

# J. Safra Sarasin



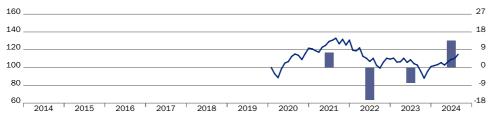
# JSS Sust. Equity - Future Health P USD acc

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#### **Fund Portrait**

The investment objective of the JSS Sustainable Equity – Future Health is to achieve long-term capital growth. The sub-fund invests worldwide either directly (min. 51%) or indirectly in equity securities of the healthcare sector. It invests in leading companies and niche players whose products and services contribute to the improvement of health outcomes and the dampening of rising healthcare costs (value-based healthcare). The majority of investments are made in companies with a strong focus on innovation and prevention across all healthcare industries. The sub-fund also invests in health-related companies in the areas of nutrition, sports, housing and technology. 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. The Sub-Fund is actively managed without replicating any benchmark. The Sub-Fund is managed without reference to any benchmark.

#### Net Performance (in USD) as of 31.08.2024



left scale:

— Performance indexed

BM

right scale, annual performance in %:

Fund

1 Month	3 Months	YTD	1 year	3 years p.a.	5 years p.a. 10 y	ears p.a.
4.24%	7.94%	13.57%	11.75%	-4.77%	n.a.	n.a.
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	2023	2022	2021	2020	2019	Since Inception
Fund	-7.62%	-16.33%	7.44%	n.a.	n.a.	10.98%
BM	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.

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**

Eli Lilly	9.09%
Boston Scientific	5.54%
Sanofi	5.31%
Danaher Corp	5.31%
Merck	5.31%

Novo Nordisk	5.21%
Argenx SE	4.69%
Biomarin Pharmaceutical Inc.	4.00%
Gilead Sciences	3.68%
Iqvia Holdings Inc	3.02%

Top 10 positions: 51.16%

### **Country Allocation**

	68.05%	USA
6.18%		Belgium
5.45%		Germany
5.31%		France
5.21%		Denmark
4.48%		Switzerland
2.63%		United Kingdom
2.69%		Other

#### **Sector Allocation**

	94.38%	Health Care
2.93%		Inform.Technology
2.69%		Other

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 sha	re 110.98
Fund size in millions	141.65
Investment company	J. Safra Sarasin Fund
	Management (Luxembourg) S.A
Depositary	CACEIS Investor Service
	Bank S.A., Luxembourg
Portfolio management	AM Equities
	Bank J. Safra Sarasin Ltd
Portfolio manager	Simone Poma
Domicile of fund	Luxembourg
ISIN code	LU2041624920
Swiss SecNo.	49 491 423
Bloomberg	JSEFHPU LX
Launch date Share clas	s 21 January 2020
Launch date Sub-Fund	6 November 2019
End of fiscal year	Apri
Ongoing charges*	1.92%
Management fee	1.60%
Reference currency	USD
Dividend payment	none (reinvesting)
Sales fee	max. 3.00%
Exit charge	0.0%
Legal structure	SICAV
Benchmark (BM)	No representative benchmark
ava	ailable for this fund share class

\*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.

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### Settlement Details

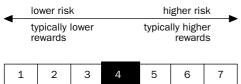
SFDR classification

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
Volatility	15.73%
Beta	n.a.
Sharpe Ratio	-0.52
Information Ratio	n.a.
Tracking Error	n.a.

The statistical ratios are calculated on the basis of the previous months (36 months, basis USD). Risk-free interest rate: 3.35%

### Risk and reward profile





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#### Review

After the July sell off, the equity markets quickly recovered to record new highs in response to benign macro data, therefore alleviating fears of a hard landing. In this context, healthcare outperformed the broader market, driven by pharmaceuticals following a strong earnings report from Eli Lilly, which caused a reversal in the obesity theme, and a better-than-expected outcome as far as IRA-driven drug prices negotiation is concerned, implying limited and manageable profits downside. Medtech also outperformed after disappointing results from managed care companies, confirming a still-solid utilisation environment. Life science stocks, instead, paused after the July rally, while biotech also underperformed. The fund outperformed the Morningstar category in August thanks to allocation (overweight pharmaceuticals, underweight healthcare providers and services) and selection in pharmaceuticals (Eli Lilly, Sanofi), biotechnology (Biomarin, Alnylam) and healthcare providers and services (Fresenius). From a style perspective quality and size contributed positively.

#### Outlook

Despite more benign macro data in August, there are plenty of signs pointing to an economic slowdowns which will likely drive flows into defensive sectors, benefiting healthcare, especially pharmaceuticals, which offer strong fundamentals and are benefiting from the removal of the long-dated overhang of drug pricing risk. Despite the lack of clinical catalysts in the second half of the year, biotech might benefit from a rotation into small caps, driven by the drop in bond yields and M&A deals could peak up steam. The underweight will be gradually reduced, with the allocation anchoring on key single strong convictions with derisked pipelines and strong commercial outlooks. Medtech is still fundamentally sound, helped by a healthy utilisation environment. The short term prospects are less clear with heavy investors positioning and decelerating growth, hence the neutral position with a focus on the strongest product cycles. On the other hand, life science outlook is improving with a recovery in sight, hence the overweight position, while healthcare providers and services are still underweight.



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