

The **MiCA Crypto Alliance** has prepared an ESG Factsheet with mandatory, supplementary and optional MiCA-compliant indicators for Chainlink (LINK).

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### **Article 3(1) CDR 2025/422**

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It shall be in form of a downloadable file and presented in a way that is easy to read, with characters of readable size and a style of writing that facilitates its understanding and that facilitates comparisons"*

## Mandatory Information on principal adverse impacts on the climate

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<b>General Information</b>																		
S.1	Name	Young Platform S.P.A.																
S.2	Relevant legal entity identifier	815600F1E30AAB016171																
S.3	Name of the crypto-asset	Chainlink / LINK																
S.4	Consensus Mechanism	Not applicable as LINK is a token and therefore does not have a consensus mechanism.																
S.5	Incentive Mechanisms and Applicable Fees	<table border="1" style="margin-left: auto; margin-right: auto;"> <tr> <td style="text-align: center;">Token</td> <td style="text-align: center;">Yes</td> </tr> <tr> <td style="text-align: center;">Block Producer Rewards</td> <td style="text-align: center;">N/A</td> </tr> <tr> <td style="text-align: center;">Staking Rewards</td> <td style="text-align: center;">N/A</td> </tr> <tr> <td style="text-align: center;">Delegation Rewards</td> <td style="text-align: center;">N/A</td> </tr> <tr> <td style="text-align: center;">Tx Fees</td> <td style="text-align: center;">N/A</td> </tr> <tr> <td style="text-align: center;">Gas Fees</td> <td style="text-align: center;">N/A</td> </tr> <tr> <td style="text-align: center;">Tx Burn</td> <td style="text-align: center;">N/A</td> </tr> <tr> <td style="text-align: center;">Gov Rights</td> <td style="text-align: center;">N/A</td> </tr> </table>	Token	Yes	Block Producer Rewards	N/A	Staking Rewards	N/A	Delegation Rewards	N/A	Tx Fees	N/A	Gas Fees	N/A	Tx Burn	N/A	Gov Rights	N/A
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S.6	Beginning of the period to which the disclosure relates	2026-01-01																
S.7	End of the period to which the disclosure relates	2026-06-15																
<b>Mandatory key indicator on energy consumption</b>																		
S.8	Energy consumption	125,281.18890 kWh per calendar year																

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<b>S.9</b>	<b>Energy consumption sources and methodologies</b>	<p>Data provided by the MiCA Crypto Alliance as a third party, with no deviations from the calculation guidance of Commission Delegated Regulation (EU) 2025/422, Article 6(5). As the base layer is a decentralised network, estimates on individual node power draw are used.</p> <p>Full methodology available at:  <a href="https://www.micacryptoalliance.com/methodologies/mica-methodologies-for-standardized-sustainability-reporting">www.micacryptoalliance.com/methodologies/mica-methodologies-for-standardized-sustainability-reporting</a></p>

**Supplementary Information on the principal adverse impacts on the climate and other environment-related adverse impacts of the consensus mechanism**

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<b>Supplementary key indicators on energy and GHG emissions</b>		
S.10	Renewable energy consumption	37.3647935346%
S.11	Energy intensity	0.02084 kWh per transaction
S.12	Scope 1 DLT GHG emissions – controlled	0 t CO <sub>2</sub> eq per calendar year
S.13	Scope 2 DLT GHG emissions – purchased	40.45899 t CO <sub>2</sub> eq per calendar year
S.14	GHG intensity	0.00673 kg CO <sub>2</sub> eq per transaction
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S.26	Non-recycled waste ratio (all types)	59.8694577175%
S.27	Waste intensity (all types)	0.03312 g per transaction
S.29	Impact of the use of equipment on natural resources	Land use: 2,999.04307 m <sup>2</sup>
S.31	Water use	513.76476 m <sup>3</sup> per calendar year
S.32	Non-recycled water ratio	70.6685626767%
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S.36	<b>Natural resources sources and methodologies</b>	Data provided by the MiCA Crypto Alliance as a third party, with no deviations from the calculation guidance of Commission Delegated Regulation (EU) 2025/422, Article 6(5). Usage of natural resources is approximated through land use metrics. Land use, water use and water recycling are calculated based on energy mix-specific estimates of purchased electricity land intensity, purchased electricity water intensity, and water recycling rates. Full methodology available at: <a href="https://www.micacryptoalliance.com/methodologies/mica-methodologies-for-standardized-sustainability-reporting">www.micacryptoalliance.com/methodologies/mica-methodologies-for-standardized-sustainability-reporting</a>
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