

# CT (Lux) Sustainable Opportunities European Equity



Share Class F Acc EUR

31-Mar-24

## Fund manager

David Moss



## Fund objective and policy

The Fund aims to achieve long-term capital growth through sustainable investments. The Fund is actively managed. It is not constrained by its comparator benchmark, the MSCI Europe NR Index, and has significant freedom to invest in a portfolio that is materially different to the benchmark's own composition. The Fund aims to achieve its objective by investing in equities of European companies which meet high sustainability standards, based on a detailed assessment using internal and external data. Through this the Manager seeks to avoid investments in companies with damaging or unsustainable business practices; invest in companies providing solutions to sustainability challenges or making positive contributions to society and/or the environment; and improve investee companies' ESG practices through proactive and constructive engagement and voting.

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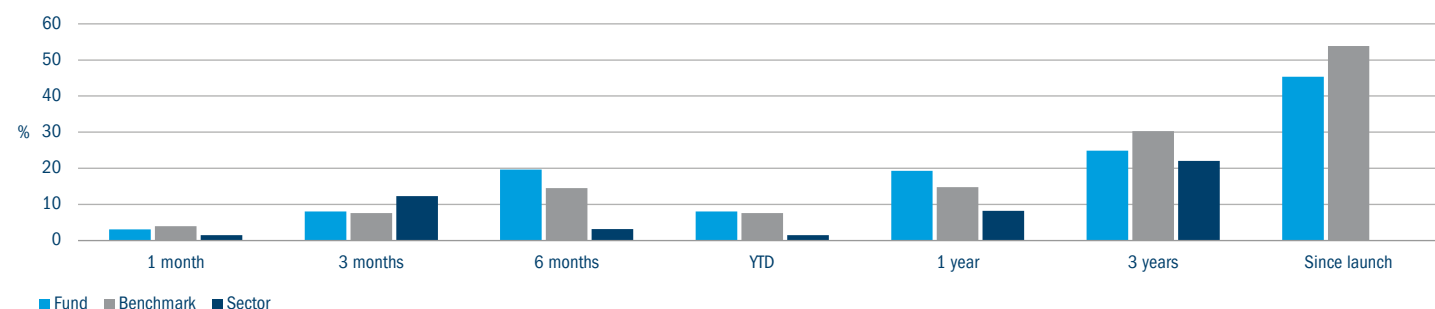
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## Fund details

Launch date:	12-Dec-2000	Fund currency:	EUR	Ann. mgmt. fee:	0.20%	XD dates:	15-Jan
Fund type:	Luxembourg UCITS	Fund size:	€15.2m	Ann. return 5 years:	N/A	Year end:	30-Sep
Sector:	Equity Europe	Share price:	€14.54	Minimum investment:	€1.0m	ISIN:	LU1438421858
Comparator benchmark:	MSCI Europe NR	Initial charge:	0.00%	Price frequency:	Daily	Sedol:	BYZ9JH9
		Ongoing charge:	0.50%	Distribution policy:	Annually	FATCA:	LTIX5I.99999.SL.442
		TER:	0.42%	Payment date(s):	29-Jan	Administrator:	State Street Bank Luxembourg S.A.
				Share currency:	EUR		

Past performance does not predict future returns.

## Fund performance



## Cumulative performance as at 31-Mar-24

	1 month	3 months	6 months	YTD	1 year	3 years	Since launch
Fund	3.12%	8.02%	19.67%	8.02%	19.28%	24.91%	45.40%
Benchmark	3.94%	7.63%	14.56%	7.63%	14.79%	30.31%	53.86%
Sector	1.47%	12.33%	3.19%	1.47%	8.26%	22.03%	-
Quartile ranking	2	1	1	2	1	2	-

## Discrete performance as at 31-Mar-24

	Mar-23 - Mar-24	Mar-22 - Mar-23	Mar-21 - Mar-22	Mar-20 - Mar-21	Mar-19 - Mar-20	Mar-18 - Mar-19	Mar-17 - Mar-18	Mar-16 - Mar-17	Mar-15 - Mar-16	Mar-14 - Mar-15
Fund	19.28%	-2.87%	7.82%	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Benchmark	14.79%	3.82%	9.34%	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Sector	8.26%	-3.74%	17.09%	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Quartile ranking	1	3	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

Source: Columbia Threadneedle Investments, Lipper as at 31-Mar-24. Performance data is in EUR terms. Performance returns are based on NAV figures. All fund performance data is net of management fees. Costs may increase or decrease as a result of currency and exchange rate fluctuations.

## Top 10 holdings

Novo Nordisk A/S	6.5%
ASML Holding NV	5.6%
SAP SE	5.3%
Schneider Electric SE	4.9%
AstraZeneca PLC	4.1%
Air Liquide SA	4.0%
RELX PLC	3.6%
Intesa Sanpaolo SpA	3.5%
Smurfit Kappa Group PLC	3.5%
Cie de Saint-Gobain SA	3.4%

## Sector allocation

Financials	23.0%
Health Care	16.1%
Industrials	14.6%
Technology	14.1%
Consumer Discretionary	11.9%
Basic Materials	9.2%
Utilities	2.9%
Consumer Goods	2.8%
Other	4.7%
Cash	0.8%

## Geographical allocation

Germany	16.5%
United Kingdom	14.3%
Ireland	10.9%
United States	10.4%
France	9.2%
Netherlands	9.0%
Denmark	8.9%
Norway	6.5%
Other	13.5%
Cash	0.8%

## Q4 2023 Active engagement report

Business Conduct	2
Climate Change	10
Corporate Governance	13
Environmental Standards	7
Human Rights	1
Labour Standards	12
Public Health	2
Last 2 quarters: companies	15
countries	6

## Glossary

<b>Active Engagement Report</b>	We define engagement as dialogue between investors and companies with a focus on encouraging companies to address strategic issues including environmental, social and governance factors. The objective of such dialogue with companies is to reduce risk and support long-term performance. The table sets out, for the fund, the number of companies we have engaged with; the number of countries covered and the individual engagement themes.
<b>Quartile Ranking</b>	A measure of performance where all funds within the sector are ranked and split into 4 groups. The best 25% performing funds are in the first (1) quartile, the next 25% into the second (2) quartile and the worst 25% into the fourth (4) quartile.

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