

#### INDÉPENDANCE

# **Europe Mid**

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The fund applies the Quality Value methodology of Indépendance AM, which involves investing in companies that grow sustainably and profitably (Quality) and are undervalued (Value). This objective is associated with an extra-financial approach that includes considering environmental, social, and governance (ESG) criteria.

#### Investment team



#### **Comments**

In February, the fund increased its exposure to several companies, notably Dassault Aviation, Danieli, Acerinox, Vicat and Webuild, whose valuations remain attractive. The fund reduced its exposure to Publicis and Saint-Gobain, which are now better valued.







### **Key monthly figures**

NAV per share class	
Share I	107.51 €
Share A	107.27 €
Share B	108.09 €
Portfolio snapshot	
Investment ratio	97.88%
Nomber of stocks in portfolio	50
Top 10 holdings weighting	33%

#### **Performance / risk ratios**

	١Y	3Y	5Y	10Y
Volatility				
Ind. Europe Mid - I	-	-	-	-
Benchmark*	-	-	-	-
Tracking Error	6.2%			

#### Fonds créé le 30/09/2024

Performance per year

Conformément à la réglementation en vigueur, nous ne pouvons pas afficher les performances sur une période de moins d'un an.

### **Evolution of the fund's NAV**

Fund created on 30/09/2024

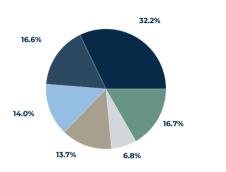
In accordance with current regulations, we cannot display performance over a period of less than one year.

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# Geographic breakdown



<b>Fund financial ratios</b>	(year N)
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	P/B	P/E	Div. Yield
Ind. EUROPE MID - median	1.4	9.9	2.40%
Ind. EUROPE MID - weighted average	1.7	10.7	4.40%
Benchmark average	1.6	14.7	3.10%
Difference vs. weighted average	<b>6.2</b> %	<b>-27.2</b> %	130bps

# Market cap breakdown

4.6%	5 <b>10.2</b> %	69.7%	15.5%	12,053 M€ Average capitalisation	3,208 M€ <u>Median</u> capitalisation
				Capitalisation	capitalisation

France
Spain
Italy
Netherlands
Belgium

Rest of Europe

<500M€ 500M-1Mds€ 1-10Mds€ >10Mds€

### Main variations over the month

Stocks	Perf	Comments
Outperformance vs the benchmark		
Iveco	27.9%	Outlook on the spin-off of the Defence business
Heijmans	25.3%	Strong 2024 results, ambitious 2025 guidance
Theon International	25.0%	Excellent results
lss	18.8%	Low valuation
Danieli	18.2%	Acquisition of Atlantic Geoconstruction
Underperformance vs the benchmark		
Groupe Seb	-7.3%	FMCG advertising spending is expected to decline
Subsea 7	-7.6%	Lack of quantified outlook for 2025, but results in line.
Mowi	-7.9%	Negative perception of the impact of import tariffs
Tui Ag	-12.9%	Slowdown in bookings
Worldline	-27.2%	Disappointing Q4 revenue

## Portfolio breakdown

#### Sector breakdown

Sectors	Weight
Capital Goods	16.2%
Engineering & Construct.	13.6%
Financials	13.1%
Materials / building	10.2%
B2B Services	10.2%
Defence	8.4%
Energy	5.6%
Auto. & Parts	4.6%
Consumer Goods	3.8%
Steel industry	3.1%
Food & Beverage	3.0%
Media	3.0%
Chemicals	2.8%
IT / ext. R&D	2.5%
Total	100%

#### **Main investments**

Weight
5.0%
3.9%
3.3%
3.2%
3.1%
3.1%
2.9%
2.9%
2.8%
2.8%

# Stocks market capitalization (in M€)

	Shell		
	Total Energie		
	Saint Gobain		
>10Mds€	Publicis		
>10Muse	Michelin		
	Tenaris		
	Dassault Aviation		
	Asr Nederland		
	Ageas		
	Mowi		
	Buzzi		
	Securitas B		
	Grupo Catalana Occidente		
	Groupe Seb		
	Elis		
	Subsea 7		
	Vallourec		
	Nexans		
	lveco		
	lss		
	Indra Sistemas		
	Sbm Offshore		
	Solvay		
	Webuild		
	Brembo N.v.		
1-10Mds€	Pluxee		
	Alten		
	Maire		
	Acerinox		
	Trigano		
	Coface		
	1.4		
	Vicat		
	Bekaert		
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-	Bekaert     Afry Ab     Worldline     Tfl     Elecnor     Caf     Hornbach Holding     Tecnicas Reunidas     Theon International     Heijmans     Danieli     Elopak     Derichebourg     Viel et Compagnie     Saf-holland     Tubacex		

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# **Fund characteristics**

Characteristics		Fees	Share I	Share A	Share B	
Legal form	SICAV	Subscription fees	1%	0%	2%	
Valuation	Daily	Min. subscription amount	1 share	1 share	5M€	
Currency	EUR	Redemption fees	0%	0%	1%	
Recommended holding period	> 3 years	Management fees	1,40%	<b>1,95</b> %	1,20%	
Subscriptions	Daily	Outperformance fees	10%	10%	10%	
Redemptions	Daily	ISIN codes				
Depositary bank	CACEIS Bank Luxembourg	Share I			LU2798962895	
Fund administrator	CACEIS Bank Luxembourg	Share A			LU2798962978	
Risk level	4 over 7	Share B			LU2798963190	
Eligible	PEA					

# Main risks

#### **Equity risk**

The fund is invested at least 75% in equities; the fund's value can significantly decrease if equity markets fall. Equity markets have experienced wide fluctuations in the past and are likely to do so in the future.

Investing in equities, and therefore in the fund I&E EUROPE MID, is inherently risky.

### **Capital loss risk**

The fund has no guarantee or protection; the initially invested capital may not be returned.

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