## Small\&Mid Caps Europe

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$\begin{array}{llllllll} \\ \text { Risk profile } & 1 & 2 & 3 & 4 & 5 & 6 & 7\end{array}$


The equity markets continued to be preoccupied by the trade war and its potential impact on world growth. Certain companies have already revised downward their forecasts for 2018 results in reaction to this, notably in the automobile sector. In Europe, the political crises keep coming: after Italy, attention has shifted to Germany, were Mrs Merkel's position regarding has been put into question, notably concerning immigration issues. In this context, the small caps fell in line with the large caps.
Mandarine Unique underperformed its benchmark index, penalised by certain automobile equipment suppliers such as Rheinmetall and Plastic Omnium and by profit-taking in Rubis In contrast, more defensive companies such as Straumann (dental implants). Amplifon (audio implants) and Diasorin (diagnostic tests) performed well on these turbulent markets.
Over the month, we sold certain cyclical stocks where we believe that the visibility of the growth profile has been eroded at this point (Voestalpine, Norma etc.) in favour of stocks where we believe that earnings are less correlated to the cycle such as S\&T (onboard computers and IT consulting services), Elekta (radiotherapy machines) and Thule (world leader in rooftop boxes).

## PERFORMANCES



The data presented relates to past periods, past performance is not an indicator of future results. Statistical indicators are calculated on a weekly basis.

Rolling performances

|  |  |  | Fund | Bench. | Rank* |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1 month |  |  | -1,25\% | -0,51\% | 160/259 |
| Year-To-Date 2018 |  |  | +1,63\% | +1,50\% | 140/244 |
| 1 year |  |  | +9,53\% | +8,40\% | 82/215 |
| 3 years |  |  | +19,99\% | +19,21\% | 77/175 |
| 5 years |  |  | +79,93\% | +78,10\% | 59/133 |
| Since inception |  |  | +176,93\% | +121,36\% | 11/110 |
|  |  |  | *Morning | star - Europe E | ity Mid Cap |
| Annual performances |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | 2018 | 2017 | 2016 | 2015 | 2014 |
| Fund | +1,63\% | +20,15\% | -6,22\% | +25,01\% | +8,75\% |
| Bench. | +1,50\% | +18,10\% | +0,52\% | +15,68\% | +4,93\% |
| Risk Data |  |  | 1 year | 3 years |  |
| Fund standard deviation |  |  | 11,54\% | 12,85\% |  |
| Index standard deviation |  |  | 10,97\% | 13,85\% |  |
| Tracking Error |  |  | 2,93\% | 4,74\% |  |
| Information ratio |  |  | 0,35 | 0,04 |  |
| Sharpe ratio |  |  | 0,82 | 0,48 |  |

## PORTFOLIO STRUCTURE

Main holdings

| B\&M EUROPEAN VALUE RETAIL | $3,24 \%$ | Cons. Services / Luxembourg |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
| TELEPERFORMANCE | $2,87 \%$ | Cons. Services / France |
| ELIS SA | $2,63 \%$ | Industrials / France |
| DIASORIN S.P.A. | $2,48 \%$ | Health Care / Italy |
| WORLDLINE SA | $2,33 \%$ | Industrials / France |
| WEIR GROUP | $2,06 \%$ | Industrials / Great-Britain |
| ACKERMANS \& VAN HAAREN | $2,06 \%$ | Finance / Belgium |
| STRAUMANN HOLDING AG | $2,05 \%$ | Health Care / Switzerland |
| RUBIS | $1,96 \%$ | Utilities / France |
| UDG | $1,95 \%$ | Cons. Services / Ireland |


| Sectors |  |  |
| :--- | ---: | :--- |
| Industrials |  |  |
| Cons. Services | $30,16 \%$ |  |
| Health Care | $15,03 \%$ |  |
| Finance | $10,33 \%$ |  |
| Cons. Goods | $7,04 \%$ |  |
| Technology | $6,42 \%$ |  |
| Basic Materials | $6,26 \%$ |  |
| Automobiles | $4,42 \%$ |  |
| Construction | $2,68 \%$ |  |
| Utilities | $2,37 \%$ |  |
| Oil \& Gas | $1,96 \%$ |  |
| Insurance | $1,38 \%$ | $\square$ |
| Cash \& others | $1,04 \%$ | $\square$ |


| Countries |  | Capitalisa |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| France | 22,79\% | Large Cap | 11,31\% |  |
| Great-Britain | 13,54\% | Mid Cap | 63,31\% |  |
| Switzerland | 11,58\% | Small Cap | 14,47\% |  |
| Germany | 10,38\% | Cash \& others | 10,91\% |  |
| Italy | 9,19\% |  |  |  |
| Luxembourg | 4,78\% |  |  |  |
| Austria | 3,56\% | Currency |  |  |
| Belgium | 3,44\% |  |  |  |
| Ireland | 3,00\% | EUR | 64,44\% |  |
| Sweden | 2,41\% | GBP | 20,18\% |  |
| Netherlands | 1,67\% | CHF | 11,58\% |  |
| Spain | 1,45\% | SEK | 2,42\% |  |
| Denmark | 1,30\% | DKK | 1,31\% |  |
| Cash \& others | 10,91\% | USD | 0,07\% |  |

## OVER THE MONTH

Main transactions

| Purchases (+) / Reinforcements | Sales (-)/Cutbacks |
| :---: | :---: |
| S\&T (+) | VOESTALPINE (-) |
| ELEKTA (+) | NORMA $(-)$ |
| THULE GROUP $(+)$ | RPC $(-)$ |
| B\&M EUROPEAN VALUE RETAIL SA | FNAC DARTY |

Contribution to monthly performance

Major contributors

| DIASORIN S.P.A. | $+0,38 \%$ |
| :--- | :--- |
| TELEPERFORMANCE | $+0,30 \%$ |
| STRAUMANN HOLDING AG | $+0,26 \%$ |
| AMPLIFON SPA | $+0,17 \%$ |
| ELIS SA | $+0,15 \%$ |

## Major detractors

| SILTRONIC AG | $-0,18 \%$ |
| :--- | :--- |
| UDG | $-0,19 \%$ |
| RHEINMETALL AG | $-0,19 \%$ |
| WEIR GROUP | $-0,20 \%$ |
| RUBIS | $-0,21 \%$ |

## CHARACTERISTICS


*Capitalisation range (billion €) : MEGA > 39,426 / LARGE > 10,343 / MID > 2,332 / SMALL > 0,584 / MICRO < 0,584

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