

#### November 2019

# **Lazard Convertible Global RC USD**

International convertible bonds		ISIN Code	NAV \$	Net Assets (M \$)	Total Net Asset (M €)
	RC USD Share	FR0013398922	208,43	1,86	2772,47

#### 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.

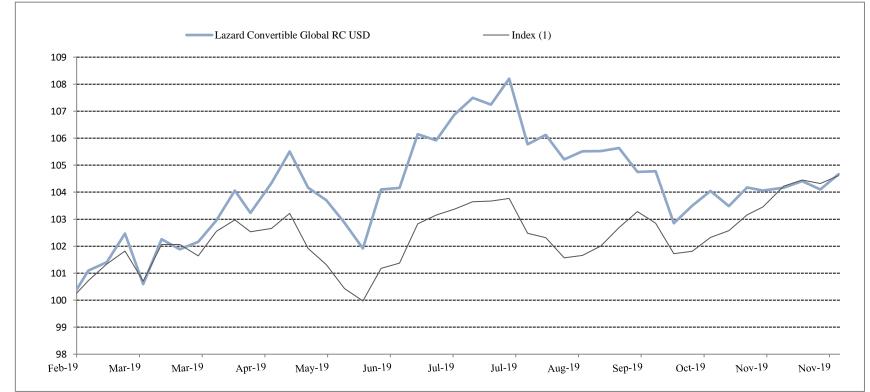
#### ■ FUND MANAGERS' COMMENT - Arnaud BRILLOIS

During the month of November 2019, Lazard Convertible Global RC USD share class returned 0,58% versus 1,13% for its benchmark (Thomson Reuters Convertible Global Focus USD). The fund's equity sensitivity increased during the period, currently standing at 50.8%, the benchmark's equity exposure also increased, now standing at 45.9%. Modified duration is higher than the benchmark, standing at 2.44 versus 2.21. Selections in European apparel and on global e-commerce platforms added to relative performance, but healthcare detracted due to specific M&A rumors on a benchmark name. Our higher equity exposure compared to the index had a positive relative impact while sensitivity to interest rates was slightly negative to relative performance. Over the month, we increased our equity exposure to Asia to the same level as the benchmark by adding new Chinese names, particularly in consumer cyclical. In the US, we reduced our exposure to high delta software names (Workday, ServiceNow) in favor of communications/media names which displayed attractive structures in the aftermath of the rotation. We sold Intel after the company announced a soft call on the 2039 issue and added more convex semi-conductor names (ON semiconductor and STMicroelectronics).

After the good Q3 publications of companies represented in the convertible bond universe, in particular mid-caps and growth companies in the US, we expect the strong rotation observed since September to abate. 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	0,6%	-	-	-	4,2%
Index (1)	1,1%	-	-	-	4,1%

# ■ RISK SCALE\*\*

1	2	3	4	5	6	7

<sup>\*\*</sup>Risk scale derived from the volatility of the fund over a period of 5 years (see detail on the back). Risk 1 does not mean a risk-free investment. This indicator may change over time.

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

Annual performance *	2018	2017	2016	2015	2014
Lazard Convertible Global RC USD	-	-	-	-	-
Index (1)	-	-	-	-	-

Characteristics	Sicav	Index
Modified duration	2,44	2,21
Delta - Equity exposure	50,8%	45,9%

<sup>\*</sup> The performance quoted represents past performance. Past performance does not guarantee future results.

# ■ RISK RATIOS

	1 year	3 years
Volatility		
Lazard Convertible Global RC USD	-	-
	-	-
Tracking error	-	-
Information ratio	-	-
Beta	-	-
Alpha	-	-
Correlation coefficient	-	-

Ratios calculated on a weekly basis

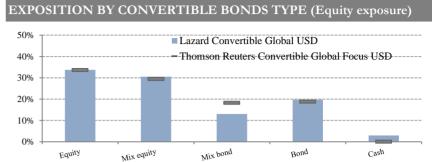
<sup>(1)</sup> Thomson Reuters Convertible Global Focus USD

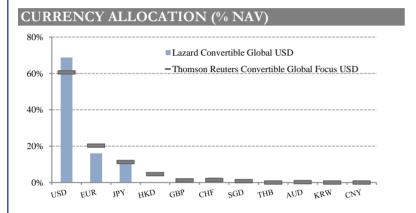


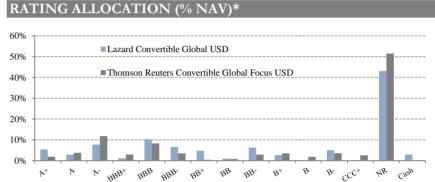
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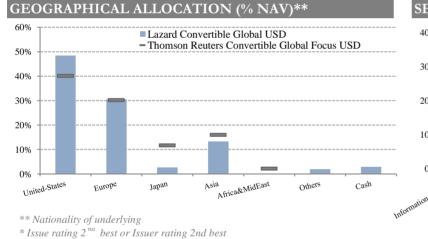
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### CHARACTERISTICS

■ ISIN Code Valuation

RC USD share : FR0013398922

**■** Management fees

RC USD share: 1,465% inclusive of all taxes of net assets

■ Bloomberg Code LZCGRCU ■ Custodian

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Daily

Caceis Bank France Subscription fee

4% max

Legal Form

Currency

SICAV Management company Financial Manager

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■ AMF classification

**■** Investment horizon

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>5 years

Taxation

**Inception Date** 

Capitalization/Distribution

02/07/2019

■ Subscription terms

On next NAV for orders placed before 11 a.m.

Settlement and value date

Subscription D (NAV date ) + 2 business days

Redemption D (NAV date ) + 2 business days

\*\* Risk scale: Derived from the historic volatility of the fund over a period of 5 years. The management company reserves the rigth 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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