

Active Management Eurozone Equities Large & Mids Caps

### MONTPENSIER ARBEVEL

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RD CLASS

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# Investment universe

Best Business Models SRI is invested in Euro zone equities with a predominance of large and medium-sized securities, incorporating SRI criteria into the process of selecting and analysing portfolio securities. The fund is labelled ISR and Towards Sustainability.

# Business Models Investment Process

► Analyse the business lifecycle, rating and segmenting Business Models

- Rapid Growth
- Mature Growth
- Recovery
- Transition

Characterizing responsible companies that have a positive impact on the environment and society, within the framework of the UN Sustainable Development Goals



Select in this universe the stocks whose couple "rating / stock market potential" is attractive





# BUSINESS MODELS BREAKDOWN



# NAV / FUND TOTAL ASSETS

| NAV (RD class)    | 3397.1   |
|-------------------|----------|
| Fund Total Assets | € 733.5M |

# SECTOR BREAKDOWN

|                          | Port. | Δ% |
|--------------------------|-------|----|
| Industrial Goods & Serv. | 17.9% |    |
| Technology               | 15.8% |    |
| Banks                    | 13.0% |    |
| Insurance                | 8.4%  |    |
| Chemicals                | 7.6%  |    |
| Consumer Prod. & Serv.   | 7.4%  |    |
| Utilities                | 6.5%  |    |
| Health Care              | 5.2%  |    |
| Construction & Materials | 4.7%  |    |
| Telecommunications       | 4.1%  |    |
| Automobiles & Parts      | 3.4%  |    |
| Food & Beverage          | 3.3%  |    |
| Media                    | 1.0%  |    |
| Energy                   | 1.0%  |    |
| Basic Resources          | 0.6%  |    |
| Retail                   | 0.0%  |    |
| Financial Services       | 0.0%  |    |
| Real Estate              | 0.0%  |    |
| Travel & Leisure         | 0.0%  |    |
| Pers. Care, Drug & Groce | 0.0%  |    |

\*Bench mark Net return / \*\*vs Benchmark / Volatility and TE calculation : Friday NAV, rolling weekly steps / Performance calculation: rolling month-end NAV | Past performance is not indicative of current or future results. The fund undertakes risks that may lead to a loss of capital.

Sources: Montpensier Arbevel / Stoxx

#### **RISK INDICATOR - SRI**



# COUNTRY BREAKDOWN

|                                      | Port.           |               | Δ%                                      |
|--------------------------------------|-----------------|---------------|---|
| France                               | 41.4%           |               |   |
| Germany                              | 20.1%           |               |   |
| Netherlands                          | 18.1%           |               |   |
| Italy                                | 7.3%            |               |   |
| Spain                                | 6.4%            |               |   |
| Ireland                              | 3.4%            |               |   |
| Belgium                              | 2.1%            |               | l.                                      |
| Others                               | 1.2%            |               |   |
| MAIN HOLE                            | DINGS           |               | ALL |
| ASML Holding                         | 9               | 5.1%          | SDG 9 툻                                 |
| SAP                                  |                 | 4.6%          | SDG 8                                   |
| LVMH                                 |                 | 4.2%          | SDG 8 📅                                 |
| 🛑 Sanofi                             |                 | 4.1%          | SDG 3 🐺                                 |
| Siemens                              |                 | 3.9%          | SDG 12 🐱                                |
| Schneider Ele                        | ectric          | 3.7%          | SDG 12 🐱                                |
| 🛑 Iberdrola SA                       |                 | 3.6%          | SDG 7                                   |
| Deutsche Tel                         | ekom AG-Nom     | 3.6%          | SDG 9 툻                                 |
| Allianz                              |                 | 3.4%          | SDG 8 \overline                         |
| Vinci                                |                 | 3.4%          | SDG 9 🐺                                 |
| <ul> <li>Mature Growth BM</li> </ul> | Rapid Growth BM | BM Transition | BM Recovery                             |

#### PERFORMANCES & RISK INDICATORS

|                         | BBM<br>(RD) | Euro Stoxx | Euro Stoxx<br>NR* |
|-------------------------|-------------|------------|-------------------|
| Perf. 2016              | -1.0%       | 1.5%       | 4.1%              |
| Perf. 2017              | 6.1%        | 10.1%      | 12.6%             |
| Perf. 2018              | -16.7%      | -14.8%     | -12.7%            |
| Perf. 2019              | 27.3%       | 23.0%      | 26.1%             |
| Perf. 2020              | 7.8%        | -1.6%      | 0.2%              |
| Perf. 2021              | 20.1%       | 20.4%      | 22.7%             |
| Perf. 2022              | -16.4%      | -14.4%     | -12.3%            |
| Perf. 2023              | 12.6%       | 15.7%      | 18.5%             |
| Perf. 2024              | 2.2%        | 6.5%       | 9.3%              |
| Perf. YTD - 2025        | 9.5%        | 10.8%      | 10.9%             |
| Perf. 5 years           | 46.4%       | 53.2%      | 71.1%             |
| Perf. 10 years          | 54.3%       | 52.4%      | 91.7%             |
| Perf. Inception (a)     | 121.6%      | 93.8%      | 173.0%            |
| Volatility 5 years      | 19.3%       | 20.1%      | 20.1%             |
| Volatility 3 years      | 15.8%       | 15.0%      | 15.0%             |
| Volatility 1 year       | 13.5%       | 13.2%      | 13.2%             |
| Beta 1 year**           | 1.0         |            |                   |
| Tracking error 1 year** | 3.1         |            |                   |

#### Details of past annual performance on page 4.

Source Bloomberg, Montpensier Arbevel / (a) 03/03/2011

Risk associated with discretionary investment management • Risk of loss of capital • Equity risk • Small caps risk • Sustainability risk • Emerging equities risk • Derivatives market risk • Interest rate risk • Convertible Bonds risk • Credit risk • Default risk • Foreign exchange market risk • Liquidity risk.

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#### PORTFOLIO

European markets recorded a second consecutive month of gains, supported by a generally solid annual earnings season. Most companies reported an improvement in activity at the end of 2024 and provided slightly better-thanexpected outlooks for 2025. At the same time, the period was marked by Donald Trump's tariff upheavals, as well as his willingness to end the Ukraine conflict and push NATO members to increase their military spending.

In this context, **our Business Models (BM) in Recovery** outperformed the benchmark index, driven by some of our banking holdings (Société Générale, Banco Santander) and Heineken, whose annual reports reassured investors.

Our **BM in Transition** also benefited from the strong performance of the banking sector (Intesa Sanpaolo, KBC, Bawag) and favorable statements from the ECB regarding simplification of the regulatory framework.

Among **our BM in Mature Growth**, Siemens stood out thanks to the resilience of its margins in line with its 2025 targets, while Deutsche Telekom was supported by strong results from its U.S. subsidiary.

Finally, within **our BM in Rapid Growth**, while we benefited from strong earnings reports from Ferrari and Adyen, we suffered from ongoing uncertainties regarding semiconductor equipment spending (ASM, ASML).

During the month, we increased our exposure to the technology sector (SAP) and continued building our position in GTT, while reducing our holdings in construction (Saint-Gobain) and media (Wolters Kluwer).

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#### FOCUS: ADYEN

#### adyen

Adyen is a major player in the European payments industry. The company's strategy is built around technological leadership aimed at gaining market share. Adyen's proprietary platform and technology enable it to address all client payment needs—whether in physical stores, mobile, or online—through a single product. The deployment of this technology is facilitated by fast transaction processing, a low rejection rate, and integration with more than 200 payment services worldwide, including Visa, Mastercard, SamsungPay, ApplePay, American Express, WeChat, Alipay, and PayPal.

With a strategy focused on organic growth, Adyen leverages the acquisition of new clients, the expansion of its existing client base (including Silicon Valley leaders such as Uber, Airbnb, and Spotify), and the increasing adoption of its technology among omnichannel retailers (H&M, Mango, and GAP).

Despite an uncertain macroeconomic environment, this Rapid Growth Business Model continues to benefit from strong intrinsic growth drivers.

After processing €1.3 trillion in transactions in 2024 (+33% vs. 2023), the group remains optimistic for 2025, a year in which it aims to accelerate revenue growth and further improve its operating margin.

#### FUND DATA

| Legal Status  | SICAV UCITS V                                     |
|---|---|
| AMF classification                                    | Euro zone equities                                |
| Inception date of the FCP<br>Best Business Models SRI | 10th April 2002                                   |
| Inception date of the<br>SICAV from the FCP<br>merger | 9th February 2016                                 |
| Currency  | EUR   |
| Approved for public<br>distribution in                | France, Belgium, Italy<br>Luxembourg, Switzerland |
| Isin  | IPC : FR0013079753                                |
|   | IPD : FR0013079738                                |
|   | IC: FR0013073731                                  |
|   | ID : FR0013076361                                 |
|   | RC : FR0013079761                                 |
|   | RD : FR0013079779<br>AC : FR001400IEH9            |
| Bloomberg   | IPC : MFBBMPC FP                                  |
|   | IPD : MFBBMPD FP                                  |
|   | IC : MFBBMIC FP                                   |
|   | ID : MFBBMID FP                                   |
|   | RC : MFBBMRC FP                                   |
|   | RD : MOBBMRD FP                                   |
|   | AC : MFBBMAC FP                                   |
| Asset Management Company                              | Montpensier Arbevel                               |
| Custodian   | CACEIS Bank                                       |
| Valuation   | Daily   |
| Cut-off   | 11:30 AM CET                                      |
| Investment horizon                                    | 5 years minimum                                   |
| PEA - Eligible (in France only)                       | Yes   |
| SFDR  | 9   |



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# Comment on Impact Indicators

The impact of the portfolio is being monitored as we want to contribute positively to the development of a sustainable economy.

### Breakdown by Rating ESG

We have no values rated below BB. Furthermore, the ESG ratings distribution of the portfolio highlights a larger number of AAA-rated values compared to the index

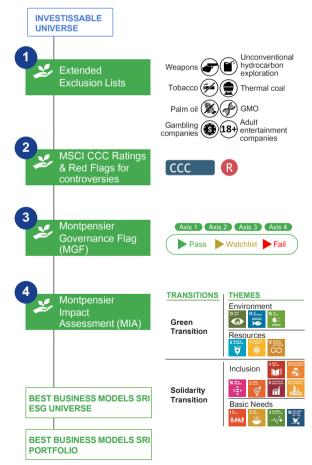
#### SDG Impact Analysis

Our proprietary Montpensier Impact Assessment method allows us to analyse the environmental and social impact of our stocks in accordance with the 17 UN SDGs. This month, we find that the portfolio has a particularly positive impact on SDGs 9, 8 and 12.

### Environmental performance

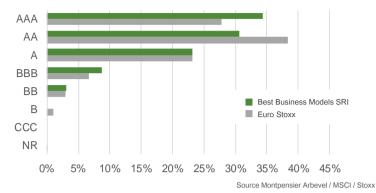
The portfolio's emissions are significantly lower than those of its index, while the portfolio's carbon intensity is slightly higher than that of its index.

Select **responsible** values with a **positive impact** on the environment and society



The approach of taking into account extra-financial criteria is a selective approach, based on the proprietary 4-step SRI analysis methodology, developed by Montpensier Arbevel, with the objective of mitigating sustainability risks, without however being able to guarantee that sustainability risks are totally neutralized. The data used is mainly supplied by MSCI ESG Research and may be supplemented, modified or updated by the Management Company from other sources.

# BREAKDOWN BY **ESG** RATING



# ENVIRONMENTAL PERFORMANCE

WEIGHTED AVERAGE CARBON INTENSITY Scope 1 et 2

(Tons of carbon emissions/ \$M Turnover) Best Business



CARBON FOOTPRINT Scope 1 et 2 (Tons of carbon emissions/ €M invested)\*

| Best Business<br>Models SRI | 33.2 |      |
|-----------------------------|------|------|
| Euro Stoxx                  |      | 62.7 |

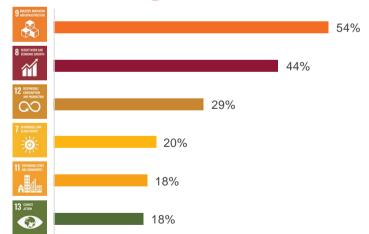
Available data for 100.00% of Best Business Models SRI and 99.90% of Euro Stoxx

At the date of the report, 41 companies, that is 91.11% of funds positions, accounting for 94.71% of the invested portfolio weight, officially disclose quantitative data about their GHG emisssions (Scope 1 and 2). Other data are based on M SCI ESG Research mations.

\*Under Delegated Regulation (EU) 2022/1288, starting from December 2023, the carbon footprint is standardized by EVIC (Enterprise Value + Cash). Previously, this standardization was conducted using market capitalization.

Source Montpensier Arbevel / MSCI

# SDG IMPACT ANALYSIS 🌑



Distribution of the involvement of portfolio companies in the UN-defined **Sustainable Development Goals**. A company may be involved in several SDGs.

1 Poverty. 2 Zero hunger. 3 Good health and well-being. 4 Quality education. 5 Gender equility. 6 Clean water and sanitation. 7 Affordable and clean energy. 8 Decent work and economic growth. 9 Industry, innovation and infrastructure. 10 Ireduced inaqualities. 11 Sustainable cities and ommunities. 12 Responsible consumption and production. 13 Climate action. 14 Live below water. 15 Life on land. 16 Peace, justice and strong institutions.

Source Montpensier Arbevel

# GLOSSARY

The glossary is available in the Impact Report.



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# PERFORMANCES & RISK INDICATORS (cont.)

|                  | Best Business    |            | <b>F</b> O( )     |
|------------------|------------------|------------|-------------------|
|                  | Models SRI<br>RD | Euro Stoxx | Euro Stoxx<br>NR* |
| Performance 2004 | -                | -          | -                 |
| Performance 2005 | -                | -          | -                 |
| Performance 2006 | -                | -          | -                 |
| Performance 2007 | -                | -          | -                 |
| Performance 2008 | -                | -          | -                 |
| Performance 2009 | -                | -          | -                 |
| Performance 2010 | -                | -          | -                 |
| Performance 2011 | -                | -          | -                 |
| Performance 2012 | 22.8%            | 15.5%      | 19.3%             |
| Performance 2013 | 23.2%            | 20.5%      | 23.7%             |
| Performance 2014 | -0.5%            | 1.7%       | 4.1%              |
| Performance 2015 | 17.4%            | 8.0%       | 10.3%             |
| Performance 2016 | -1.0%            | 1.5%       | 4.1%              |
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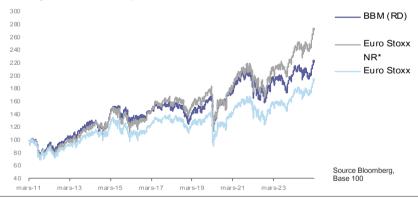
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Source Bloomberg, Montpensier Arbevel / Share class launched on 03/03/2011

\*Benchmark Net return. The reference to this index does not constitute an objective or a limitation in the management and composition of the portfolio, and the Fund does not restrict its universe. Past performance is not indicative of current or future results. The fund undertakes risks that may lead to a loss of capital.



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