

# Spinoza Global Assets Strategy Fund


**SPINOZA CAPITAL**

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## Investment strategy

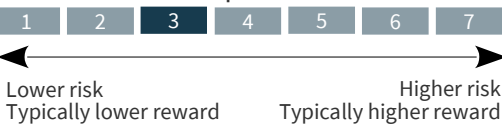
The Fund pursues long-term capital appreciation by investing in equities, equity-related securities and derivatives, bonds and other listed securities on a global basis.

The investment concept is based on Ben Graham's investment philosophy on market fluctuations as set out in 'The Intelligent Investor' adopted through a proprietary, rules based asset allocation model: equity exposure is dynamically increased when markets fall and decreased when markets rise relative to their estimated intrinsic value.

The investment concept is designed to capitalise on the long-term appreciation of equities while taking advantage of short and mid term market overreactions, in fact benefiting precisely from what investors are usually most afraid of: volatility.

The Fund aims to generate attractive risk-adjusted returns relative to major global equity indices.

## Risk and Reward profile



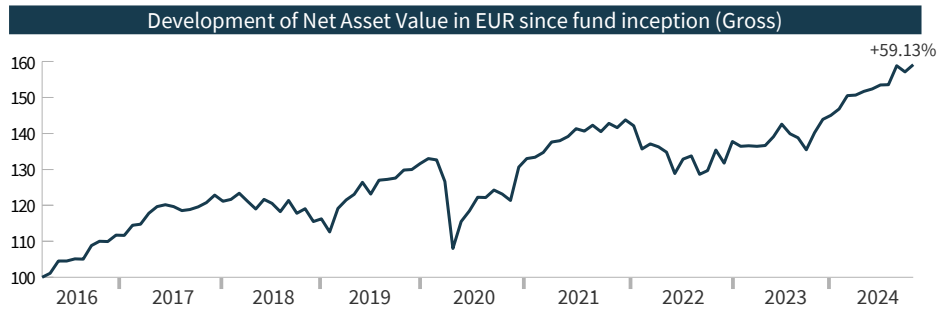
## Key information

ISIN	LU1923620329
WKN	A2P967
Fund category	Balanced Fund, global
Domicile	Luxembourg
Fund currency	EUR
Fund inception	1 February 2016
Income type	Accumulating
Fund type	UCITS
Distribution	Germany, Luxembourg
Dealing days	Daily
Minimum investment	EUR 1'000
Financial year end	31 December
Minimum equity participation rate	25%
Management company	Gen II Management Company (Luxembourg) SARL
Investment manager	Spinoza Capital GmbH
Administrator	CACEIS Bank, Luxembourg Branch
Depository	CACEIS Bank, Luxembourg Branch
Auditor	KPMG Luxembourg

## Fees and expenses

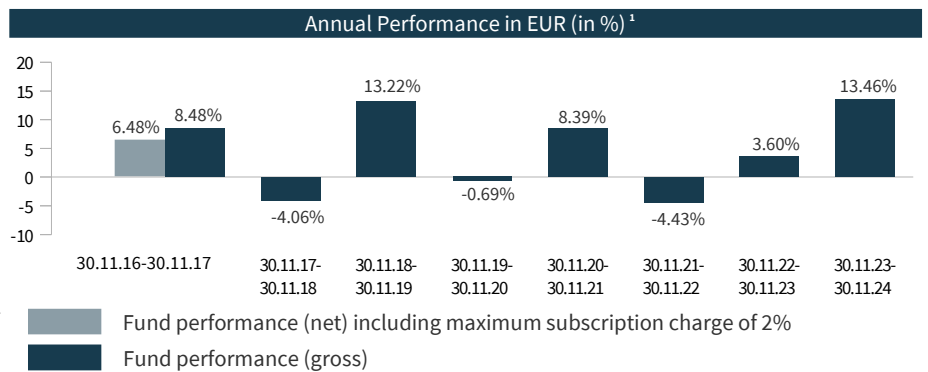
Subscription fee	0%
Ongoing charges which includes a Management fee of	1.40% p.a. / 0.75% p.a.
Performance fee (perpetual high watermark)	up to 7.5%
Redemption fee	0%

## Performance



Cumulative Performance in EUR (Gross, in %)<sup>1</sup>

Period	1 month	3 months	Year to Date	1 year	3 years	5 years	since inception
Fund	1.29%	3.64%	10.58%	13.46%	12.34%	20.93%	59.13%



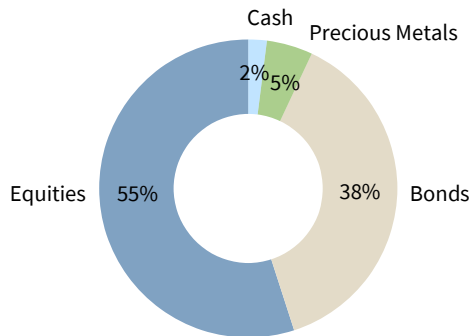
<sup>1</sup> Gross fund performance takes into account all costs & fees incurred at fund level but excludes any subscription fees. Further costs may be charged individually at customer level (e.g. custody fees, commissions and other charges), resulting in a diminishing effect on performance. These figures refer to the past. Past performance is no reliable indicator of future performance.

## Fund manager's comment: November 2024

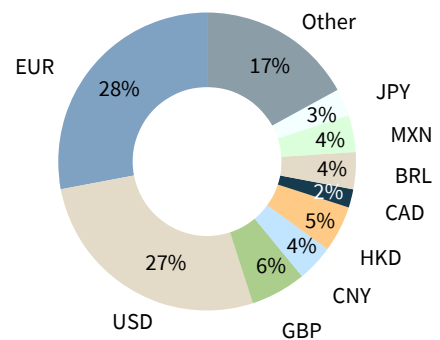
- The US election results were the primary driver of market performance in November. Donald Trump's presidential victory and the Republican party securing a majority in both chambers of Congress fuelled expectations that the new administration in the US will focus fully on pro-growth policies. The prospect of further tax cuts, expansionary fiscal policy, deregulation, and the implementation of a more nationalist trade policy boosted US equity markets (e.g. S&P 500 Index +5.7%) and the US dollar. Outside US markets, the election result was met with some caution. Equities in Europe fell marginally (e.g. Euro Stoxx 50 Index -0.4%) due to a combination of concerns about US trade policy and earnings warnings from the automotive and consumer goods sectors. Consumer weakness in China and within domestic markets was cited as the main cause in both cases. Trade policy risk, combined with the strengthening US dollar and fears of a less supportive US monetary environment, negatively impacted Emerging Market and Chinese equities in November (MSCI Emerging Markets Index -3.6%; MSCI China Index -4.3%).
- Central banks continued to lower interest rates during November. The Fed lowered the federal funds rate by 25 basis points to a target range of 4.50%-4.75%. Progress on disinflation and recent employment data supported the decision to move towards a more neutral policy stance. However, bond markets only marginally benefitted, as concerns that Trump's policy proposals could reignite inflation in 2025 reduced US rate cut expectations to only three cuts in the next 12 months. While many investors expect US equities to continue to outperform, we would note that at a multiple of 23x forward earnings in the US versus 14x in Europe, and 12x in emerging markets, a lot of that relative optimism is already priced in.
- The Spinoza Global Assets Strategy Fund gained 1.29% in November. The fund took advantage of the significant price falls and lower valuations in selected emerging markets to add to its equity positions (e.g. Turkey, Brazil, Mexico) throughout November. The Turkish stock market, for example, has fallen 27% in euro terms over the last four months and offered an attractive entry point at 6x forward earnings at the beginning of November. The same can be said of Brazil and Mexico. Both markets are down more than 20% in euro terms since the start of the year and offer attractive return-to-risk ratios at forward earnings multiples of 8x and 11x respectively. The fund's equity exposure has gradually increased to 55% over the past month as a result of the fund's purchases. The fund's bond holdings (38% of assets) performed well and made a positive contribution to performance last month. The fund continued to selectively extend the duration of its bond holdings to take advantage of the current attractive yield levels and added to its positions in inflation-linked bonds to protect the fund against rising inflation in the US should Trump's trade and fiscal policies lead to a resurgence in inflation.

## Composition of Fund Portfolio

### Asset allocation



### Currency breakdown



## Investor Profile

The Fund is suitable for investors seeking long-term capital growth and may not be appropriate for investors who plan to withdraw their money within 5 years.

## Risks

**Market risk:** Market fluctuations and general market or systematic risk is inherent to an entire investment market and as such, to a varying degree, in all of the Fund's investments. Price movements in an investment market can be volatile and are influenced, among other things, by changing market supply and demand, national and international political and economic events.

**Concentration risk:** To the extent that the Fund's investments are concentrated in a particular country, market, industry or asset class, the Fund may be susceptible to loss due to adverse occurrences affecting that country, market, industry or asset class.

**Currency risk:** The Fund's reference currency is EUR, whereas the underlying investments of the Fund are denominated in a variety of currencies. Consequently, the performance of the Fund may be influenced by movements in foreign exchange rates between EUR and the currencies in which the underlying investments are denominated.

**Counterparty risk:** There is a risk that a counterparty will not fulfil its payment obligation for a trade, contract or other transaction, on the due date. This may result in losses.

**Liquidity risk:** The Fund may be exposed to liquidity risk where, due to a lack of marketability, the Fund's investments cannot be bought or sold quickly enough to prevent or minimize a loss.

**Derivatives risk:** The Fund may use derivatives in an attempt to reduce risk (hedging) or for investment and portfolio management purposes. It may be that the use of derivatives may not always be successful and cause unit prices to fluctuate which may in turn result in loss to the Fund.

**Credit risk:** The risk of default that may arise if an issuer fails to make payments when due.

**Operational risk:** The risk of losses caused by employees, delegates, service providers and other third parties through insolvency, errors, fraud or criminal actions.

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