

# LAZARD SMALL CAPS EURO SRI

03 / 2021 Classe T/Eurozone equities

Total net assets

NAV

685,94M€ 196,91 €

Inception date (unit) **ISIN Code** 

31 oct. 2017 FR0013284536

**Bloomberg Code** 

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**

Equity markets continued to perform strongly in March. The Eurostoxx gained a further 6,6% over the month and the Emix Smaller Euroland added 4,5%. The SICAV rose by 5,5% (I Unit) and at the end of the month was up 12,4% since the start of the year. Performance continues to be boosted by the quality of full year results and promising outlook statements published by companies in the portfolio. This was the case for Prima Industrie (+44%), KSB (+22%), Zumtobel (+32%), De'Longhi (+12%) and Sto (+11%). LPKF (-8%), on the other hand, released slightly disappointing results but the share price move was driven mainly by the announcement that the CEO is leaving to take on a similar role at Süss Microtech, another listed German technology company. Other negative contributions to performance, despite no specific newsflow, included Technotrans (-9%), Corticeira Amorim (-8%) and Axway (-6%). During the month we increased our holdings in Spie, Washtec, Altri, Sopra and Ipsos.

Lazard Frères Gestion informs you that the management company has updated the provisions relating to the inclusion of environmental, social and governance (ESG) criteria in the KIIDs and prospectuses of its Funds in accordance with EU Regulation 2019/2088 on the publication of sustainability information in the financial services sector and with AMF Position-Recommendation 2020-03 on collective investments incorporating extra-financial approaches.

For further details, please consult the relevant Fund sheet on our website http://www.lazardfreresgestion.fr/FR/Fonds\_71.html or contact your sales agent.

#### RISK SCALE\*















# Recommended investment period of 5 years

#### BENCHMARK INDEX

EMIX SMALLER EUROLAND Net Return EUR

### **FEATURES**

Legal Form SICAV **Legal Domicile** France LICITS Yes

AMF Classification Eurozone equities

Eligibility to PEA (personal Yes equity savings plan)

Currency EURO No restriction Subscribers concerned 24/07/2003 Inception date

Date of share's first NAV

calculation Management company

Lazard Frères Gestion SAS 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

31/10/2017

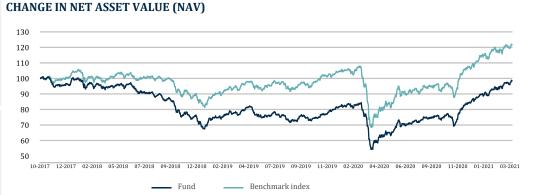
Subscritption terms D (NAV date) + 2 business day D (NAV date) + 2 business day Settlement of redemptions Yes Share decimalisation

1 share Minimum investment Subscription fees 4% max Redemption fees 0% max 1,43% Management fees

Performance fees 20% of the performance over

1,58% **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 1 does not mean a 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 PERFORMANCE

Cumulative						Annualized	
	1 Month	2021	1 Year	3 Years	Inception	3 Years	5 Years
Fund	5,39%	12,28%	63,83%	4,47%	-2,46%	1,47%	
Benchmark index	4,30%	9,77%	58,20%	23,50%	20,73%	7,29%	
Difference	1,09%	2,51%	5,64%	-19,03%	-23,20%	-5,82%	

#### PERFORMANCE BY CALENDAR YEAR

	Fund	Benchmark index
2020	6,83%	6,10%
2019	17,71%	25,13%
2018	-27,02%	-17,18%

#### **TRAILING 1Y PERFORMANCE**

2021 03 31	63,83%	58,20%
2020 03 31	-22,05%	-17,86%
2019 03 31	-18.20%	-4.96%

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

	1 Year	3 Years	
Volatility			
Fund	16,75%	21,16%	
Benchmark index	18,41%	21,11%	
Tracking Error	4,89%	5,56%	
Information ratio	1,13	-1,06	
Sharpe ratio	3,94	0,09	
Alpha	9,51	-5,14	
Beta	0,88	0,97	

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



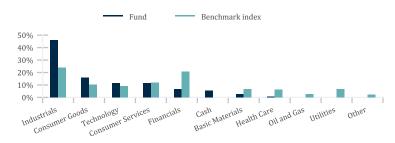
# **MAIN HOLDINGS**

Holdings	Country	Sector	Weight	
			Fund	Index
IPSOS ORD SHS	France	Media	4,3%	0,1%
STO PREF SHS	Germany	Construction & Materials	4,2%	0,0%
SOPRA STERIA GROUP	France	Technology	4,0%	0,3%
TAKKT ORD SHS	Germany	Retail	4,0%	0,1%
DE'LONGHI ORD SHS	Italy	Consumer Products & Services	3,9%	0,5%
NEXITY	France	Real Estate	3,7%	0,2%
AXWAY SOFTWARE	France	Technology	3,5%	
CEWE STIFTUNG ORD	Germany	Retail	3,2%	0,1%
SPIE	France	Industrial Goods & Services	3,1%	0,3%
ROSENBAUER INTERNATIONAL ORD	Austria	Industrial Goods & Services	3,1%	0,0%
		Total	36,9%	1,8%

# **GEOGRAPHICAL BREAKDOWN**



# **SECTOR BREAKDOWN**

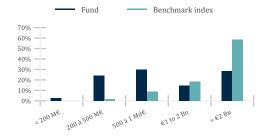


# MAIN TRANSACTIONS

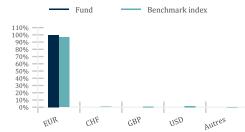
New positions	Positions sold

Positions increased	Positions reduced
SPIE	
ALTRI SGPS ORD SHS	
IPSOS ORD SHS	

# **CAPITALIZATION BREAKDOWN**



# **CURRENCY BREAKDOWN**



# OVER- AND UNDEREXPOSURE TO THE BENCHMARK INDEX

Overexposure	S	Underexposures		
IPSOS ORD SHS	4,2%	AERCAP HOLDINGS ORD SHS	-0,7%	
STO PREF SHS	4,2%	IMCD	-0,7%	
TAKKT ORD SHS	3,9%	VOESTALPINE	-0,6%	
SOPRA STERIA GROUP	3,7%	AIB GROUP ORD SHS	-0,6%	

# RELATIVE CONTRIBUTORS TO PERFORMANCE

First positive contributors			First negative contributors		
	Absolute perf.	Relative contribution (bp)		Absolute perf.	Relative contribution (bp)
PRIMA INDUSTRIE S.P.A.	43,9%	55	AXWAY SOFTWARE	-5,6%	-40
KSB PREF SHS	22,1%	43	LPKF LASER & ELECTRONICS ORD	-8,4%	-32
ZUMTOBEL GROUP ORD SHS	32,0%	41	SHS CORTICEIRA AMORIM	7.70/	-31
	Total 14	140	CONTICEIRA AMORIM	-7,7%	-31
Total 140			Total	-103	

# CONTACTS AND ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

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