

### **Risk / return ratio**

Low

Investment objective and policy

The fund's objective is to generate long-term capital gains by investing primarily in quality European small and mid-cap companies that have a sustainable competitive advantage. Companies considered for investment have a stock market capitalisation of between 300 million and 7.5 billion euros. The fund aims to generate higher risk-adjusted returns than its benchmark universe over a full market cycle. A minimum of 30% of the fund's assets will be invested in sustainable assets. The fund manager implements an active strategy based on solid convictions.

## **Key Features**

An active, fundamental, conviction-based approach (40 to 50 stocks), purely bottom-up and oriented towards the long term;

A portfolio of quality European small and mid-cap companies offering access to a dynamic segment of the European equity market;

Constant attention is paid to the quality of the fundamentals and the valuation of the companies included in the portfolio;

Integration of ESG factors at different stages of the investment process (exclusions, analysis, valuation, monitoring of controversies, voting policy and engagement);

Regular review of the valuation of each stock and the average valuation of the portfolio; Non-benchmarked management resulting in significant deviations from the initial investment universe;

Low turnover.

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#### Equity funds

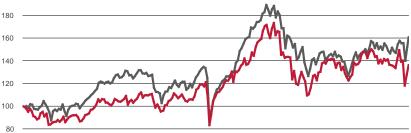
High

Minimum investment horizon: > 10 years

Data as of 14/05/2025

## Performance

Annualised performance since launch 20/11/2012 : + 6,08 %



01/01/18 01/01/19 01/01/20 01/01/16 01/01/17 01/01/21 01/01/22 01/01/23 01/01/24 01/01/25

	Since 01/01/2025	2024	2023	2022	2021	2020	Since launch
Fund (%)	1,81	-4,45	14,86	-29,26	28,44	12,54	108,26
Benchmark <sup>1</sup> (%)	7,44	1,44	7,21	-26,01	14,50	12,90	171,76
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## Portfolio breakdown

#### Asset breakdown

Equities	98,70 %
Cash	1,16 %
Miscellaneous	0,14 %

Top holdings

6,12 %
5,25 %
5,16 %
5,01 %
4,86 %



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### Management company

BLI - Banque de Luxembourg Investments S.A.

### **Countries of registration**

AT, BE, CH, DE, DK, ES, FI, FR, GB, IT, LU, NL, NO, PT, SE, SG

### **NAV** publications

www.blfunds.com, www.bli.lu, Fundinfo.com, De Tijd, L'Echo, Luxemburger Wort

## **Fund information**

20/11/2012
EUR
EUR 207,53
Every business day
EUR 207,84
EUR 200,60
1,48 %

Last updated	16/05/2025
Management fee	1,25 %
Subscription fee max.	5,00 %
Redemption fee	0,00 %
ISIN CAP	LU0832875438
ISIN DIS	LU0832875354

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