$\mathrm{FUND}$  Data as of 31.05.2024

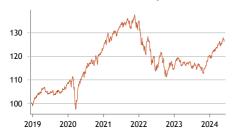
# Berenberg Variato R A

Actively managed multi asset fund

#### **Investment Strategy**

Berenberg Variato features an active investment approach without a benchmark, bundling Berenberg's best ideas. Strategic long-term positions in attractive capital markets segments are completed with thematic investments (e.g. megatrends) and opportunistic tactical positions. Investment vehicles are individual securities, mutual funds, ETFs and derivatives. Risk sensitivities are managed via overlay ex post. The target is to achieve attractive returns at the expense of a temporary higher volatility.

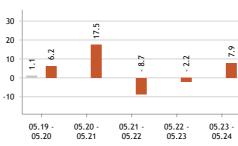
#### Indexed Performance since inception (gross, in %)





Accumulated Performance		(gross, in %)
since inception	(18.12.2018 - 31.05.2024)	26.30
since inception p.a.		4.37
YTD	(01.01.2024 - 31.05.2024)	4.86
1 Month	(30.04.2024 - 31.05.2024)	0.77
1 Year	(31.05.2023 - 31.05.2024)	7.87
3 Years	(31.05.2021 - 31.05.2024)	-3.65
5 Years	(31.05.2019 - 31.05.2024)	20.15

#### 12 months Performance



## **Risk Figures since inception**

Max. Drawdown since inception	-19.16 %
Max. Drawdown Period (Days)	926
Volatility 3 Years	6.60 %

The charts and tables on historical performance shown are based on our own calculations in accordance with the BVI method developed by German Investment Fund Association (for explanation see "Notes"). **Information on past performance is not a reliable indicator of future performance.** 

Sources: Berenberg, Capital Management Company

#### Fund management comment

May was characterised by the strong performance of risky asset classes. Cooler US inflation figures and a slowdown in US economic data revived hopes of earlier interest rate cuts by the Fed, which boosted growth stocks in particular. In addition to US equities, European equities also rose sharply thanks to the economic recovery in Europe. As in the previous month, credit spreads remained largely unchanged. However, yields on government bonds from core countries rose in May, in some cases significantly, due to positive EUR inflation surprises. After a strong April, industrial metals also rose sharply in May thanks to the improved demand outlook in the West and China, although the rally was also partly driven by speculation. Variato benefited from our core investments in European equities, the high commodity exposure and the low duration on the bond side. In addition, tactical opportunities made a positive contribution due to the strong performance of gold mining stocks and European small caps, with the result that Variato gained for the seventh month in a row and continues to outperform its target return.

#### Fund data

#### Security Codes

ISIN LU1878856043 WKN A2N6AQ

#### Inception date

18.12.2018

#### Fund manager

Prof Dr. Bernd Meyer Ulrich Urbahn

# NAV per Share (31.05.2024)

EUR 126.30

(in %)

#### Fund size

EUR 248.38 million

#### Share class volume

EUR 30.16 million

#### Fund currency

Euro

# Appropriation of income

accumulation

## End of financial year

31 December

# Management Company

Universal-Investment-Gesellschaft mbH

### Custodian

BNP Paribas S.A. Niederlassung Deutschland

### Asset Manager

Joh. Berenberg, Gossler & Co. KG

# Registration and Distribution

AT, CH, DE, LU

#### Cut-off/Settlement

 $daily/T{+}3$ 

# Cut-off time

12:00 p.m.

(Luxembourg time)

# $Morning star\ Rating ^{TM}$

3 Years: ★★

5 Years: ★★★ Overall: ★★★

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(As of: 31.05.2024)

# Sustainability

# Article 8 Funds

SFDR Classification (Sustainable Finance Disclosure Regulation)

# ESG Elements\*

/ Exclusion Criteria

✓ Controversies Screen

✓ Active Ownership

#### Impact focused

\*Valid for individual security investments

Signatory of:





### Allocation of the portfolio

Currency allocation

48.30

36.15

(in % of fund assets)

(in % of fund assets)

EUR

USD

GBP

JPY

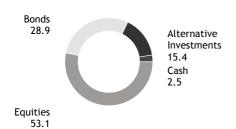
CHF

NOK

CNY

TRY

CAD



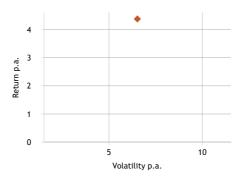
### Top 10 positions

(in % of fund assets)

SOURCE PHYSICAL MARKETS/GOLD 3	6.31
INVESCO S&P 500 ESG UCITS ETF	5.37
BERENBERG EUROPEAN FOCUS FUND	5.28
BERENBERG EUROPEAN SMALL CAP B	4.36
GOLDMAN SACHS INTERNATL NOTE 2	4.28
AIS-AMUNDI S&P 500 BUYBACK NAM	3.45
BERENBERG EUROPEAN MICRO CAP B	3.40
UBS IFS-CMCI COM.C.X-AG.SF ETF	2.76
FIRST TR.GF-NASDAQ CYBER.ETF R	2.74
MAN GLG EURO CORPORATE BOND	2.67

# Risk-return profile

(in %, since Inception)



◆ Fund (gross)

# Additional fund information

Issue Surcharge

up to 5.00 %

Flat-rate fee

1.56 % p.a.

Total Expense Ratio (TER)

Performance fee

20 %

Minimum investment

# **Key figures**

Ø Coupon of the bonds

4.75%

Ø Yield on bonds

5.96%

Duration in years

**Modified Duration** 

#### Bonds

4.63

3.66

2.46

2.18

1.43

0.67

0.56

Top 10 Country allocation	(in % of the bond assets)
18.03	Switzerland
17.32	Japan
13.91	USA
10.80	United Kingdom
9.24	Germany
7.42	Netherlands
5.91	Europe
4.46	Finland
2.67	Sweden
2.46	5F
Maturity structure	(in % of the bond assets)

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24.94	up to 1 year
30.51	1 - 3 years
2.86	3 - 5 years
41.68	> 15 years

#### Sector allocation (in % of the bond assets) 50.31 Finance 36.33 Corporates 9.95 **Government Bonds** 3.40 Supranationals

Rating allocation	(in % of the bond assets)
3.40	AAA
9.95	AA+
43.73	A+
5.64	Α-
13.58	BBB
9.53	BBB-
3.35	BB+
1.12	ВВ
2.67	BB-
5.91	NR

Sources: Berenberg, Capital Management Company As of: 31.05.2024



#### **Opportunities**

- Attractive return potential over the medium to long term
- Aboveaverage performance by exploiting investment opportunities across regions and asset classes, focusing on attractive market segments and structural investment themes
- · Possible additional returns through active and opportunistic management

#### Risks

- · High volatility of equities, riskier bonds and currencies, price losses possible
- Share value may fall below the purchase price at which the client acquired the share
- No guarantee of success due to active and opportunistic management
- · Entering into index and currency futures to manage quotas may increase the risk of loss, at least temporarily

Further details on the opportunities and risks of this fund can be found in the sales prospectus.

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