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Spain



Credit Suisse (Lux) Small and Mid Cap Alpha Long/Short Fund a subfund of CS Investment Funds 2 - Class IBH USD

Investment policy

The CS (Lux) Small and Mid Cap Alpha Long/Short Fund aims to generate absolute positive returns by exploiting the inefficiencies of the small and mid-cap markets in Europe with a focus on German speaking countries. The portfolio managers buy the equities they think will perform best, while at the same time selling stocks in companies that, in their views, will underperform the market. The objective is to create a portfolio that has lower volatility, less correlation with the equity markets and a better risk-adjusted performance than a long-only fund.

Fund facts

Fund manager	Felix Meier
Fund manager since	26.07.2010
Location	Zurich
Management	Credit Suisse Fund Management
company	S.A.
Fund domicile	Luxembourg
Fund currency	EUR
Close of financial ye	ar 31. May
Total net assets (in r	nillions) 251,74
Inception date	29.09.2017
Management fee p.a	1,00%
Ongoing charge 2)	1,35%
Subscription 3)	Weekly
Redemption 3)	Weekly
Performance fee in	% with Highwatermark 20,00
Swinging single pric	ing (SSP) 5) Yes
Unit class	Category IBH
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Category IDFI
(capital growth)
USD
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5) For more details, please refer to the relevant chapter "Net Asset Value" of the Fund's prospectus.

Fund statistics

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Annualized volatility in %	9,73	7,55
Fund Exposures		
Total gross exposure		168,94
Long exposure		94,02
Short exposure		-74,92
Net exposure		19,10
Number of long positions		95,00
Number of short positions		51,00

Market Cap 4)

	Long (%)	Short (%)
Large Cap	11,39	26,01
Mid Cap	63,24	38,49
Small Cap	19,40	10,42

Top 2 long transactions

Buy SHOP APOTHEKE EUROPE NV Buy AROUNDTOWN PROPERTY HOLDINGS Sell ESSILORLUXOTTICA Sell

Net performance in USD (rebased to 100) and yearly performance

Past performance does not predict future returns. Neither simulated nor historical performance is a reliable indicator for current or future performance.

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Net performance in USD

	1 month	3 months	YTD	1 year	3 years	5 years
Fund	3,60	-1,29	-8,41	-10,82	6,69	-
Benchmark	0,53	-3,56	-12,09	-14,74	11,69	-

Historical monthly performance in %

Year	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	YTD
2022	-3,46	-0,31	0,42	-4,00	0,84	-5,52	3,60	-	-	-	-	-	-8,41
2021	-0,39	0,77	-0,81	0,73	0,11	0,07	1,12	0,61	-2,53	1,86	-3,25	0,75	-1,10
2020	1,30	2,84	-0,07	3,57	2,50	-2,27	2,04	0,71	2,72	-1,86	1,51	2,10	15,95
2019	5,59	1,05	-1,83	4,65	-2,32	0,73	1,87	-0,80	2,11	-1,77	1,21	0,87	11,59
2018	3,47	0,95	-4,79	2,75	1,32	0,96	2,24	0,28	-1,43	-5,96	-3,54	-3,71	-7,73
2017	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-0,86	3,47	2,58

Market commentary

In July, European small-cap equities recovered strongly. Fears of a coming recession, high reported inflation figures, hawkish central banks, and the war in Ukraine still weighed on market sentiment. However, major central banks raised short-term interest rates and inflation worries have been easing. Amid weaker expectations for growth, commodity prices in general have come down. Long bond yields fell as well, supporting price/earnings expansion. This environment supported quality growth stocks. The style shift was a major boost to the positive performance in July, as we tend to pick quality growth in the long book.

Best contributors in the long book included Eckert&Ziegler and STMicroelectronics. Eckert&Ziegler, a specialist provider of isotopes for industrials and radiopharmaceuticals, reported a profit increase. STMicroelectronics, a European manufacturer of a broad-based range of semiconductors, delivered good Ω2 results and raised its fiscalyear 22 guidance. Increased adoption of semiconductor products by new verticals, especially related to the automotive sector, underpins STMicroelectronics' solid trends with an order backlog that covers 18-24 months. The worst contributors included Software AG and K&S AG. Software AG provides database and enterprise integration software. The company had to lower its guidance after softer-than-expected bookings in Q2. Shares of potash supplier K&S AG were down due to pressure on prices for potash in some of its markets. The best contributors in our short book included Banco Comercial Português (BCP) and S4 Capital. We shorted the Portuguese bank BCP as a hedge in an environment where spreads between core Europe and peripheral Europe have started to widen again. Moreover, BCP's capital position might come under pressure due to the Polish mortgage moratoria that came into law recently. Digital advertising and marketing operator S4 Capital plc saw a drop in the share price after they presented a profit warning on July 21 that was largely attributable to control issues. The group had been growing fast both organically and via acquisitions, and the cost/control issue in their content vertical

The worst contributor in our short book included Swiss online broker Swissquote and bioethanol produced Cropenergies. Fears have been fading about a G7 push for waivers on biofuels mandates because of high food prices. Swissquote shares recovered with rising markets. However, online brokers are highly dependent on number of trades executed and new client acquisitions - both becoming more difficult during market corrections. Net exposure was slightly below average levels at month-end for risk-management reasons and due to a weak fundamental outlook. However, we see chances to pick up some good quality growth stocks at favorable levels when peak inflation hopes become clearer, long bond yields level out, and market volatility is back on lower levels.

business was larger than expected. We closed the position and took profit.

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2) If the currency of a financial product and/or its costs is different from your reference currency, the return and cost may increase or decrease as a result of currency

fluctuations.

Top 2 short transactions

Short	THE SWATCH GROUP
Short	BASF reg
Cover	BASF reg
Cover	HEIDELBERGCEMENT

Allocation by Country in %

	Long	Short	Net
Switzerland	1,79	-12,44	-10,65
Germany	63,37	-40,85	22,51
Austria	0,27	-0,03	0,24
Belgium	0,73	-0,29	0,44
Denmark	0,18	-1,03	-0,85
Spain	1,02	-0,28	0,75
Finland	2,73	-0,34	2,40
France	3,14	-3,94	-0,81
United Kingdom	2,41	-5,81	-3,40
Ireland	0,00	-1,32	-1,32
Italy	8,88	-4,98	3,91
Luxembourg	0,26	-1,23	-0,97
Norway	1,94	-0,11	1,82
Netherlands	5,31	-1,26	4,04
Poland	0,00	-0,02	-0,02
Portugal	0,74	-0,03	0,71
Sweden	1,25	-0,97	0,28

Allocation by Sector in %

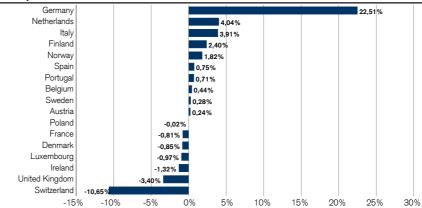
	Long	Short	Net
Communication Services	8,35	-5,87	2,48
Consumer Discretionary	5,85	-10,36	-4,51
Consumer Staples	3,71	-3,12	0,60
Energy	2,38	-1,46	0,92
Financials	7,89	-9,88	-1,99
Health Care	15,43	-7,78	7,65
Industrials	23,01	-14,68	8,33
Information Technology	10,44	-6,47	3,97
Materials	11,37	-9,57	1,80
Real Estate	3,39	-4,42	-1,03
Utilities	2,22	-1,33	0,89

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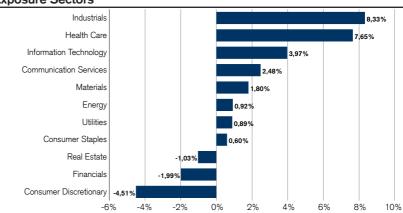
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Net Exposure Countries



Net Exposure Sectors



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