

# **Alger Small Cap Focus Fund**

A Sub-Fund of Alger SICAV

The Management Company of Alger SICAV is La Francaise AM International

Class I-3EUH (LU1732799579)

### **KEY INVESTOR INFORMATION**

This document provides you with key investor information about this fund. It is not marketing material. The information is required by law to help you understand the nature and the risks of investing in this fund. You are advised to read it so you can make an informed decision about whether to invest.

## **Objectives and Investment Policy**

**Alger SICAV-Alger Small Cap Focus Fund** (the Fund) seeks long term capital appreciation.

The Fund generally invests at least two-third of its net assets in equity securities of companies that, at the time of purchase of the securities, have total market capitalization between:

(1) The higher of:

(a) US\$5 billion; or (b) the company with the highest capitalization in the Russell 2000 Growth Index, at any time during the most recent 12-month period as reported by such index; or (c) the company with the highest capitalization in the MSCI USA Small Cap Index, at any time during the most recent 12-month period as reported by such index; (each of the Russell 2000 Growth Index and the MSCI USA Small Cap Index, an "Index" and together, the "Indexes"); and

#### (2) The lower of:

(a) the company in the Russell 2000 Growth Index with the lowest capitalization, at any time during the most recent 12-month period as reported by such Index; or (b) the company in the MSCI USA Small Cap Index with the lowest capitalization, at any time during the most recent 12-month period as reported by such Index.

The Fund invests also in technology companies focused in the fields of medicine and information.

The Sub-Fund intends to invest a substantial portion of its assets in a small number of issuers, and may concentrate its holdings in fewer business sectors or industries. The Sub-Fund will hold approximately 50 securities. The number of securities held by the Sub-Fund may occasionally exceed this range for a variety of reasons.

Shareholders may redeem shares by sending a written redemption request to the Registrar and Transfer Agent. Redemption requests must be received by the Registrar and Transfer Agent in good order by 5:00 p.m. (Luxembourg time) on the Business Day preceding the Valuation Date on which the shares are to be redeemed. The right of redemption may be suspended under certain extraordinary circumstances. It is the present intention of the Board of Directors not to recommend the payment of any cash dividends out of net results. Normally, all the net investment income and all net realized and unrealized capital gains will be accumulated and shall increase the Net Asset Value per Share. Please refer to the "Dividends and Distributions" section in the Prospectus for further information.

Recommendation: This Fund may not be appropriate for investors who plan to withdraw their money within less than five years.

#### **Risk and Reward Profile**



This indicator is based on synthetic data and may not be a reliable indication of the future risk and reward profile of the Fund. The risk category shown is not guaranteed and may shift over time. The category 1 does not mean a risk free investment.

Alger Small Cap Focus Fund Class I-3EUH has been classified in category 6 because the fluctuation of its Net Asset Value is relatively high. The opportunity to achieve large gains corresponds to a risk of incurring large losses.

When categorizing a fund, the methodology may not fully capture all material risks. A detailed description of the risks can be found in the Prospectus. The following risks do not have an impact on the categorization of the Fund but may be relevant to the Fund's overall risk profile:

Risks related to investments in companies of small capitalizations: Stocks of small capitalization companies may be at greater risk than those of larger, more established companies owing to such factors as inexperienced management and limited financial resources. Full development of these companies takes time and, for this reason, an investment in this Sub-Fund should be considered long term and not as a vehicle for seeking short term profits, nor should an investment in this Sub-Fund be considered a complete investment program. Many small companies' stocks trade less frequently and in smaller volume and may be subject to more abrupt or erratic price movements than stocks of larger companies. The securities of small companies may also be more sensitive to market changes than the securities of large companies.

Risks related to investments in growth stocks: Prices of growth stocks tend to be higher in relation to their companies' earnings. Growth stocks may be more sensitive to market, economic and political developments than other stocks, which makes their prices more volatile.

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### **Charges**

These charges are used to pay the costs of running the Fund, including the costs of marketing and distributing it. These charges reduce the potential growth of your investment.

#### One-off charges taken before or after you invest

Entry charge None
Exit charge None

This is the maximum that might be taken out of your money before it is invested or before the proceeds of your investment are paid out.

## Charges taken from the Fund over each year

Ongoing charge 1.15%

# Charges taken from the Fund under specific conditions

Performance fee None

The entry and exit charges shown are maximum figures. In some cases you might pay less. For more information about charges, please see the "Charges and Expenses of the Fund" section in the Prospectus or ask your Financial Intermediary.

A shareholder may make four exchanges per year without incurring an exchange charge, initial subscription charge or exit charge. Thereafter, the Fund may charge an exchange fee of up to one percent, per exchange, of the value of the shares to be exchanged.

The ongoing charge figure is an estimate. This figure may vary from year to year. It excludes portfolio transaction costs. For more information about charges, please see the "Charges and Expenses of the Fund" section of the Prospectus, which is available at <a href="https://www.alger.com">www.alger.com</a>.

### **Past Performance**

There is insufficient data to produce a useful indication of Past Performance for the Fund.

The Fund's past performance is not a reliable indicator of how it will perform in the future.

The chart does not reflect the effect of sales charges that may be imposed.

The past performance of the class is calculated in Euro.

Alger SICAV - Alger Small Cap Focus Fund commenced

investment operations on 29 January 2016. This class is yet to launch.

## **Practical Information**

State Street Bank Luxembourg S.C.A. is the custodian of Alger SICAV.

Alger SICAV - Alger Small Cap Focus Fund is a sub-fund of Alger SICAV. This Key Investor Information Document describes Alger SICAV - Alger Small Cap Focus Fund. The Prospectus and the periodic reports are prepared for Alger SICAV. The assets and liabilities of each sub-fund of Alger SICAV are segregated by law which means that only the gains and losses of Alger SICAV - Alger Small Cap Focus Fund are relevant for the investor.

The Prospectus, annual and semi-annual reports and other information about the Fund can be obtained from Alger SICAV free of charge. The Prospectus is available in English, French and German. The annual and semi-annual reports are available in English, Spanish, French and German. The issue and redemption prices will be published at <a href="https://www.alger.com">www.alger.com</a>.

The taxation regime applicable to Alger SICAV in Luxembourg may have an impact on the personal tax position of investors. Please check with a tax professional to learn about how this Fund will affect your tax position.

Alger SICAV may be held liable solely on the basis of any statement contained in this document that is misleading, inaccurate, or inconsistent with the relevant parts of the Prospectus for Alger SICAV.

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The up-to-date remuneration policy of the Management Company, including, but not limited to, a description of how remuneration and benefits are calculated, the identity of persons responsible for awarding the remuneration and benefits, including the composition of the remuneration committee, is made available at: <a href="http://lfgrou.pe/xxDHv0">http://lfgrou.pe/xxDHv0</a>. A paper copy is available free of charge upon request at the Management Company's registered office.

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