

# Mirabaud - Discovery Europe A cap. EUR

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## **Investment Overview**

Discovering small and mid-cap companies across Europe with compelling long-term growth stories. Characteristics we look for include: niche market dominance, beneficiaries of transformational change and innovation leadership. We believe there is less market efficiency in small and mid-caps as a result of lower analyst coverage. We carry out thorough research, including company visits, to help us identify what we believe to be hidden gems.

## Approach to Sustainability

The portfolio is driven by three sustainable themes: SAFER - increasing safety, compliance and regulation; SMARTER - better harnessing technology to improve quality of life, and; CIRCULAR - reducing waste and using the planet's resources more efficiently. We follow a three-step process: 1. Exclusion of companies operating in controversial sectors, and companies involved in recent major controversies; 2. Positive screening - aiming to minimise downside risk of the portfolio by only including companies with the top 80% ESG scores; 3. In-depth analysis of material ESG issues for all companies, along with ongoing engagement.







## Classification

SFDR<sup>1</sup>: Article 8

Summary Risk Indicator<sup>2</sup>: 4

Asset Class: Equity Region: Europe

#### **Fund Facts**

Hywel Franklin / Trevor Fitzgerald
143.86
EUR
16.11.2015
CH/DE/ES/FR/UK/IE/IT/ LU/PT
Daily
Luxembourg
LU0334003224 / MIRPACE LX
B4NTG14
3581508 / A0PHGJ
65098779
All Investors
Daily / Daily
0 Business Day / 2 Business Days
0 Business Day / 2 Business Days
1.50%
1 share
39.05 million EUR
SICAV
Open-ended
Capitalised
MSCI Europe Small Cap TR Net FUR
EUR

Statistics	Fund	Bench.
Last Month Return (%)	-1.91	-2.93
Last 3 Months Return (%)	-1.53	1.17
YTD Return (%)	0.92	6.04
Return since inception (%)	22.48	43.33
Annualized Return (since inception) (%)	2.64	4.73
Annualized Volatility (since inception) (%)*	19.00	17.96
Tracking Error (since inception) (%)*	6.48	
Sharpe Ratio (since inception)*	0.15	
Information Ratio (since inception)*	-0.32	
Alpha (since inception) (%)*	-2.07	
Beta (since inception)*	0.99	
Correlation (since inception)*	0.94	
Active Share (%)	97.30	
Dividend Yield	2.79	
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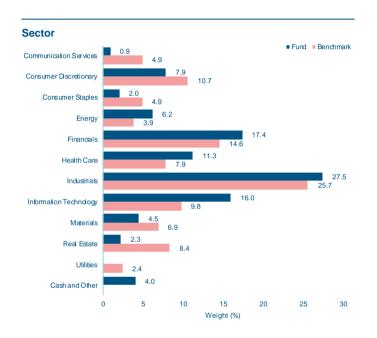
<sup>\*</sup>Based on monthly data

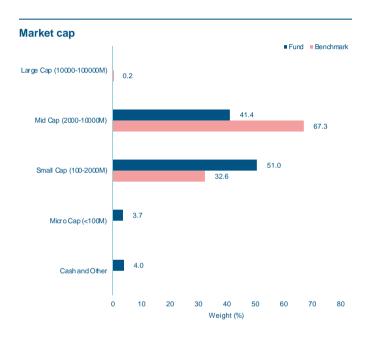
<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> SFDR: Regulation (EU) 2019/2088 on sustainability-related disclosures in the financial services sector

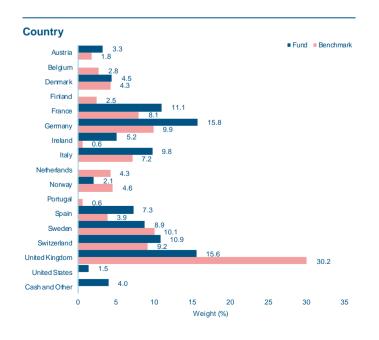
<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Scale runs from 1 to 7, with 1 being the lowest and 7 being the highest

Monthly & Yearly Performances (%)													
	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Year
Fund 2023	4.76	4.00	-4.58	1.14	-2.52	-0.23	0.61	-1.91					0.92
Benchmark	7.45	2.75	-4.11	1.60	-2.55	0.83	3.36	-2.93					6.04
Fund 2022	-9.65	-4.20	-4.42	-3.55	1.47	-13.72	9.50	-9.75	-8.29	6.08	4.46	-4.40	-32.93
Benchmark	-6.75	-3.94	0.71	-1.90	-1.70	-11.79	9.84	-6.92	-10.94	7.02	6.33	-2.52	-22.50
Fund 2021	-0.41	6.18	5.14	7.38	0.21	-2.48	5.70	1.83	-2.38	3.19	-1.71	6.35	32.24
Benchmark	0.41	3.86	5.15	3.72	2.07	-0.54	3.69	3.47	-4.44	3.54	-3.20	4.37	23.82
Fund 2020	-1.06	-6.68	-19.44	14.89	3.34	-0.45	4.12	6.29	-3.18	-2.21	14.85	6.93	13.13
Benchmark	-1.72	-8.05	-21.28	11.37	5.16	1.32	1.11	5.70	-0.59	-4.40	15.13	5.96	4.58
Fund 2019	9.32	1.94	-0.39	4.35	-2.32	2.73	-2.00	-1.96	0.09	-0.24	4.40	7.25	24.86
Benchmark	8.99	3.38	1.35	4.62	-5.88	2.92	-0.15	-1.69	3.53	2.49	4.59	4.24	31.44
Fund 2018	3.35	-4.04	-0.23	2.39	5.06	-0.57	-0.38	1.33	-4.18	-11.62	-4.36	-8.42	-20.76
Benchmark	1.95	-2.88	-1.71	4.13	1.67	-1.11	1.34	-0.54	-1.88	-7.59	-3.42	-6.42	-15.86

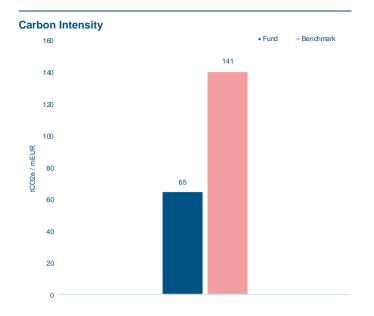
## Portfolio Breakdowns







Top Holdings (total 40 holdings)	
Name	Weight (%)
Accelleron Industries AG	5.1
Brockhaus Technologies AG	4.9
Judges Scientific PLC	4.7
Coface SA	4.5
Laboratorios Farmaceuticos Rovi SA	4.4
Credito Emiliano SpA	4.1
Senior PLC	4.1
SUESS MicroTec SE	3.7
Knights Group Holdings PLC	3.7
SOL SpA	3.6



## **Fund Information**

Fund Inception Date: 16/11/2015

**Management Company** 

Mirabaud Asset Management (Europe) SA

Custodian: Pictet & Cie (Europe) SA

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Information per Share Class			
Name	NAV	Currency	ISIN
Mirabaud - Discovery Europe A cap. EUR	143.86	EUR	LU0334003224
Mirabaud - Discovery Europe D cap. GBP	157.74	GBP	LU1308311924
Mirabaud - Discovery Europe I cap. EUR	159.79	EUR	LU0334004206
Mirabaud - Discovery Europe N cap. EUR	101.17	EUR	LU1708485781

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