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Annualized

790.95 M€ Total net assets

232.85 NAV

FR0013284536 ISIN Code

**Eurozone Small-Cap Equity** Morningstar Category

\*\*\*\* **Overall Rating** 

Country of registration





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RISK SCALE\*\*













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20% of the performance over the benchmark





### **BENCHMARK INDEX**

MSCI EMU Small Cap

### **Fund Information**

Legal Form SICAV Legal Domicile France UCITS **Bloomberg Code** LAZOSCC SFDR Classification Article 8 AMF Classification Eurozone equities Eligibility to PEA (personal equity savings plan) Yes **EURO** Currency

No restriction Subscribers concerned 31/10/2017 Inception date Date of share's first NAV calculation

Lazard Frères Gestion SAS Management company Lazard Frères Banque Custodian CACEIS Fund Admin Fund administration Daily

On next NAV for orders placed before 11:00 a.m

Frequency of NAV calculation Order execution Subscription terms

Settlement of redemptions Share decimalisation Minimum investment Subscription fees Redemption fees

Management fees (max) Performance fees (1)

Current expenses (PRIIPS KID)

\*\*Risk scale : For the SRI methodology, please refer to Art. 14(c) , Art. 3 and Annexes II and III PRIIPs RTS

1 share

1.43%

1.46%

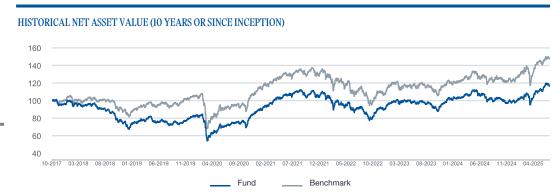
4% max. Nil

(1) Please refer to the Prospectus for more details about the performance

(3) Ratios calculated on a weekly basis

### INVESTMENT POLICY

The objective of the fund is to outperform, net of fees and over the minimum recommended investment period of five years, the Eurozone small and mid cap universe as represented by the MSCI EMU Small Cap index calculated on a total return basis.



Past performance is no quarantee of future performance and is assessed at the end of the recommended investment period.

### HISTORICAL PERFORMANCE Cumulative

	1 Month	YTD	1 Year	3 Years	5 Years	Inception	3 Years	5 Years
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Fund	0.91%	17.34%	12.18%	26.67%	61.53%	15.34%	8.20%	10.07%
Benchmark	1.13%	19.86%	16.06%	30.20%	63.63%	46.41%	9.20%	10.35%
Difference	-0.22%	-2.52%	-3.88%	-3.53%	-2.09%	-31.07%	-1.00%	-0.28%

### PERFORMANCE BY CALENDAR YEAR

	2024	2023	2022	2021	2020	2019	2018
Fund	-3.97%	14.21%	-16.87%	24.10%	6.83%	17.71%	-27.02%
Benchmark	0.45%	14.09%	-19.87%	20.94%	6.10%	25.13%	-17.18%

## TRAILING 1Y PERFORMANCE

	07 2025	07 2024	07 2023	07 2022	07 2021	07 2020	07 2019
Fund	12.18%	4.20%	8.36%	-15.14%	50.27%	-5.08%	-16.41%
Benchmark	16.06%	5.68%	6.15%	-13.39%	45.10%	-6.15%	-4.98%

### RISK RATIOS\*\*\*

	1 Year	3 Years		1 Year	3 Years
Volatility			Sharpe ratio	0.74	0.40
Fund	13.26%	13.31%	Alpha	-0.52	0.35
Benchmark	15.50%	15.26%	Beta	0.79	0.82
Tracking Error	5.96%	5.38%			
Information ratio	-0.71	-0.26			

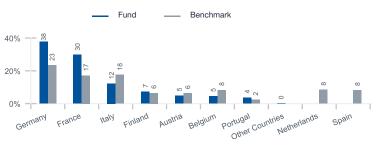
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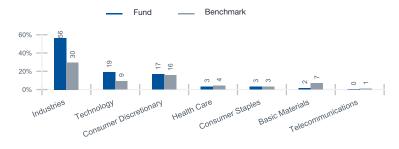
### MAIN HOLDINGS Holdings Weight Country Sector Fund ALZCHEM GROUP AG Industries 5.3% 0.2% KSB PREF SHS Germany Industries 4.9% VOSSLOH AG. Germany Industries 4.6% SOPRA STERIA GROUP France Technology 0.5% 4.5% 74SOFTWARE France Technology 4.4% ALTEN France Technology 3.0% CEWE STIFTUNG & CO. KGAA Consumer Discretionary Germany 3.0% 0.1% VIRBAC France Health Care 2.9% 0.3% IPSOS SA France Consumer Discretionary 2.9% 0.3% DE LONGHI SPA Italy Consumer Discretionary 2.8% 0.4% Total 38.5% 2.4%

Positions sold

# GEOGRAPHICAL BREAKDOWN (%) (Top 10)



### SECTOR BREAKDOWN (%)



### MAIN TRANSACTIONS

COMER INDUSTRIES S.P.A.

New positions

# Positions increased Positions reduced SILTRONIC AG ALZCHEM GROUP AG AMADEUS FIRE AG. VOSSLOH AG.

### CAPITALIZATION BREAKDOWN (%)



### CURRENCY BREAKDOWN (%)



### RELATIVE OVER AND UNDERWEIGHTS

### RELATIVE CONTRIBUTORS TO PERFORMANCE

Overexposures Underexposures		First positive contributors			First negative contributors				
ALZCHEM GROUP AG	5.1%	BAWAG GROUP AG	-1.7%		Absolute return	Relative contribution (bp)		Absolute return	Relative contribution (bp)
KSB PREF SHS	4.9%	SPIE SA	-1.4%	ASSYSTEM SA	18.0%	37	74SOFTWARE	-7.7%	-42
74SOFTWARE	4.4%	MONTE DEI PASCHI DI SIENA	-1.2%	ALZCHEM GROUP AG	7.3%	32	SOPRA STERIA GROUP	-8.5%	-40
VOSSLOH AG.	4.4%	HENSOLDT AG.	-1.2%	NORMA GROUP SE	13.4%	27	F.I.L.A. SPA	-10.6%	-36
					Total	96		Total	-118

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### FUND MANAGERS COMMENT

European equity markets ended July on a positive note, supported by the release of half-year earnings reports and the announcement of a trade tariff agreement between the European Union and the United States. The Euro Stoxx index posted a 1.0% gain. Small cap stocks followed a similar trend, with the Lazard Small Caps Euro fund and the MSCI EMU Small Cap index recording respective increases of 0.9% and 1.1% over the month. Since the beginning of the year, the fund and the MSCI EMU Small Cap index have risen by 17.1% and 19.9%, respectively, compared to a 14.5% increase for the Euro Stoxx. In July, performance was particularly bolstered by the French nuclear engineering group Assystem (+18%), which raised its growth forecasts for the current fiscal year. Alzchem (+7%), Norma Group (+13%), Hiab (+16%), and KSB (+7%) also contributed positively during the month, largely driven by solid half-year earnings releases. On the other hand, Takkt (-19%) downgraded its forecast for the year. Declines from 74Software (-8%), Sopra Steria (-9%), and Ipsos (-10%), despite earnings in line with expectations, also weighed on both absolute and relative performance. Lastly, F.I.L.A. (-11%) dropped ahead of its half-year results. During the month, we sold the remaining position in Spie, as the stock recently reached an all-time high after gaining more than 70% since the start of the year, bringing its market capitalization to over €8 billion. We also took profits on positions in Alzchem and Vossloh. Proceeds from these sales were reinvested across several portfolio holdings, most notably Siltronic, Amadeus Fire, Comer Industries, Sopra Steria, and Alten.

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Glossary:

Alpha represents the return of a portfolio that is attributable to the manager's investment decisions. Beta measures a fund's sensitivity to movements in the overall market. Information ratio represents the value added by the manager (excess return) divided by the tracking error. Sharpe ratio measures return in excess of the risk free rate for every unit of risk taken. Tracking error measures the volatility of the difference between a portfolio's performance and the benchmark. Volatility is a measure of the fund's returns in relation to its historic average. Yield to Maturity indicates the rate of return generated if a security is held to its maturity date. Coupon Yield is the annual coupon value divided by the price of the bond.

Average Credit Spread is the credit spread of a bond over LIBOR, taking into account the value of the embedded option.

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Modified Duration is the percentage change in the value of a bond resulting from a 1% interest rate change.

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Spread Duration is the sensitivity of a bond price to a change in spreads.

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