

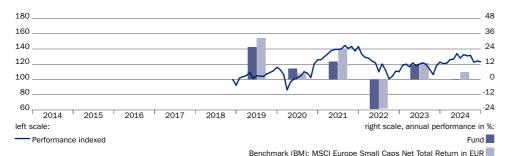
# JSS Sust. Equity - European Smaller Companies C EUR acc

Data as of 31 December 2024 | Source: JSS Investmentfonds Ltd | Page 1 of 4

### **Fund Portrait**

The JSS Sustainable Equity - European Smaller Companies aims to deliver asset growth. To achieve this, the sub-fund invests primarily in the equity of smaller companies connected to Europe and that contribute to a sustainable economy. It will also systematically integrate financially-material ESG aspects throughout the entire investment process, in order to avoid controversial exposures, mitigate ESG risks and harness opportunities, while aiming to achieve an above-average ESG profile. "Smaller companies" are defined as all the companies which are in the bottom 35% of the equity universe in terms of market capitalization at the time of the investment. A small part of the sub-fund can be invested in companies with a very small market capitalisation (micro caps). "Micro caps" are defined as companies with a market capitalisation of less than EUR 300 million at the time of the investment. The Sub-Fund is actively managed without replicating any benchmark. However, the Sub-Fund is managed with reference to MSCI Europe Small Caps NR Index (the "Benchmark").

## Net Performance (in EUR) as of 31.12.2024



	1 Month	3 Months	YTD	1 year 3	3 years p.a.	5 years p.a. 10	years p.a.
Fund	-0.93%	-6.38%	0.32%	0.32%	-4.87%	1.20%	n.a.
BM	-0.27%	-3.62%	5.65%	5.65%	-2.63%	3.63%	n.a.

						Since	
	2023	2022	2021	2020	2019	Inception	
Fund	11.31%	-22.91%	13.83%	8.32%	25.52%	18.49%	
BM	12.74%	-22.50%	23.82%	4.58%	32.59%	42.04%	

Past performance does not guarantee future returns. The performance shown does not take account of any commissions and costs charged when subscribing and redeeming units.

# **Top Ten Holdings**

Diploma PLC	5.57%
Conduit Hld LTD	5.18%
Flatexdegiro AG	5.00%
ASR Nederland NV	4.96%
Rightmove PLC	4.21%

Halma	4.13%
Basic Fit N.V.	4.05%
Royal Unibrew A/S	3.90%
Aalberts Industries	3.84%
Patrizia AG	3.34%

Top 10 positions: 44.18%

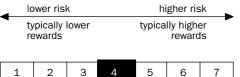
# **Country Allocation**

United Kingdom	30.26%
Germany	15.25%
The Netherlands	12.84%
Spain	8.54%
Switzerland	7.58%
Sweden	6.26%
Bermudas	5.18%
Denmark	3.90%
France	3.34%
Other	6.86%

# Sector Allocation

Financiais	23.97%
Industrials	18.46%
Consumer Discretionary	13.30%
Inform.Technology	9.42%
Health Care	8.08%
Communication Services	7.32%
Consumer Staples	7.16%
Real Estate	6.50%
Energy	2.13%
Other	3.65%

# Risk and reward profile



The risk and reward category shown is based on historical data and can not be used as a reliable indicator of the future risk profile of the fund. The classification of the fund may change over time and is not a guarantee.

### **Fund Overview**

Net asset value per share	118.49
Fund size in millions	31.58
Investment company	J. Safra Sarasin Fund
Man	agement (Luxembourg) S.A.
Depositary	CACEIS Investor Service
	Bank S.A., Luxembourg
Portfolio management	AM Equities,
	Bank J. Safra Sarasin Ltd
Portfolio manager	Marcel Voogd, Patrick
	Widmer
Domicile of fund	Luxembourg
ISIN code	LU1859216621
Swiss SecNo.	42 877 313
Bloomberg	JSESCEA LX
Launch date Share class	13 November 2018
Launch date Sub-Fund	13 November 2018
End of fiscal year	Apri
Ongoing charges*	1.52%
Management fee	1.00%
Reference currency	EUR
Dividend payment	none (reinvesting)
Sales fee	max. 3.00%
Exit charge	0.0%
Legal structure	SICAV
Benchmark (BM) MSCI E	urope Small Caps Net Total
	Return in EUR

\*The costs of managing the sub-fund are calculated quarterly in arrears and may vary. Detailed information on these costs and any additional costs can be found in the Sales Prospectus / KID.

Article 8

# **Settlement Details**

SFDR classification

Subscriptions/Redemptions	daily
Notice Period subs/reds	n.a.
Settlement subs / reds	T+2 / T+2
Order cut-off (CET)	12:00
Swing Pricing	yes
Min. Initial Investment	n.a.

Statistical Ratios	Fund	Benchmark
Volatility	17.37%	18.10%
Beta	0.92	n.a.
Sharpe Ratio	-0.41	-0.27
Information Ratio	-0.45	n.a.
Tracking Frror	4.99%	n.a.

The statistical ratios are calculated on the basis of the previous months (36 months, basis EUR). Risk-free interest rate: 2.23%



# JSS Sust. Equity - European Smaller Companies C EUR acc

Data as of 31 December 2024 | Source: JSS Investmentfonds Ltd | Page 2 of 4

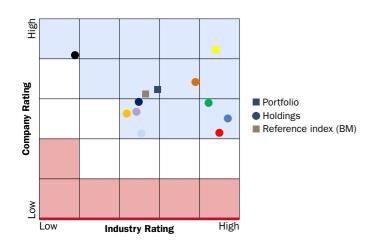
### **Sustainable Investing Approaches**

Exclusion (negative screening)	✓
ESG Integration	✓
Stewardship	✓
Sustainability-themed	×
Sustainability Objectives	×

### **Environmental, Social and Governance Scores (ESG Scores)**



### J. Safra Sarasin Sustainability Matrix



## Best-In-Class universe: JSS ESG A-rated

- superior ESG profile, industry leaders
- eligible for all sustainable strategies

### Neutral universe: JSS ESG B-rated

- no particular ESG credentials, industry followers
- eglible for "integrated" sustainable strategies

## Worst-Out universe: JSS ESG C-rated

- weak ESG credentials, industry laggards
- not eligible for JSS sustainable strategies

# Exclusions: JSS ESG D-rated

- controversial business activities
- not eligible for JSS sustainable strategies

# Sustainability Ratings of Top 10 Holdings

Company name	Weight	Company Rating	Industry	Industry Rating
Diploma PLC	5.6%	2.5	Trading Companies & Distributors	4.7
Conduit Hld LTD	5.2%	2.2	Reinsurance	4.5
Flatexdegiro AG	5.0%	2.6	Investment Banking & Brokerage	2.2
ASR Nederland NV	5.0%	4.2	Property & Casualty Insurance	4.4
Rightmove PLC	4.2%	2.9	Interactive Media & Services	4.2
Halma	4.1%	2.9	Electronic Equipment & Instruments	2.5
Basic Fit N.V.	4.1%	3.4	Leisure Facilities	3.9
Royal Unibrew A/S	3.9%	4.1	Brewers	0.9
Aalberts Industries	3.8%	2.1	Industrial Machinery & Supplies & Components	2.5
Patrizia AG	3.3%	2.7	Diversified Real Estate Activities	2.4

## **Definitions and Explanations**

**Exclusion criteria:** Controversial weapons (biological, chemical and nuclear weapons, cluster munitions and anti-personnel mines), coal, GMO in agriculture and medicine, palm oil, defence and armament, tobacco, adult entertainment, violation of human rights and other UN Global Compact Principles.

**ESG scores:** An issuer's rating is the aggregation of more granular information analysed along the Environmental, Social and Governance pillars (on a scale from 0-5). Comparison at this level and aggregated at portfolio level provides more precise insights on the portfolio's exposure to sustainability risks.

**Sustainability Matrix:** Using our proprietary methodology, companies and industries are rated according to sustainability criteria (on a scale from 0-5). This results in a specific positioning for each company in our Sustainability Matrix, displaying both the sustainability risk exposure of a given industry (industry rating) and the relative ability of a company to mitigate those risks (company rating).

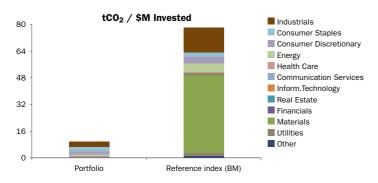
Sustainability rating of top 10 holdings: The table shows the company and industry ESG rating (on a scale from 0-5) of the 10 holdings with the highest portfolio weight.



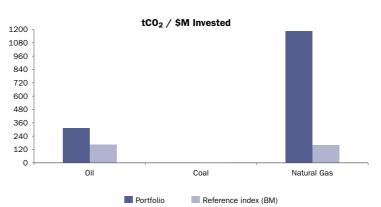
# JSS Sust. Equity - European Smaller Companies C EUR acc

Data as of 31 December 2024 | Source: JSS Investmentfonds Ltd | Page 3 of 4

## **Carbon Footprint**



## Stranded Assets - Potential CO2 Emissions



## Largest CO<sub>2</sub> Emitters

Company Name	% of Portfolio Footprint	Mitigation Efforts
AAK AB (PUBL)	21.0%	above average
AALBERTS N.V.	20.2%	above average
J D WETHERSPOON PLC	16.2%	above average
ENERGEAN PLC	11.1%	above average
RENTOKIL INITIAL PLC	4.6%	above average
ROYAL UNIBREW A/S	4.3%	above average
VALMET OYJ	3.9%	above average
EUROFINS SCIENTIFIC SE LU	3.8%	above average
BASIC-FIT N.V.	2.1%	below average
DAETWYLER HOLDING AG	2.0%	average

## **Definitions and Explanations**

**Carbon footprint:** The portfolio's carbon footprint is a function of sector allocation and holdings' carbon intensity. Lowering the footprint vs the benchmark while preserving a sectoral balance is therefore a way to reduce related risks in the portfolio. The portfolio's Scope 1 and 2 footprint is calculated. It is measured in tons of CO2 equivalent per USD million Enterprise Value Including Cash (EVIC).

**Stranded assets:** The chart shows future CO2 emissions of fossil fuel reserves owned by the companies held in the portfolio compared to the benchmark. These CO2 emissions are measured in tons of CO2 equivalent per USD million Enterprise Value Including Cash (EVIC). In an environment where world leaders have agreed on carbon emissions limitations in order to address climate change issues, the economy needs to respect a global carbon budget. This in turn means that carbon assets (mostly fossil fuel reserves) are becoming stranded. Potential emissions from fossil fuel reserves therefore give insights into stranded asset risks in the portfolio.

Largest CO2 emitters and their mitigation efforts: Climate change is a major risk driver for the entire economy and thus also a focus of political action (COP21 / Paris Agreement, UN Sustainable Development Goal 13, etc.). The way companies approach their carbon emissions (mitigation efforts) is therefore key for the long term success of their own business as well as the ecosystem in which they operate. The metric presented here shows holdings' preparedness and commitment to this challenge.



# JSS Sust. Equity - European Smaller Companies C EUR acc

Data as of 31 December 2024 | Source: JSS Investmentfonds Ltd | Page 4 of 4

# **Benchmark Disclaimer**

Companies Inc. ("S&P") and is licensed for use by {Licensee}. Neither MSCI, S&P nor any other party involved in making or compiling the GICS or any GICS classifications makes any express or implied warranties or representations with respect to such standard or classification (or the results to be obtained by the use thereof), and all such parties hereby expressly disclaim all warranties of originality, accuracy, completeness, merchantability or fitness for particular purpose with respect to any of such standard or classification. Without limiting any of the foregoing, in no event shall MSCI, S&P, any of their affiliates or any third party involved in making or compiling the GICS or any GICS classifications have any liability for any direct, indirect, special, punitive, consequential or any other damages (including lost profits) even if notified of the possibility of such damages. particular purpose with respect to any of such standard or classification. Without limiting any of the foregoing, in no event shall MSCI, S&P, any of their affiliates or any third party involved in making or compiling the GICSor any GICS classifications have any liability for any direct, indirect, special, punitive, consequential or any other damages (including lost profits) even if notified of the posibility of such damages.

## Legal notices - Edition Switzerland:

Information for investors in Switzerland: This publication is marketing material for an investment, which has been prepared solely for the information and exclusive use of the recipient in Switzerland. The articles of incorporation as well as the annual and semi-annual reports, prospectus (all in German or English) and/or key information document ("KID") are generally (in German, French, Italian and English) available free of charge from the representative in Switzerland or at https://jsafrasarasin.com/content/jsafrasarasin/language-masters/de/products/funds-list.html

The statements in this document neither can be interpreted as investment, tax or other advice nor do they constitute an offer nor an invitation to buy shares of the Sub-Fund, and do not replace individual advice and risk disclosure by a qualified financial, legal and/or tax advisor. JSS Investmentfonds II SICAV is a UCITS organised as an open-ended investment company (société d'investissement à capital variable - "SICAV") under the law of Luxembourg (the "Fund"), and is regulated by the Commission de Surveillance du Secteur Financier ("CSSF"). The investment described in this document is a sub-fund of JSS Investmentfonds II SICAV (the "Sub-Fund"). Potential investors should consult the KID, the prospectus and all legally relevant local offering documents before making any investment and, in particular, inform themselves comprehensively about the risks associated with the Sub-Fund. Detailed information about risks and rewards is available in the prospectus or KID of the share classes of the Sub-Fund. Past performance is not indicative of current or future performance. Performance was calculated on the basis of the net asset value and, if applicable, the reinvested gross dividend. When calculating the performance, all costs charged to the Fund and Sub-Fund were taken into account in order to obtain a net performance. The performance shown does not include (if and where applicable) any commissions and costs incurred at investor level on subscription and redemption of shares. Additional commissions, costs and taxes incurred at investor level have a negative impact on performance. Investments in foreign currencies involve a currency risk, as the return in the investor's currency may be higher or lower due to exchange rate fluctuations. The value of the investor's investment may therefore, as well as for other reasons, increase or decrease. Therefore, there is no guarantee that investors will receive back the full amount of their invested capital upon redemption. The issuer of this factsheet is not in a position to provide details of any one-off or recurring commissions paid to the bank / by the bank and / or to the fund broker / by the fund broker in connection with this Sub-Fund. Source of performance data: J. Safra Sarasin Investmentfonds AG, Datastream & SIX. All views and forecasts are based on the best of the issuer's knowledge and belief at the time of publication and are subject to change without notice. As some of the information in this publication has been obtained from third parties, the accuracy, completeness and correctness of the information contained in this publication cannot be guaranteed. Persons domiciled, resident or located in the U.S. or having U.S. citizenship are not permitted to hold shares of the Sub-Fund and it is prohibited to publicly offer, issue or sell these shares to persons domiciled, resident or located in the U.S. or having U.S. citizenship.

Representative in Switzerland: J. Safra Sarasin Investmentfonds Ltd., Wallstrasse 9, CH-4002 Basel Paying agent in Switzerland: Bank J. Safra Sarasin Ltd., Elisabethenstrasse 62, CH-4002 Basel