

# LAZARD EURO SHORT DURATION SRI

12 / 2023 IC Share - EUR/Bonds and debt securities in Euros

| Total net assets     | 303.37 M€ | Inception date              | Dec 18, 2002            | MORNING | GSTAR   | Source 1                        |
|----------------------|-----------|-----------------------------|-------------------------|---------|---------|---------------------------------|
| NAV                  | 4672.52 € | ISIN Code<br>Bloomberg Code | FR0000027609<br>LAOBPRI | OVERALL | * * * * | SFDR Classification : Article 8 |
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#### **MANAGER(S)**



**INVESTMENT POLICY** 

The fund's investment objective is to outperform the following benchmark index over the recommended minimum investment horizon of one year (performance net of management fees): ICE BofAML 1-3 year Corporate (ER01) in euros, net coupons reinvested.

**FEATURES** 

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AMF Classification

equity savings plan) Currency

Subscribers concerned Inception date

Date of share's first NAV calculation

Management company Custodian

Fund administration

Order execution

Subscription terms

Settlement of redemptions

Frequency of NAV calculation Daily

Eligibility to PEA (personal

Legal Form

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**RISK SCALE\*\*** 2 3 4 5 6

Recommended investment period of 1 year

**BENCHMARK INDEX** 

ICE BofAML 1-3 Year Euro Corporate Index Total Return EUR

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For orders placed before 12:00 pm subscriptions and redemptions on next NAV

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Yes

Euros

EURO No restriction

18/12/2002 18/12/2002

**CACEIS Bank** CACEIS Fund Admin

No

# HISTORICAL NET ASSET VALUE (10 YEARS OR SINCE INCEPTION)



Past performance is no guarantee of future performance and is assessed at the end of the recommended investment period.

#### HISTORICAL PERFORMANCE

| Cumulative |         |       |        |         |         |          |         | d       |          |
|------------|---------|-------|--------|---------|---------|----------|---------|---------|----------|
|            | 1 Month | YTD   | 1 Year | 3 Years | 5 Years | 10 Years | 3 Years | 5 Years | 10 Years |
| Fund       | 1.13%   | 5.23% | 5.23%  | 4.00%   | 7.00%   | 8.97%    | 1.32%   | 1.36%   | 0.86%    |
| Benchmark  | 1.20%   | 4.85% | 4.85%  | -0.60%  | 1.38%   | 10.30%   | -0.20%  | 0.28%   | 0.98%    |
| Difference | -0.07%  | 0.38% | 0.38%  | 4.61%   | 5.62%   | -1.33%   | 1.52%   | 1.09%   | -0.12%   |

#### PERFORMANCE BY CALENDAR YEAR

|           | 2023  | 2022   | 2021  | 2020  | 2019  | 2018   | 2017   | 2016   | 2015  | 2014  | 2013  |
|-----------|-------|--------|-------|-------|-------|--------|--------|--------|-------|-------|-------|
| Fund      | 5.23% | -1.58% | 0.42% | 0.72% | 2.14% | -3.31% | 0.97%  | 0.45%  | 0.08% | 3.77% | 9.69% |
| Benchmark | 4.85% | -5.25% | 0.05% | 0.62% | 1.37% | -0.56% | -0.36% | -0.32% | 1.75% | 8.25% | 2.41% |

#### **TRAILING 1Y PERFORMANCE**

| Share decimalisation Yes   |   | I KAILING IY PERFU | JKMANCE |        |  |  |  |
|--|---|--------------------|---------|--------|--|--|--|
| Minimum investment   | 1 share                                       | 2023 12 31         | 5.23%   | 4.85%  |  |  |  |
| Subscription fees  | 4% max.                                       | 2022 12 31         | -1.58%  | -5.25% |  |  |  |
| Redemption fees  | 1% max.                                       | 2021 12 31         | 0.42%   | 0.05%  |  |  |  |
| Management fees (max)  | 0.40% max                                     | 2020 12 31         | 0.72%   | 0.62%  |  |  |  |
| Performance fees (1)   | 20% of the performance over                   | 2019 12 31         | 2.14%   | 1.37%  |  |  |  |
|  | the benchmark                                 | 2018 12 31         | -3.31%  | -0.56% |  |  |  |
| Current expenses   | 0.21%   | 2017 12 31         | 0.97%   | -0.36% |  |  |  |
| **Risk scale : For the SRI methodolog<br>Annexes II and III PRIIPS RTS | gy, please refer to Art. $14(c)$ , Art. 3 and | 2016 12 31         | 0.45%   | -0.32% |  |  |  |
|  | nore details about the performance fees       | 2015 12 31         | 0.08%   | 1.75%  |  |  |  |
| () reasered to the rospectus for r                                     | there actails about the performance ices      | 2014 12 31         | 3.77%   | 8.25%  |  |  |  |
| (3) Ratios calculated on a weekly basis                                | (3) Ratios calculated on a weekly basis       |                    |         |        |  |  |  |

#### **RISK RATIOS\*\*\***

|                   | 1 Year | 3 Years |
|-------------------|--------|---------|
| Volatility        |        |         |
| Fund              | 1.89%  | 1.88%   |
| Benchmark         | 1.56%  | 1.73%   |
| Tracking Error    | 1.05%  | 1.77%   |
| Information ratio | 0.36   | 0.86    |
| Sharpe ratio      | 1.04   | 0.23    |
| Alpha             | 0.34   | 1.45    |
| Beta              | 1.01   | 0.57    |

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# **PORTFOLIO CHARACTERISTICS**

|      | Yield to worst | Yield to call | Yield to | Spread vs    | Modified | Credit      | Issues Rating* | Issuers Rating* |
|------|----------------|---------------|----------|--------------|----------|-------------|----------------|-----------------|
|      |                |               | maturity | Govies (bps) | Duration | Sensitivity | BBB            | BBB             |
| Fund | 3.6%           | 3.9%          | 3.8%     | 85           | 1.8      | 1.2         |                | *Average rating |

Estimates of yields, OAS spreads or sensitivities are based on LFG's best judgment for all securities included in the portfolio as of the date mentioned (cash excluded). LFG does not provide any guarantee.

#### **MAIN HOLDINGS**

| Holdings                       | Weight |
|--------------------------------|--------|
| STE GLE 11/4%(EMTN) 19-15FE24A | 1.5%   |
| KBC GROUP TV (EMTN) 22-23NO27A | 1.4%   |
| TOTALENERGIESTV EMTN19-04APA   | 1.3%   |
| CM ARKEA 11/4% 17-31MY24A      | 1.3%   |
| DEUT.LUF.27/8%(EMTN)21-16MY27A | 1.2%   |

# **ASSET CLASS BREAKDOWN (%)**

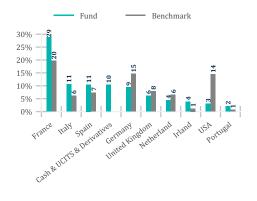


#### **CURRENCY BREAKDOWN (%)**

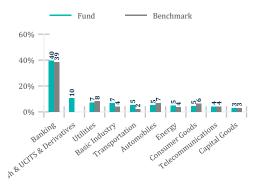
AVERAGE RATING

| Currencies | Weight |
|------------|--------|
| EUR        | 100.0% |

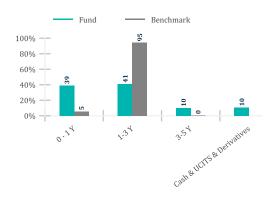




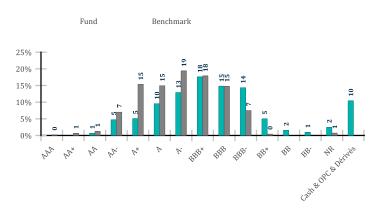
## SECTOR BREAKDOWN % (Top Ten)



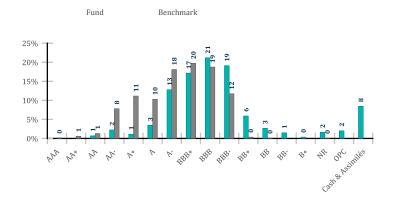
## MATURITY BREAKDOWN % (Next call Date)



# **ISSUER RATING BREAKDOWN (%)**



### **ISSUE RATING BREAKDOWN (%)**



# FUND MANAGERS COMMENT

2023 was an incredibly eventful year for the markets. In March, the collapse of Silicon Valley Bank caused severe turbulence, leading to some of the biggest swings in the bond market for decades. Then, from the summer, the prospect of rates remaining "higher for longer" led to a sharp fall in bonds, which briefly pushed the US 10-year yield above 5% for the first time since the 2008 financial crisis. Geopolitical events also remained the focus of attention, particularly after the Hamas attack on Israel in October. From the end of October onwards, however, there was a surprising recovery in several asset classes, as slowing inflation led investors to increasingly look forward to a soft landing. This trend gathered pace in December, particularly after the Fed announced possible rate cuts in 2024. The ECB and the BoE were more cautious on the outlook for rates, making no mention of future cuts, despite the fact that both economies are in a gloomier situation. Preliminary CPI figures for December in various countries also helped to fuel the rally in rates. Bond asset classes posted very positive performances in December, underpinned by both an easing in yields (c. 40bp for Europe and the US, across all maturities) and a tightening of spreads, with IG credit down 10bp, IG hybrids down 19bp, HY credit down 37bp, subordinated financials down 33bp and AT1 debt down 90bp. As expected, primary activity slowed sharply in December, line with usual seasonal trends - although the first busy week produced the most active month of December since 2020. However, activity should pick up again with a very active January due to seasonality but also due to the sharp fall in yields in December, driven by rates as well as spreads, which could encourage some issuers to come to the market.

The portfolio's structure changed marginally with a virtually unchanged sector and subordination allocation. The weight of HY-NR diversification is 11%. Modified duration was actively managed during the month and reduced to 1,9 at December 29th, compared with 1,8 for the benchmark index.



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