

# **ANIMA Selezione Europa - Class Y**

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## Objective

## **Investment Strategy**

#### **Universe & Benchmark**

The objective of the Fund is to provide a superior capital growth vs benchmark in the long term, while seeking to maintain a TEV of 6,5% maximum



Discretionary European Equity Long Only strategy with a mainly top-down approach Long-lasting strategy, launched in 1997 (share class with longest track record) with same lead PM

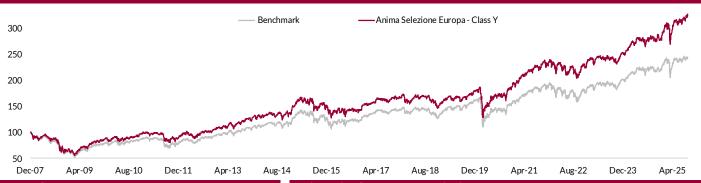


The Fund invests predominantly in **European Large Caps** 

Benchmark: 95% MSCI Europe in Euro; 5% ICE BofA Euro Treasury Bill



### **Historical Net Performance**



Fund Facts	
Asset Class	European Equity
Fund's Inception	28 Dec 2007
Fund Base Currency	EUR
Fund Size (EUR mln)	954
Total Strategy Size (EUR mln)	1.111
Benchmark	95% MSCI Europe Net TR 5% ICE BofA Euro Treas. Bill
Domicile	Italy
Fund Type	UCITS
ISIN	IT0004302029
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Exit Fee	None
Ongoing Charges (2024)	1.14%
Management Fee	1.00%
Performance Fee	None
Settlement	T+3
Liquidity / NAV Calculation	Daily

**Minimum Initial Investment** 

Portfolio Manager(s) Lars Schickentanz

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Historical Perfomances	Fund	Benchmark
1 Month	3.3%	1.5%
3 Months	4.7%	3.4%
6 Months	10.3%	5.9%
1 Year	15.6%	9.0%
3 Years (Annualized)	16.8%	15.0%
5 Years (Annualized)	14.1%	11.6%
STD	6.9%	5.2%

Statistics - Last 3Y Ann.	Fund	Benchmark
Volatility	11.3%	12.0%
Return/Volatility	1.49	1.26
TEV	2.8%	-
Information Ratio	0.62	-
Beta	0.92	

Calendar Years	Fund	Benchmark
YTD	17.7%	11.8%
2024	9.6%	8.4%
2023	13.1%	15.2%
2022	-4.9%	-9.0%
2021	25.6%	23.7%
2020	5.1%	-3.0%

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EUR 1,000,000

Lead PM



# **Monthly Fund Manager's comment**

Global equity markets posted a positive performance in September (MSCI World c. +3.1%), with the European market (STOXX 600 +1.5%) underperforming the US market (S&P 500 c.+3.5%). From a sector perspective, Basic Resources (+9.2%), Retail (+8.2%) and Technology (+6.8%) recorded the best relative performance, while Food&Beverage (-4.8%), Chemicals (-3.4%) and Telecom (-2.6%) underperformed the market.

The Anima Europe Selection fund had an absolute performance of +3.3% vs benchmark return of +1.5% (+1.8% active return). The main contributor to the monthly performance has been stock picking which contributed around 1.6%. In particular, positive contribution came mainly from materials (OW in Fresnillo and Anglo American), industrials (OW in Airbus, Rheinmetall), and financials (OW in SocGen). On the other hand, negative contribution came from technology (UW in ASM International, OW in Microsoft). Over the past month, sector allocation has remained broadly stable, with only a few adjustments. We increased the exposure to the value/cyclical component of the fund, in particular we increased the OW in Materials, and we increased the exposure to Semicap Equipment within Technology; on the other hand, we reduced the exposure to Staples and Telecom. We continue to have a constructive view on Industrials, Luxury, Tech, Materials, while maintaining our an underweight stance in Energy, Insurance, Staples, Utilities and Financials.

Equity markets have rebounded more strongly than anticipated from their early April lows. This recovery has been fueled by several key drivers: the 90-day pause in tariff implementation, the stabilization of US Treasury yields below 4.5%, and tighter credit spreads. Additionally, renewed enthusiasm for the AI thematic, an uptick in soft data, and rising expectations of a Fed pivot have further supported momentum—particularly in the US, where market breadth continues to improve. In Europe, while the STOXX 600 has recently broken out of its recent range, buoyed by idiosyncratic stories like ASML and a rebound in luxury stocks, as well as strength in pharma following the Trump-Pfizer agreement seen as a clearing event, political uncertainty remains a significant headwind. Looking ahead, we believe that the Fed's pivot will continue to broaden market participation, with laggards increasingly joining the rally, particularly in the US, and with European markets likely to follow by year-end.

## **Monthly Exposure Report**

Sector Allocation	Fund	Delta
Financials	21.8%	-0.7%
Industrials	18.5%	0.1%
Consumer Discretionary	10.6%	2.9%
Health Care	9.4%	-3.1%
Information Technology	8.6%	1.6%
Materials	6.7%	1.6%
Consumer Staples	5.4%	-3.5%
Multisector	4.6%	4.6%
Communication Services	3.5%	-0.6%
Utilities	1.8%	-2.3%
Energy	1.4%	-2.6%
Real Estate	0.0%	-0.7%

Geographical Allocation	Fund		Delta
France	19.0%		3.3%
United Kingdom	19.0%		-2.3%
Germany	11.6%		-2.7%
Netherlands	8.2%		0.7%
Switzerland	6.5%		-6.9%
Europe Developed	4.6%		4.6%
Italy	4.2%		-0.5%
Sweden	4.2%	•	-1.0%
United States	3.7%		3.7%
Spain	3.7%	•	-1.5%
Others	7.4%		-0.3%

Top 5 Overweight	Fund	Delta
iShares STOXX Europe Small 200	3.7%	3.7%
Banca Monte dei Paschi	1.3%	1.3%
CRH	1.3%	1.3%
Societe Generale	1.5%	1.1%
LVMH Moet Hennessy	2.2%	1.1%

Top 5 Underweight	Fund	Delta
Roche Holding	0.0%	-1.7%
Sap	1.0%	-1.1%
Nestlé	0.7%	-1.0%
Totalenergies	0.0%	-0.9%
Air Liquide	0.0%	-0.9%

Characteristics	Fund	Benchmark
Active Share	51.1%	-
Number of Holdings	107	402
Top 5 Holdings as % of Total	13.3%	12.4%
Top 10 Holdings as % of Total	21.3%	20.5%
Top 15 Holdings as % of Total	28.1%	27.3%
Dividend Yield	2.4%	3.1%
Percentage of Cash	7.8%	-
Rating ESG	В	-

Data as of 30/09/2025



#### **Risk Indicator**



The historical data used to calculate the synthetic risk indicator cannot provide a reliable indication about the future risk profile of the Fund.

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