

LAZARD ALPHA EURO

03 / 2019 Unit R/Eurozone equities

Total net assets

NAV

620.95M€ 387.48 €

Inception date (unit) **ISIN Code**

Bloomberg Code

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Country of registration







INVESTMENT POLICY





MANAGER(S)



The investment objective is to match or exceed the performance, net of expenses, of the benchmark, the Euro Stoxx, over the recommended investment period.

FUND MANAGERS COMMENT

March was marked by the very dovish speeches of the European Central Bank followed by the Fed. In-between their respective statements, a number of disappointing confidence indicators, particularly in Europe, convinced investors that rates would remain very low for a very long time. The TBond yield fell from 2,75% to 2,40% over the month, while the German 10-year yield fell below the 0% mark on March 21st and remained negative until the end of the month. In this context, risk aversion in the equity markets went back on the rise and while the Eurostoxx only fluctuated slightly (+1,39%), this actually masked a very high sector and thematic rotation in favour of the stocks least sensitive to the economic situation. The fund, with a decline of 1,02% over the month, was hard hit by this situation, negatively impacted by commodities and automotive in particular, with the declines of Aperam and ArcelorMittal, as well as Air France, which was hurt by the Dutch State's acquisition of a stake in its capital, and STMicroelectronics, which was affected by Infineon's profit warning. Carrefour, BMW and Continental also weighed on performance. Conversely, the fund benefited from strong stock picks in technology and healthcare, with rises by Merck KGaA and Ingenico, as well as Anheuser-Busch InBev and Deutsche Telekom.

RISK SCALE*

















Recommended investment period of 5 years

BENCHMARK INDEX

Eurostoxx Net Return EUR

FEATURES

Inception date

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AMF Classification **Eurozone equities**

Eligibility to PEA (personal

equity savings plan)

Currency Subscribers concerned No restriction

Date of share's first NAV calculation

Lazard Frères Gestion SAS Management company Lazard Frères Banque Custodian

Fund administration **CACEIS Fund Admin** Daily

Frequency of NAV calculation

On next NAV for orders placed Order execution before 11:00 a.m

5/11/05 6/30/09

D (NAV date) + 2 business day Subscritption terms D (NAV date) + 2 business day Settlement of redemptions

Share decimalisation Minimum investment 1 share Subscription fees 4% max 1% max Redemption fees Management fees

> 15% of the performance over the benchmark

Current expenses

Performance fees

*Risk scale: Derived from the historic volatility of the fund over a period of 5 years. The management company reserves the right to adjust the level of risk calculated according to the specific risk of the fund. This risk scale is supplied as a rough guide and may be modified without advance notice. risk-free investment. This indicator may change over time.



Past performance is not a guarantee of current or future performance and increases at the end of the recommended investment period.

HISTORICAL PERFORMANCES

Cumulative					Annualized		
	1 Month	2019	1 Year	3 Years	5 Years	3 Years	5 Years
Fund	-1.10%	9.69%	-7.00%	8.97%	5.40%	2.90%	1.06%
Benchmark index	1.39%	12.09%	0.60%	22.80%	27.75%	7.09%	5.02%
Difference	-2.49%	-2.41%	-7.60%	-13.84%	-22.35%	-4.18%	-3.96%

CALENDAR PERFORMANCES

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	Fund	Benchmark index
2018	-17.95%	-12.72%
2017	13.60%	12.55%
2016	-0.88%	4.15%
2015	3.77%	10.33%
2014	4.28%	4.14%

TRAILING PERFORMANCES

2019 03 31	-7.00%	0.60%	
2018 03 31	0.01%	2.23%	
2017 03 31	17.15%	19.41%	
2016 03 31	-19.50%	-13.05%	
2015 03 31	20.16%	19.65%	

RISK RATIOS**

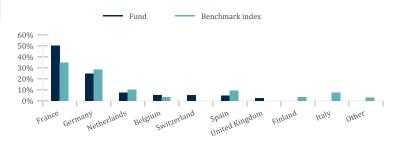
	1 Year	3 Years	
Volatility			
Fund	14.54%	14.73%	
Benchmark index	12.84%	13.30%	
Tracking Error	4.38%	4.69%	
Information ratio	-1.74	-0.84	
Sharpe ratio	-0.46	0.26	
Alpha	-7.47	-3.88	
Beta	1.08	1.05	

**Ratios calculated on a weekly basis

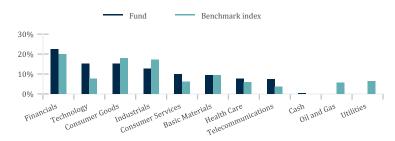
MAIN HOLDINGS

Holdings	Country	Sector	Weight	
			Fund	Index
CAPGEMINI SE	France	Technology	2.6%	0.4%
DAIMLER AG	Germany	Automobiles & Parts	2.6%	1.1%
SAINT-GOBAIN (CIE DE)	France	Construction & Materials	2.6%	0.4%
SANOFI	France	Health Care	2.6%	2.2%
ANHEUSER-BUSCH INBEV	Belgium	Food & Beverage	2.6%	1.5%
UNILEVER NV (CERT. OF SHS)	Netherlands	Food & Beverage	2.6%	1.8%
SAP SE	Germany	Technology	2.6%	2.7%
ING GROEP NV (NEW CERT.)	Netherlands	Insurance	2.6%	1.0%
ALLIANZ SE (NOMINATIVE)	Germany	Insurance	2.6%	2.0%
EIFFAGE SA (EX- FOUGEROLLE)	France	Construction & Materials	2.6%	0.2%
		Total	25.8%	13.5%

GEOGRAPHICAL BREAKDOWN



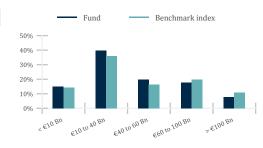
SECTOR BREAKDOWN



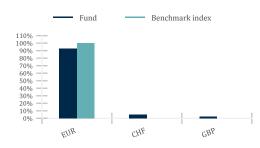
MAIN TRANSACTIONS

New positions	Positions sold		
ORANGE	PEUGEOT SA		

CAPITALIZATION BREAKDOWN



CURRENCY BREAKDOWN



OVER- AND UNDEREXPOSURE TO THE BENCHMARK INDEX

Overexposures	s	Underexposures		
CREDIT SUISSE GROUP AG (NOML)	2.5%	TOTAL	-3.2%	
ROCHE HOLDING AG.	2.5%	LVMH(MOET HENNESSY L. VUITTON)	-2.1%	
APERAM SA	2.5%	LINDE PLC	-2.1%	
WPP P.L.C.	2.4%	AIRBUS SE	-1.6%	

RELATIVE CONTRIBUTORS TO PERFORMANCE

First positive contributors			First negative contributors		
	Absolute perf.	Relative contribution (bp)		Absolute perf.	Relative contribution (bp)
MERCK KGAA	12.0%	21	APERAM SA	-10.6%	-30
INGENICO GROUP SA	7.8%	15	ARCELORMITTAL SA	-10.8%	-27
ANHEUSER-BUSCH INBEV	8.8%	8	AIR FRANCE - KLM	-7.7%	-23
	Total	44		Total	-80

CONTACTS AND ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

Subscription/redemption CACEIS Bank / LFB 01.57.78.14.14 Additional Information & datas: Client servicing +33 1 44 13 01 79 Publications of NAVs:

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