

MIV Global Medtech Fund

Sub-Fund of an investment company with variable capital SICAV



Monthly report March 2026

Marketing document for private and institutional investors

Facts Fund class N2

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| Net Asset Value per Fund share EUR | 2'308.27 |
| Assets EUR m (all Fund classes) | 1'291 |
| Investment level | 100% |
| Liquidity | 0% |

Industry breakdown

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| Ophthalmology | 11% |
| Hospital Equipment | 10% |
| Surgical Instruments | 8% |
| In-vitro Diagnostics | 7% |
| Orthopaedics | 7% |
| Diabetes | 6% |
| Endoscopy | 5% |
| Interventional Cardiology | 5% |
| Disposable Medical Supplies | 5% |
| Other Medical Technology Sectors | 36% |

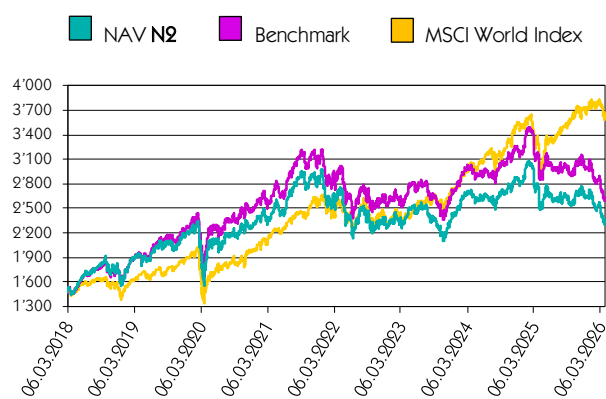
Holdings

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| Stryker | 10% | ResMed | 3% |
| Abbott Laboratories | 10% | GE HealthCare | 3% |
| Intuitive Surgical | 10% | Becton Dickinson | 3% |
| Boston Scientific | 9% | Steris | 3% |
| Medtronic | 5% | DexCom | 3% |
| Edwards Lifesciences | 5% | Johnson & Johnson | 2% |
| EssilorLuxottica | 5% | Siemens Healthineers | 2% |
| HOYA | 5% | Insulet | 2% |
| IDEXX Laboratories | 4% | Thermo Fisher Scientific | 2% |
| Alcon | 4% | 17 small holdings | 12% |

Currency breakdown

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| USD | 76% | CHF | 6% |
| EUR | 8% | GBP | 2% |
| JPY | 6% | DKK | 1% |

Performance Fund class N2 EUR



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| Performance in EUR | March | 2026 | 1 year | 3 years | 5 years | 10 years | Inception |
|----------------------------|--------|--------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|
| MIV Global Medtech Fund N2 | -10.1% | -12.3% | -16.6% | -3.5% | -5.6% | n.a. | 55.8% |
| Benchmark * | -9.9% | -12.9% | -18.0% | -2.0% | -2.2% | n.a. | 75.3% |
| MSCI World Index | -4.1% | -1.7% | 11.5% | 50.1% | 66.3% | n.a. | 146.3% |
| | | | 4.21-3.22 | 4.22-3.23 | 4.23-3.24 | 4.24-3.25 | 4.25-3.26 |
| MIV Global Medtech Fund N2 | | | 9.7% | -10.8% | 14.1% | 1.5% | -16.6% |
| Benchmark * | | | 10.2% | -9.5% | 14.7% | 4.2% | -18.0% |
| MSCI World Index | | | 16.3% | -4.8% | 25.8% | 7.0% | 11.5% |

* MSCI World Healthcare Equipment & Supplies

Company Headlines

In March, the market environment was significantly affected by the escalation of the conflict in Iran, which further intensified the risk aversion already observed since the beginning of the year. While commodity-related sectors benefited from rising energy prices, the medical technology sector came under pressure. The direct impact on the industry remains limited, as medtech companies have only minimal revenue exposure to Iran and the immediate conflict region. In contrast, higher energy, raw material, and logistics costs could increase input costs and weigh on margins in the short term. Indirect effects, however, were already clearly visible during the reporting period: driven by higher oil prices and rising inflation expectations, long-term interest rates have increased, leading to further multiple compression in this growth-oriented sector. Despite these macro-economic headwinds, the fundamental trends remain largely intact: procedure volumes are expected to continue developing steadily, innovation pipelines are progressing as planned, and the portfolio-weighted EPS growth is still expected to be around 11% for 2026, with approximately 12% in the following years. Nevertheless, several portfolio holdings reacted sensitively and recorded double-digit percentage share price declines. At the same time, the recent valuation contraction is increasingly creating attractive entry points: the portfolio's weighted price-to-earnings ratio for 2026 is now below 24x, and around 21x and 19x for 2027 and 2028, respectively – levels that correspond to a multi-year low and further improve the risk-reward profile. We are convinced that the robust fundamental dynamics of the medical technology sector, combined with now significantly more moderate valuations, provide a solid foundation for a more positive performance, provided that the geopolitical conflict does not escalate materially.

End March, at the American College of Cardiology meeting, **Boston Scientific**, one of the core investments of the fund, revealed much-anticipated data from the large Champion-AF clinical trial. The data showed that Boston Scientific stoke prevention device Watchman FLX provides superior protection from bleeding compared to novel oral anticoagulant drugs (NOACs) in patients with atrial fibrillation (AF). The device also proved non-inferior to oral anticoagulants in reducing stroke, cardiovascular death, or systemic embolism. Boston Scientific stock dropped nevertheless as some investors focused on the slightly higher number of ischemic strokes among patients in the device group compared to those in the medical therapy group. However, event rates were very low in both groups with patients on the drug regime much more compliant than in real world. In our view, the overall positive data should support an update to clinical guidelines and an expansion in the indication and coverage for the already well-established Watchman platform as a first-line stroke risk reduction option.

Investments in medical devices

Investment Strategy

The MIV Global Medtech Fund invests globally in listed medical device companies. The investment process is based on a combined top-down / bottom-up approach. Against the background of the particular macroeconomic environment, the most interesting markets and companies are determined based on an intensive primary analysis. Alongside an attractive valuation, a strong market position, good growth potential, excellent products, sustainable profitability and high-quality management are the decisive parameters for investment. The consideration of sustainability criteria (ESG) is integrated in the research, analysis and investment process. Risks are managed by means of portfolio diversification. The portfolio of the MIV Global Medtech Fund is structured more defensively or cyclically in the best possible anticipation of economic trends, with a view to achieving a higher return than the benchmark and the general market indices.

Benefits

Owing to demographic trends and the desire for quality of life and mobility, the medical device industry is a long-term growth market. Emerging markets will have a positive impact on the medical device industry's future growth thanks to the state-backed expansion of their healthcare systems. Medical device suppliers' priority is the development of innovative, minimally invasive products. These are beneficial for patients and cost efficient for the healthcare system due to shorter convalescence periods. Most interesting from an investor's perspective are the industry's high growth rates, above-average profitability and oligopolistic market structures with their high entry barriers for new competitors. Even in a demanding environment, significant product innovations continue to offer attractive growth prospects.

Risks

The MIV Global Medtech Fund invests in equity securities and may therefore be subject to high fluctuations in value. For this reason, a medium-term to long-term investment horizon and corresponding risk tolerance and capacity are required for an investment into this Sub-Fund. As the MIV Global Medtech Fund pursues an active management style, the Sub-Fund's performance can deviate substantially from that of its reference index. The focus on equity securities of global medical device companies potentially exposes the Sub-Fund to additional sector-specific risks and currency risks. The Sub-Fund may, for the purpose of hedging and the efficient management of the portfolio, make use of derivatives, which can lead to additional risks (particularly counter party risk). All investments are subject to market fluctuations. Every Fund has specific risks, which can significantly increase under unusual market conditions.

Sustainability profile - ESG

MIV Asset Management identifies, monitors and mitigates ESG risks that are, or could become, material to the performance of medical technology companies. The approach is based on the following factors:

- **Integration:** The consideration of sustainability criteria (ESG) is integrated into the research, analysis and investment process. The Fund invests in companies with a good ESG profile. The Fund does not invest in companies with a Sustainalytics ESG Risk Rating above 40 (severe) as well as a Sustainalytics Controversy Score above 4 (high).
- **Exclusion:** The Fund excludes investments in companies, that are not compliant with global norms (OECD Guidelines for Multinational Enterprises, UN Guiding Principles for Business and Human Rights, International Labour Organization's Fundamental Principles) as well as investments in controversial industries (particularly conventional and controversial weapons).
- **Sustainable Investments:** A minimum portion of 33% of assets is invested in Sustainable Investments with a social objective (contribution to UN Sustainable Development Goals).
- **Dialogue:** Close and regular contact with the management of actual and potential investments, amongst other, with the goal of improving ESG practices and disclosure at these companies.
- **Ownership rights:** Exercise of MIV Global Medtech Fund's voting rights delegated to the ISS proxy with Sustainability Policy. In case of controversial decisions, MIV Asset Management gets directly involved.

- The MIV Global Medtech Fund is classified as a financial product under **EU SFDR Article 8**
- MIV Asset Management is a signatory to the **UN Principles for Responsible Investment**
- The MIV Global Medtech Fund's investments support **UN Sustainable Development Goals, in particular no. 1, 3, 5, 8 and 10**
- MIV Asset Management works together with the **proxy ISS with Sustainability Policy**
- The MIV Global Medtech Fund has an **above-average MSCI ESG Score (6.6) and MSCI ESG Rating (A)**
- The MIV Global Medtech Fund has an **above-average Sustainalytics ESG profile**

Glossary

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| Benchmark | An index, which is used as a reference for the measurement of the performance of the Fund. |
| Inception | Launch date of the Fund and/or the Fund class. |
| Management fee | Portfolio Manager's fee for the management and the distribution of the Fund. |
| NAV | Net Asset Value: total Fund assets divided by total number of Fund shares outstanding. |
| TER | Total Expense Ratio: sum of all fees and costs, which are charged to the Fund on a continuous basis. |

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Information

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| Website | www.mivglobalmedtech.ch |
| Legal structure | Sub-Fund of Variopartner SICAV, an investment fund under Luxembourg law |
| Fund class | N2 (EUR) accumulation / ISIN: LU1769944874 / Swiss Valor Number: 40341212 / WKN: A2JGME |
| Subscription/redemption | On every bank working day in Luxembourg until 3.45 p.m. at net asset value (no calculation of net asset values on bank/stock exchange holidays in Luxembourg and/or the US) |
| Management fee | 1.0% p.a. |
| Total Expense Ratio (TER) as of 31.12.2025 | 1.20% |
| Launch of fund | 11 March 2008 |
| Launch of fund class N2 | 6 March 2018 |
| Close of financial year | 30 June |
| Benchmark | MSCI World Healthcare Equipment & Supplies |
| Reporting of the Portfolio Manager | Monthly, semester and yearly report |
| Fund price monitoring | www.mivglobalmedtech.ch / www.swissfunddata.ch / www.fundinfo.com Bloomberg: VARMVN2 LX / Reuters: LU1769944874.LUF / Neue Zürcher Zeitung |
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Further information on the distribution of the fund's shares in an official language of the respective distribution country can be found on the corresponding website:

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| Germany | https://gfdplatform.pwc.lu/facilities-agent/view/vs-de |
| Finland | https://gfdplatform.pwc.lu/facilities-agent/view/vs-fi |
| France | https://gfdplatform.pwc.lu/facilities-agent/view/vs-fr |
| Ireland | https://gfdplatform.pwc.lu/facilities-agent/view/vs-ie |
| Italy | https://gfdplatform.pwc.lu/facilities-agent/view/vs-it |
| Netherlands | https://gfdplatform.pwc.lu/facilities-agent/view/vs-nl |
| Norway | https://gfdplatform.pwc.lu/facilities-agent/view/vs-no |
| Sweden | https://gfdplatform.pwc.lu/facilities-agent/view/vs-sv |
| Spain | https://gfdplatform.pwc.lu/facilities-agent/view/vs-es |

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