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# Berenberg Variato I A

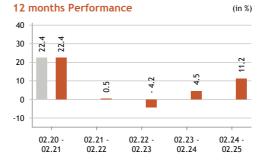
Actively managed multi asset fund

#### **Investment Strategy**

Fund (gross)

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.





#### **Accumulated Performance** (gross, in %) since inception (18.12.2018 - 28.02.2025) 48.92 since inception p.a. 6.63 YTD (01.01.2025 - 28.02.2025) 2.20 1 Month (31.01.2025 - 28.02.2025) -0.71(29.02.2024 - 28.02.2025) 11.09 3 Years (28.02.2022 - 28.02.2025) 11.23 (29.02.2020 - 28.02.2025) 5 Years 36.88

Fund (net)

# Risk Figures since inception

Max. Drawdown since inception	-18.75 %
Max. Drawdown Period (Days)	1119
Volatility 3 Years	6.29 %
Sharpe Ratio 3 Years	0.22

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

A risk-averse mood prevailed on the markets in February. Continued uncertainty regarding Trump's policies and rising growth concerns in light of some weaker US economic data led to lower yields and share prices. In addition to US equities, Indian and Japanese equities in particular also fell. Credit spreads tended to widen. 10-year US government bond yields fell by more than 33bp to 4.21% over the course of the month. Concerns about the AI issue were again a source of disruption - the technology sector ended the month down 1.8% (in EUR). Europe once again outperformed the US equity market. This outperformance was also noticeable in the credit sector. USD high-yield spreads widened, while they narrowed in EUR. The continued fall in US yields drove the US dollar further down against G10 currencies. Gold benefited from the political concerns and reached a new all-time high in February. In this environment, the Variato fell only slightly. The large gold position in particular helped, as did the tactical inclusion of US Treasury futures in January. On the other hand, negative performance contributions came in particular from US technology stocks, Indian and Japanese equity investments.

#### Fund data

#### Security Codes

ISIN LU1878856126 WKN A2N6AR

#### Inception date

18.12.2018

#### Fund manager

Prof Dr. Bernd Meyer Ulrich Urbahn Philina Kuhzarani

#### NAV per Share (28.02.2025)

EUR 148.92

EUR 243.97 million

### Share class volume

EUR 12.95 million

#### Currency Fund / Share Class EUR / EUR

Appropriation of income

#### accumulation

#### End of financial year 31 December

# **Management Company**

Universal-Investment-Gesellschaft

# 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)

# Morningstar Rating<sup>TM</sup>

3 Years: ★★★

5 Years: ★★★★

Overall: \*\*\*

(As of: 28.02.2025)

#### 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:



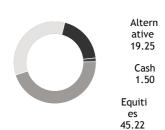




Bonds

33.82

(in % of fund assets)



#### Top 10 positions

(in % of fund assets)

SOURCE PHYSICAL MARKETS/GOLD 3	8.04
MAN EURO CORPORATE BOND IF EUR	5.14
MAN VI-EUR.H.YIELD OPPS REG.SH	5.14
AIS-AMUNDI S&P 500 BUYBACK NAM	4.99
INVESCO S&P 500 SCORED & SCREE	4.92
AQUANTUM ACTIVE RANGE SEED (S)	4.14
FIRST TR.GF-NASDAQ CYBER.ETF R	3.65
BERENBERG EUROPEAN FOCUS FUND	3.37
BERENBERG EUROPEAN MICRO CAP B	3.27
UBS IFS-CMCI COM.C.X-AG.SF ETF	3.04

# Additional fund information

Issue Surcharge

none

Flat-rate fee

0.90 % p.a.

Total Expense Ratio (TER)

Performance fee

none

Minimum investment

EUR 5,000,000

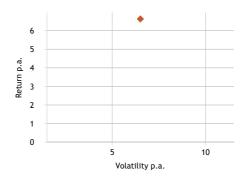


(in % of fund assets)

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39.55	USD
37.67	EUR
5.82	JPY
5.82	GBP
4.29	INR
2.50	CNY
2.08	CHF
1.81	ARS
0.44	DKK
0.16	TRY

# Risk-return profile

(in %, since Inception)



#### ◆ Fund (gross)

#### **Key figures**

Ø Coupon of the bonds

4.77%

Ø Yield on bonds

5.81%

Duration in years

**Modified Duration** 

2.50%

#### Bonds

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(in % of the bond assets)

21.20	Switzerland
20.13	United Kingdom
19.30	Japan
10.11	Germany
8.26	Netherlands
7.46	Europe
4.61	USA
3.02	Sweden
2.52	Portugal
2.44	Hungary

(in % of the bond assets)	Maturity structure
up to 1 year	51.89
1 - 3 years	4.97

9.73	7 - 10 year	rs
33.4	41 > 15 year	rs

Sector allocation

Finance	43.58
Corporates	38.04
Government Bonds	17.42
Supranationals	0.96

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(in % of the bond assets)

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0.96	AAA
17.42	AA-
40.50	A+
6.15	A-
4.25	BBB+
9.81	BBB
9.15	BBB-
1.28	BB+
3.02	BB-
7.46	NR

Sources: Berenberg, Capital Management Company As of: 28.02.2025



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Top 10 Country allocation	(in % of share capital)
31.43	USA
24.19	Luxembourg
14.69	Europe
10.13	United Kingdom
5.64	Ireland
4.73	Japan
4.58	Global
2.61	Netherlands
1.02	Switzerland
0.98	Denmark

(in % of share capital)	Sector allocation
Other	55.00
Unknown	22.71
Health Care	8.76
Information Technology	6.14
Consumer Discretionary	3.03
Financials	2.63
Communication Services	1.74

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#### **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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