

# LAZARD SMALL CAPS EURO

05 / 2019 Unit R/Eurozone equities

Total net assets

NAV

582,02M€ 1296,89 €

Inception date (unit)

30 juin 2009 FR0010689141

**Bloomberg Code** 

**ISIN Code** 

**LAZOSCR** 

Country of registration









# MANAGER(S)









#### **INVESTMENT POLICY**

The objective of the fund is to outperform, net of fees and over the minimum recommended investment period of five years, the Eurozone small and mid cap universe as represented by the EMIX Smaller Euroland index calculated on a total return basis.

#### **FUND MANAGERS COMMENT**

Having performed strongly in the first four months of the year, European stock markets suffered a sharp correction in May. The Eurostoxx shed 5,7% and the Emix Smaller Euroland fell 5,6%. The SICAV ended the month 8,5% lower. Overall the sell off was broad based and fairly indiscriminate. Some stocks in the portfolio proved more resiliant including Sto (+9% after a particularly strong first quarter publication), Surteco (+8%), Nexity (+1%), Somfy (-1%) and Amadeus Fire (-1%). Several stocks perceived as cyclical were among the most negative contributors over the month. These included Cargotec (-19%) despite the company's Q1 report at the end of April showing continued strong order momentum. De'Longhi's (-22%) Q1 report was somewhat disappointing, however, showing a decline in revenues following strong growth in 2018. Interpump (-21%), Biesse (-25%) and Vossloh (-14%) also weighed on performance. We reduced the weightings of some positions during the month, including Atresmedia, Somfy, Ipsos and Interpump.

#### RISK SCALE\*



















Recommended investment period of 5 years

#### BENCHMARK INDEX

EMIX SMALLER EUROLAND Net Return EUR

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# **FEATURES**

Legal Form Legal Domicile France Yes UCITS

**AMF Classification Eurozone** equities

Eligibility to PEA (personal equity savings plan)

EHRO Currency Subscribers concerned Retail 24/07/2003 Inception date 30/06/2009 Date of share's first NAV

calculation Lazard Frères Gestion SAS Management company Lazard Frères Banque Custodian

Frequency of NAV calculation

Fund administration

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

**CACEIS Fund Admin** 

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

Share decimalisation Yes 1 share Minimum investment 4% max Subscription fees Redemption fees 1% max 2.18% Management fees Performance fees Nil 2,27% Current expenses

\*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.

# **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	Cumulative					Annualized	
	1 Month	2019	1 Year	3 Years	5 Years	3 Years	5 Years
Fund	-8,56%	6,84%	-21,42%	-1,98%	18,57%	-0,66%	3,46%
Benchmark index	-5,64%	10,85%	-8,38%	18,12%	30,68%	5,71%	5,50%
Difference	-2,92%	-4,01%	-13,04%	-20,10%	-12,11%	-6,37%	-2,03%

# **CALENDAR PERFORMANCES**

	Fund	Benchmark index			
2018	-27,57%	-17,18%			
2017	14,28%	21,93%			
2016	10,53%	2,87%			
2015	31,93%	21,86%			
2014	1,16%	3,93%			
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#### TRAILING 1Y PERFORMANCES

2019 05 31	-21,42%	-8,38%	
2018 05 31	-6,07%	4,89%	
2017 05 31	32,81%	22,91%	
2016 05 31	4,69%	-3,21%	
2015 05 31	15,54%	14,30%	

# **RISK RATIOS\*\***

	1 Year	3 Years	
Volatility			
Fund	15,35%	13,43%	
Benchmark index	13,79%	12,08%	
Tracking Error	6,49%	5,36%	
Information ratio	-1,94	-1,13	
Sharpe ratio	-1,42	0,00	
Alpha	-13,64	-5,68	
Beta	1,01	1,02	

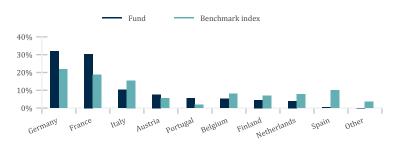
<sup>\*\*</sup>Ratios calculated on a weekly basis



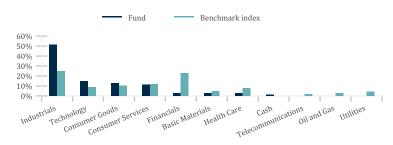
#### **MAIN HOLDINGS**

Holdings	Country	Sector	Weight	
			Fund	Index
ALTRAN TECHNOLOGIES SA	France	Technology	4,9%	0,3%
CARGOTEC OYJ -B-	Finland	Industrial Goods & Services	4,1%	0,2%
TAKKT AG	Germany	Retail	4,1%	0,1%
STO SE AND CO.KGAA (PREF.)	Germany	Construction & Materials	3,8%	
IPSOS SA	France	Media	3,7%	0,1%
KSB SE AND CO.KGAA (PFD.)	Germany	Industrial Goods & Services	3,6%	0,1%
SURTECO GROUP SE	Germany	Personal & Household Goods	3,6%	0,0%
MANUTAN INTERNATIONAL	France	Industrial Goods & Services	3,4%	0,1%
VOSSLOH AG.	Germany	Industrial Goods & Services	3,4%	0,1%
SOPRA STERIA GROUP	France	Technology	2,9%	0,2%
		Total	37,6%	1,1%

# **GEOGRAPHICAL BREAKDOWN**



#### **SECTOR BREAKDOWN**

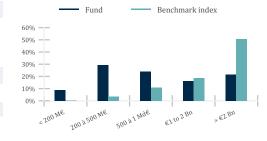


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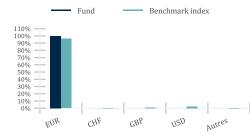
New positions	Positions sold

Positions increased	Positions reduced
	ATRESMEDIA CORP. DE MEDIOS SA
	SOMFY SA
	IPSOS SA

# **CAPITALIZATION BREAKDOWN**



# **CURRENCY BREAKDOWN**



# OVER- AND UNDEREXPOSURE TO THE BENCHMARK INDEX

Overexposures	3	Underexposures		
ALTRAN TECHNOLOGIES SA	4,6%	DWS GROUP GMBH & CO. KGAA	-0,6%	
TAKKT AG	4,0%	GALAPAGOS	-0,6%	
CARGOTEC OYJ -B-	4,0%	ACCIONA SA	-0,6%	
STO SE AND CO.KGAA (PREF.)	3,8%	MORPHOSYS	-0,6%	

#### RELATIVE CONTRIBUTORS TO PERFORMANCE

First positive contributors			First negative contributors			
		Absolute perf.	Relative contribution (bp)		Absolute perf.	Relative contribution (bp)
STO SE AND CO.KGAA	(PREF.)	9,2%	46	CARGOTEC OYJ -B-	-19,4%	-61
SURTECO GROUP SE		7,6%	38	DE LONGHI SPA	-21,5%	-43
NEXITY		0,8%	16	INTERPUMP GROUP SPA	-21,0%	-38
		Total	100		Total	-142

# 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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