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#### INVESTMENT STRATEGY

The fund's approach combines the two investment styles of Value Investing and Event Orientation. For the advisory team, Value Investing means avoiding fundamental risks by purchasing companies with a high level of business quality, good management and attractive valuations. Event Orientation is intended to help reduce market price risks by increasing the value of investments through positive events. A cash-flow-oriented approach and the calculation of the time-weighted return make investments in shares and bonds comparable and correspondingly weighted. The prerequisite for this is a high degree of planning capability and security of cash flows. This means that the focus in the equity sector is on winning companies, and on financial stability for debt securities. A variable liquidity reserve makes it possible to take advantage of opportunities that arise. The combination of Value and Event is intended to significantly reduce the risk profile compared to a pure equity investment and to achieve more stable performance. The objective in terms of yield and market price fluctuation is a beta to the stock market of 0.3 to 0.6.

## PERFORMANCE SINCE INCEPTION



## MONTHLY PERFORMANCE SINCE INCEPTION

	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	YTD
2008												-0.1%	-0.1%
2009	-0.6%	-3.5%	2.3%	11.2%	5.8%	-0.5%	4.6%	2.2%	4.4%	-0.9%	1.4%	2.1%	31.5%
2010	1.2%	3.1%	2.9%	0.9%	-1.6%	2.0%	2.2%	-0.2%	1.3%	3.5%	-2.1%	3.5%	17.8%
2011	0.6%	1.8%	-1.1%	0.8%	1.5%	-0.7%	-0.8%	-5.5%	-2.1%	5.2%	-1.3%	3.9%	1.9%
2012	3.1%	4.2%	1.1%	-0.4%	-1.7%	0.8%	2.1%	0.7%	1.4%	0.8%	0.3%	0.2%	13.2%
2013	3.1%	2.6%	1.7%	-0.0%	1.1%	-0.9%	0.2%	-1.4%	0.2%	1.1%	0.9%	-0.4%	8.4%
2014	-0.8%	1.6%	1.8%	0.7%	0.5%	-0.4%	0.1%	1.0%	1.2%	-1.3%	2.8%	0.0%	7.4%
2015	1.9%	2.4%	2.1%	-0.4%	0.9%	-1.9%	2.5%	-2.1%	-1.3%	2.2%	2.2%	-1.9%	6.5%
2016	-3.0%	1.2%	0.6%	-1.6%	1.6%	-1.4%	3.2%	0.2%	-2.4%	0.7%	0.7%	2.9%	2.5%
2017	-0.1%	3.0%	0.9%	1.2%	0.4%	0.5%	0.2%	1.0%	0.7%	1.7%	-0.1%	-0.6%	8.9%
2018	1.8%	-1.3%	-2.1%	3.0%	2.5%	-1.1%	1.7%	1.9%	0.2%	-2.2%	-1.2%	-3.2%	-0.4%
2019	2.9%	1.4%	2.9%	2.3%	-3.8%	3.9%	0.8%	-1.5%	2.4%	0.9%	2.7%	2.2%	18.3%
2020	-0.3%	-5.6%	-10.6%	11.1%	5.9%	4.1%	0.7%	2.8%	-4.2%	-3.0%	5.9%	2.0%	7.1%
2021	1.1%	1.6%	1.9%	2.2%	-0.3%	2.8%	0.3%	1.7%	-2.3%	3.1%	-1.3%		11.2%

## PERFORMANCE RATIOS

	1 M	3 M	6 M	YTD	1 Y	3 Y	5 Y	7 Y	10 Y	Incep.
Performance	-1.3%	-0.5%	3.9%	11.2%	13.4%	36.4%	57.3%	66.8%	128.6%	247.2%
Performance (p.a.)	)				13.4%	10.9%	9.5%	7.6%	8.6%	10.1%
Volatility	10.2%	8.2%	7.9%	8.7%	8.6%	14.4%	11.9%	11.2%	9.9%	9.7%
Max. drawdown	-3.4%	-3.4%	-3.4%	-3.4%	-3.4%	-25.8%	-25.8%	-25.8%	-25.8%	-25.8%
Sharpe Ratio	-1.4	-0.2	1.0	1.5	1.6	0.8	0.8	0.7	0.9	1.0

## MONTHLY COMMENT

In November the fund price fell by 1.3%. Since the beginning of the year the increase has been 11.2%. Berkshire Hathaway reported strong quarterly results in the month under review. The operating result improved by 18% to USD 6.5 billion. Although Berkshire has acquired USD 20 billion of its own shares since the beginning of the year, liquidity increased by USD 9 billion to USD 144 billion in the same period. This corresponds to around 23% of the current market capitalisation. RTL improved its divestment-adjusted revenues by 9% in the past quarter. At the same time, the media group raised its targets in the booming streaming market. The objective is to grow to 10 million subscribers and a turnover of EUR 1 billion by the end of 2026. Natural cosmetics manufacturer L'Occitane announced the purchase of the American brand Sol de Janeiro for USD 450 million. Founded in 2015, this company is experiencing dynamic growth, especially in the segment of internet-savvy younger customers, and with annual revenues of USD 100 million and an EBITDA margin of 21%, it already boasts impressive key figures. In the third quarter, Munich RE benefited from the positive development of its primary insurance subsidiary Ergo and a strong investment result. Despite storms and the coronavirus crisis, the world's largest reinsurer posted a solid result of EUR 0.4 billion and confirmed its profit target of EUR 2.8 billion for the year. Adjusted for unrealised market value changes, Ryman Healthcare increased its net income by 9% for the first half of the financial year. At the same time, the retirement village operator announced that in future it would only pay out 30-50% of this base as a dividend instead of 50% as before. This takes into account special charges related to the coronavirus crisis and future growth in new residential complexes. In the month under review, we disposed of our remaining positions in AB InBev and Wix.com.

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#### THE BALANCED FUND

The aim of the fund is to achieve returns in line with equities, but on a continuous basis, so that investors can sleep soundly in all phases of the stock market. In keeping with the motto "We avoid stress", the fund is intended to provide a solid basis for a flexible and balanced investment strategy over the long term. The fund pursues an ESG strategy in accordance with Article 8 of Regulation (EU) 2019/2088 (Disclosure Regulation).

#### **PORTRAIT**

ISIN	DE000A0X7541
WKN	A0X754
Issue price	359.45
NAV	342.33
Redemtion price	342.33
Share class volume	4,209.49 Mn EUR
Fund volume	6,435.71 Mn EUR
End of business year	30.09.
Utilitization of income	accumulating
Fund domicile	Germany
Legal form	OGAW
Fund category	Balanced fund, flexible
Universe	international
Share class inception	15.12.2008
Fund inception date	15.12.2008
Share class currency	EUR
Fund currency	EUR
Distribution countries	AT, CH, DE, ES, FR, NL, PRT, IT
Minimum equity quota	25%
Partial tax release	15%
Minimum investment	none
Subsequent investment	none

## CONDITIONS

Ongoing charges	1.78%
Performance related fee	0.35%
Max. administration fee p.a.	1.80%
Max. custodian's fee p.a.	0.10%
Max. management fee p.a.	0.00%
Effective issuing price surcharge	5.00%
Effective redemption fee	0.00%

## **RATINGS**

Morningstar-Rating	****
Lipper Leaders	6622
€uro-FondsNote	(1)
Scope Fondsrating	(A)
Sauren	
Stiftung Warentest	••••

## **AWARDS**



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#### **KEY FIGURES**

Correlation to MSCI World GDR (EUR)	0.82
Beta to MSCI World GDR (EUR)	0.51
Standard deviation	0.61%
Tracking Error	5.61%
Information Ratio	0.45
Active return p.a.	2.70%
Key figures are calculated since inception	

#### **RISK-ADJUSTED KEY FIGURES**

Treynor Ratio	9.74%
Jensen's Alpha	2.50%
Max. drawdown	-25.83%
Maximum drawdown duration	1.00
Recovery period duration	3.00
Calmar Ratio	0.68
VaR (99% / 10 days)	-16.02%

## THE TEAM

GANÉ Aktiengesellschaft is an event-oriented value investor. The company was founded in 2007 in Aschaffenburg. The owners and board members Dr. Uwe Rathausky and J. Henrik Muhle have been in charge of the fund since its launch in December 2008. GANÉ Aktiengesellschaft is a fund manager under the liability umbrella of BN & Partners Capital AG.





Dr. Uwe Rathausky

J. Henrik Muhle

## ASSET-ALLOCATION

Equities	67.34%
Fixed / term deposits	24.40%
Bonds	8.03%
Cash	0.53%
Remaining Assets	0.13%
Dividend rights	0.12%
Other claims / liabilities	-0.55%
	100.00%

## **CURRENCY-ALLOCATION**

	100.00%
ZAR	0.92%
DKK	2.61%
NZD	2.94%
CHF	3.40%
NOK	3.70%
HKD	7.55%
USD	27.73%
EUR	51.16%

## **EQUITIES BY COUNTRY**

USA	24.51%
Germany	18.94%
Luxemburg	5.63%
Netherlands	4.19%
Switzerland	3.35%
New Zealand	2.94%
Denmark	2.58%
Great Britain	2.38%
Cayman Islands	1.92%
South Africa	0.92%

## **EQUITIES BY SECTOR**

Consumer Discretionary	16.35%
Financials	14.88%
IT	13.94%
Consumer Staples	8.98%
Health Care	5.52%
Communication Services	5.29%
Materials	2.38%

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## TOP-10-EQUITIES

L`Occitane International SA Actions Nominatives o.N.	5.63%
Berkshire Hathaway Inc. Registered Shares A DL 5	5.61%
Alphabet Inc. Reg. Shs Cl. A DL-,001	5.29%
Microsoft Corp. Registered Shares DL-,00000625	5.25%
Apple Inc. Registered Shares o.N.	4.82%
Prosus N.V. Registered Shares EO -,05	4.19%
SAP SE Inhaber-Aktien o.N.	3.87%
Münchener RückversGes. AG vink.Namens-Aktien o.N.	3.70%
Amazon.com Inc. Registered Shares DL -,01	3.54%
Allianz SE vink.Namens-Aktien o.N.	3.51%
Currently, there are 31 positions in the portfolio, whereof 19 are equity positions	45.42%

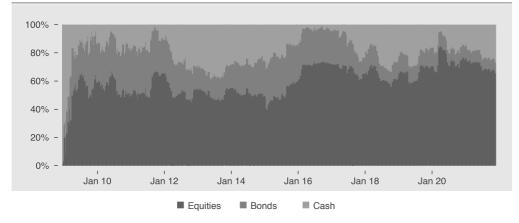
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## HISTORICAL ASSET-ALLOCATION (IN PERCENT)



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#### **FIXED INCOME RATIOS**

Coupon	1.57%
Yield	1.86%
Duration weighted yield	0.02
Earnings Yield	4.99%
Maturity Date (due date)	1.39
Maturity Date (next call)	1.38
Macaulay Duration (due date)	1.37
Macaulay Duration (next call)	1.32
Modified Duration	1.35%
Effective Duration	1.35%
Fixed income rating	A+

#### FIXED INCOME MATURITY PROFILE

0-1	2.63%
1-3	4.95%
3-5	0.44%

#### FIXED INCOME BY COUNTRY

Germany	3.66%
Ireland	3.40%
Nordic Investment Bank	0.50%
Netherlands	0.47%

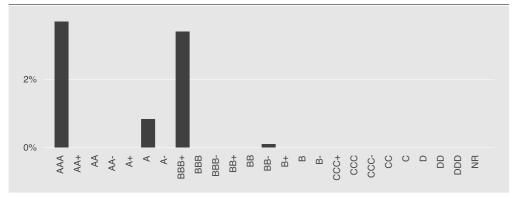
#### FIXED INCOME BY SECTOR

Financials, non-banking	4.80%
Sovereigns	3.22%

#### TOP-10-BONDS

Kreditanst.f.Wiederaufbau NK-Med.Term Nts. v.19(23)	1.98%
Grenke Finance PLC EO-Medium-Term Notes 2016(22)	0.94%
Allianz SE DL-Subord. MTN v.16(22/unb.)	0.83%
Landwirtschaftliche Rentenbank NK-Med.Term Nts 1188 v.19(23)	0.75%
Grenke Finance PLC EO-Medium-Term Notes 2018(23)	0.69%
Grenke Finance PLC EO-Medium-Term Notes 2019(24)	0.55%
Nordic Investment Bank NK-Medium-Term Notes 2017(23)	0.50%
BNG Bank N.V. NK-Medium-Term Notes 2017(22)	0.47%
Grenke Finance PLC EO-Medium-Term Notes 2019(25)	0.44%
Frenke Finance PLC EO-Medium-Term Notes 2018(23)	0.39%
	7 54%

## CREDIT RATING PROFILE



#### RISK-/REWARD-PROFILE

Lower risk	:				H	Higher risk
potentially lower yield potentially higher yiel			igher yield			
1	2	3	4	5	6	7

The fund is classed as a category 5 fund because the unit price is typically subject to relatively strong fluctuations and thus the risk of loss and the chance of gain are both relatively high.

## **CHANCES**

- + The fund is suitable for investors who are looking for equity and bond opportunities over a medium to long-term horizon, using an actively managed, flexible mixed fund.
- + The investor benefits from an experienced team with a proven analytical and investment approach.
- + The combination of value investing and event orientation can reduce both the fundamental and the market price risk of an investment.
- + The investor has the chance of a steady performance with less volatility than the stock market.
- + The fund is suitable for investors who value a high degree of transparency in reporting and value ongoing support.

## **RISKS**

- Past performance is not a reliable indicator of future performance.
- The prices of stocks, bonds and other assets can fluctuate sharply.
- Issuers are subject to credit risks, country risks, liquidity risks, price risks, currency risks, interest rate risks and other risks.
- Miscalculations in investment selection are possible.
- A well-proven analysis and investment approach does not guarantee future investment success.

Please read the Prospectus and, in particular, the risk notices within the Prospectus for a complete overview of all opportunities and risks relating to the Fund.

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Current costs relate to the past financial year or are an estimate for new unit classes.

The performance fee is based on the past financial year. It amounts to up to 20% of the positive absolute development of the unit value above a threshold value of 6% p.a., but only if the unit value reaches a new high (max. 2% p.a. in unit classes B, D, E and F).

The key indicators of the fund are determined on the basis of daily data. The ratings relate to the end of the previous month.

Performance is calculated using the BVI method. Performance using the BVI method is the percentage change in the unit value between the beginning and end of the calculation period. Any distributions are assumed to be reinvested. Front-end loads are not taken into account. With an investment amount of EUR 1,000.00 over an investment period of five years and a front-end load of 5%, the investment result in the first year would be reduced by the front-end load of EUR 50.00 and by additional individually incurred custodian costs. In subsequent years, the investment result may also be reduced by individually incurred custodian costs.

The top 10 individual positions do not include derivatives. The cash and cash equivalents item includes bank balances, time deposits, fixed-term deposits, dividend claims and receivables/liabilities

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Volatility is the "fluctuation risk" of, for example, a fund. The mathematical basis is the standard deviation of the performance figures over the period under consideration; annualised, this is referred to as volatility. Volatility of 5% with average annual performance of 7% means that the next annual performance is expected with 68.27% probability between 2% (= 7% - 5%) and 12% (= 7% + 5%).

The maximum drawdown indicates the maximum loss an investor could have sustained since launch. It therefore represents the maximum cumulative loss since launch. The length of the drawdown is the period from the beginning of the loss period until the lowest price is reached.

The Sharpe ratio is the difference between the performance achieved p.a. and risk-free interest p.a., divided by the volatility of this difference. It can therefore be interpreted as a "risk premium per unit of the total risk assumed". Basically, the higher it is the better (high performance at low risk). Due to its design as a relative measure, the Sharpe ratios of different portfolios can be compared both with each other and with the benchmark.

The *correlation* measures how strong the correlation between the performance of the fund and the benchmark is. It can have a value of between -1 and +1. A value of +1 means complete synchronisation between fund performance and benchmark performance, a value of -1 means a perfectly divergent performance. At a value of zero, there is no correlation between the performance of the fund and the benchmark.

The beta factor of an investment is a measure for the combined development of the performance of the portfolio and the benchmark. It provides information on the linear relationship (see correlation) between the two. However, it does not reveal anything about whether this connection exists at all: For this reason, a meaningful beta requires a high correlation (close to 1). A beta of > 1 is advantageous in a rising market, and a beta of 1 is advantageous in a falling market.

The tracking error is a measure of a fund's "active risk" against the benchmark. It is calculated as an annualised standard deviation of the performance differences between the fund and the benchmark. It is therefore a measure of the risk of the fund performance deviating from the benchmark performance.

From a mathematical point of view, the *information ratio* is the excess return (fund vs. benchmark) divided by the tracking error (active risk). Basically, the higher this value, the better. An information ratio of 0.25, for example, means that the portfolio manager was able to convert a quarter of the active risk into active return.

The Treynor ratio is a key indicator based on the Capital Asset Pricing Model (CAPM). It denotes the ratio of the active return to the beta factor. The Treynor ratio is therefore a measure of the excess return per unit of non-diversifiable risk assumed.

The key indicator *Jensen's Alpha* is the realised active return of the fund compared to the predicted return from the Capital Asset Pricing Model (CAPM). Jensen's alpha thus represents a deviation from realised and forecast returns.

The Calmar ratio is related to the Sharpe ratio, but uses the maximum drawdown instead of the standard deviation to quantify the investor risk

Value at Risk (VaR) is the maximum possible loss of the fund at a given holding period (10 trading days) and confidence level (99%) derived on the basis of the standard deviation, the skewness and the curve of the daily fund returns.

The duration-weighted portfolio return is calculated by weighting the returns of the individual positions by their duration, i.e. their average capital commitment period. As a result, securities with longer maturities are weighted more heavily than securities that are close to maturity and only generate the reported returns for a short time.

Macaulay duration describes the average capital commitment period of an investment in a bond, taking into account all payments due over the remaining term. It can also be interpreted as the NPV-weighted average of all points in time at which the investor receives payments from a security. For zero-coupon bonds, the Macaulay duration corresponds to the remaining term of the bond, as a payment is only made at final maturity.

Modified duration is a measure of the interest sensitivity of the price of a bond to a marginal change in yield. It shows the percentage change in the price with a yield change of 1%. However, the greater the actual change in the yield, the less accurate the forecast change in the bond price. To be able to precisely calculate the price change of a bond, the convexity of the price function must be taken into account.

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