

# Montanaro European Focus Fund

SFDR: Article 8

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## Fund Objective

To outperform its Benchmark, the STOXX Europe Mid 200 (Capital Return) Index. The Fund will invest primarily in MidCap companies quoted in the EU, the UK, Iceland, Norway and Switzerland with a market capitalisation smaller than the largest unadjusted market capitalisation of any of the constituents of the STOXX Europe Mid 200 (Capital Return) Index at the time of initial investment. No unquoted investments are permitted.

## Performance

### Cumulative Returns (€)

	YTD	1M	3M	6M	12M	3Y	5Y	10Y	Launch
€ Class (TR)*	2.8%	1.8%	-1.5%	3.7%	4.3%	12.9%	12.3%	50.7%	170.1%
Stoxx Europe Mid 200 (€ TR)†	16.7%	2.3%	2.6%	9.7%	18.3%	49.9%	64.4%	82.4%	218.4%

### Annual Returns (€)

	2024	2023	2022	2021	2020	2019	2018	2017	2016
€ Class (TR)*	5.9%	2.9%	-28.4%	26.9%	7.7%	29.9%	-2.2%	18.6%	-9.9%
Stoxx Europe Mid 200 (€ TR)†	5.8%	15.6%	-19.4%	19.1%	0.7%	26.4%	-11.1%	16.2%	1.5%

### Cumulative Performance Since Inception



Source: Montanaro, MSCI, Bloomberg. NAV to NAV, unrounded. \* Dividends reinvested at ex-date. † The Stoxx Europe Mid 200 (Total Return) index is shown for comparison purposes only, the official benchmark is Capital Return.

\*\*There was a name change for the fund with effect from 17 May 2023. Prior to the change, the fund was called the Montanaro European MidCap Fund.

## Key Information

Class Launch	March 2012**
Depository	BNY Mellon
Administrator	BNY Mellon
Transfer Agent	BNY Mellon
Legal Status	Irish OEIC
Listing	Euronext Dublin
Valuation Time	Daily 4pm Dublin time
Dealing Cut-Off Time	12pm Dublin time
Domicile	Ireland

## Fund Facts

Fund Manager	Alex Magni
Backup Fund Manager	Stefan Fischerfeier
Benchmark	STOXX Europe Mid 200

Fund Size	€7 million
No. of Holdings	26
Median Mkt Cap	€5,242 million
Cash	4.8%

## ESG

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Carbon Intensity 1&2 t/US\$ million sales*	31.7
MSCI Biodiversity and Land Use Score*	1.7
% of Women on Board	39%

\*See glossary for definitions. Updated quarterly

## Risk & Reward Profile



These numbers rate how the Fund may perform and the risk of losing some or all of your investment. In general the potential for higher returns also implies a higher level of risk. However, the lowest category (1) does not mean a risk free investment.

This risk rating is based on historical data which may not be a reliable indication of the future risks and rewards of the fund. The risk rating of the fund may change over time.

Past performance is not a reliable indicator of future results. All investments are subject to risk and the value of shares and the income from them can fall as well as rise due to stock market and currency movements. You may not get back as much as you originally invested.

For further information please see the Risk and Reward section of the Key Investor Information Document (KIID).

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**Top 10 Holdings**

Recordati	5.3%
Diploma	5.1%
Loomis	4.9%
Kitron	4.8%
Warehouses de Pauw	4.3%
Technogym	4.2%
Beijer Ref	4.2%
MTU Aero Engines	4.1%
BE Semiconductor Industries	4.0%
Games Workshop	3.9%
<b>Total</b>	<b>44.7%</b>

**Risk Analysis**

	Fund	Index
Jensen's Alpha (annual)	-6.4%	
Beta	0.92	1.00
Standard Deviation	12.7%	12.1%
Sharpe Ratio	0.09	0.71
Tracking Error	6.2%	
Information Ratio	-1.45	
Active Share	94.3%	

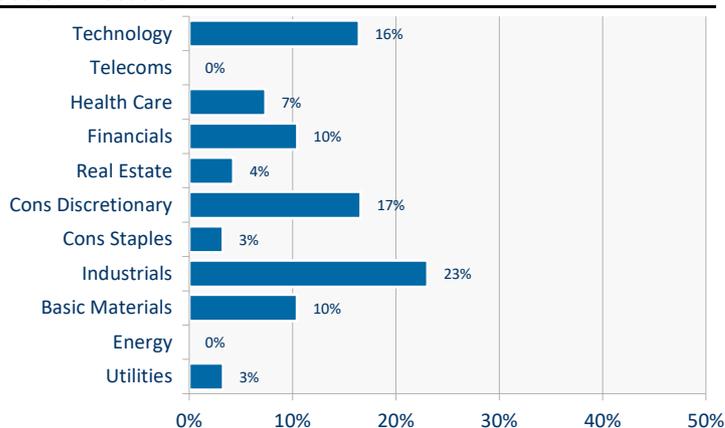
Note: risk statistics over three years, € Class TR

**Portfolio Analysis**

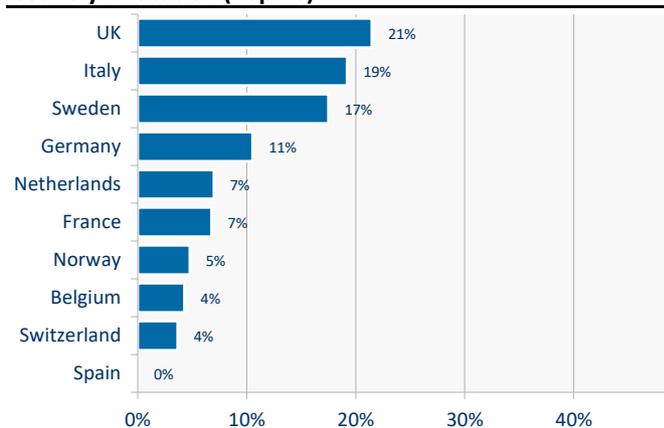
Price / Earnings 26F	18.6
EPS Growth 26F	14.9%
Dividend Yield 26F	2.8%
Dividend Growth 26F	7.8%
Return on Equity 26F	16.8%
EV/EBITDA 26F	14.5
EBIT Margin 26F	28.3%
Net Debt/Equity 26F	13.0%

Source: Factset consensus estimates

**Sector Allocation**



**Country Allocation (Top 10)**



**Share Class Information**

	Ticker	ISIN	SEDOL	Launch	NAV	Ongoing Charge	Annual AMC	Perf Fee	High Water Mark	Initial Charge	Minimum Investment	SRRI
<b>€ Class</b>	MEUMCED ID	IE00B6VJL827	B6VJL82	30/03/2012	€1.243	1.68%	1.50%	As Below	€3.317	Nil	N/A	6
<b>€ Institutional Accumulation Class</b>	MEUMCEA ID	IE00BBT35895	BBT3589	28/06/2013	€2.911	0.93%	0.75%	As Below	€3.523	Nil	€25m	6

**Performance Fee** 20% (+VAT) of the amount by which the net asset value exceeds the higher of the High Water Mark or the return on the Benchmark plus 3 percentage points (please see the prospectus for further information)

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# Investment Terms Glossary

## Active Share

A measure of how much a portfolio's holdings differ from its benchmark index. A higher Active Share indicates a more actively managed portfolio, while a lower value suggests closer alignment with the benchmark.

## Beta

This is a measure of an investment's sensitivity to market movements. A beta greater than 1 indicates higher volatility than the market, while a beta less than 1 suggests lower volatility.

## Carbon Intensity 1 and 2

CO<sub>2</sub> emissions per unit of revenue, measuring a company's or portfolio's carbon efficiency. Covers Scope 1 (direct) and Scope 2 (indirect from purchased energy), excluding Scope 3 due to limited data.

## Dividend Yield

Refers to the underlying portfolio's annual dividend yield, calculated as the weighted average of each holding's expected dividend income as a percentage of the share price.

## EBITDA (Earnings Before Interest, Taxes, Depreciation, and Amortisation)

A measure of a company's operating performance, showing profit before accounting for financing and non-cash expenses.

## Information Ratio

A measure of risk-adjusted return, calculated by dividing the active return of a portfolio by the tracking error. It indicates how efficiently excess returns are generated relative to the risk taken versus a benchmark.

## Jensen's Alpha (annual)

A measure of risk-adjusted performance that shows the excess return a fund generates above its expected return.

## MSCI Biodiversity and Land Use Score

Assesses company impacts on nature, including effects on habitats and use of natural resources.

## Net Asset Value ("NAV")

The total value of a Fund's assets less its liabilities. This figure is then divided through by the number of units in issue to give the NAV per unit.

## Ongoing Charge

Reflecting the annual cost of managing and operating the Fund, the ongoing charge is expressed as a percentage of average net assets and includes management fees and regular expenses, excluding performance fees and transaction costs.

## Price / Earnings (P/E) Ratio

Refers to the underlying portfolio's Price-to-Earnings ratio, a valuation measure calculated by dividing each company's current share price by its earnings per share (EPS). It reflects how much investors are paying for each unit of earnings.

## Sustainable Finance Disclosure Regulation (SFDR)

SFDR is an EU law that requires financial firms and products to disclose sustainability related information. Its goal is to increase transparency, improve investor understanding of sustainable investments, combat greenwashing, and direct capital toward companies and projects supporting sustainability objectives.

## SFDR Article 8 Fund

A fund that promotes environmental and/or social characteristics, while ensuring investee companies follow good governance practices.

## SFDR Article 9 Fund

A fund with sustainable investment as its objective, requiring all holdings to contribute to defined environmental or social goals, subject to the highest SFDR disclosure standards.

## Sharpe Ratio

A measure of risk-adjusted return; the higher the Sharpe Ratio, the better the return per unit of risk taken.

## Standard Deviation

A measure of the amount of variation or dispersion of returns from the average return, used to quantify risk.

## Tracking Error

A measure of how closely a fund's returns match its benchmark index. Lower tracking error indicates closer alignment.