

## LAZARD ALPHA EURO

04 / 2020 Unit R/Eurozone equities

Total net assets

NAV

329,54 €

Inception date (unit) 419,08M€ **ISIN Code** 

30 juin 2009 FR0010830240

**Bloomberg Code** 

**OBJALPR** 

Country of registration









#### MANAGER(S)



#### **INVESTMENT POLICY**

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**

After the collapse in March, equity markets recovered strongly on the whole in April, despite the first earnings releases often accompanied by the jettisoning of objectives for the year and the historic event on 20 April, which saw US oil, the WTI, trade at a negative price, reflecting the depth of the imbalance between supply and demand. Brent also lost 30% over the period. The Fed's announcements of generous measures, however, and a more dovish approach by the ECB, as well as the favourable evolution of the epidemic in Western countries, outweighed investor psychology. The Euro Stoxx rebounded by 6,54% in April and the fund outperformed by 111 basis points to end the month at +7,64% (I Share), boosted by commodities, chemicals, buildings and construction materials and by the absence of oil and gas. On an individual stock basis, Carrefour was subjected to profit-taking and fell by 6% after its good start to the year, while the most sensitive stocks such as Santander, Telefonica, Société Générale and Air France continued to fall. Technology made a positive contribution with STMicroelectronics and Ingenico, as did some cyclical stocks such as Aperam, Lafarge-Holcim and Continental. Remarkably, some stocks reached their all-time high in April 2020. This was notably the case for AstraZeneca, in pharmaceuticals, buoyed by its financial and clinical results.

# RISK SCALE\*















#### BENCHMARK INDEX

Eurostoxx Net Return EUR

Yes

30/06/2009

Lazard Frères Gestion SAS

On next NAV for orders placed

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15% of the performance over

Lazard Frères Banque

**CACEIS Fund Admin** 

before 11:00 a.m

Yes 1 share

4% max

1% max

the benchmark 2.43%

2 00%

### **FEATURES**

Legal Form SICAV Legal Domicile France UCITS

**Eurozone** equities AMF Classification

Eligibility to PEA (personal

equity savings plan)

EURO No restriction Subscribers concerned 11/05/2005

Inception date Date of share's first NAV

Management company

Custodian **Fund administration** 

Frequency of NAV calculation

Order execution

Subscritption terms

Settlement of redemptions Share decimalisation

Minimum investment Subscription fees Redemption fees

Management fees

**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 1 does not mean a risk-free investment. This indicator may change over time.

### **CHANGE IN NET ASSET VALUE (NAV)**



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	2020	1 Year	3 Years	5 Years	3 Years	5 Years
Fund	7,55%	-23,61%	-20,46%	-22,04%	-24,03%	-7,96%	-5,35%
Benchmark index	6,53%	-19,83%	-14,12%	-9,36%	-2,43%	-3,22%	-0,49%
Difference	1,02%	-3,78%	-6,34%	-12,67%	-21,60%	-4,74%	-4,86%

## **CALENDAR PERFORMANCES**

	Fund	Benchmark index
2019	22,12%	26,11%
2018	-17,95%	-12,72%
2017	13,60%	12,55%
2016	-0,88%	4,15%
2015	3,77%	10,33%

### **TRAILING 1Y PERFORMANCES**

2020 04 30	-20,46%	-14,12%
2019 04 30	-4,31%	0,67%
2018 04 30	2,43%	4,84%
2017 04 30	16,58%	20,77%
2016 04 30	-16,42%	-10,86%

#### **RISK RATIOS\*\***

	1 Year	3 Years	
Volatility			
Fund	37,09%	24,02%	
Benchmark index	33,80%	21,92%	
Tracking Error	5,99%	4,94%	
Information ratio	-1,07	-0,94	
Sharpe ratio	-0,52	-0,31	
Alpha	-5,62	-4,31	
Beta	1,09	1,07	

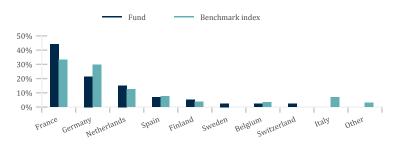
<sup>\*\*</sup>Ratios calculated on a weekly basis



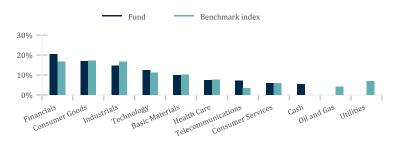
#### **MAIN HOLDINGS**

Holdings	Country	Sector	Weight	
			Fund	Index
SIEMENS	Germany	Industrial Goods & Services	2,6%	1,8%
DEUTSCHE TELEKOM	Germany	Telecommunications	2,6%	1,2%
SAP	Germany	Technology	2,6%	3,2%
BAYER AG.	Germany	Chemicals	2,6%	1,6%
LAFARGEHOLCIM LTD	France	Construction & Materials	2,6%	
BMW STAMM	Germany	Automobiles & Parts	2,5%	0,5%
VINCI	France	Construction & Materials	2,5%	1,1%
APERAM ORD SHS	Netherlands	Basic Resources	2,5%	
STMICROELECTRONICS	France	Technology	2,5%	0,4%
CONTINENTAL	Germany	Automobiles & Parts	2,5%	0,2%
		Total	25,5%	10,1%

#### **GEOGRAPHICAL BREAKDOWN**



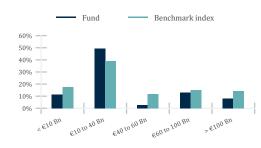
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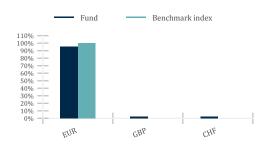
#### MAIN TRANSACTIONS

New positions	Positions sold		
PEUGEOT SA	DAIMLER		

#### **CAPITALIZATION BREAKDOWN**



#### **CURRENCY BREAKDOWN**



# OVER- AND UNDEREXPOSURE TO THE BENCHMARK INDEX

Overexposure	es	Underexposures		
LAFARGEHOLCIM LTD	2,6%	LVMH MOET HENNESSY	-2,6%	
APERAM ORD SHS	2,5%	LINDE	-2,5%	
ASTRAZENECA PLC	2,4%	TOTAL	-2,3%	
CREDIT SUISSE GRP	2,3%	L'OREAL	-1,8%	

#### RELATIVE CONTRIBUTORS TO PERFORMANCE

First positive contributors			First negative contributors		
	Absolute perf.	Relative contribution (bp)		Absolute perf.	Relative contribution (bp)
APERAM ORD SHS	23,1%	39	CARREFOUR	-6,4%	-28
STMICROELECTRONICS	19,4%	30	PEUGEOT SA	-6,7%	-27
INGENICO GROUP SA	18,2%	27	AIR FRANCE-KLM ORD SHS	-8,7%	-26
	Total	97		Total	-81

#### 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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