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Fund manager since 15-09-2017

Performance

	Fund	Portfolio	Index
1 m	0.95%	0.96%	1.15%
3 m	0.97%	0.97%	0.57%
Ytd	12.26%	12.25%	10.60%
1 Year	10.18%	10.18%	7.12%
2 Years	14.48%	14.47%	12.17%
3 Years	13.39%	13.35%	12.61%
5 Years	11.99%	11.89%	11.47%
Since 09-2017	6.99%	6.99%	7.34%

Annualized (for periods longer than one year)
Fund: Based on transaction prices of the fund.
Portfolio: Performance differences may arise between the Fund and Index due to differences in measurement periods.
For this reason portfolio returns (net of fees) are shown which have similar valuation principals as the index.

Calendar year performance

	Fund	Portfolio	Index
2024	11.16%	11.17%	8.59%
2023	13.71%	14.96%	15.83%
2022	-10.12%	-11.16%	-9.49%
2021	26.89%	26.82%	25.13%
2020	-5.61%	-5.75%	-3.32%
2022-2024	4.35%	4.32%	4.41%
2020-2024	6.36%	6.30%	6.61%

Annualized (years)

Index

MSCI Europe Index (Net Return, EUR)

General facts

Morningstar	★★★★★
Type of fund	Equities
Currency	EUR
Total size of fund	EUR 72,175,555
Size of share class	EUR 2,694,403
Outstanding shares	15,733
1st quotation date	15-09-2017
Close financial year	31-12
Ongoing charges	1.21%
Daily tradable	Yes
Dividend paid	No
Ex-ante tracking error limit	2.00%
Management company	Robeco Institutional Asset Management B.V.

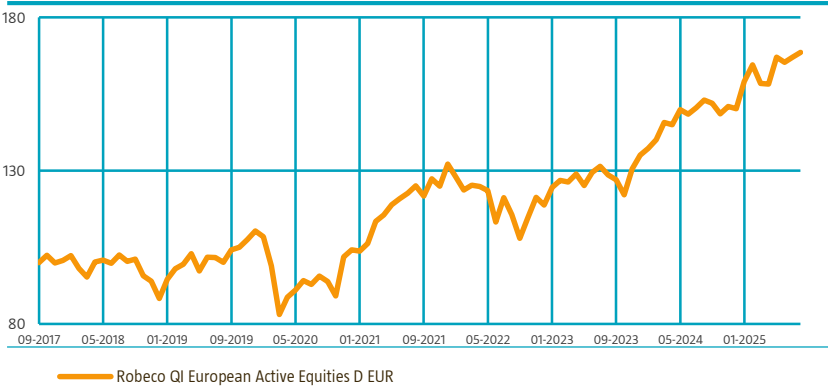
Sustainability profile

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For more information on exclusions see <https://www.robeco.com/exclusions/>

Performance

Indexed value (until 31-08-2025) - Source: Robeco



Performance

Based on transaction prices, the fund's return was 0.95%.

The objective of the European Active strategy is to consistently outperform the MSCI Europe Index by applying a large number of small overweight and underweight positions with respect to the index, resulting in a low tracking error. The portfolio consists of roughly 200 stocks and overweights stocks with an attractive valuation, a profitable operating business, strong price momentum and positive recent revisions from analysts. By using our integrated multi-factor stock selection model, we expect the strategy to consistently outperform the benchmark. Furthermore, the fund has a lower environmental footprint on carbon emissions compared to the benchmark.

Investment objective

The fund follows a bottom-up driven investment strategy to gain exposure to the proven return factors value, quality, momentum and analyst revisions within a tracking error budget. The fund's objective is to consistently achieve a better return than the index, by taking well-diversified exposure to an integrated multi-factor stock selection model. Our investment approach is rooted in our strong belief in behavioral finance. It systematically identifies and exploits market inefficiencies which arise as a result of predictable patterns in investor behavior. Our integrated risk management research is aimed at lifting proven factors to a higher level. Generic factors can involve significant risks that are often not properly rewarded, such as time-varying exposure to market beta. Therefore we apply integrated risk management techniques at the very start of the process: in the definition of our variables within the stock selection model. The Robeco proprietary portfolio construction algorithm is fully transparent and aims to optimize the exposure to the predictive power of the stock selection model while avoiding unnecessary turnover and transaction costs. The resulting portfolio is characterized by attractive valuation, high quality, strong price momentum and positive analyst revisions compared to the index.

Top 10 largest positions

The top ten positions are primarily the result of the fact that these companies have a large weight in the index.

Fund price

31-08-25	EUR	171.26
High Ytd (22-08-25)	EUR	174.42
Low Ytd (09-04-25)	EUR	142.25

Fees

Management fee	1.00%
Performance fee	None
Service fee	0.16%

Legal status

Investment company with variable capital incorporated under Luxembourg law (SICAV)	
Issue structure	Open-end
UCITS V	Yes
Share class	D EUR
This fund is a subfund of Robeco Capital Growth Funds, SICAV	

Registered in

Austria, France, Germany, Italy, Luxembourg, Singapore, Spain, United Kingdom

Currency policy

The fund may use currency forwards to achieve currency exposures that are close to the benchmark.

Risk management

Risk management is fully integrated in the investment process to ensure that positions always meet predefined guidelines.

Dividend policy

The fund does not distribute dividend. The fund retains any income that is earned, and so its entire performance is reflected in its share price.

Fund codes

ISIN	LU1654173993
Bloomberg	RQEEIDE LX
WKN	A3CXL7
Valoren	37664914

Top 10 largest positions

Holdings

Novartis AG
SAP SE
ASML Holding NV
Roche Holding AG
HSBC Holdings PLC
AstraZeneca PLC
Shell PLC
Siemens AG
Safran SA
Schneider Electric SE
Total

Sector	%
Health Care	2.66
Information Technology	2.59
Information Technology	2.49
Health Care	2.36
Financials	2.28
Health Care	2.14
Energy	1.99
Industrials	1.96
Industrials	1.64
Industrials	1.56
Total	21.66

Top 10/20/30 weights

TOP 10	21.66%
TOP 20	35.38%
TOP 30	45.00%

Statistics

	3 Years	5 Years
Tracking error ex-post (%)	1.59	1.44
Information ratio	1.33	1.10
Sharpe ratio	1.05	0.86
Alpha (%)	2.25	1.62
Beta	0.96	0.98
Standard deviation	11.29	13.37
Max. monthly gain (%)	6.72	13.95
Max. monthly loss (%)	-6.52	-8.22

Above mentioned ratios are based on gross of fees returns

Hit ratio

	3 Years	5 Years
Months outperformance	23	36
Hit ratio (%)	63.9	60.0
Months Bull market	21	34
Months outperformance Bull	13	19
Hit ratio Bull (%)	61.9	55.9
Months Bear market	15	26
Months Outperformance Bear	10	17
Hit ratio Bear (%)	66.7	65.4

Above mentioned ratios are based on gross of fees returns.

Sector allocation

The fund aims to keep sector positions neutral to the index level.

Sector allocation			Deviation index	
Financials		22.6%		-1.0%
Industrials		17.5%		-1.7%
Health Care		14.1%		0.5%
Consumer Staples		10.6%		0.7%
Consumer Discretionary		9.0%		1.0%
Information Technology		8.2%		1.5%
Communication Services		4.5%		0.3%
Materials		3.9%		-1.6%
Utilities		3.8%		-0.5%
Energy		3.6%		-0.8%
Real Estate		2.2%		1.4%

Country allocation

The fund aims to keep country positions neutral to the index level.

Country allocation			Deviation index	
United Kingdom		19.9%		-2.7%
France		16.4%		-0.1%
Germany		15.4%		0.0%
Switzerland		13.0%		-1.5%
Netherlands		7.4%		0.6%
Spain		6.1%		0.7%
Italy		5.3%		0.4%
Sweden		4.8%		-0.7%
Finland		3.1%		1.5%
Denmark		2.6%		-0.4%
Norway		2.4%		1.5%
Belgium		2.1%		0.5%
Other		1.4%		0.1%

ESG Important information

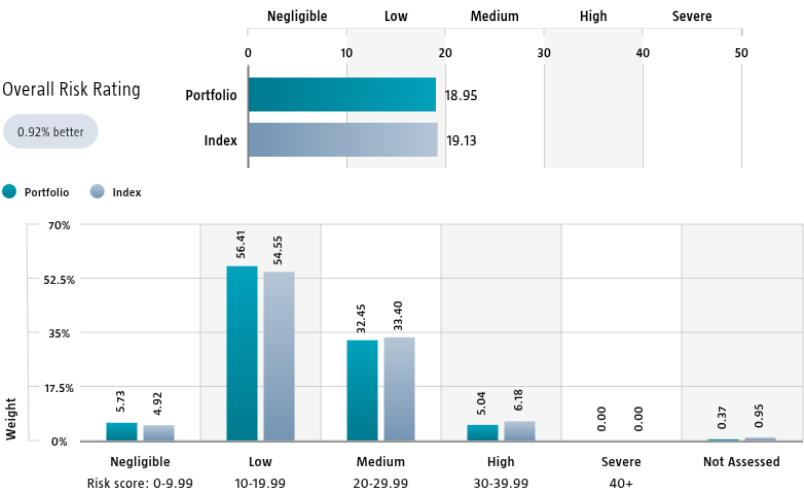
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Sustainability

The fund systematically incorporates sustainability in the investment process via exclusions, ESG integration, ESG and environmental footprint targets, and engagement. The fund does not invest in stocks issued by companies that are in breach of international norms or where its activities have been deemed detrimental to society following Robeco's exclusion policy. Financially material ESG factors are integrated in the portfolio construction to ensure the ESG risk rating is lower than that of the index. In addition, the environmental footprints of the fund are made lower than that of the benchmark by restricting the GHG emissions, water use and waste generation. With these portfolio construction rules, stocks issued by companies with better ESG scores or environmental footprints are more likely to be included in the portfolio while stocks issued by companies with worse ESG scores or environmental footprints are more likely to be divested from the portfolio. In addition, where a stock issuer is flagged for breaching international standards in the ongoing monitoring, the issuer will become subject to engagement. For more information please visit the sustainability-related disclosures. The index used for all sustainability visuals is based on MSCI Europe Index (Net Return, EUR).

Sustainalytics ESG Risk Rating

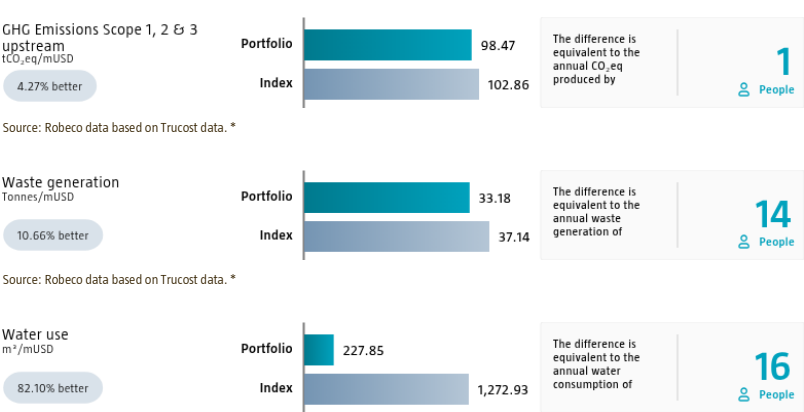
The Portfolio Sustainalytics ESG Risk Rating chart displays the portfolio's ESG Risk Rating. This is calculated by multiplying each portfolio component's Sustainalytics ESG Risk Rating by its respective portfolio weight. The Distribution across Sustainalytics ESG Risk levels chart shows the portfolio allocations broken into Sustainalytics' five ESG risk levels: negligible (0-10), low (10-20), medium (20-30), high (30-40) and severe (40+), providing an overview of portfolio exposure to the different ESG risk levels. Index scores are provided alongside the portfolio scores, highlighting the portfolio's ESG risk level compared to the index. Only holdings mapped as corporates are included in the figures.



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Environmental Footprint

Environmental footprint expresses the total resource consumption of the portfolio per mUSD invested. Each assessed company's footprint is calculated by normalizing resources consumed by the company's enterprise value including cash (EVIC). We aggregate these figures to portfolio level using a weighted average, multiplying each assessed portfolio constituent's footprint by its respective position weight. For comparison, index footprints are shown besides that of the portfolio. The equivalent factors that are used for comparison between the portfolio and index represent European averages and are based on third-party sources combined with own estimates. As such, the figures presented are intended for illustrative purposes and are purely an indication. Only holdings mapped as corporates are included in the figures.

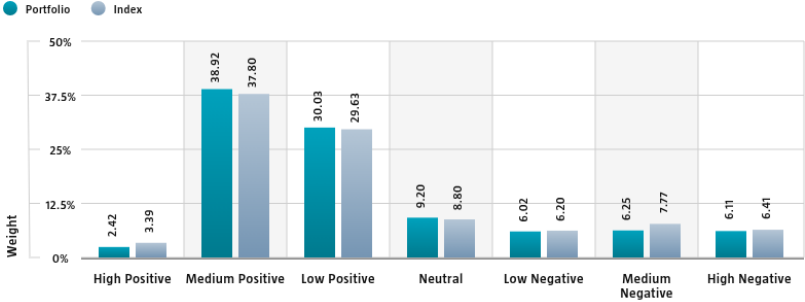


Source: Robeco data based on Trucost data. *

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SDG Impact Alignment

This distribution across SDG scores shows the portfolio weight allocated to companies with a positive, negative and neutral impact alignment with the Sustainable Development Goals (SDG) based on Robeco’s SDG Framework. The framework utilizes a three-step approach to assess a company’s impact alignment with the relevant SDGs and assign a total SDG score. The score ranges from positive to negative impact alignment with levels from high, medium or low impact alignment. This results in a 7-step scale from -3 to +3. For comparison, index figures are provided alongside that of the portfolio. Only holdings mapped as corporates are included in the figures.



Source: Robeco. Data derived from internal processes.

Engagement

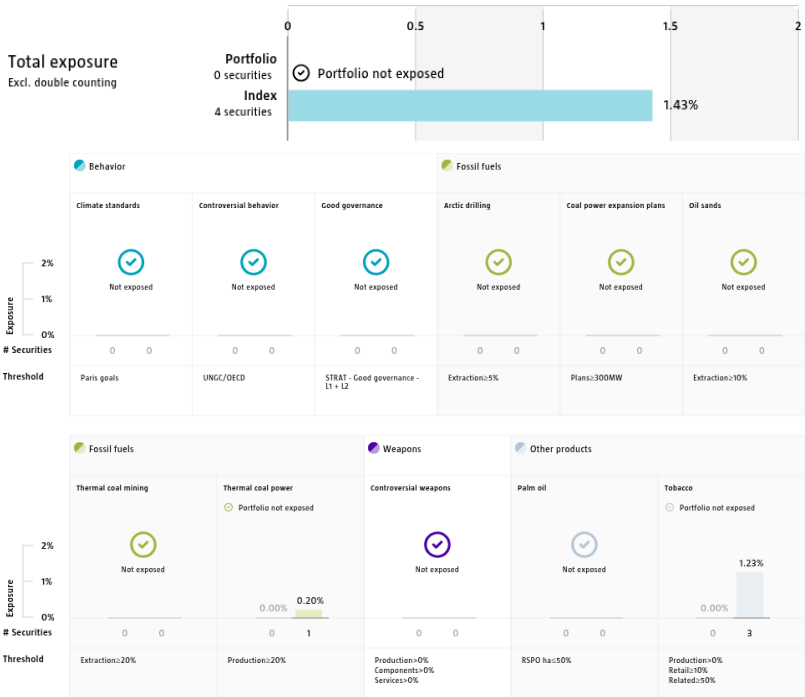
Robeco distinguishes between three types of engagement. Value Engagement focuses on long-term issues that are financially material and/or are causing adverse sustainability impacts. The themes can be broken into Environmental, Social, Governance, or Voting-related. SDG Engagement aims to drive a clear and measurable improvement in a company’s SDG contribution. Enhanced engagement is triggered by misconduct and focuses on companies severely breaching international standards. The report is based on all companies in the portfolio for which engagement activities have taken place during the past 12 months. Note that companies may be under engagement in multiple categories simultaneously. While the total portfolio exposure excludes double counting, it may not equal the sum of individual category exposures.

	Portfolio exposure	# companies engaged with	# activities with companies engaged with
Total (* excluding double counting)	22.62%	31	146
Environmental	5.35%	10	44
Social	0.00%	0	0
Governance	5.36%	6	33
Sustainable Development Goals	10.30%	16	66
Voting Related	3.25%	3	3
Enhanced	0.00%	0	0

Source: Robeco. Data derived from internal processes.

Exclusions

The Exclusions charts display the degree of adherence to exclusion applied by Robeco. For reference, index exposures are shown beside that of the portfolio. Thresholds are based on revenues unless otherwise indicated. For more information about the exclusion policy and which level applies, please refer to the Exclusion Policy and Exclusion List available on Robeco.com.



Source: We use several data sources such as Sustainalytics, RSPO (Roundtable on Sustainable Palm Oil), World Bank, Freedom House, Fund for Peace and International Sanctions; further policy document available [Exclusion Policy](#)

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The fund aims for a better sustainability profile compared to the Benchmark by promoting E&S (i.e. Environmental and Social) characteristics within the meaning of Article 8 of the European Sustainable Finance Disclosure Regulation, integrating sustainability risks in the investment process and applying Robeco's Good Governance policy. The fund applies sustainability indicators, including but not limited to, normative, activity-based and region-based exclusions, and engagement.

Fund manager's CV

Wilma de Groot is Head of Core Quant Equities, Head of Quant Equity Portfolio Management and Deputy Head of Quant Equity. She is responsible for quant equity strategies and specializes in asset pricing anomalies, portfolio construction and sustainability integration. She has published in various academic publications including the Journal of Impact and ESG Investing, Journal of Banking and Finance, Journal of International Money and Finance, Journal of Empirical Finance and the Financial Analysts Journal. She is a guest lecturer at several universities. Wilma joined Robeco as a Quant Researcher in 2001. Wilma has a PhD in Finance from Erasmus University Rotterdam and holds a Master's in Econometrics from Tilburg University. She is a CFA® Charterholder. Machiel Zwanenburg is Portfolio Manager Quantitative Equities. He specializes in quantitative stock selection and portfolio construction. One of his areas of expertise is sustainability integration within quantitative equities. Previously, he held positions as Risk Manager and Head of Client Portfolio Risk at Robeco. He joined Robeco in 1999 as a member of the Quant Research team. He holds a Master's in Econometrics from Erasmus University Rotterdam and a Master's in Economics from the London School of Economics. Vania Sulman is Portfolio Manager Quantitative Equities. She specializes in the stock selection and sustainability integration in customized portfolios. She rejoined Robeco in 2022. Previously, she worked as a data scientist for three years and prior to that as a Quant Researcher at Robeco with a focus on quantitative stock selection. She joined the industry and Robeco in 2016. She holds a Master's (cum laude) in Quantitative Finance from Erasmus University Rotterdam. Wouter Tilgenkamp is Portfolio Manager Quantitative Equities. Wouter joined Robeco in 2016 as a Data Scientist. He started his financial career in 2014 as Derivative Trader at Optiver. He holds a Bachelor of Science in Applied Mathematics from Technical University of Delft and a Master's in Quantitative Finance from Erasmus University Rotterdam. Koen Rijnen is Portfolio Manager Quantitative Equities. Koen specializes in portfolio construction and sustainability integration within quantitative equities. He joined Robeco in 2022. Previously, he was Hedging Specialist and Balance Sheet Manager at Aegon. He started his career in consultancy in 2015 and joined the industry in 2018. Koen holds a Master's (cum laude) in Hydraulic Engineering from Delft University of Technology. He is a CFA® Charterholder. Dean Walsh is Portfolio Manager Quantitative Equities. Dean specializes in quantitative stock selection, portfolio construction and sustainable integration. Prior to joining Robeco in 2023, he worked at Mercer Global Investments as a currency portfolio manager and as a principal in their Portfolio Intelligence unit. In this role, he led on quantitative research, including work on factor portfolios, sustainable & Paris-aligned investing, and risk management. He joined the industry in 2013 at JP Morgan. Dean holds a Master's in Quantitative Finance from University College Dublin. He is a CFA® and CAIA® Charterholder.

Fiscal product treatment

The fund is established in Luxembourg and is subject to the Luxembourg tax laws and regulations. The fund is not liable to pay any corporation, income, dividend or capital gains tax in Luxembourg. The fund is subject to an annual subscription tax ('tax d'abonnement') in Luxembourg, which amounts to 0.05% of the net asset value of the fund. This tax is included in the net asset value of the fund. The fund can in principle use the Luxembourg treaty network to partially recover any withholding tax on its income.

Fiscal treatment of investor

The fiscal consequences of investing in this fund depend on the investor's personal situation. For private investors in the Netherlands real interest and dividend income or capital gains received on their investments are not relevant for tax purposes. Each year investors pay income tax on the value of their net assets as at 1 January if and inasmuch as such net assets exceed the investor's tax-free allowance. Any amount invested in the fund forms part of the investor's net assets. Private investors who are resident outside the Netherlands will not be taxed in the Netherlands on their investments in the fund. However, such investors may be taxed in their country of residence on any income from an investment in this fund based on the applicable national fiscal laws. Other fiscal rules apply to legal entities or professional investors. We advise investors to consult their financial or tax adviser about the tax consequences of an investment in this fund in their specific circumstances before deciding to invest in the fund.

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