# **DNCA INVEST**

# **BEYOND SEMPEROSA**

**EUROPEAN EQUITIES FUND SRI** 



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#### Investment objective

The Sub-Fund seeks to outperform of the following index denominated in Euro: Euro Stoxx NR (Bloomberg ticker: SXXT Index) calculated with dividends net of withholding taxes reinvested, over the recommend investment term. Investors' attention is drawn to the fact that the management style is discretionary and integrates environmental, social / societal and governance (ESG) criteria. The subfunds philosophy is particularly to focus on companies that have a strong social and/or environmental impact. This impact is evaluated through their exposure (in terms of turnover, R&D expenses or capex) via the proprietary model of the Investment Manager. The impacts are based on five long term transitions: economic transition, life style transition, medical transition, demographic transition and energy transition.

To achieve its investment objective, the investment strategy is based on active discretionary management.

#### Financial characteristics

NAV (€)	165.18
Net assets (€M)	499
Number of equities holdings	39
Average market cap. (€Bn)	82
Price to Earning Ratio 2025°	19.6x
Price to Book 2024	3.3x
EV/EBITDA 2025°	10.5x
ND/EBITDA 2024	1.8x
Free Cash Flow yield 2025°	4.32%
Dividend yield 2024°	2.20%

#### **Performance** (from 17/12/2018 to 28/02/2025)



#### Annualised performances and volatilities (%)

			1 year	3 years	5 years	inception
A Share			+2.47	+4.34	+6.23	+8.42
Reference Index			+15.15	+11.34	+11.33	+11.06
A Share - volatility			10.86	13.65	15.12	14.60
Reference Index - volatility			12.31	15.82	19.27	18.35
Cumulative performar	nces (%)					
	1 month 3	3 months	YTD	1 year	3 years	5 years
A Share	+0.48	+3.76	+4.47	+2.47	+13.60	+35.33
Reference Index	+3.44	+12.43	+10.95	+15.15	+38.07	+71.15
Calendar year perforn	nances (%	)				
	2024	2023	2022	2021	2020	2019
A Share	+0.64	+15.98	-19.04	+19.67	+9.89	+28.46
Reference Index	+9.26	+18.55	-12.31	+22.67	+0.25	+26.11
The performances are calculated	d net of any fe	ees by DNC.	A FINANCE.			

#### Risk indicator



corresponds to the lowest level and 7 to the highest

Tracking error         5.93%         7.07%         8.74%         8.08%           Correlation coefficient         0.88         0.90         0.90         0.90           Information Ratio         -2.14         -0.99         -0.58         -0.33		1 year	3 years	5 years	inception
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Information Ratio -2.14 -0.99 -0.58 -0.33	Tracking error	5.93%	7.07%	8.74%	8.08%
	Correlation coefficient	0.88	0.90	0.90	0.90
Beta 0.77 0.77 0.71 0.72	Information Ratio	-2.14	-0.99	-0.58	-0.33
	Beta	0.77	0.77	0.71	0.72

Main risks: equity risk, risk relating to discretionary management, liquidity risk, risk of capital loss, interest-rate risk, risk related to exchange rate, credit risk, counterparty risk, ESG risk, sustainability risk

Data as of 28 February 2025

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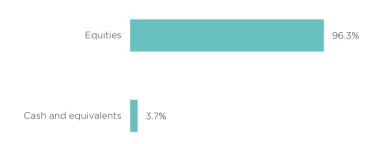
## Main positions\*

	Weight
ASML HOLDING NV (7.5)	6.24%
AIR LIQUIDE SA (8.1)	5.91%
SCHNEIDER ELECTRIC SE (8.4)	4.00%
RELX PLC (6.0)	3.89%
ASTRAZENECA PLC (4.6)	3.78%
SIEMENS AG-REG (5.0)	3.74%
NOVO NORDISK A/S-B (6.3)	3.28%
GEBERIT AG-REG (8.5)	3.26%
ASSA ABLOY AB-B (5.4)	3.21%
ESSILORLUXOTTICA (4.6)	3.15%
	40.46%

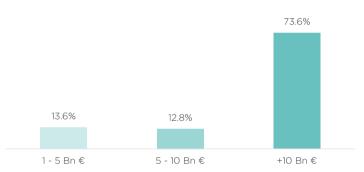
# Monthly performance contributions Past performance is not a guarantee of future performance

Best	Weight	Contribution
SIEMENS AG-REG	3.74%	+0.33%
ASTRAZENECA PLC	3.78%	+0.30%
AIR LIQUIDE SA	5.91%	+0.27%
ESSILORLUXOTTICA	3.15%	+0.25%
NOVO NORDISK A/S-B	3.28%	+0.19%
Worst	Weight	Contribution
Worst  ASML HOLDING NV	Weight 6.24%	Contribution -0.40%
ASML HOLDING NV	6.24%	-0.40%
ASML HOLDING NV SCHNEIDER ELECTRIC SE	6.24% 4.00%	-0.40% -0.20%

#### Asset class breakdown



## Market Cap breakdown



## Sector breakdown (ICB)

	Fund	Index
Industrial Goods and Services	26.2%	15.6%
Health Care	18.7%	7.2%
Technology	9.4%	13.7%
Chemicals	9.2%	3.6%
Construction and Materials	6.5%	3.7%
Utilities	6.1%	5.1%
Media	5.2%	1.4%
Personal Care, Drug and	4.7%	1.1%
Automobiles and Parts	4.2%	3.7%
Consumer Products and	3.9%	7.9%
Real Estate	2.1%	1.1%
Cash and equivalents	3.7%	N/A

### Country breakdown

	Fund	Index
France	39.6%	31.5%
Germany	10.7%	27.2%
United Kingdom	10.7%	O.1%
Sweden	7.1%	0.7%
Switzerland	6.9%	-
Netherlands	6.2%	14.8%
Finland	4.3%	2.6%
Italy	4.0%	8.9%
Denmark	3.3%	=
Spain	3.1%	8.8%
Iceland	0.5%	=
Cash and equivalents	3.7%	N/A

## Changes to portfolio holdings\*

In: INFINEON TECHNOLOGIES AG (5.7)

Out: None

<sup>\*</sup>The figure between brackets represents the issuer's 'responsibility' score. Please refer to the Internal Extra-financial analysis page for the analysis methodology.

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#### Portfolio managers comments

European equity markets continued their upward trend in February: Stoxx 600 +3.3%, EuroStoxx +3.5%. Indices were buoyed mainly by the multiple negotiations for a truce in Ukraine, the marked improvement in economic indicators, the German elections, and the publication of annual results.

Geopolitics was once again a central topic this month. The end of the Ukrainian conflict could reduce the currently high risk premium on European equities. On the economic front, the preliminary manufacturing PMI rebounded to 47.3 in February. Eurozone inflation rose slightly in January to 2.5% yoy vs. +2.4% in December. The results of the German elections are favorable for the markets, as a two-party coalition between the CDU/CSU and the SPD should rapidly facilitate the formation of a government and the launch of a stimulus plan. On the microeconomic front, annual results are in good shape, with European companies generally making encouraging statements about their growth prospects.

The outperformance of the European indices was accentuated compared with their American peers, which were down this month: S&P500 -1.4%, Nasdaq -2.8%. US technology stocks suffered from increased competition from Chinese Al models. Donald Trump's announcement of tariffs rekindled the risk of escalating global trade tensions. The US consumer confidence index fell sharply in February, with inflation expectations rising significantly.

In February, the fund posted a performance of 0.48%, compared with 3.44% for its Euro Stoxx NT benchmark.

In this environment, our growth/defensive positioning was unfavorable, with cyclical and value stocks outperforming in February.

Over the month, the main relative outperformances of the stocks in the portfolio (versus Euro Stoxx) were: Astrazeneca (Medical Transition, +17 bps, active weight +3.7%), Essity (Medical Transition, +10 bps, active weight +2.0%), EssilorLuxottica (Medical Transition, +8 bps, active weight +1.8%), Novo Nordisk (Medical Transition, +8 bps, active weight +3.2%) and Legrand (Ecological Transition, +7 bps, active weight +2.1%). Conversely, the worst relative performers were: RelX (Medical and Lifestyle Transition, -31 bps, active weight +4.1%), SEB (Lifestyle Transition, -25 bps, active weight +2.2%), OPMobility (Ecological Transition, -23 bps, active weight +2.5%), Springer Nature (Demographic Transition, -23 bps, active weight +1.5%) and Bureau Veritas (Economic Transition, -21 bps, active weight +2.9%).

Among the main moves, we initiated a line in Infineon (Semiconductors) and continued to strengthen positions in recently-entered stocks such as Siemens (Capital Goods) and Kone (Capital Goods). These moves were financed by reductions in Symrise (Ingredients) and Iberdrola (Utilities).

At the end of the month, the portfolio comprised 38 stocks. The fund's main convictions revolve around the following stocks: ASML (Ecological/Lifestyle Transition, > 6.0%), Air Liquide (Ecological & Medical Transition, > 5.5%), Schneider Electric (Ecological Transition, > 4.0%), RelX (Medical & Lifestyle Transition, > 4.0%), Astrazeneca (Medical Transition, > 3.5%), Siemens (Ecological Transition, > 3.5%), Geberit(Ecological Transition, > 3.0%), EssilorLuxottica (Medical Transition, > 3.5%), Novo Nordisk (Medical Transition, > 3%) and Assa Abloy (Ecological Transition, > 3%).

Although the attractiveness of the USA (equities, credit, dollar) is undeniable in an asset allocation for 2025, pessimism about European equities, the result of the political and economic environment of the Franco-German couple among others, has led to historic valuation discounts for the old continent. The Trump administration's initial measures on tariffs and budget cuts, with the dismissal of numerous civil servants, have raised doubts about US growth. The rebalancing that began at the start of the year could therefore continue over the coming months, to the benefit of the European stock market. On the economic front, the German engine is currently the main source of hope. The German coalition is proposing a major stimulus plan, mainly involving increased spending on defense (a theme not invested in the portfolio) and infrastructure. In terms of risks, and despite the recent downturn, inflation (and its impact on monetary policy) should continue to be the focus of attention at the start of the year, as will the US administration's initial decisions. True to its philosophy, Dnca Invest Semperosa will maintain a measured beta, while seeking to position itself in assets with an attractive risk/return profile, such as certain European technology or real estate/construction players.

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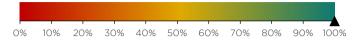
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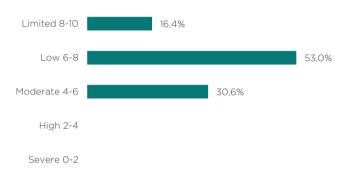
## Internal extra-financial analysis

### ABA coverage rate+(100%)



#### Average Responsibility Score: 6.6/10

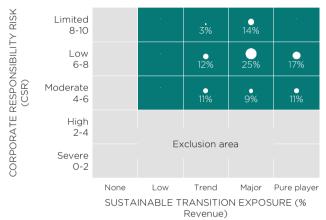
#### Responsibility risk breakdown(1)



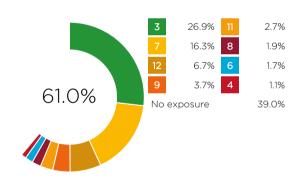
#### Selectivity universe exclusion rate



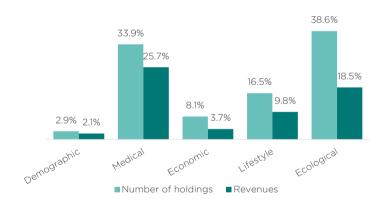
#### Transition/CSR exposure(2)



# SDG's exposure<sup>(3)</sup> (% of revenues)



## Sustainable transitions exposure(4)



#### Analysis methodology

We develop proprietary models based on our expertise and conviction to add tangible value in the selection of portfolio securities. DNCA's ESG analysis model, Above & Beyond Analysis (ABA), respects this principle and offers a rating that we control the entire construction. Information from companies is the main input to our rating. The methodologies for calculating ESG indicators and our responsible investor and engagement policy are available on our website by clicking here.

(1) The rating out of 10 integrates 4 risks of responsibility: shareholder, environmental, social and societal. Whatever their sector of activity, 24 indicators are evaluated, such as social climate, accounting risks, suppliers, business ethics, energy policy, quality of management.

(2) The ABA Matrix combines the Responsibility Risk and the Sustainable Transition exposure of the portfolio. It allows us to It allows companies to be mapped using a risk/opportunity approach.

(3) ¶ No poverty. 2 Zero hunger. © Good health and well-being. ¶ Quality education. © Gender equality. © Clean water and sanitation. Clean and affordable energy. © Decent work and economic growth. © Industry, innovation and infrastructure. © Reduced inequalities. © Sustainable cities and communities. © Sustainable consumption and production. © Tackling climate change. © Aquatic life. © Terrestrial life. © Peace, justice and effective institutions. © Partnerships to achieve the goals.

(4) 5 transitions based on a long-term perspective of the financing of the economy allow the identification of activities with a positive contribution to sustainable development and to measure the exposure of companies in terms of turnover as well as exposure to the UN Sustainable Development Goals.

<sup>\*</sup>The coverage rate measures the proportion of issuers (equities and corporate bonds) taken into account in the calculation of the extra-financial indicators. This measure is calculated as a % of the net assets adjusted for cash, money market instruments, derivatives and any vehicle outside the scope of "listed equities and corporate bonds".





### **Principal Adverse Impacts**

PAI	Unit	Fund		Ref. Index	
		Coverage	Value	Coverage	Value
PAI Corpo 1_1 - Tier 1 GHG emissions	T CO <sub>2</sub>	99%	9,980		
	31/12/2024 29/12/2023	97% 93%	8,788 10,633	100%	48,298
PAI Corpo 1_2 - Tier 2 GHG emissions	T CO <sub>2</sub>	99%	10,408	100%	40,230
	31/12/2024	97%	9,006	1000/	0.005
PAI Corpo 1_3 - Tier 3 GHG emissions	29/12/2023 T CO <sub>2</sub>	93%	9,854 179,817	100%	9,995
- Al Corpo I_3 - Her 3 Of IO ethissions	31/12/2024	97%	158,013		
DALC: 1T. Talal CHC	29/12/2023	93%	140,201	100%	367,773
PAI Corpo 1T - Total GHG emissions	T CO <sub>2</sub> 31/12/2024	99%	200,204		
	29/12/2023	93%	158,267	100%	414,800
PAI Corpo 1T_SC12 - Total GHG emissions (Scope 1+2)	T CO <sub>2</sub> 31/12/2024	99% 97%	20,387 17,795		
PAI Corpo 2 - Carbon footprint	T CO <sub>2</sub> /EUR M invested	99%	416	100%	598
	31/12/2024	97%	407	100%	601
PAI Corpo 3 - GHG intensity	29/12/2023 T CO <sub>2</sub> /EUR M sales	93%	341 811	100%	627 971
Al Corpo 3 - Grio intensity	31/12/2024	97%	818	100%	978
2010	29/12/2023	93%	731	100%	941
PAI Corpo 4 - Share of investments in companies active n the fossil fuel sector		99%	0%	100%	0%
THE TOTAL TRUE SCOTO	31/12/2024	97%	0%	100%	0%
PAI Corpo 5 1 - Share of non-renewable energy	29/12/2023	10%	0%	11%	0%
consumption		0%	0.0%	0%	0.0%
2A1 C	31/12/2024	97%	63.2%	100%	60.0%
PAI Corpo 5_2 - Share of non-renewable energy production		0%	0.0%	0%	0.0%
	31/12/2024	9%	58.3%	7%	62.6%
PAI Corpo 6 - Energy consumption intensity by sector	GWh/EUR M sales	99%	0.6	100%	0.6
vith high climate impact	31/12/2024	97%	0.6	100%	0.6
PAI Corpo 7 - Activities with a negative impact on	* / / *	99%			
piodiversity-sensitive areas	71/10/0004		0.1%	100%	0.1%
	31/12/2024 29/12/2023	97% 3%	0.1% 0.0%	100% 1%	0.1% 0.0%
PAI Corpo 8 - Water discharges	T Water Emissions	0%	Ο	3%	0
	31/12/2024 29/12/2023	0% 2%	0 22	3% 2%	0 12,853
	T Hazardous Waste/EUR M				
PAI Corpo 9 - Hazardous or radioactive waste ratio	invested	99%	0.6	99%	0.7
	31/12/2024 29/12/2023	97% 58%	0.7 0.5	99% 61%	0.7 0.8
PAI Corpo 10 - Violations of UNGC and OECD principles		99%	0.0%	100%	0.0%
	31/12/2024 29/12/2023	97% 93%	0.0% 0.0%	100%	0.0%
PAI Corpo 11 - Lack of UNGC and OECD compliance	23/12/2023				
processes and mechanisms		99%	0.0%	100%	0.0%
	31/12/2024 29/12/2023	97% 93%	0.0% 0.1%	100% 99%	0.0% 0.1%
PAI Corpo 12 - Unadjusted gender pay gap	20,12,2020	74%	11.3%	67%	10.1%
	31/12/2024	78%	10.9%	71%	10.3%
PAI Corpo 13 - Gender diversity in governance bodies	29/12/2023	40% 99%	10.2% 42.6%	32% 100%	12.3% 42.4%
7.11 Corporto Conder diversity in governance bodies	31/12/2024	97%	42.3%	100%	42.5%
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PAI Corpo 14 - Exposure to controversial weapons	31/12/2024	99%	0.0%	100%	0.0%
	29/12/2023	93%	0.0%	100%	0.0%
PAI Corpo OPT_1 - Water use	m <sup>3</sup> /EUR M sales 31/12/2024	0% 70%	O 593	0% 74%	O 521
	29/12/2023	9%	0	8%	0
PAI Corpo OPT_2 - Water recycling		6%	0.0%	7%	0.2%
	31/12/2024 29/12/2023	7% 9%	0.0%	8% 7%	0.1% 0.0%
PAI Corpo OPT_3 - Investments in companies with no	20, 12, 2020				
policy for preventing accidents at work		99%	0.0%	100%	0.0%
	31/12/2024	97%	0.0%	100%	0.0%

Source : MSCI

It should be noted that DNCA Finance changed its non-financial data provider in October 2023 from monitoring negative externalities by the Scope Rating provider to monitoring performance indicators (PAI) by the MSCI provider.

This change of supplier and indicator typology prevents DNCA Finance from producing a 3-year ESG performance comparison. DNCA Finance Committed to produce this historical data from the data available in December 2023.

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#### Administrative information

Name: DNCA INVEST Beyond Semperosa ISIN code (Share A): LU1907595398

SFDR classification: Art.9 Inception date: 17/12/2018

Investment horizon: Minimum 5 years

Currency: Euro

Country of domicile: Luxembourg

Legal form: SICAV

Reference Index: FURO STOXX NR

Valuation frequency: Daily

Management company: DNCA Finance

Portfolio Managers:

Léa DUNAND-CHATELLET Romain AVICE Matthieu BELONDRADE, CFA Florent FYROUI FT

Minimum investment: None Subscription fees: 2% max Redemption fees: -Management fees: 1.80%

Ongoing charges as of 31/12/2023: 1.93% Performance fees: 20% of the positive performance net of any fees above the index: EURO STOXX NR with High Water

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Custodian: BNP Paribas - Luxembourg

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Settlement: T+2

Cut off: 12:00 Luxembourg time

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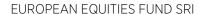
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The Sub-Fund has as its objective sustainable investment within the meaning of Article 9 of SFDR. The Sub-Fund is managed taking into consideration responsible and sustainable principles and aims to be target issuers with a significatively exposure of percentage of their revenues to the 17 Sustainable Development Goals of the United Nations. The investment strategy is geared towards law carbon economy which leaders to a lower portfolio's carbon footprint than the Euro Stoxx NR.

This product is subject to sustainability risks as defined in the Regulation 2019/2088 (article 2(22)) by environmental, social or governance event or condition that, if it occurs, could cause an actual or a potential material negative impact on the value of the investment.

If the portfolio investment process can incorporate ESG approach, the portfolio's investment objective is not primarily to mitigate this risk. The sustainability risk management policy is available on the website of the Management Company.

The reference benchmark as defined in the Regulation 2019/2088 (article 2(22)) does not intend to be consistent with the environmental or social characteristics promoted by the fund.





#### Glossary

Beta. Measures the average extent to which a fund moves relative to the broader market. The beta of a market is 1. A fund with a beta of more than 1 moves on average to a greater extent than the market. A fund with a beta of less than 1 moves on average to a lesser extent. If beta is a minus number, it is likely that the stock and the market move in opposite

Correlation coefficient. The correlation coefficient is a measure of correlation. It is used to determine the relationship between two assets over a given period. A positive coefficient means that the two assets move in the same direction. Conversely, a negative coefficient means that the assets move in the opposite direction. The correlation or decorrelation can be more or less strong and varies between -1 and 1.

Dividend yield. Annual dividends per share / Price per share

EV (Enterprise Value). Market value of common stock + market value of preferred equity + market value of debt + minority interest - cash and investments.

ND/EBITDA (Net Debt / EBITDA). A measurement of leverage, calculated as a company's interest-bearing liabilities minus cash or cash equivalents, divided by its EBITDA. The net debt to EBITDA ratio is a debt ratio that shows how many years it would take for a company to pay back its debt if net debt and EBITDA are held constant.

P/B. The Price to Book Ratio is the ratio of the market value of equity (market capitalisation) to its book value. It is used to compare the market valuation of a company with its book

P/CF (Share price/Cash Flow per Share). The price-to-cash-flow ratio is an indicator of a stock's valuation.

PER (Price Earnings Ratio). A company's share price divided by the amount of profits it makes for each share in a 12-month period. PE ratios are normally calculated on the base of all the profit made in the period, whether or not the profit is paid out to shareholders in that period.

ROE (Return On Equity). The amount of net income returned as a percentage of shareholders equity. Return on equity measures a corporation's profitability by revealing how much profit a company generates with the money shareholders have invested.

Sharpe Ratio. A way of measuring the historical risk-adjusted return on an investment. It is the average previous return minus the risk-free return, divided by the standard deviation (a measure of risk that looks at the diversion of actual returns from expected returns).

Sharpe Ratio. The Sharpe ratio measures the excess return over the risk-free money rate of an asset portfolio divided by the standard deviation of that return. It is therefore a measure of the marginal return per unit of risk. It is used to measure the performance of managers with different risk policies.

Tracking error. Tracking Error is a measure of how closely an investment portfolio follows the index against which it is benchmarked. It is the difference in the return earned by a portfolio and the return earned by the benchmark against which the portfolio is constructed. For example, if a bond portfolio earns a return of 5.15% during a period when the portfolio's benchmark (say, for example, the Lehman Brothers Index) produces a return of 5.06%, the tracking error is .09%, or 9 basis points.



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