

Unofficial Translation

Readers should be aware that only the original Turkish text has legal force and that this English translation is strictly for reference. Borsa İstanbul cannot undertake any responsibility for its accuracy nor be held liable for any loss or damages arising from or related to its use

BORSA İSTANBUL A.Ş.  
Index Directorate

No : 12/09/2025  
Subject : Announcement about the changes in the BIST Sustainability Themed Debt Securities Indices Methodology

To Whom It May Concern

BIST Sustainability Themed Debt Securities Indices Methodology are periodically reviewed by the Borsa Istanbul Financial Benchmarks Committee (Committee), reflecting developments in the markets and changes arising from local and international legislation, meeting requests received from market participants that are deemed appropriate, and making the necessary updates accordingly.

Borsa İstanbul Management has decided to make the following changes on the BIST Sustainability Themed Debt Securities Indices Methodology;

- Rewriting the format due to needs encountered in practice,
- Changing the main heading numbered 1, which is currently “PURPOSE and INTRODUCTION” to “INTRODUCTION,” as in the BIST Market Cap Weighted Stock Indices Methodology and our other Methodologies, and opening the subheadings “Purpose,” “Management,” “Financial Benchmarks Committee,” and “Methodology Changes.”
- Adding the main heading “UPDATE FREQUENCY”,
- Adding a statement to the article titled “Management” stating that “*Borsa Istanbul is the owner of the intellectual property rights of all indices calculated under this Methodology,*”
- In parallel with the practices, the types of Eurobonds that may be included in the indices is clearly specified as either *zero-coupon or fixed rate coupon*.

It has been decided to amend the Methodology by making changes presented in Appendix 1, and to implement the changes as of September 12, 2025. The final version of the Methodology is provided in Appendix 2.

The announcement and its annexes are available on the “Index Announcements” section of Borsa İstanbul corporate website ([www.borsaistanbul.com/en](http://www.borsaistanbul.com/en)).

Kindly submitted to your information.

Regards,

Murat BULUT  
Deputy General Manager

Annexes:

- 1- BIST Sustainability Themed Debt Securities Indices Methodology– Track Changes (10 pages)
- 2- BIST Sustainability Themed Debt Securities Indices Methodology – Final (10 pages)