Generali SMART Funds

BEST SELECTION - EX 28 February 2022

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KEY DATA

MANAGEMENT COMPANY	Generali Investments Luxembourg S.A.
INVESTMENT MANAGER	Generali Investments
	Partners S.p.A Società di gestione del risparmio
FUND MANAGER	Gregor RADNIKOW
BENCHMARK	70% MSCI WORLD (NR)
DENORMARK	+ 30% BARCLAYS MULTIVERSE (TR)
FUND TYPE	Sicav
DOMICILE	Luxembourg
SUB-FUND LAUNCH DATE	01/10/2012
SHARE CLASS LAUNCH DATE	19/01/2018
FIRST NAV DATE AFTER DORMANT PERIOD	No dormant period
CURRENCY	Euro
CUSTODIAN BANK	BNP Paribas Securities
	Services Luxembourg
BLOOMBERG CODE	LU1580346895 GSBSLEX LX
VALUATION	115 14 M FUR
AUM	
NAV PER SHARE	160.78 EUR
HIGHEST NAV OVER THE LAST 12 MONTHS	186.05 EUR
LOWEST NAV OVER THE LAST 12 MONTHS	158.91 EUR
FEES	
SUBSCRIPTION FEE	4.00%
MANAGEMENT FEE	Max 1,10%
CONVERSION FEE	max. 4%
REDEMPTION FEE	max. 3%
PERFORMANCE FEE	n.a.
ONGOING CHARGES	2.23%

CATEGORY AND RISK PROFILE

CATEGORY Multi Asset						
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
Lower ri	sk			Detentio		igher risk

The risk and reward category shown is not guaranteed to remain unchanged and the categorisation of the sub fund may shift over time. For more information about risk, please see the KIID and Prospectus.

INVESTMENT OBJECTIVE AND POLICY

The main objective of the investment policy of the Generali Smart Funds Best Selection Sub-Fund is to achieve the highest possible growth through opportunities offered by the equity markets, along with a substantial allocation of bond funds. The investment spectrum is globally oriented, whereby the proportion of equity funds held is generally higher than that of bond funds. The Sub-Fund may acquire shares or units in mixed investment funds and money market funds in addition to open-ended commodity funds, funds investing in certificates and certificates. Depending on market conditions, it may also invest wholly in one of the aforementioned fund types. The Sub-Fund will invest mainly in the shares or units of other UCITS and/or UCis. Mainly shares or units in equity funds, along with a substantial proportion of shares or units in bond funds will be acquired for the Sub-Fund. The Sub-Fund's assets may also be invested wholly in equity funds. A maximum of 20 percent of the relevant Sub-Fund's net assets may be invested in shares or units of a single target fund. The Sub-Fund may furthermore use derivatives and futures contracts on financial indices in particular, to hedge market risk.

PERFORMANCE ANALYSIS AT 28 FEBRUARY 2022



	1M	YTD	1YR	3YR	5YR	3YR P.A.	5YR P.A.
Portfolio	-1.67	-10.51	-0.27	14.78	15.51	4.70	2.92
Benchmark	-2.31	-5.17	14.39	-	-	-	-
Excess return	0.64	-5.34	-14.66	-	-	-	-
	SI	SI F	P.A. 2021	2020	2019	2018	2017
Portfolio	66.64	5.	57 11.60	5.05	20.02	-11.08	7.23
Benchmark	-			-	-	-	-

	02/22-02/21	02/21-02/20	02/20-02/19	02/19-02/18	02/18-02/17
Portfolio	-0.27	8.65	5.93	-1.09	1.75
Benchmark	14.39	-	-	-	-
Excess return	-14.66	-	-	-	-

KEY FEATURES

Excess return

- 7 asset classes depict stock markets such as Germany, Europe or commodities / precious metals, which are intended to generate the highest possible return
- Invests in 10 different asset classes, each with equal weighting
- The aim is to select the target fund with the right strategy for every market situation and in each asset class

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FUND MANAGER'S COMMENTS

Equities came under pressure in the second month of the year. At the beginning of February, investors first looked at the looming hikes in US interest rates and a possible escalation of the Russia-Ukraine conflict. The expected interest rate hikes were primarily positive for banks and cyclical stocks. Bonds, on the other hand, did not profit from this development. The events of the first few weeks were partially levelled out at the end of the month by the invasion of Ukraine by Russian troops. This led to great uncertainty among investors and thus to falling prices of risky assets. Rising energy prices are also affecting companies and the economy. Therefore, the fall in prices is also based on the expectations that production costs, especially for industrial companies, will rise significantly. Other economically sensitive stocks are also suffering from this development. It can also be observed that US stocks are less affected than European stocks and within Europe growth stocks less so than value stocks.

In this market environment, GSF Best Selection continued to lose value, but remained ahead of its benchmark index, which lost even more.

On the allocation side, many of the strategic building blocks of the fund of funds had a negative impact in the reporting period. On the bond side, both corporate and emerging market bond funds came under more pressure than diversified funds that also invest in developed market government bonds. On the equity side, the market environment weighed heavily on German stocks in particular. On the other hand, the strategic consideration of commodity stocks was extremely advantageous. Regarding fund selection, most of the products could not keep up with their respective market indices. On the equity side in particular, this was due to the fact that, despite the increased volatility, there was still less than expected demand for growth stocks. On the other hand, NINETYONE GLOBAL GOLD FUND, which was selected for the materials bucket of the fund, skyrocketed due to the geopolitical catastrophe and the resulting sharp increase in the price of gold, and thus helped the fund of funds to achieve an overall positive return compared to its benchmark index.

In the portfolio, the announced change was made in the area of emerging market bonds, as NINETYONE EM CORPORATE DEBT selected here was not among the top 2 in its peer group for two consecutive quarters. VANGUARD EMERGING MARKETS BONDS, which primarily invests in US Dollar-denominated government bonds from emerging countries, was added to the segment as a new fund.

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HOLDINGS & TRANSACTIONS

TOP 10 OF PREVIOUS MONTH

HOLDING	GROSS %
NOMURA GLOBAL DYN BOND-IUSD	10.40%
GS GL CREDIT HED IAC (GSGCHIA LX)	10.37%
91GSF-GLOBAL GOLD-I ACC USD	10.19%
JPMORGAN F-EMR MKTS E-I-A (JPEMIUS	10.05%
ROBECO-ROB GL CON TR-IE (RGCTEIE	9.88%
CARMGNC PF G-EURP-FW EUR AC	9.82%
91GSF-EM MK CD-I ACC USD (INEMCBI LX)	9.80%
EDGEWOOD L SL-US SL G-I USDZ	9.79%
LUPUS ALPHA SMALL GER CHAM-C	9.73%
THREADN GLOBAL SM COS-IE (TESAAIE	9.68%
Total Top 10 (%)	99.71%
Total Top 20 (%)	99.71%

RATIOS

PERFORMANCE AND RISK ANALYSIS - SYNTHESIS

	1YR	3YR	5YR	SI
Standard Deviation Ptf	9.52	14.28	12.36	11.55
Standard Deviation Bmk	7.07	-	-	-
Tracking Error	8.28	-	-	-
Alpha	-0.20	-	-	-
Beta	0.72	-	-	-
R-squared	0.29	-	-	-
Information Ratio	-1.85	-	-	-
Sharpe Ratio	-0.06	0.33	0.24	0.41
Treynor Ratio	-0.88	-	-	-
Sortino Ratio	-0.09	0.43	0.32	0.57

DRAWDOWN

	SINCE INCEPTION
Maximum drawdown (%)	-26.4
Peak to trough drawdown (dates)	Feb 20 - Mar 20
Length (in days)	28
Recovery Period (in days)	308
Worst Month	March 2020
Lowest Return	-14.9
Best Month	October 2015
Highest Return	8.8

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PERFORMANCE CONTRIBUTION AS OF END OF PREVIOUS MONTH

■ Fund ■ Benchmark

SECURITY	11	M YTD
CARMGNC PF G-EURP-FW EUR AC (CARGWEA LX)	-1.35%	-1.35%
EDGEWOOD L SL-US SL G-I USDZ (COMWIUZ LX)	-1.25%	-1.25%
NOMURA GLOBAL DYN BOND-IUSD (NGDYGIU ID)	0.02%	0.02%
THREADN GLOBAL SM COS-IE (TESAAIE LX)	-1.47%	-1.47%
LUPUS ALPHA SMALL GER CHAM-C (LUPMDPC LX)	-0.87%	-0.87%
GS GL CREDIT HED IAC (GSGCHIA LX)	-0.11%	-0.11%
91GSF-EM MK CD-I ACC USD (INEMCBI LX)	-0.12%	-0.12%
91GSF-GLOBAL GOLD-I ACC USD (INGSGGI LX)	-0.69%	-0.69%
ROBECO-ROB GL CON TR-IE (RGCTEIE LX)	-1.11%	-1.11%
JPMORGAN F-EMR MKTS E-I-A (JPEMIUS LX)	-0.55%	-0.55%
Others	0.00%	0.01%

DEALING DETAILS

CUT OFF TIME	T-1 at 2pm (T being NAV date)
SETTLEMENT	T+2
VALUATION	Daily
NAV CALCULATION	Day +1
NAV PUBLICATION	Day +1

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