

FP CARMIGNAC EUROPEAN LEADERS A GBP

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Recommended minimum investment horizon:



GB00BJHPHZ49

Monthly Factsheet - 30/08/2024

INVESTMENT OBJECTIVE

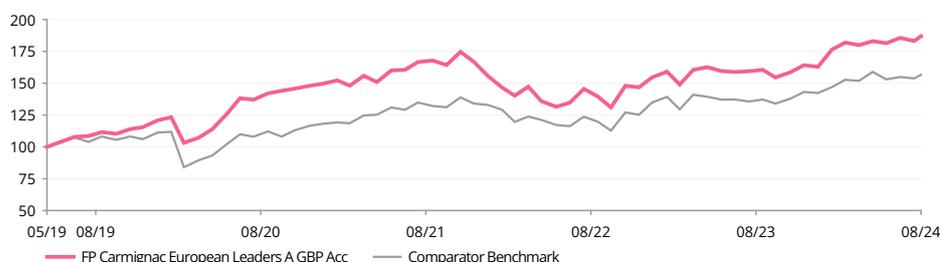
A Europe ex-UK equity strategy seeking to achieve capital growth over a minimum of five years. The Fund follows a selective bottom-up investment process to find quality companies, businesses with attractive long-term prospects that can grow under their own steam, irrespective of the macroeconomic environment.

Fund Management analysis can be found on P.3

PERFORMANCE

Past performance is not necessarily indicative of future performance. Performances are net of fees (excluding possible entrance fees charged by the distributor).

FUND PERFORMANCE VS. COMPARATOR BENCHMARK SINCE LAUNCH (Basis 100 - Net of fees)



CUMULATIVE AND ANNUALIZED PERFORMANCE (as of 30/08/2024 - Net of fees)

	Cumulative Performance (%)				Annualised Performance (%)		
	1 Year	3 Years	5 Years	Since 15/05/2019	3 Years	5 Years	Since 15/05/2019
A GBP Acc	17.40	10.33	67.85	86.93	3.33	10.90	12.53
Comparator Benchmark	14.91	16.38	46.75	56.61	5.19	7.96	8.84
Category Average	13.31	11.06	44.30	54.45	3.56	7.61	8.55
Ranking (Quartile)	1	3	1	1	3	1	1

Source: Morningstar for the category average and quartiles.

ANNUAL PERFORMANCE (%) (Net of fees)

	2023	2022	2021	2020	2019
A GBP Acc	13.90	-14.80	13.88	27.10	18.21
Reference Indicator	14.83	-7.62	16.73	7.48	8.77

STATISTICS (%)

	3 Years	5 Years	Launch
Fund Volatility	17.2	17.9	17.6
Comparator Benchmark Volatility	15.0	17.9	17.6
Sharpe Ratio	0.0	0.5	0.6
Beta	0.9	0.9	0.8
Alpha	-0.0	0.1	-0.0

Calculation : Weekly basis



M. Denham

KEY FIGURES

Equity Investment Rate	97.9%
Net Equity Exposure	97.9%
Number of Equity Issuers	35
Active Share	77.0%

FUND

Domicile: United Kingdom
Fund Type: UCITS
Legal Form: OEIC
Subscription/Redemption: Daily
Order Placement Cut-Off Time: Before 12:00 (GMT)
Fund Inception Date: 15/05/2019
Fund AUM: 89M€
Fund Currency: GBP

SHARE

IA Sector: Europe Excluding UK
Dividend Policy: Accumulation
Date of 1st NAV: 15/05/2019
Base Currency: GBP
NAV (share): 1.87€
Morningstar Category™: Europe ex-UK Equity



FUND MANAGER(S)

Mark Denham since 15/05/2019

COMPARATOR BENCHMARK

MSCI Europe Ex UK Net Total Return USD.



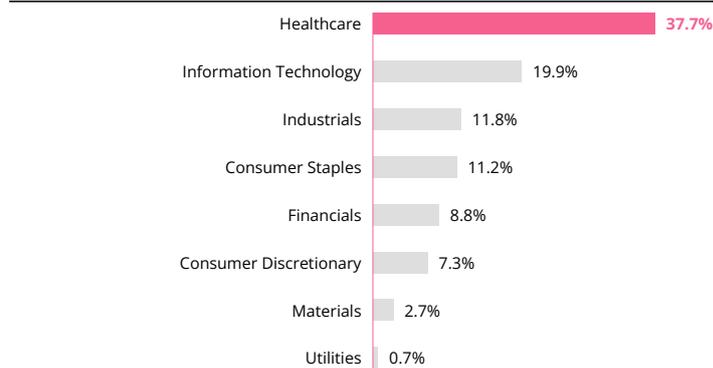
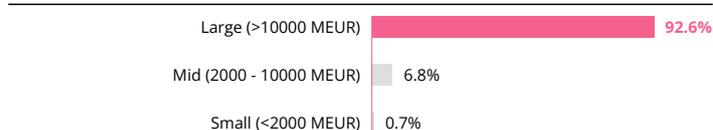
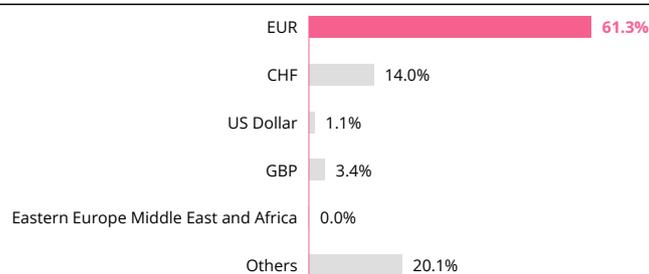
* For the share class FP Carmignac European Leaders A GBP Acc. Risk Scale from the KIID (Key Investor Information Document). Risk 1 does not mean a risk-free investment. This indicator may change over time. The Fund presents a risk of loss of capital. The Main Risks are listed on the last page. The risks and fees are described in the KIID.

MARKETING COMMUNICATION

Please refer to the KIID/prospectus of the fund before making any final investment decisions. For more information please visit www.carmignac.co.uk

ASSET ALLOCATION

Equities	97.9%
Developed Countries	97.9%
Germany	22.8%
Denmark	15.1%
Spain	1.5%
France	24.8%
Ireland	1.6%
Italy	0.3%
Netherlands	13.0%
Sweden	5.0%
Switzerland	13.9%
Cash, Cash Equivalents and Derivatives Operations	2.1%

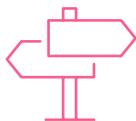
SECTOR BREAKDOWN

Rebased weights
CAPITALISATION BREAKDOWN

Rebased weights
NET CURRENCY EXPOSURE OF THE FUND

TOP TEN

Name	Country	Sector	%
NOVO NORDISK A/S	Denmark	Healthcare	9.0%
SAP SE	Germany	Information Technology	8.2%
L'OREAL SA	France	Consumer Staples	6.6%
ASML HOLDING NV	Netherlands	Information Technology	5.2%
DEUTSCHE BOERSE AG	Germany	Financials	4.6%
SCHNEIDER ELECTRIC SE	France	Industrials	4.6%
BEIERSDORF AG	Germany	Consumer Staples	4.4%
HERMES INTERNATIONAL SCA	France	Consumer Discretionary	4.2%
ARGENX SE	Netherlands	Healthcare	4.2%
LONZA GROUP AG	Switzerland	Healthcare	4.1%
Total			55.0%

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FUND MANAGEMENT ANALYSIS



MARKET ENVIRONMENT

- In August, US and European equity markets surged to record highs, wiping out 'correction level' losses suffered earlier in August due to fears of a US recession.
- Interest rate cuts from the ECB have stimulated growth, without a resurgence in inflation, that hit a 3-year low in August which could give the ECB room to cut rates again.
- The boost to the French service sector from the Olympics meant the Eurozone composite PMI came in higher than expected, the earnings from cyclical companies disappointed.



PERFORMANCE COMMENTARY

- During the month of August, the Fund recorded a positive absolute performance, slightly below its reference indicator.
- Our holding in Straumann has been the best performers in the fund after reporting strong quarterly results and provided an optimistic outlook, which benefited the Fund.
- Our biggest detractors during the month have been Lonza and Zealand Pharma which experienced a decline during the month after strong performance since the beginning of the year.
- Having no exposure to Communication Services penalised the Fund while, on the contrary, having no exposure to Energy has been supportive.



OUTLOOK AND INVESTMENT STRATEGY

- With volumes being at low levels during the month of August, we made few changes to our portfolio.
- We reduced our holdings in the Healthcare stocks and particularly in Lonza after decent recovery off summer's lows and Zealand Pharma post very strong performance this year.
- During the month we initiated a new position in Biontech and sold our holdings in Evotec in after the company lowered their medium-term forecast.
- The Fund continues to rely on bottom-up fundamental analysis with a medium-long term horizon.
- As rate cuts have started in Europe and the economies weaken, we are encouraged that markets should be able to ride out a period of weaker economic strength and some political headlines.
- We stick to our process of focusing on profitable companies with high returns on capital, reinvesting for growth and maintain our focus on stocks and sectors with strong visibility on sales and profits.

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GLOSSARY

Active Management: An investment management approach where a manager aims to beat the market through research, analysis and their own judgement. See also Passive management.

Active share: Portfolio active share measures how different from the reference indicator the portfolio is. The closer the active share is to 100%, the less identical stocks a portfolio has compared to its reference indicator, thus the more active the portfolio manager is compared to the market.

Active Weight: Represents the absolute value of the difference between the weight of a holding in the manager's portfolio and the same holding in the benchmark index.

Alpha: Alpha measures the performance of a portfolio compared to its reference indicator. Negative alpha means the fund performed less well than its reference indicator (e.g. if the indicator increased by 10% in one year and the fund increased by only 6%, its alpha is -4). Positive alpha means the fund performed better than its reference indicator (e.g. if the indicator increased by 6% in one year and the fund increased by 10%, its alpha is 4).

Beta: Beta measures the relationship between the fluctuations of the net asset values of the fund and the fluctuations of the levels of its reference indicator. Beta of less than 1 indicates that the fund "cushions" the fluctuations of its index (beta = 0.6 means that the fund increases by 6% if the index increases by 10% and decreases by 6% if the index falls by 10%). Beta higher than 1 indicates that the fund "magnifies" the fluctuations of its reference indicator (beta = 1.4 means that the fund increases by 14% when the index increases by 10% but also decreases by 14% when the index decreases by 10%). Beta of less than 0 indicates that the fund reacts inversely to the fluctuations of its reference indicator (beta = -0.6 means that the fund falls by 6% when the index increases by 10% and vice versa).

Bottom up investing: Investment based on analysis of individual companies, whereby that company's history, management, and potential are considered more important than general market or sector trends (as opposed to top down investing).

Capitalisation: A company's stock market value at any given moment. It is obtained by multiplying the number of shares of a company by its stock exchange price.

Duration: A bond's duration is the period beyond which interest rate variations will no longer affect its return. The duration is like a discounted average lifetime of all flows (interest and capital).

FCP: Fonds commun de placement (French common fund).

Investment grade: A loan or bond that rating agencies have rated AAA to BBB-, generally indicating relatively low default risk.

Investment/net exposure rate: The investment rate constitutes the volume of assets invested expressed as a percentage of the portfolio. Adding the impact of the derivatives to this investment rate results in the net exposure rate, which corresponds to the real percentage of asset exposure to a certain risk. Derivatives can be used to increase the underlying asset's exposure (stimulation) or reduce it (hedging).

Modified duration: A bond's modified duration measures the risk attached to a given change in the interest rate. Modified duration of +2 means that for an instantaneous 1% rate increase, the portfolio's value would drop by 2%.

Net asset value: Price of all units (in an FCP) or shares (in a SICAV).

Rating: The rating measures the creditworthiness of a borrower (bond issuer).

Sharpe ratio: The Sharpe ratio measures the excess return over the risk-free rate divided by the standard deviation of this return. It thus shows the marginal return per unit of risk. When it is positive, the higher the Sharpe ratio, the more risk-taking is rewarded. A negative Sharpe ratio does not necessarily mean that the portfolio posted a negative performance, but rather that it performed worse than a risk-free investment.

VaR: Value at Risk (VaR) represents an investor's maximum potential loss on the value of a financial asset portfolio, based on a holding period (20 days) and confidence interval (99%). This potential loss is expressed as a percentage of the portfolio's total assets. It is calculated on the basis of a sample of historical data (over a two-year period).

Volatility: Range of price variation of a security, fund, market or index, which enables the measurement of risk over a given period. It is determined using the standard deviation obtained by calculating the square root of the variance. The variance is obtained by calculating the average deviation from the mean, which is then squared. The greater the volatility, the greater the risk.

ESG DEFINITIONS & METHODOLOGY

ESG: E for Environment, S for Social, G for Governance

ESG score Calculation: Only the Equity and Corporate Bond holdings of the fund considered. Overall Fund Rating calculated using MSCI Fund ESG Quality Score methodology: excluding cash and non ESG-rated holdings, performing a weighted average of the normalized weights of the holdings and the Industry-Adjusted Score of the holdings, multiplied by (1+Adjustment%) which consists of the weight of positively trending ESG ratings minus the weight of ESG Laggards minus the weight of negatively trending ESG ratings. For a detailed explanation see "MSCI ESG Fund Ratings Methodology", Section 2.3. Updated June 2023. <https://www.msci.com/documents/1296102/34424357/MSCI+ESG+Fund+Ratings+Methodology.pdf>

MSCI methodology: MSCI uses company disclosed emissions where available. In the instance these are not available, they use their proprietary model to estimate emissions. The model has three distinct modules, production model (used for power-generating utilities), company-specific intensity model (used for companies that have reported carbon emissions data in the past but not for all years), & industry segment-specific intensity model (used for companies that have not reported any carbon emissions data in the past). For further information, please visit MSCI's latest "Climate Change Metrics Methodology" document.

Scope 1: Greenhouse gas emissions generated from burning fossil fuels and production processes which are owned or controlled by the company.

Scope 2: Greenhouse gas emissions from consumption of purchased electricity, heat or steam by the company.

Scope 3: Other indirect Greenhouse gas emissions, such as from the extraction and production of purchased materials and fuels, transport-related activities in vehicles not owned or controlled by the reporting entity, electricity-related activities (e.g. T&D losses) not covered in Scope 2, outsourced activities, waste disposal, etc.

CHARACTERISTICS

Share Class	Date of 1st NAV	Bloomberg	ISIN	SEDOL	CUSIP	WKN	Management Fee	Ongoing Charge ⁽¹⁾	Performance fee	Minimum Initial Subscription ⁽²⁾	Single Year Performance (%)				
											30.08.23-30.08.24	30.08.22-30.08.23	27.08.21-30.08.22	28.08.20-27.08.21	30.08.19-28.08.20
A GBP Acc	15/05/2019	FCELAGA LN	GB00BJHPHZ49	BJHPHZ4			0.81%	0.89%	No	GBP 1000	17.5	13.9	-16.8	22.9	22.6
B GBP Acc	15/05/2019	FCELBGA LN	GB00BJHPXB21	BJHPXB2			0.47%	0.55%	No	GBP 1000	17.9	14.3	-16.5	23.4	23.1
A GBP Inc	18/12/2020	FCELAGI LN	GB00BNDQ7N71	BNDQ7N7			0.81%	0.89%	No	GBP 1000	17.5	13.9	-16.8	—	—
B GBP Inc	18/12/2020	FCELBGI LN	GB00BNDQ7P95	BNDQ7P9			0.47%	0.55%	No	GBP 1000	17.9	14.3	-16.5	—	—

(1) Ongoing charges are based on the expenses for the last financial year ended. They may vary from year to year and do not include performance fees or transaction costs. (2) Please refer to the prospectus for the minimum subsequent subscription amounts. The prospectus is available on the website: www.carmignac.com.

MAIN RISKS OF THE FUND

EQUITY: The Fund may be affected by stock price variations, the scale of which is dependent on external factors, stock trading volumes or market capitalization.

CURRENCY: Currency risk is linked to exposure to a currency other than the Fund's valuation currency, either through direct investment or the use of forward financial instruments. **DISCRETIONARY MANAGEMENT:** Anticipations of financial market changes made by the Management Company have a direct effect on the Fund's performance, which depends on the stocks selected.

The Fund presents a risk of loss of capital.

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