

## Monthly Review

The fund has managed with a tactical attitude, as our market-timing models suggest probable performance discontinuities in major markets throughout the year. After the impressive start for the equity markets, the current negative phase occurred a bit earlier than we expected, still our team was timely in reducing and maintaining the equity exposure well below 20%. If the trade war will not evolve and no recession is to materialize in G7 countries - as we deem as probable - the final part of 2019 will likely be positive, and favour the equity component of portfolios.

The reference market for our allocation (equity and fixed income), remains the US, where we are holding an exposure to the dollar of around 10% – due to the extra yield offered. In a "contrarian" way, we appreciate that almost all global analysts were positive on the EURO vs the US Dollar at the beginning of 2019, in our opinion with clashing views on fundamentals. Additionally, we are adding exposure to selected Chinese companies active either in tech or consumer staples businesses.

## Performance in %

Cumulative	In \$	In €
Year to date	3.40	5.58
1 month	0.94	0.97
3 months	1.48	3.60
1 year	2.76	10.88
3 years	7.21	9.46
5 years	11.38	37.73
Since 10/02/2010*	28.13	56.97

  

Discrete Year	In \$	In €
2011	-0.16	3.10
2012	0.88	-0.92
2013	10.02	5.29
2014	1.42	15.57
2015	2.29	13.91
2016	2.33	5.72
2017	0.31	-12.12
2018	1.14	6.03

Performance (in base currency, indexed at 1000)



## Key Figures\*

Volatility (annualized) in %	3.58	Sharpe Ratio (annualized)	0.75
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## Fund Data

Share Class	B	Base Currency	USD
Fund Category	Accumulating	ISIN	LU0483324710
Last NAV	1,280.67	Telekurs	10944925
AuM (Million EUR)	8.957	CSSF Reg. Number	O0006410/03
Minimum Investment (EUR)	1,000	Bloomberg Ticker	LU0483324710
Front-end fee in %	up to 3.00	Number of Holdings	88
Annual Management Fee in %	1.90	Manager	Woodpecker Capital SA
TER (annualized) in %**	2.22	Starting Date	10/02/2010

## Top Equity Investments in %

Security Name	Sector	Weight
LAS VEGAS SANDS CORP	Consumer Discr.	2.11
HEXAGON COMPOSITES ASA	Industrials	1.22
CHARLES RIVER LABORATORIES	Health Care	1.20
BAYER AG-REG	Health Care	0.97
VISA INC-CLASS A SHARES	Information Tech.	0.92
SOLAREGE TECHNOLOGIES INC	Information Tech.	0.88
ORSERO SPA	Consumer Staples	0.87
DISCOVER FINANCIAL SERVICES	Financials	0.87
FIDELITY NATIONAL INFO SERV	Information Tech.	0.83
IPG PHOTONICS CORP	Information Tech.	0.83

## Asset Allocation in %

Country	Weight	Sector	Weight
United States	6.68	Information Technology	4.88
Italy	2.55	Industrials	3.75
Canada	1.05	Consumer Discretionary	3.10
Germany	0.97	Health Care	2.59
Emerging Mkts	0.73	Consumer Staples	1.11
France	0.18	Energy	0.86
United Kingdom	0.00	Financials	0.74
Switzerland	0.00	Materials	0.61
Japan	0.00	Communication Services	0.46
Others	4.28	Utilities	-0.47
Equity Risk (total on NAV)	16.44	Real Estate	-1.20

## Investment Strategy

The investment Policy of the Fund is aimed to produce medium-term capital appreciation. The Fund Manager uses a wide spectrum of techniques to select the most performing companies and obtain the best allocation among markets and asset classes.

At all times, the Fund maintains an equity exposure lower than 60% of its net assets. The Fund invests primarily in equities listed in the American, European and Asian core markets. The Fund can diversify up to 49% of NAV in equities listed in emerging markets, up to 100% of NAV in investment-grade government and corporate bonds and up to 40% of NAV in sub-investment-grade government and corporate bonds. All the investments are realized in accordance with UCITS standards.

## The Management Company

Woodpecker Capital Asset Management is a privately owned-independent company based in Luxembourg. The Partners of the company have spent their entire careers in the mutual fund business before setting-up the company and launching the Fund. Currently, the Management Company is managing an umbrella Fund issued under the UCITS standards. BCEE (Banque et Caisse d'Epargne de l'Etat), a bank 100% owned by the Grand Duchy of Luxembourg, acts as Woodpecker Capital funds central administrator and as the depositary bank. The success of the company means the success of our clients. For additional information please visit [www.woodpeckercapital.com](http://www.woodpeckercapital.com).

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\*\* Figure includes Broker Fees but not Performance Fee.

Performance fee: 15% of excess return over a hurdle rate of 0.50% per quarter if the net asset value per unit before payment is higher than the high water mark.