

# Long / Short Equity

Monthly report 30 April 2014

NAV per unit <sup>1</sup>	EUR 83.97
MTD return <sup>2</sup>	1.65%
YTD return	4.60%
Net AuM	FUR 21.2 m

### Manager's comment

April was a great month for the fund that returned 1.65%, beating the MSCI world by 1.1% and our benchmarck by 3.0%. This brings our return in 2014 to 4.6% , while our benchmark is flat, and major indices have only gained between 0% and 3%. This performance is the result of a few successful pair trades and good stock picks. Our pair trade long Apple vs short Amazon was a great contributor as both stocks moved in opposite directions after Q1 results. The closed trade generated a P&L of EUR 100k. Pepco also generated a great return in April (30%) thanks to a takeover bid from Exelon. On the negative side, our pair trade long NQ Mobile vs Short Russell is now back to were it started following a EPS miss for Q4. We however remain confident on this trade and increased our position after the correction. The Eurostoxx 50 and the S&P 500 behaved similarly, fluctuating during the month, testing their resistance and bouncing on their 100-day moving average. The momentum remains positive supported by good macro and positive earning surprises. Stocks would probably have gone higher if it was not for the crisis in Ukraine. A diplomatic outcome would help stocks go through their resistance. In May, we will maintain a 50% net exposure, rebalance our portfolio of value stocks and enter new pair trades to replace those we closed last month.

# Monthly contribution breakdown (bps)<sup>2</sup>

Sector	Long	Short	Total
Utilities	96	-	96
Energy	44	-	44
Consumer Staples	21	-	21
Industrials	16	-	16
Financials	13	-	13
Health Care	7	-	7
Information Technology	(3)	-	(3)
Telecommunication Services	(4)	-	(4)
Materials	(8)	-	(8)
Consumer Discretionary	(42)	19	(22)
Unclassified	17	8	24
TOTAL	158	27	185

# **Fund strategy**

The Long/Short Equity Fund is a global directional alternative investment fund. The style emphasizes a momentum approach as well as value cases. We use quantitative stock picking tools to identify the best portfolio constituents. The objective is to deliver high risk adjusted returns with a low volatility.

The Fund's correlation with the equity market is far lower than that of a long only equity fund, providing a defensive approach in volatile or bear markets.

#### **Fund facts**

Name	DIM SICAV-SIF, SCA – Long / Short Equity (A shares)	
Domicile	Luxembourg	
Geography	Global	
Asset classes	Equity & derivatives, fixed income and futures	
Strategy	Directional long/ short	
Style	Core strategy is momentum based	
Portfolio Manager	Thomas de Mevius	
Management fee	150 bps	
Performance fee	10 % of the return	
Reference index	HFRX Equity Hedge (Bloomberg HFRXEHE Index)	
High Watermark	Yes – above EUR 100+ NAV	
Minimum Investment	EUR 125,000	
Liquidity	Monthly – 15 days notice	
ISIN	LU0630248994	
Ticker	ATHHEDG LX Equity	
Auditors	PriceWaterhouseCoopers	
Custodian	CACEIS Bank Luxembourg	
Fund administrator	CACEIS Bank Luxembourg	
Prime Broker	Goldman Sachs - London	

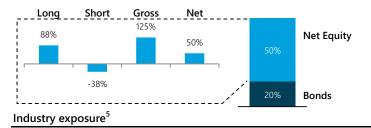
# Performance vs. Benchmark<sup>1</sup>

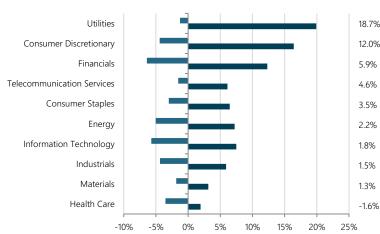


#### Risk metrics

Indicators	L/S Equity	MSCI World
Monthly performance	1.65%	0.53%
YTD performance	4.60%	1.07%
Volatility	4.56%	9.17%
Beta	0.44	1.00
Sharpe (Inception. ann)	2.18	6.00
Sharpe (Rolling 12m)	0.97	1.35
VaR (10 days - 95%)	5.5%	-

# Funds net exposure (%)





Notes: 1 Performance tracked as from the date Thomas de Mévius was sole portfolio manager | 2 Includes contribution from currency exposures or hedges | 3 Rolling 12 months standard deviation of returns annualised | 4 Based on rolling 12 months returns | 5 Value at Risk as a percentage of fund net assets | 5 Portfolio hedge reallocated to industries

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