

# **ECHIQUIER ARTIFICIAL INTELLIGENCE B USD**

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



Echiquier Artificial Intelligence is a SICAV compartment that invests in major international companies which benefit from or develop artificial intelligence.



907 M€ Net assets



76.26 \$

#### Characteristics

Inception date 01/06/2021
ISIN LU2276731333
Bloomberg code ECEAIEA LX

Base currency USD

Income allocation Accumulation

Ref. Indic.

MSCI WORLD NET TOTAL

RETURN USD

SFDR classification Article 8

#### **Financial information**

Subscription/ redemption fee

3% max. / None

Yearly management

1.65% incl. taxes

Performance fee No
Valorisation frequency Daily
Cut off 10:00
Settlement D+2

Fund administrator BNP Paribas Luxembourg
Custodian BNP Paribas Luxembourg

#### Risk and reward profile (%)

(based on weekly figures)

	1 year	3 Years	5 Years
Fund volatility	23.7	37.2	-
Ref. indicator volatility	12.0	15.8	_
Sharpe ratio	2.2	0	-
Beta	1.4	1.9	-
Correlation	0.7	0.8	-
Information ratio	1.5	-0.3	-
Tracking error	17.0	26.9	-
Max. drawdown of the fund	-17.7	-66.1	-
Max. drawdown of the benchmark	-10.5	-26.1	-
Time to recovery (business days)	25.0	-	-

# Lower risk

Highest risk



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

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

Recommende horizon 5 years



#### **Fund Manager comments**

Echiquier Artificial Intelligence B USD turned in a negative monthly performance of -1.42% and turned in a positive performance of 9.92% year-to-date.

We ended the quarter well ahead of our benchmark index. March, on the other hand, was a tougher month, with cyclical sectors such as energy and commodities outperforming. By contrast, growth stocks, and in particular those in the software sector, lagged behind. The second wave of Al adoption will come from the software sector, with companies starting to monetise their new generative Al modules. However, the market has had to adjust to the fact that this monetisation will be gradual throughout the year and stronger in 2025 and beyond. At SNOWFLAKE, a leading cloud data management company, we were surprised to learn of the departure of CEO Frank Slootman, who is making way for technology expert Sridhar Ramaswamy. This is a good example of the importance of aligning corporate governance in the era of generative Al, where the nascent market requires a stronger affinity with this cutting-edge technology. Finally, NVIDIA, the fund's top performer, continues to outperform thanks to the announcement of its new generation of accelerators.

Fund Manager: Rolando Grandi

# 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	-1.4	+3.
YTD	+9.9	+8.9
3 Years	-16.1	+28.
Since inception	-23.7	+33.9

#### Annualised performance (%)

	Fund	Ref. Indic.
1 year	+41.8	+25.0
3 Years	-5.7	+8.6
Since inception	-8.0	+9.5

#### **Performance history** (%)

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	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Fund	Ref. Indic.
2021		-2.0	-12.9	+5.9	-3.8	+11.7	-4.1	+8.9	-3.3	+12.2	-5.4	-7.5		
2022	-17.8	-3.7	-0.5	-21.7	-13.5	-7.9	+9.7	+0.9	-11.9	+1.0	-3.8	-7.7	-56.9	-18.1
2023	+13.1	+2.3	+5.1	-7.2	+17.2	+5.4	+5.1	-6.6	-5.2	-4.7	+19.7	+6.1	+57.2	+23.8
2024	+3.4	+7.8	-1.4										+9.9	+8.9

#### 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.

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.

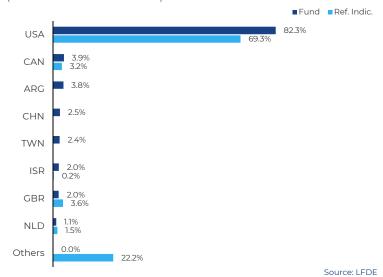
#### **Fund Profile**

EV/Sales 2024	11.6
PER 2024	53.3
Yield	0.3%
Active share	81.6%

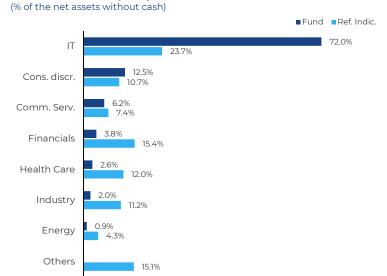
#### Cash (% of the net assets) 0.1% 35 Number of positions 594,611 Average market capitalization (M€) Median market capitalization (M€) 85,101 Source: LFDE

### Geographic breakdown

(% of the net assets without cash)



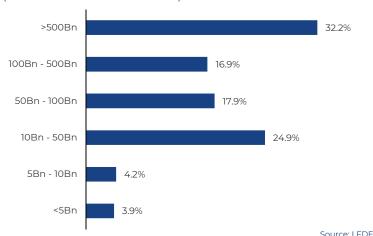
Sector breakdown (GICS)



Source: Bloomberg

## Capitalization breakdown (€)

(% of the net assets without cash)



#### **Top holdings**

Holdings	Country	Sector	% of the net assets
Nvidia	USA	IT	8.9
Crowdstrike	USA	IT	5.5
Amazon	USA	Cons. discr.	5.2
Servicenow	USA	IT	5.0
Microsoft	USA	IT	4.7
Datadog	USA	IT	4.2
Zscaler	USA	IT	3.9
Cloudflare	USA	IT	3.8
Mercadolibre	ARG	Cons. discr.	3.8
Palo Alto Networks	USA	IT	3.7
Total weigh	t of the top 10	holdings: <b>48.7</b> %	
			Course: LEDE

Source: LFDE

# Performance analysis (monthly)

Top 3 contributors				
Holdings	Performance	Contribution		
Nvidia	14.3	1.2		
Alphabet	9.1	0.3		
Oracle	12.6	0.2		
Weight of the 3 contributors: 13.4%				

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Е	S	G	ESG
6.4	5.4	7.0	6.4
4.8	4.6	5.4	5.1
	E <b>6.4</b>	6.4 5.4	100% 63 E S G 6.4 5.4 7.0

Source: LFDE, MSCI ESG Research

Flop 3 contributors					
Holdings	Performance	Contribution			
Zscaler	-20.3	-0.9			
Snowflake	-14.1	-0.6			
Palo Alto Networks	-8.4	-0.3			
Weight of	the 3 contributors: 11.4%				
		Source: LFDE			

Intensity of induced emissions	
(in tons of CO₂ equivalent per million euro of enterprise value)	
Fund	32.2
Ref. Indic.	112.4
	Source: Carbon4 Finance

The Governance score accounts for around 60% of the ESG rating. The coverage rates for ESG analysis vary from fund to fund and may change over time.

For further information related to the methodologies used to calculate ESG indicators, please refer to our transparency code available on <a href="www.lfde.com/en/responsible-investment/to-find-">www.lfde.com/en/responsible-investment/to-find-</a> out-more/