



# Berenberg Global Focus Fund M A

Actively managed equity fund

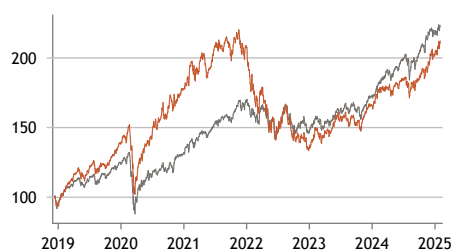
## Investment Strategy

The investment objective of the Berenberg Global Focus Fund is to achieve long-term capital growth that outperforms the benchmark MSCI All Country World Index over a medium to long-term period. The main driver for this is the underlying above-average and sustainable profit growth of the selected companies. Investors in the fund participate in global companies with structural trends.

The fund management invests in companies that achieve sustainable growth over long periods with high profitability. The decisive criteria for these business models are high entry barriers, end markets with structural growth and excellent management teams.

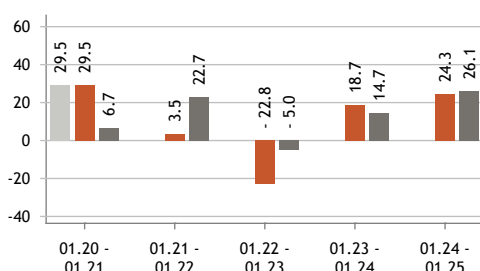
- Growth-oriented fund
- Concentrated portfolio of about 30 stocks
- All cap approach, i.e. exploiting investment opportunities across all market segments
- Long-term investment horizon and therefore low portfolio turnover
- Active approach, i.e. index weights do not have influence on individual stock selection

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



◆ Fund (gross)    ◆ Fund (net)    ◆ MSCI AC World Net (EUR)

## 12 months Performance (in %)



## Accumulated Performance (gross, in %)

since inception	(11.12.2018 - 31.01.2025)	112.31
since inception p.a.		13.03
YTD	(01.01.2025 - 31.01.2025)	5.51
1 Month	(31.12.2024 - 31.01.2025)	5.51
1 Year	(31.01.2024 - 31.01.2025)	24.34
3 Years	(31.01.2022 - 31.01.2025)	13.96
5 Years	(31.01.2020 - 31.01.2025)	52.66

## Risk Figures since inception

Max. Drawdown since inception	-39.36 %
Max. Drawdown Period (Days)	1171
Volatility 3 Years	17.97 %
Sharpe Ratio 3 Years	0.17
Information Ratio 3 Years	-0.83
Tracking Error 3 Years	8.11 %

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

Equity markets had a strong start into the new year, but US politics remains an uncertainty. In January, the Berenberg Global Focus Fund outperformed its benchmark. Boston Scientific performed well. The company benefited from the fact that competitor J&J had to temporarily halt a competing product. The news flow on Meta was also very positive this month and the stock performed well. Wheaton Precious Metals benefited from rising precious metal prices at the beginning of the year. Profit-taking set in for Broadcom, as developments around DeepSeek unsettled some investors. Despite good numbers across most business areas at Microsoft, investors were disappointed that the promised Azure acceleration had not yet materialised. Tencent's share price plummeted last month. The company was placed on a restricted list by the US Department of Defense. In January, we bought shares in the industrial company Chart Industries for the first time. The company's sales are diversified across attractively growing end markets, and Chart Industries has significantly increased margins and maintenance revenues in recent years.

## Fund data

### Security Codes

ISIN LU1900077238

WKN A2N73E

### Inception date

11.12.2018

### Fund manager

Martin Hermann

### NAV per Share (31.01.2025)

EUR 212.31

### Fund size

EUR 138.74 million

### Share class volume

EUR 97.89 million

### Currency Fund / Share Class

EUR / EUR

### Appropriation of income

accumulation

### End of financial year

31 December

### Management Company

Universal-Investment-Luxembourg S.A.

### Custodian

BNP Paribas S.A. Niederlassung Deutschland

### Asset Manager

Joh. Berenberg, Gossler & Co. KG

### Registration and Distribution

AT, CH, DE, ES, GB, IT, LU

### Cut-off/Settlement

daily/T+2

### Cut-off time

12:00 p.m.  
(Luxembourg time)

### Morningstar Rating™

3 Years: ★★

5 Years: ★★

Overall: ★★

(As of: 31.01.2025)

## Sustainability

### Article 8 Funds

SFDR Classification (Sustainable Finance Disclosure Regulation)

### ESG Elements

- ✓ Exclusion Criteria
- ✓ Controversies Screen
- ✓ Active Ownership
- Impact focused

Signatory of:





Allocation of the portfolio

(in % of fund assets)



Top 10 positions

(in % of fund assets)

AMAZON.COM, INC.	8.25
MICROSOFT	7.55
BOSTON SCIENTIFIC	6.66
META PLATFORMS INC. REG.SHARES	5.47
LONDON STOCK EXCHANGE	5.38
WHEATON PRECIOUS METALS CORP	5.02
REG SHS TOPICUS.COM INC SUBORD	4.53
ASTRAZENECA PLC	4.24
R CDN RAIL PAC	4.20
TAIWAN SEMICONDUCTOR MANUFACTU	3.76

Additional fund information

**Issue Surcharge**  
none

**Flat-rate fee**  
0.85 % p.a.

**Total Expense Ratio (TER)**  
0.96 %

**Performance fee**  
none

**Minimum investment**  
EUR 500,000

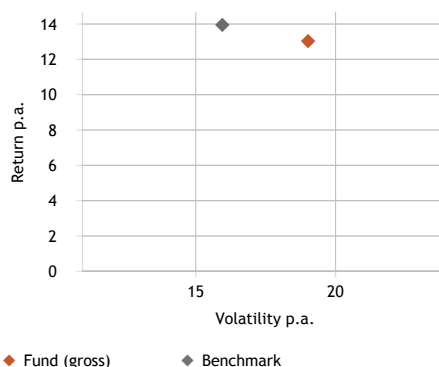
Currency allocation

(in % of fund assets)

58.46	United States dollar
15.93	Canadian dollar
9.69	Pound sterling
5.45	Hong Kong dollar
4.14	Swiss franc
2.04	Danish krone
1.99	Japanese yen
1.53	Swedish krona
0.78	Euro

Risk-return profile

(in %, since Inception)



Shares

Top 10 Country allocation

(in % of share capital)

51.54	USA
15.82	Canada
9.62	United Kingdom
5.41	China, People's Republic
4.11	Switzerland
3.76	Taiwan
2.77	Argentina
2.03	Denmark
1.97	Japan
1.52	Sweden

Sector allocation

(in % of share capital)

27.86	Information Technology
20.37	Health Care
16.24	Consumer Discretionary
12.08	Financials
8.38	Communication Services
6.88	Industrials
5.02	Materials
1.97	Consumer Staples
0.53	Real Estate

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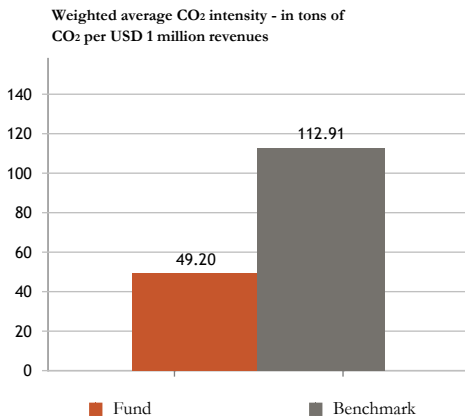
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## Consideration of ESG Elements

Identifying companies and business models that will be successful in the long term is the basis for good investment decisions. Environmental, Social and Governance (ESG) factors are key factors in decision making and are therefore integral components of the investment process.

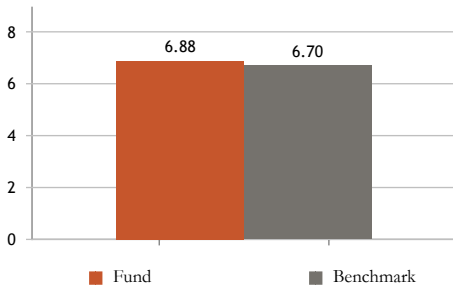
## CO<sub>2</sub> Intensity

The fund does not actively manage its carbon footprint, however, emissions data such as CO<sub>2</sub> intensity are relevant parameters which can be used to assess the efficient management of a company and the extent of transition risks.



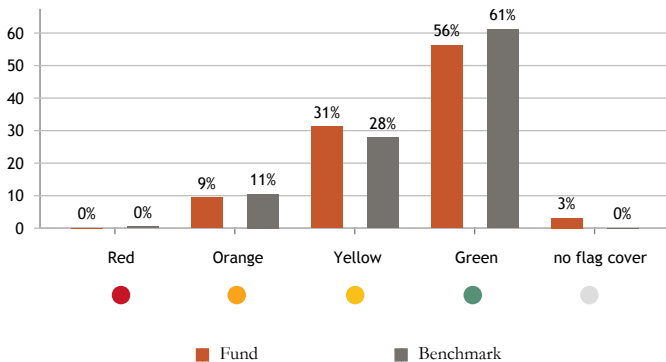
## ESG Score

The data provider MSCI ESG uses an ESG score of 0 to 10 to assess the management of material ESG risks of portfolio holdings compared to competitors.



## ESG Controversies Screen

Investments in the fund are monitored for ESG controversies and, with the help of MSCI ESG data, flagged according to their severity. Thereby, potential ESG risks of investments are identified. In the case of an orange flag (severe controversy), we enter into an active exchange with the company. In the case of a red flag (very severe controversy), the company is excluded.



Benchmark for ESG metrics: MSCI AC World

Portfolio as of 31 Jan 2025. Source: MSCI ESG, own calculations and presentation. Certain information © 2023 MSCI ESG Research LLC. Reproduced by permission. Data coverage for fund and benchmark: graph "CO<sub>2</sub>-Intensity" (95.46%/99.94%), graph "ESG Score" (95.46%/99.80%). Liquidity and securities which are not covered by MSCI ESG are excluded from the calculation of the ESG metrics for the fund as well as the benchmark. The weights of the remaining fund and benchmark components are normalised to 100%.

## Glossary & Methodology

### Active Ownership

The term "Active Ownership" encompasses all our activities where we, as an investor, attempt to positively influence a company's management of ESG aspects. This includes Engagement, i.e. direct dialogue with companies to discuss specific ESG objectives as well as proxy voting, i.e. our voting recommendations to our fund administrator, which then exercises the voting rights at general meetings.

### CO<sub>2</sub> Intensity

The CO<sub>2</sub> Intensity (Scope 1 & 2 emissions) per company is multiplied by its portfolio weight (current value of the investment by current portfolio value) and summed up. This weighted average CO<sub>2</sub> Intensity provides an indication of the portfolio's exposure to CO<sub>2</sub>-emission intensive companies.

### ESG Score

Using a score between 0 (lowest) and 10 (highest), MSCI ESG assesses the ability of portfolio holdings to identify and manage environmental, social and governance-related risks compared to peers. The ESG scores are assigned at the holding level and are aggregated at the portfolio level as the weighted average ESG Score.

### ESG Controversies Screen

MSCI ESG analyses controversial business practices from the five areas environment, human rights, labour rights & supply management, customers and governance. The controversies are rated according to their reputational risk as well as the operational handling by a flagging system. Green indicates no or weak controversies, yellow indicates moderate controversies, orange indicates severe controversies and red indicates very severe controversies.



### Opportunities

- High return potential of stocks over the long-term
- Development of growth stocks occasionally above average
- Development of small-cap stocks above average in certain phases
- Possible additional earnings through individual value analysis and active management

### Risks

- High susceptibility of shares to fluctuation, price losses possible
- Share value may fall below the purchase price at which the customer acquired the share
- Below-average development of growth stocks possible at times
- Below-average development of small stocks possible at times
- No guarantee of success for individual value analysis and active management
- Concentration risk due to focus on investments in the Euro currency and European region
- Foreign currency investments and transactions denominated in foreign currencies are subject to exchange rate risks

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

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