

## ECHIQUIER MAJOR SRI GROWTH EUROPE FUND K

MARCH 2024 (data as of 03/31/2024)



Echiquier Major SRI Growth Europe Fund is a bottom up stock-picking fund. It invests in European large-cap growth stocks, leaders in their industry.









22 M€ Net assets



2 185.69 €

#### Characteristics

01/17/2014 Inception date LU0969070282 ISIN Bloomberg code **FCMFLGFLX** 

Base currency FUR

Income allocation Accumulation MSCI EUROPE NR Ref. Indic.

SFDR classification Article 8

#### **Financial information**

Subscription/ 3% max / None redemption fee

Yearly management

1.00% incl. taxes

Performance fee Nο Valorisation frequency Daily 10:00 Cut off

Settlement

Fund administrator

BNP Paribas Luxembourg

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## Risk and reward profile (%)

(based on weekly figures)

	1 year	3 Years !	5 Years
Fund volatility	12.1	15.6	18.1
Ref. indicator volatility	11.4	13.5	17.9
Sharpe ratio	1.6	0.5	0.7
Beta	0.9	1.0	0.9
Correlation	0.9	0.9	0.9
Information ratio	0.6	-0.2	0.3
Tracking error	5.5	7.6	7.4
Max. drawdown of the fund	-8.6	-27.2	-31.2
Max. drawdown of the benchmark	-8.3	-19.5	-35.3
Time to recovery (business days)	17.0	358.0	197.0



This indicator represents the risk profile shown in the KID The risk indicator is based on the assumption that you hold units for 5

Warning: the real risk can be very different if you opt for an exit before this period, and you could get less in return.

Recommended investment horizon



### **Fund Manager comments**

Echiquier Major SRI Growth Europe Fund K turned in a positive monthly performance of 2.63% and of 8.54% yearto-date.

The markets continued their rally in March, with a high degree of style rotation, with value sectors such as property, energy and financials outperforming, while technology, luxury goods and consumer staples took profits. Against this backdrop, the fund underperformed its benchmark. Among the top contributors, INDITEX published excellent results for 2023, and the start of the year is off to a similar start. NOVO NORDISK held a board meeting that met all expectations, which were nonetheless high, particularly as regards increasing production capacity and future growth drivers. At the other end of the scale, our technology positions suffered, with ACCENTURE slightly reducing its 2024 guidance and INFINEON being penalised by the Chinese authorities' desire to develop local production of chips for its electric vehicles. During the month, we initiated a position in a leading stock in the media sector, which we will discuss again when the line is fully constituted.

Fund Managers: Adrien Bommelaer, Paul Merle, Marion Cohet Boucheron

#### Evolution of the performance of the fund and its reference indicator since inception (base 100)



Ref Indic: source Bloomberg

#### **Cumulative performance (%)**

	Fund	Ref. Indic.
1 month	+2.6	+3.9
YTD	+8.5	+7.6
3 Years	+23.8	+30.3
5 Years	+65.9	+52.5
10 years	+117.3	+97.1
Since inception	+118.6	+96.7

### Annualised performance (%)

	Fund	Ref. Indic.
1 year	+17.6	+14.8
3 Years	+7.4	+9.2
5 Years	+10.6	+8.8
10 years	+8.1	+7.0
Since inception	+8.0	+6.9

## Performance history (%)

													Yea	ar
	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Fund	Ref. Indic.
2015	+9.5	+6.7	+1.0	-0.1	+1.1	-4.6	+3.6	-9.0	-2.6	+5.7	+3.1	-4.0	+8.4	+8.2
2016	-5.6	-1.7	+1.6	+0.7	+3.6	-3.0	+2.2	-0.5	-0.9	-3.9	+0.9	+4.0	-3.1	+2.6
2017	+0.0	+3.3	+4.2	+3.0	+2.0	-2.7	-1.2	-0.3	+3.1	+3.5	-4.5	+0.2	+10.7	+10.2
2018	+2.3	-2.6	-1.3	+3.5	+4.1	-0.2	+1.6	+1.9	-1.8	-7.1	-1.2	-6.2	-7.6	-10.6
2019	+5.2	+6.0	+4.7	+4.1	-2.0	+5.1	+2.7	+0.7	+1.2	+1.9	+3.7	+1.9	+41.1	+26.1
2020	+0.7	-5.7	-9.6	+6.9	+3.8	+3.0	+0.1	+3.6	-0.5	-5.7	+9.7	+2.5	+7.4	-3.3
2021	-0.8	-0.4	+4.6	+3.3	+1.2	+3.7	+3.0	+3.4	-4.8	+6.6	-0.5	+4.3	+25.6	+25.1
2022	-10.0	-3.6	+3.1	-2.8	-3.6	-7.2	+11.0	-7.3	-7.3	+5.4	+5.7	-5.4	-21.8	-9.5
2023	+6.0	+1.6	+2.8	+1.1	-0.3	+3.1	+0.2	-2.4	-2.7	-2.4	+8.4	+3.6	+20.0	+15.8
2024	+2.6	+3.1	+2.6										+8.5	+7.6

## For more information

The fund is invested on financial markets. It presents a risk of capital loss. Past performance is not a reliable indicator of future performance and is not constant over time. Performance of the fund and the benchmark are calculated net of income (as of the 2013 financial year). Until 2012, however, the performance of the benchmark did not include income. This commercial document aims to inform you in a simple way on the fund's characteristics. For more information about risks and fees, please refer to the KID, prospectus or contact your usual representative. The remuneration of the distributor represents a maximum of 50% of the management fee. The fund is in compliance with Swiss law on distribution to qualified investors in Switzerland. The representative of the fund in Switzerland is Carnegie Fund Services SA, 11, rue du General-Dufour, 1204 Geneva, Switzerland. Investors may obtain from the Swiss representative, free of charge, the fund's documents, such as the prospectus, the regulation, the key investor information documents (KIDs) and the financial reports. This document may be published, transmitted or distributed but does not constitute an offer to the public in Switzerland. The recipients of this document in Switzerland must not send it to a third party without first consulting their legal advisor or other professional advisor or the representative. For the shares of the fund distributed to qualified investors in Switzerland, the place of jurisdiction is in Geneva. 4 stars in Morningstar category Europe Large-Cap Growth Equity as at 29/02/2024. © 2024 Morningstar, Inc. All Rights Reserved. The information contained herein: (1) is proprietary to

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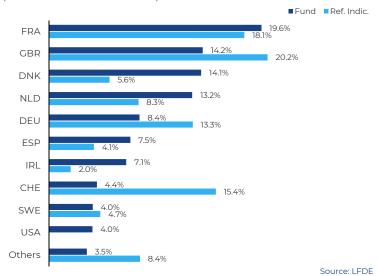
#### **Fund Profile**

EV/Sales 2024	6.9
PER 2024	30.7
Yield	1.5%
Active share	78.7%

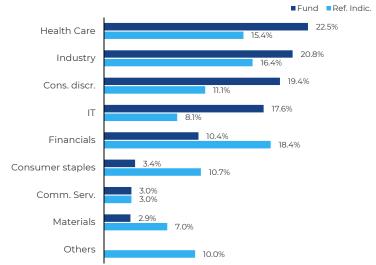
#### 0.5% Cash (% of the net assets) Number of positions 32 Average market capitalization (M€) 167 586 Median market capitalization (M€) 57 497 Source: LFDE

## Geographic breakdown

(% of the net assets without cash)



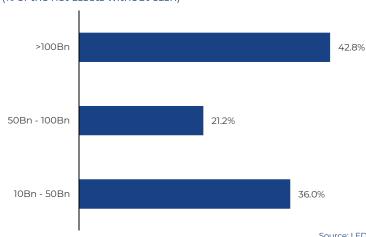
Sector breakdown (GICS) (% of the net assets without cash)



Source: Bloomberg

## Capitalization breakdown (€)

(% of the net assets without cash)



Source: LFDE

## **Top holdings**

Holdings	Country	Sector	% of the net assets
Novo Nordisk	DNK	Health Care	8.5
ASML	NLD	IT	7.0
Inditex	ESP	Cons. discr.	4.4
Wolters Kluwer	NLD	Industry	4.3
Accenture	IRL	ΙΤ	4.2
EssilorLuxottica	FRA	Health Care	4.1
Legrand	FRA	Industry	3.8
LVMH	FRA	Cons. discr.	3.7
Infineon Technologies	DEU	ΙΤ	3.5
Ferrari	ITA	Cons. discr.	3.5
Total weight o	of the top 10	holdings: <b>47.0</b> %	

Source: LFDE

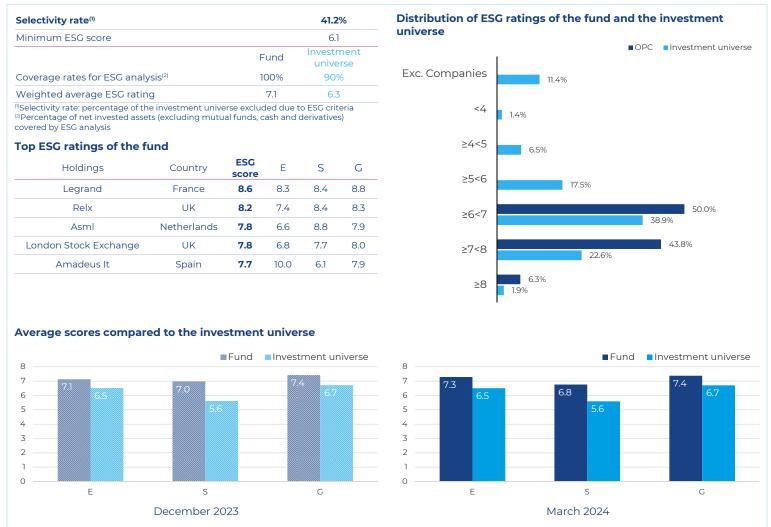
## Performance analysis (monthly)

Top 3 contributors							
Holdings	Performance	Contribution					
Novo Nordisk	8.2	0.7					
Inditex	13.8	0.6					
EssilorLuxottica	6.9	0.3					
Weight of the 3 contributors: 17.3%							

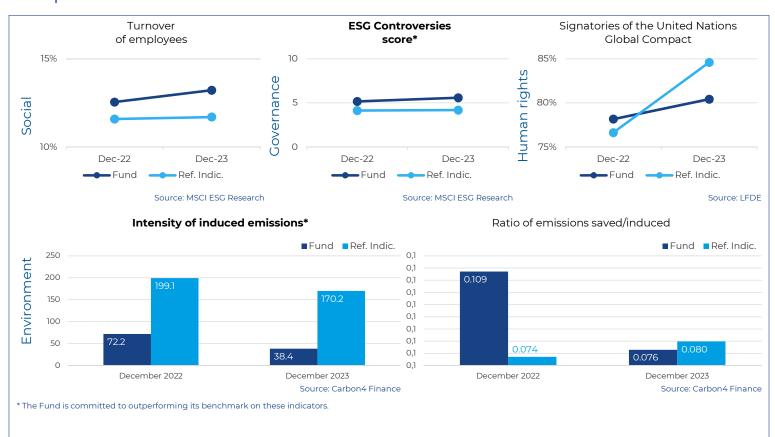
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Holdings	Performance	Contribution				
Accenture	-7.4	-0.4				
Infineon Technologies	-4.8	-0.2				
Dassault Systèmes	-5.0	-0.2				
Weight of the 3 contributors: 11.1%						

Source: LFDE

## **ESG Data**



# ESG performance indicators



# Methodologies and coverage rate

		12/30/2022	12/29/2023	03/31/2024			12/30/2022	12/29/2023	03/31/2024	
Turnover	Portfolio	93.8%	95.9%	92.1%	ESG Controversy	Portfolio	100.0%	100.0%	98.9%	
of employees	Ref. indicator	85.0%	88.0%	88.4%	score	Ref. indicator	100.0%	99.9%	100.0%	
					Controversy score of the portfo					
		12/30/2022	12/29/2023	03/31/2024			12/30/2022	12/29/2023	03/31/2024	
Signatories of the United Nations	Portfolio	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	Carbon data	Portfolio	98.1%	100.0%	100.0%	
Global Compact	Ref. indicator	96.2%	99.8%	100.0%		Ref. indicator	98.8%	99.0%	98.7%	
					$ \begin{aligned} & \text{Carbon intensity of the portfolio} = \sum\nolimits_{i=1}^{n} \left( \frac{ \text{Investment Value}_{i} }{ \text{Fund Net Asset Value} } \times \frac{\text{Carbon Emissions Scope 1,2 e 3}}{ \text{Enterprise Value}_{i} } \right) \end{aligned} $					
					Ratio avoided emissions on induced emissions (CIR) = $\sum_{i=1}^{nc} \frac{\text{Sum of CO2 emissions savings}_i}{\text{Sum of CO2 induced emissions}_i} \times \text{Stock weighting}_i \text{ in the portfolio}$					

We have not encountered any difficulties in measuring these ESG performance indicators.

ESG: Environmental, Social and Governance criteria. At La Financière de l'Echiquier, the Governance score accounts for around 60% of the ESG score.

For further information related to the methodologies used to calculate ESG indicators above and on our approach as a responsible investor, please refer to our transparency code and other documents available on La Financière de l'Echiquier's website at the following link: www.lfde.com/en-ch/responsible-investment/to-find-out-more/

Sources: La Financière de l'Echiquier, The United Nations Global Compact, Carbon4 Finance, MSCI ESG Research