## lazard FRÈRES GESTION

October 2019				Lazard Convertil	ble Global RC USD
International convertible bonds		ISIN Code	NAV \$	Net Assets (M \$)	Total Net Asset (M €)
	RC USD Share	FR0013398922	207,22	1,84	2637,35

### MANAGEMENT

### INVESTMENT POLICY

The investment objective is to achieve a return (net of charges) above the Thomson Reuters Convertible Global Focus USD index (net interest reinvested), expressed in US dollars, over the recommended investment horizon of five years.

#### ■ FUND MANAGERS' COMMENT - Arnaud BRILLOIS

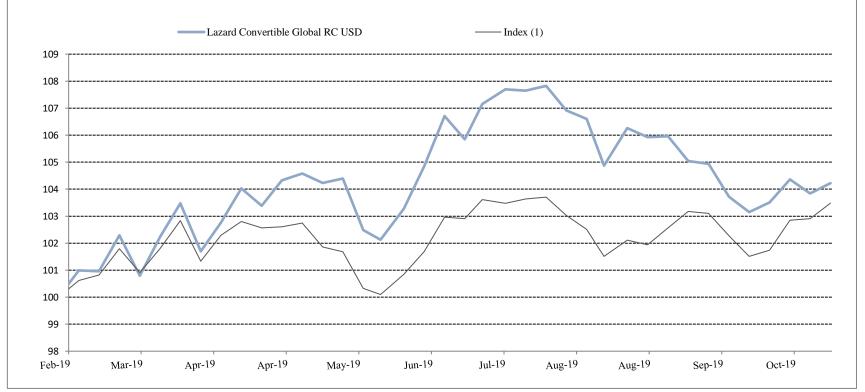
During the month of October 2019, Lazard Convertible Global RC USD share class returned 0,95% versus 1,66% for its benchmark (Thomson Reuters Convertible Global Focus USD). The fund's equity sensitivity remained stable during the period, currently standing at 45.0%, the benchmark's equity sensitivity slightly increased, now standing at 43.4%. The modified duration is higher than the benchmark, standing at 2.96 versus 2.21. The rotation we saw in September, from the best performing convertible bonds since the beginning of the year in favor of the laggards, persisted during the month of October. With many of the year's very good performers in the portfolio, this rotation had a particular impact on the fund's performance over this time. In addition, security selection in the e-commerce sector and our overweight to software in the United-States cost us relative to the benchmark, although we reduced our overexposure during the month. Our overweight to the European luxury sector had a positive impact over the month. Security selection in Asia also added to relative performance. Our higher sensitivity to interest rates compared to the index had a neutral impact in October.

Our active management helped lessen the impact of the rotation in September and October. Over the month, we worked to help stabilize the portfolio by selling some of our higher equity exposed names (i.e. Atlassian, Hubspot) in favor of more convex names (Country Garden, Cellnex). Finally, we did enact some sector rotation: increased our exposure to European industry and reduced our over-weight to cloud computing. We remain confident in the portfolio's ability to rebound and anticipate that we are now close to the end of this rotation as we go through the quarterly corporate earnings season.

We maintained our overweight exposure to the dollar and the Swiss franc against all other currencies over the month.

#### PERFORMANCE

#### ■ HISTORICAL PERFORMANCE



Past performance is not a guarantee of current or future performance

#### ■ PERFORMANCE

Cumulative performance *	Month	YTD	1 year	3 years	Inception
Lazard Convertible Global RC USD	1,0%	-	-	-	3,6%
Index <sup>(1)</sup>	1,7%	-	-	-	3,0%

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Annualized performance *	1 year	3 years	5 years
Lazard Convertible Global RC USD	-	-	-
Index <sup>(1)</sup>	-	-	-

#### RISK RATIOS

	1 year	3 years
Volatility		
Lazard Convertible Global RC USD	-	-

Annual performance *		2018	2017	2016	2015	2014
Lazard Convertible Global RC USD		-	-	-	-	-
Index (1)		-	-	-	-	-
Characteristics	Sicav	Index				
Modified duration	2,96	2,21				
	45,0%	43,4%				

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## **October 2019**

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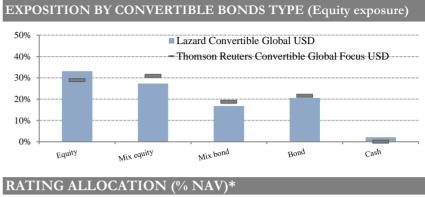
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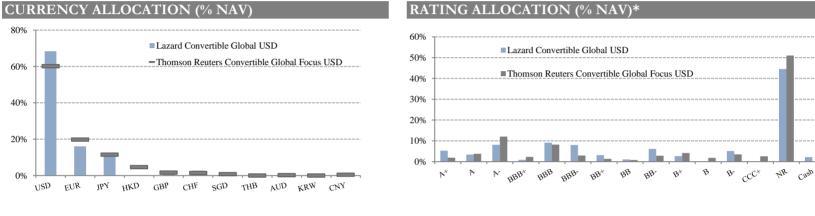
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MAIN HOLDINGS			
Main Holdings	Maturity	Coupon %	Weight %
TESLA INC	03/15/22	2,375	2,9
SIKA AG	06/05/25	0,15	2,7
BANK OF AMER CORP	12/31/99	7,25	2,6
WELLS FARGO AND CO	12/31/99	7,5	2,6
AMERICA MOVIL SAB	05/28/20	0	2,5

## Lazard Convertible Global RC USD

Subscription D (NAV date ) + 2 business days Redemption D (NAV date ) + 2 business days





#### GEOGRAPHICAL ALLOCATION (% NAV) SECTOR ALLOCATION (% NAV 60% 40% Lazard Convertible Global USD Lazard Convertible Global USD - Thomson Reuters Convertible Global Focus USD 50% - Thomson Reuters Convertible Global Focus USD 30% 40% 30% 20% 20% 10% 10% 0% 0% United-States Africa&MidEast Europe Cash Japar Asia Other \*\* Nationality of underlying \* Issue rating 2<sup>na</sup> best or Issuer rating 2nd best CHARACTERISTICS ISIN Code Daily Valuation Management fees RC USD share : FR0013398922 RC USD share : 1,465% inclusive of all taxes of net assets Bloomberg Code LZCGRCU Caceis Bank France Subscription fee Custodian 4% max Redemption fee 1% max Legal Form Lazard Frères Gestion Total expense ratio and transaction fees SICAV **Management company Financial Manager** Lazard A.M For more information, please check our prospectus AMF classification Mixt Taxation Capitalization/Distribution Euro Currency Subscription terms Investment horizon **Inception Date** On next NAV for orders placed before 11 a.m. >5 years RC USD share 02/07/2019 Settlement and value date

\*\* 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.

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