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NEUBERGER BERMAN

# Neuberger Berman European Sustainable Equity Fund

#### **EUR I Accumulating Class**

#### 28 February 2022

#### **FUND OBJECTIVE**

The fund aims to achieve a minimum excess annualized return of 2% over the benchmark before fees over a market cycle (typically 3-5 years) from investing primarily in a portfolio of European equity holdings, that comply with the sustainable criteria, as detailed in the "Sustainable Investment Criteria" section in the prospectus supplement.

#### **MANAGEMENT TEAM**

Hendrik-Jan Boer

Senior Portfolio Manager

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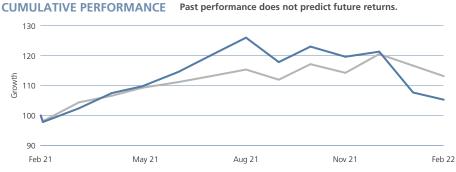
Jeroen Brand Senior Portfolio Manager

#### **FUND FACTS**

Inception Date (Fund)	24 February 2021
Inception Date (Share Class)	24 February 2021
Base Currency (Fund)	EUR
Currency (Share Class)	EUR
Fund AUM (EUR million)	139.96
NAV (Share Class Currency)	10.53
Domicile	Ireland
Vehicle	UCITS
Valuation	Daily
Settlement (Subscription)	T+3
Trading Deadline	11:00 (Dublin Time)
Regulator	Central Bank of Ireland
Management Fee	0.60%
Ongoing Charge*	0.80%
Initial Sales Charge (Max)	0.00%
Bloomberg	NEBESIE ID
ISIN	IE00BMQC7246
Morningstar Category™	Europe Large-Cap Blend Equity
Benchmark	MSCI Europe Index (Total Return, Net of Tax, EUR)



For more information on the 'Towards Sustainability' initiative please go to www.towardssustainability.be



- Fund - Benchmark

This chart shows how an investment of EUR 100 in the fund on its inception date would have performed and compares it against how a hypothetical investment of EUR 100 in the Benchmark(s) would have performed.

PERFORMANCE %1	1m <sup>2</sup>	3	m <sup>2</sup>	YTD <sup>2</sup>	1	y <sup>2</sup>	3y³	5y	3 -	10y³	<b>SI</b> <sup>3,4</sup>
Fund	-2.23	-12	.03	-13.26	7.6	57	-	-		-	5.24
Benchmark	-3.01	-0	.94	-6.11	15.4	13	-	-	-	-	13.05
12 MONTH PERIODS (%)				Feb14 Feb15							
Fund		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	7.67
Benchmark		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	15.43
CALENDAR (%)		2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	<b>2021</b> ⁵	<b>2022</b> <sup>6</sup>
Fund		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	21.40	-13.26
Benchmark		-	-	-	-	_	-	_	_	20.58	-6.11

The fund is actively managed, which means that the investments are selected at the discretion of the investment manager. The Benchmark is used for performance comparison purposes and because the fund's investment policy restricts the extent to which the fund's holdings may deviate from the Benchmark.

1Performance to latest month end. YTD - Year to Date, SI - Since Inception.

2Returns for these periods are cumulative.

3Returns are annualised for periods longer than one year.

4Returns from 24 February 2021 to latest month end.

<sup>5</sup>Data shown since the share class inception date.

6Performance for the current calendar year is the year to date.

Fund performance is representative of the EUR I Accumulating Class and has been calculated to account for the deduction of fees. Investors who subscribe in a currency other than the base currency of the fund should note that returns may increase or decrease as a result of currency fluctuations. **Fund performance does not take account of any commission or costs incurred by investors when subscribing for or redeeming shares.** 

#### TOP 10 OVERWEIGHT SECURITY HOLDINGS % (MV)

	Fund	Bmrk
3i Group plc	5.17	0.17
Partners Group Holding AG	4.58	0.30
Kering SA	4.74	0.51
Bakkafrost P/F	4.00	0.00
S4 Capital plc	3.87	0.00
Novo Nordisk A/S Class B	5.35	1.66
Alfen NV	3.52	0.00
Straumann Holding AG	3.61	0.16
Euronext NV	3.44	0.07
ASSA ABLOY AB Class B	3.52	0.26

#### TOP 10 UNDERWEIGHT SECURITY HOLDINGS % (MV)

	Fund	Bmrk
Roche Holding Ltd	0.00	2.57
LVMH Moet Hennessy Louis	0.00	1.97
Vuitton SE		
Shell PLC	0.00	1.95
Novartis AG	0.00	1.84
AstraZeneca PLC	0.00	1.81
HSBC Holdings Plc	0.00	1.35
Unilever PLC	0.00	1.25
TotalEnergies SE	0.00	1.23
Sanofi	0.00	1.14
SAP SE	0.00	1.14

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**RISK CONSIDERATIONS** 

Sustainable Risk: The fund may focus on investments in companies that relate to certain sustainable development themes and demonstrate adherence to environmental, social and corporate governance practices. This may mean the universe of securities from which the Fund can invest in may be smaller than that of other funds and may underperform the market as a result.

**Concentration Risk:** The fund's investments may be concentrated in a small number of investments and its performance may therefore be more variable than the performance of a more diversified fund.

**Derivatives Risk:** The fund is permitted to use certain types of financial derivative instruments (including certain complex instruments). This may increase the fund's leverage significantly which may cause large variations in the value of your share. Investors should note that the fund may achieve its investment objective by investing principally in Financial Derivative Instruments (FDI). There are certain investment risks that apply in relation to the use of FDI. The fund's use of FDI can involve significant risks of loss.

Market Risk: The risk of a change in the value of a position as a result of underlying market factors, including among other things, the overall performance of companies and the market perception of the global economy.

Liquidity Risk: The risk that the fund may be unable to sell an investment readily at its fair market value. In extreme market conditions this can affect the fund's ability to meet redemption requests upon demand.

Counterparty Risk: The risk that a counterparty will not fulfil its payment obligation for a trade, contract or other transaction, on the due date.

**Operational Risk:** The risk of direct or indirect loss resulting from inadequate or failed processes, people and systems including those relating to the safekeeping of assets or from external events.

Currency Risk: Investors who subscribe in a currency other than the base currency of the fund are exposed to currency risk. Fluctuations in exchange rates may affect the return on investment. Where past performance is shown it is based on the share class to which this factsheet relates. If the currency of this share class is different from your local currency, then you should be aware that due to exchange rate fluctuations the performance shown may increase or decrease if converted into your local currency.

For full information on the risks please refer to the fund prospectus and KIID.

#### VALUE CHAIN ALLOCATIONS % (MV)

	Fund
Conscious Consumer	28.60
Fintech & Financial Inclusion	25.00
Access to Healthcare	18.70
Digital Enterprise	15.90
Energy Transition	11.30

#### **REGIONAL ALLOCATIONS % (MV)**

	Fund	Bmrk
Europe ex-UK	75.28	76.17
United Kingdom	21.30	23.83
United States	2.95	0.00

#### **PORTFOLIO RISK MEASURES**

	Fund	Bmrk
Active Share	87.20	-
Tracking Error (%)	5.80	-
Volatility	16.82	15.74

#### TOP 10 HOLDINGS % (MV)

	Fund	Bmrk
Nestle S.A.	6.39	3.52
Novo Nordisk A/S Class B	5.35	1.66
ASML Holding NV	5.18	2.67
3i Group plc	5.17	0.17
Kering SA	4.74	0.51
Partners Group Holding AG	4.58	0.30
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### CHARACTERISTICS

	Fund	Bmrk
Number of Securities	31	428
Weighted Average Market Cap	77,094	95,862
(USD Million)		
Historical 3y Sales Growth	16.80	3.20
Operating Margin	23.01	18.38
Return on Invested Capital	18.58	13.52
Net Debt / EBITDA	0.90	1.56

#### SECTOR ALLOCATIONS % (MV)

	Fund	Bmrk
Health Care	18.64	14.96
Financials	17.92	16.20
Industrials	17.26	14.62
Consumer Staples	17.12	13.02
Information Technology	12.85	7.65
Communication Services	8.08	3.79
Consumer Discretionary	7.64	10.91
Energy	0.00	5.43
Materials	0.00	7.71
Real Estate	0.00	1.28
Utilities	0.00	4.43

#### TOP 10 COUNTRY ALLOCATIONS % (MV)

	Fund	Bmrk
United Kingdom	21.30	23.83
France	18.25	17.76
Switzerland	16.52	15.93
Netherlands	11.60	6.82
Germany	11.13	13.16
Sweden	6.30	5.43
Denmark	5.35	4.03
Norway	4.00	1.13
United States	2.95	0.00
Spain	2.14	3.60

#### **ASSET SUMMARY**

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Cash Equivalents (%)	0.48
Assets in Top 10 Holdings (%)	46.41

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Lower R	isk		Higher Risk				
Typically	Lower Rev	wards	Typically Higher Rewards				
1	2	3	4	5		7	

k The synthetic risk and reward indicator is provided for the EUR I Accumulating Class. For more details refer to the KIID.

#### I SHARE CLASS DATA

Share Class	Currency	Inception Date (Share Class)	ISIN	Bloomberg	VALOR	Minimum Investment
EUR I Accumulating Class	EUR	24-02-2021	IE00BMQC7246	NEBESIE ID	110158837	2,500,000
EUR I Distributing Class	EUR	24-02-2021	IE00BMQC7B38	NEESEIE ID	110160712	2,500,000
USD I Accumulating Class - Unhedged	USD	15-03-2021	IE00BNC01617	NEESIAU ID	110210288	2,500,000

Some share classes listed are subject to restrictions, please refer to the fund's prospectus for further details.

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#### **IMPORTANT INFORMATION**

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Source: Neuberger Berman, FactSet and Morningstar.

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