# **Key Investor Information**

This document provides you with key investor information about this Fund. It is not marketing material. The information is required by law to help you understand the nature and the risks of investing in this Fund. You are advised to read it so you can make an informed decision about whether to invest.

## Latin America Equity, a subfund of the SICAV BNP Paribas Funds, short named as BNP Paribas

Class "Classic Capitalisation" - ISIN code LU0075933415

This Fund is managed by BNP PARIBAS ASSET MANAGEMENT Luxembourg, part of the BNP Paribas Group.

## Objectives and investment policy

The Fund seeks to increase the value of its assets over the medium term by investing in shares issued by Latin American companies, and/or companies operating in those countries.

It is actively managed and as such may invest in securities that are not included in the index which is MSCI EM Latin America 10/40 (NR). Due to the active approach of the investment manager, the performance objective of the sub-fund is to outperform the benchmark.

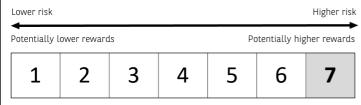
The investment philosophy is based in a long term bottom-up approach taking into consideration the financial structure of companies with superior earnings growth and sound profitability, quality of the management, sustainable growth and others. The selection approach is based on an assessment of critical factors such as valuation multiples, earnings growth and cash flow generation. Alongside, a top down overlay approach is used to identify companies operating in sectors/countries with strong long term macroeconomic fundamentals. Opportunities are sought everywhere in the Latin America investment universe, whether inside or outside of the index, with no particular constraints other than liquidity.

Nevertheless, when certain market's circumstances justify it in order to preserve the overall liquidity of the sub-fund, the asset manager will focus on the most tradable equities, the composition of the portfolio could get closer to that of the benchmark. Such circumstances are related to emerging markets inefficiencies, such as liquidity issues and severe FX devaluations during global instabilities, irrational speculative attacks towards emerging markets, and electoral periods in which prices are chiefly driven by political news-flow rather than fundamentals.

Environmental, social and governance (ESG) criteria contribute to, but are not a determining factor in, the manager's decision making. Incomes are systematically reinvested.

Investors are able to redeem on a daily basis (on Luxembourg bank business days) as described in the prospectus.

# Risk and reward profile



• Historical data may not be reliable indication for the future.

- The risk category of a Fund is an indicator but not a target or a guarantee and may shift over time.
- The lowest category does not mean a risk-free investment.
- Why is the Fund in this specific category?
- The risk category is justified by the investment mainly in stocks and shares, the value of which can fluctuate considerably. These fluctuations are often amplified in the short term.
- The higher the risk, the longer the recommended investment horizon.

Other risks materially relevant to the Fund which are not adequately captured by the indicator are described below:

• <u>Operational and Custody Risk</u>: Some markets are less regulated than most of the international markets; hence, the services related to custody and liquidation for the subfund on such markets could be more risky.

For more information on risks, please see the risks section of the Fund's prospectus, which is available at <a href="http://www.bnpparibas-am.com">http://www.bnpparibas-am.com</a>



#### Charges

The charges you pay are used to pay the Fund's running costs, including the costs of marketing and distribution. These charges reduce the potential growth of your investment.

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| One-off charges taken before or after you invest   |           |
| Entry charge   | 3.00%     |
| Exit charges   | None      |
| This is the maximum that might be taken out of your money (before the proceeds of your investment are paid out). |           |
| Charges taken from the Fund over each year   |           |
| Ongoing charges  | 2.23% (*) |
| Charges taken from the fund under specific conditions  |           |
| Performance fee  | None      |

The **entry charges** shown are maximum figures. In some cases you might pay less. You can find this out from your financial adviser.

(\*) The percentage of ongoing charges is based on an annualised estimation of the charges that will be taken during the first financial year.

This figure may vary from year to year. It excludes:

• Portfolio transaction costs, except in the case of an entry/exit charge paid by the Fund when buying or selling units in another collective investment undertaking. In case of conversion, the investors may be charged a maximum fee of 1.5%.

For more information about charges, please see the "Fees and Costs" section of the Fund's prospectus, which is available at <u>http://www.bnpparibas-am.com</u>.

## Past performance



- Performance figures are shown for shares classes, for which NAV was continuously calculated during the period from 1st January to 31st December.
- Past performance is not an indicator of future results.
- The ongoing charges of the Fund are included in the calculation of past performance. The entry/exit and conversion fees are excluded from the calculation of the past performance.
- The share class came into existence in 2000.
- Past performance has been calculated in USD.
- Performance returns are based on the net asset value with distribuable income reinvested.

### Practical information

- Custodian: BNP PARIBAS, Luxembourg Branch.
- Further information about the Fund including the latest Prospectus, latest published prices of share(s), annual report and half yearly report may be obtained free of charge, in English, from BNP PARIBAS ASSET MANAGEMENT Luxembourg or online at <a href="http://www.bnpparibas-am.com">http://www.bnpparibas-am.com</a>.
- Luxembourg tax legislation may have an impact on the personal tax position of the investor.
- Details of the updated remuneration policy (including a description of how the remuneration and benefits are calculated), the identity of the people responsible for granting the remuneration and benefits and the composition of the remuneration committee are available on the website <a href="https://www.bnpparibas-am.com/en/footer/remuneration-policy/">https://www.bnpparibas-am.com/en/footer/remuneration-policy/</a>. A hard copy of the remuneration policy will be available upon request.
- BNP PARIBAS ASSET MANAGEMENT Luxembourg may be held liable solely on the basis of any statement contained in this document that is misleading, inaccurate or inconsistent with the relevant parts of the prospectus for the Fund.
- Investors may switch between Funds of BNP Paribas Funds. Please see the prospectus or contact your financial adviser for details.

This Fund is authorised in Grand Duchy of Luxembourg and regulated by the "Commission de Surveillance du Secteur Financier". This key investor information is accurate as at 19 February 2024.

