On August 19, 2025, the Mirova International Megatrends Fund was liquidated.