## GRI Index with the 17 Sustainable Development Goals and ESRS References

The following GRI Content Index follows a structure based on the relevant topics for Evonik and, thus, the chapter structure of the ESRS report 2024. The sequence of the GRI references is therefore not fundamentally ascending but is aligned with the chapters "General Information," "Environmental Information," "Social Information," and "Governance Information." The ESRS report has been prepared with reference to the GRI Sustainability Reporting Standards. Since 2019, we have aligned the 17 UN Sustainable Development Goals with the GRI references.





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	Evonik Industries AG has reported with reference to the GRI Standards for the period January 1, 2024 to December 31, 2024.
GRI 1 used	GRI 1: Foundation 2021
Applicable GRI Sector Standard(s)	None

Relevant	GRI	Disclosure		Location	Omission		
SDG	Standard/Other Source		ESRS-Disclosure		Requirement (s) omitted	Reason	Explanation
		General Disclosures					
	GRI 2: General Disclosures 2021	2-1 Organizational details		23, 95, 323			
		2-2 Entities included in the organization's sustainability reporting	ESRS 1; ESRS 2 BP-1	95, <u>List of</u> <u>Shareholdings - Annex</u> <u>to the Consolidated</u> <u>Financial Statements</u> <u>2024.pdf</u> .			
		2-3 Reporting period, frequency, and contact point	ESRS 1	93, 323			
		2-4 Restatements of information	ESRS 2 BP-2	95, 109			
		2-5 External assurance		96, 316			
		2-6 Activities, value chain, and other business relationships	ESRS 2 SBM-1	27, 29, 200			
8, 10		2-7 Employees	ESRS 2 SBM-1; ESRS S1-6	175, 176			
		2-8 Workers who are not employees	ESRS S1-7				
5, 16		2-9 Governance structure and composition	ESRS 2 GOV-1; ESRS G1	121, 122, 173			

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SDG	Standard/Other Source		ESRS-Disclosure		Requirement (s) omitted	Reason	Explanation
5, 16		2-10 Nomination and selection of the highest governance body		121			
16		2-11 Chair of the highest governance body		121			
16		2-12 Role of the highest governance body in overseeing the management of impacts	ESRS 2 GOV-1; ESRS G1	15, 59, 75, 77, 107, 121, 122, 173			
		2-13 Delegation of responsibility for managing impacts	ESRS 2 GOV-1; ESRS G1-3	121, 122, 189			
		2-14 Role of the highest governance body in sustainability reporting	ESRS 2 GOV-5	60, 96, 108, 121, 122			
16		2-15 Conflicts of interest		15, 80, 121, 197			
		2-16 Communication of critical concerns	ESRS 2 GOV-2; ESRS G1-1	194, 195			
		2-17 Collective knowledge of the highest governance body	ESRS 2 GOV-1	82, 84, 121, 122,			
		2-18 Evaluation of the performance of the highest governance body		75			
		2-19 Remuneration policies	ESRS 2 GOV-3; ESRS E1	123, 124, 129			
16		2-20 Process to determine remuneration	ESRS 2 GOV-3	123			
		2-21 Annual total compensation ratio	ESRS S1-16	173			
		2-22 Statement on sustainable development strategy	ESRS 2 SBM-1	27, 97, 98, 100			
16		2-23 Policy commitments	ESRS 2 GOV-4; ESRS S1-1; ESRS S2-1; ERSS G1-1	97, 123, 125, 188, 203			
		2-24 Embedding policy commitments	ESRS 2 GOV-2; ESRS S1-4; ESRS S2-4; ESRS G1-1	117, 122, 123, 170, 188, 190, 200			
		2-25 Processes to remediate negative impacts	ESRS S1-1, ESRS S2-1	180, 190, 192, 194, 195, 201			
16		2-26 Mechanisms for seeking advice and raising concerns	ESRS S1-3; ESRS S2-3; ESRS G1-1; ESRS G1-3	108, 190, 194, 195, 201, 202			
16		2-27 Compliance with laws and regulations	ESRS 2 SBM-3; ESRS E2-4; ESRS S1-17; ESRS G1-4	163, 184, 197			
		2-28 Membership of associations		99, 123, 188			
		2-29 Approach to stakeholder engagement	ESRS 2 SBM-2; ESRS S1-1; ESRS S1-2; ESRS S2-1; ESRS S2-2	105, 106, 107, 173, 180, 188, 195, 201, 202, 203, 205			

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SDG	Standard/Other Source		ESRS-Disclosure		Requirement (s) omitted	Reason	Explanation
8		2-30 Collective bargaining agreements	ESRS S1-8	173, 174			
	ı	Material topics					
	GRI 3: Material Topics 2021	3-1 Process to determine material topics	ESRS 2 BP-1; ESRS 2 IRO-1	93, 94, 108, 109, 114			
		3-2 List of material topics	ESRS 2 SBM-3	108, 110, 111, 112			
	(	General Information					
		Material topic: Portfolio transf	ormation				
-		Economic performance	( <b> </b>		· 1 · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·		
	GRI 3: Material Topics 2021	3-3 Management of material topics	MDR-P, MDRA, MDR-M,	59, 100, 105, 106, 107, 114, 118, 121, 122, 123, 128, 188			
8, 9	GRI 201: Economic	201-1 Direct economic value generated and distributed		99			
13	Performance 2016	201-2 Financial implications and other risks and opportunities due to climate change	ESRS 2 SBM-3; ESRS E1-3, E1-9	59, 69, 101, 130			
		201-3 Defined benefit plan obligations and other retirement plans		64, 174, 261			
		201-4 Financial assistance received from government		57		Confidentiali ty constraints	We only report on financial assistance received from the EU and Germany. (201-4 a. iii.)
		Market presence	l <b>l</b>		J. I		
	GRI 3: Material Topics 2021	3-3 Management of material topics	MDR-P, MDRA, MDR-M,	59, 105, 106, 107, 114, 118, 121, 122, 123, 128, 170, 177, 188			
1, 5, 8	GRI 202: Market	202-1 Ratios of standard entry level wage by gender compared to local minimum wage	ESRS S1-10	172			
8	Presence 2016	202-2 Proportion of senior management hired from the local community		179			
		Indirect economic impacts					
	GRI 3: Material Topics 2021	3-3 Management of material topics	MDR-P, MDRA, MDR-M,	59, 101, 105, 106, 107, 114, 118, 121, 122, 123, 128, 188			
5, 9, 11	GRI 203: Indirect	203-1 Infrastructure investments and services supported		99, 101			

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SDG	Standard/Other Source		ESRS-Disclosure		Requirement (s) omitted	Reason	Explanation
, 3, 8	Economic Impacts 2016	203-2 Significant indirect economic impacts	ESRS S1-4; ESRS S2-4	99, 101			
	E	Environmental Information					
		Material topic: Mitigating clima	ate change				
		Emissions					
	GRI 3: Material Topics 2021	3-3 Management of material topics	ESRS 2 SBM-1, SBM-3; MDR-P, MDRA, MDR-M, MDR-T; ESRS E1-2, E1- 3, E1- 4, E1-7; ESRS E2-1, E2-2; ESRS S1-2, S1-4, S1-5; ESRS S2-2, S2-4, S2-5				
3, 12, 13, 4, 15	GRI 305: Emissions 2016	305-1 Direct (Scope 1) GHG emissions	ESRS E1-4, E1-6	4, 130, 135			
3, 12, 13, 4, 15		305-2 Energy indirect (Scope 2) GHG emissions	ESRS E1-4, E1-6	4, 130, 135			
3, 12, 13, 4, 15		305-3 Other indirect (Scope 3) GHG emissions	ESRS E1-4, E1-6	4, 130, 135, 137			
3, 14, 15		305-4 GHG emissions intensity	ESRS E1-6	4, 135			
3, 14, 15		305-5 Reduction of GHG emissions	ESRS E1-3, E1-4, E1-7	4, 133, 135			
3,12		305-6 Emissions of ozone-depleting substances (ODS)					
3, 12, 14, 15		305-7 Nitrogen oxides ( $NO_x$ ), sulfur oxides ( $SO_x$ ), and other significant air emissions	ESRS E2-4	184			
		Material topic: Green energy					
		Energy			1-1		1.1
	GRI 3: Material Topics 2021	3-3 Management of material topics	ESRS 2 SBM-1, SBM-3; MDR-P, MDRA, MDR-M, MDR-T; ESRS E1-2, E1- 3, E1-4; ESRS S1-2, S1-4, S1-5; ESRS S2-2, S2-4, S2-5				
', 8, 12, 3	GRI 302: Energy 2016	302-1 Energy consumption within the organization	ESRS E1-5	142			
, 8, 12, 3		302-3 Energy intensity	ESRS E1-5	142			
7, 8, 12, I 3		302-4 Reduction of energy consumption		141, 142			
7, 8, 12, 3,		302-5 Reductions in energy requirements of products and services					
		Material topic: Water manager	ment				
Т	T	Water and effluents	T		T T	T	
	GRI 3: Material Topics 2021	3-3 Management of material topics	ESRS 2 SBM-1, SBM-3; MDR-P, MDRA, MDR-M,	59, 105, 106, 107, 114, 118, 121, 122,			

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סטפ	Source		ESRS-Disclosure		Requirement		
					(s) omitted	Reason	Explanation
			MDR-T; ESRS E2-1, E2- 2, E2-3; ESRS S1-2, S1-4, S1-5; ESRS S2-2, S2-4, S2-5	123, 128, 143, 188			
6, 12	GRI 303: Water and	303-1 Interactions with water as a shared resource	ESRS 2 SBM-3; MDR-T; ESRS E3-2	144, 145, 146			
6	Effluents 2018	303-2 Management of water discharge- related impacts	ESRS E2-3	145, 146, 159			
6		303-3 Water withdrawal		145, 146	Points b and c	Information unavailable/i ncomplete	Data are not available
6		303-4 Water discharge		145, 146	Points b and c	Information unavailable/i ncomplete	Data are not available
6		303-5 Water consumption	ESRS E3-4	145, 146	Points b and c	Information unavailable/i ncomplete	Data are not available
		Material topic: Biodiversity	·	<b>!</b>	J.,	.,,	
		Biodiversity					
	GRI 3: Material Topics 2021	3-3 Management of material topics	ESRS 2 SBM-1, SBM-3; MDR-P, MDRA, MDR-M, MDR-T; ESRS E4-1, E4- 2, E4-3, E4-4; ESRS S1-2, S1-4, S1-5; ESRS S2-2, S2-4, S2-5	114, 118, 121, 122,			
6, 14, 15	GRI 304: Biodiversity 2016	304-1 Operational sites owned, leased, managed in, or adjacent to, protected areas and areas of high biodiversity value outside protected areas	ESRS E4-5	151, 152			
		Material topic: Circular econor	my	I	JJ		
		Materials					
	GRI 3: Material Topics 2021	3-3 Management of material topics	ESRS 2 SBM-1, SBM-3; MDR-P, MDRA, MDR-M, MDR-T; ESRS E5-1, E5- 2; ESRS S1-2, S1-4, S1-5; ESRS S2-2, S2-4, S2-5	114, 118, 121, 122,			
8, 12	GRI 301: Materials 2016	301-1 Materials used by weight or volume	ESRS E5-4	158			
8		301-3 Reclaimed products and their packaging materials		158			
		Waste	<u> </u>		1.1		
	GRI 3: Material Topics 2021	3-3 Management of material topics	ESRS 2 SBM-1, SBM-3; MDR-P, MDRA, MDR-M, MDR-T; ESRS E5-1, E5- 2, E5-3; ESRS S1-2, S1-4, S1-5; ESRS S2-2, S2-4, S2-5	114, 118, 121, 122,			

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SDG	Standard/Other Source		ESRS-Disclosure		Requirement		
					(s) omitted	Reason	Explanation
3, 6, 11, 12	GRI 306: Waste 2020	306-1 Waste generation and significant waste-related impacts	ESRS 2 SBM-3; ESRS E5-4	128, 158			
3, 6, 11, 12		306-2 Management of significant waste- related impacts	ESRS E5-2, E5-5	5, 128, 158			
3, 11, 12		306-3 Waste generated	ESRS E5-5	158			
3, 11, 12		306-4 Waste diverted from disposal	ESRS E5-5	158			
3, 11, 12		306-5 Waste directed to disposal	ESRS E5-5	158			
		Material topic: Product steware	dship				
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	GRI 3: Material Topics 2021	3-3 Management of material topics	ESRS 2 SBM-1, SBM-3; MDR-P, MDRA, MDR-M, MDR-T; ESRS S1-2, S1- 4, S1-5; ESRS S2-2, S2-4, S2-5	114, 118, 121, 122,			
	GRI 416: Customer	416-1 Assessment of the health and safety impacts of product and service categories		159			
16	Health and Safety 2016	416-2 Incidents of non-compliance concerning the health and safety impacts of products and services		59, 77, 159			
		Marketing and labeling					
	GRI 3: Material Topics 2021	3-3 Management of material topics		59, 105, 106, 107, 114, 118, 121, 122, 123, 128, 159, 188			
12	GRI 417: Marketing and	417-1 Requirements for product and service information and labeling		159			
16	Labeling 2016	417-2 Incidents of non-compliance concerning product and service information and labeling		59, 77, 159			
	S	Social Information					
		Material topic: Attractiveness a	s an employer/Employee sa	atisfaction			
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	GRI 3: Material Topics 2021	3-3 Management of material topics	ESRS 2 SBM-1, SBM-3; MDR-P, MDRA, MDR-M, MDR-T; ESRS S1-1, S1- 2, S1-4, S1-5; ESRS S2-1, S2-2, S2-4, S2-5				
5, 8, 10	GRI 401: Employment	401-1 New employee hires and employee turnover	ESRS S1-6	176, 179			
3, 5, 8	2016	401-2 Benefits provided to full-time employees that are not provided to temporary or part-time employees	ESRS S1-11	174, 176, 181			
5,8		401-3 Parental leave	ESRS S1-15	174			
		Labor/management relations					
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SDG	Standard/Other Source		ESRS-Disclosure		Requirement		
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	GRI 3: Material Topics 2021	3-3 Management of material topics	ESRS 2 SBM-1, SBM-3; MDR-P, MDRA, MDR-M, MDR-T; ESRS S1-1, S1- 2, S1-4, S1-5; ESRS S2-1, S2-2, S2-4, S2-5	114, 118, 121, 122,			
8	GRI 402: Labor/ Management Relations 2016	402-1 Minimum notice periods regarding operational changes		173			
		Training and education					
	GRI 3: Material Topics 2021	3-3 Management of material topics	ESRS 2 SBM-1, SBM-3; MDR-P, MDRA, MDR-M, MDR-T; ESRS S1-1, S1- 2, S1-4, S1-5; ESRS S2-1, S2-2, S2-4, S2-5	114, 118, 121, 122,			
4, 5, 8, 10	GRI 404: Training and	404-1 Average hours of training per year per employee	ESRS S1-13	174			
8	Education 2016	404-2 Programs for upgrading employee skills and transition assistance programs	ESRS S1-1	175			
5, 8, 10		404-3 Percentage of employees receiving regular performance and career development reviews	ESRS S1-13	172			
	1	Material topics: Diversity and e	qual opportunity		1.1		
		Diversity and equal opportunity	1				
	GRI 3: Material Topics 2021	3-3 Management of material topics	ESRS 2 SBM-1, SBM-3; MDR-P, MDRA, MDR-M, MDR-T; ESRS S1-1, S1- 2, S1-4, S1-5; ESRS S2-1, S2-2, S2-4, S2-5	114, 118, 121, 122,			
5, 8	GRI 405: Diversity and	405-1 Diversity of governance bodies and employees		82, 84, 121, 176, 178, 179			
5, 8, 10	Equal Opportunity 2016	405-2 Ratio of basic salary and remuneration of women to men	ESRS S1-16	173			
		Material topics: Occupational h	ealth and safety		1.1	··I	
		Occupational health and safety					
	GRI 3: Material Topics 2021	3-3 Management of material topics	MDR-P, MDRA, MDR-M, MDR-T; ESRS S1-1, S1-				
8	GRI 403: Occupational Health and	403-1 Occupational health and safety management system	ESRS S1-1	180			
8	Safety 2018	403-2 Hazard identification, risk assessment, and incident investigation	ESRS S1-3	182			

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SDG	Standard/Other Source		ESRS-Disclosure		Requirement (s) omitted	Reason	Explanation
8		403-3 Occupational health services		180			
8, 16		403-4 Worker participation, consultation, and communication on occupational health and safety		180, 181			
8		403-5 Worker training on occupational health and safety		180, 181, 182			
3		403-6 Promotion of worker health		181, 182			
8		403-7 Prevention and mitigation of occupational health and safety impacts directly linked by business relationships	ESRS S2-4	180, 181, 182			
8		403-8 Workers covered by an occupational health and safety management system	ESRS S1-14	180			
3, 8, 16		403-9 Work-related injuries	ESRS S1-4, S1-14	183	Point b, iii to iv and points c. and d.	Confidentiali ty constraints	We do not give figures for accidents and hours worked by contractors' employees.
3, 8, 16		403-10 Work-related ill health	ESRS S1-4, S1-14	185			
	C	Governance Information					
		Material topic: Responsible ma	nagement/human rights				
		Anti-corruption	·	· •	1.1		
	GRI 3: Material Topics 2021	3-3 Management of material topics	MDR-P, MDRA, MDR-M,	59, 105, 106, 107, 114, 118, 121, 122, 123, 128, 188, 189, 190			
16	GRI 205: Anti-	205-1 Operations assessed for risks related to corruption	ESRS G1-3	190, 192, 193			
16	2016	205-2 Communication and training about anti-corruption policies and procedures	ESRS G1-3	192, 196, 197			
		205-3 Confirmed incidents of corruption and actions taken	ESRS G1-4	197			
		Anti-competitive behavior		<b>Y</b>			
	GRI 3: Material Topics 2021	3-3 Management of material topics	ESRS 2 SBM-1, SBM-3; MDR-P, MDRA, MDR-M, MDR-T; ESRS S1-2, S1- 4, S1-5; ESRS S2-2, S2-4, S2-5	59, 105, 106, 107, 114, 118, 121, 122, 123, 128, 188			
16	GRI 206: Anti- competitive Behavior 2016	206-1 Legal actions for anti-competitive behavior, anti-trust, and monopoly practices		197			
		Non-discrimination		<b>T</b>	1 1		
	GRI 3: Material Topics 2021	3-3 Management of material topics	ESRS 2 SBM-1, SBM-3; MDR-P, MDRA, MDR-M,	59, 105, 106, 107, 114, 118, 121, 122,			

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SDG	Standard/Other Source		ESRS-Disclosure		Requirement		
					(s) omitted	Reason	Explanation
			MDR-T; ESRS S1-1, S1- 2, S1-4, S1-5; ESRS S2-1, S2-2, S2-4, S2-5	123, 128, 177, 188			
5, 8	GRI 406: Non- discrimination 2016	406-1 Incidents of discrimination and corrective actions taken	ESRS S1-17	197		Legal prohibitions	For data protection reasons, it is not possible for us to make all the disclosures on 406-1 b iv. required by the GRI.
	T-T	Freedom of association and col	lective bargaining	<b>T</b>	1-1		
	GRI 3: Material Topics 2021	3-3 Management of material topics	ESRS 2 SBM-1, SBM-3; MDR-P, MDRA, MDR-M, MDR-T; ESRS S1-1, S1- 2, S1-4, S1-5; ESRS S2-1, S2-2, S2-4, S2-5	114, 118, 121, 122,			
8	GRI 407: Freedom of Association and Collective Bargaining 2016	407-1 Operations and suppliers in which the right to freedom of association and collective bargaining may be at risk		180, 188, 195, 201, 205			
		Child labor					
	GRI 3: Material Topics 2021	3-3 Management of material topics	ESRS 2 SBM-1, SBM-3; MDR-P, MDRA, MDR-M, MDR-T; ESRS S1-1, S1- 2, S1-4, S1-5; ESRS S2-1, S2-2, S2-4, S2-5	114, 118, 121, 122,			
8, 16		408-1 Operations and suppliers at significant risk for incidents of child labor	ESRS S1-1; ESRS S2-1	188, 195, 201, 205			
		Forced or compulsory labor					
	GRI 3: Material Topics 2021	3-3 Management of material topics	ESRS 2 SBM-1, SBM-3; MDR-P, MDRA, MDR-M, MDR-T; ESRS S1-1, S1- 2, S1-4, S1-5; ESRS S2-1, S2-2, S2-4, S2-5	114, 118, 121, 122,			
8	GRI 409: Forced or Compulsory Labor 2016	409-1 Operations and suppliers at significant risk for incidents of forced or compulsory labor	ESRS S1-1; ESRS S2-1	188, 195, 201, 205			
		Customer privacy		•			,
	GRI 3: Material Topics 2021	3-3 Management of material topics		59, 105, 106, 107, 114, 118, 121, 122, 123, 128, 188, 197			
16	GRI 418: Customer Privacy 2016	418-1 Substantiated complaints concerning breaches of customer privacy and losses of customer data		59, 77, 197			

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SDG	Standard/Other Source		ESRS-Disclosure		Requirement	
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		Public policy			I I	.1.1'
	GRI 3: Material Topics 2021	3-3 Management of material topics	ESRS 2 SBM-1, SBM-3; MDR-P, MDRA, MDR-M, MDR-T; ESRS S1-2, S1- 4, S1-5; ESRS S2-2, S2-4, S2-5; ESRS G1-5	114, 118, 121, 122,		
16	GRI 415: Public Policy 2016	415-1 Political contributions	ESRS G1-5	198		
		Material topic: Responsibility in	n the supply chain			
		Procurement practices				
	GRI 3: Material Topics 2021	3-3 Management of material topics	ESRS 2 SBM-1, SBM-3; MDR-P, MDRA, MDR-M, MDR-T; ESRS S1-2, S1- 4, S1-5; ESRS S2-2, S2-4, S2-5; ESRS G1-2	114, 118, 121, 122,		
8	GRI 204: Procurement Practices 2016	204-1 Proportion of spending on local suppliers		200		
		Supplier environmental assessn	nent			
	GRI 3: Material Topics 2021	3-3 Management of material topics	ESRS 2 SBM-1, SBM-3; MDR-P, MDRA, MDR-M, MDR-T; ESRS S1-2, S1- 4, S1-5; ESRS S2-2, S2-4, S2-5; ESRS G1-2	114, 118, 121, 122,		
	GRI 308: Supplier	308-1 New suppliers that were screened using environmental criteria	ESRS G1-2	203, 205		
	Environmental Assessment 2016	308-2 Negative environmental impacts in the supply chain and actions taken	ESRS 2 SBM-3	200, 203, 205		
	II.	Supplier social assessment		I	I I	
	GRI 3: Material Topics 2021	3-3 Management of material topics	ESRS 2 SBM-1, SBM-3; MDR-P, MDRA, MDR-M, MDR-T; ESRS S1-2, S1- 4, S1-5; ESRS S2-2, S2-4, S2-5; ESRS G1-2			
5, 8, 16	GRI 414: Supplier Social	414-1 New suppliers that were screened using social criteria	ESRS G1-2	203, 205		
5, 8, 16	Assessment 2016	414-2 Negative social impacts in the supply chain and actions taken	ESRS 2 SBM-3	200, 203, 205		
		Further material topic: Cyberse	ecurity			
	GRI 3: Material Topics 2021	3-3 Management of material topics	ESRS 2 SBM-1, SBM-3; MDR-P, MDRA, MDR-M, MDR-T; ESRS S1-2, S1- 4, S1-5; ESRS S2-2, S2-4, S2-5			