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# **TREETOP WORLD ESG LEADERS EQUITY INDEX (EUR)**

A SUB-FUND OF TREETOP SICAV - MANAGED BY TREETOP ASSET MANAGEMENT S.A., A MANAGEMENT COMPANY

**UNDER LUXEMBOURG LAW** 

The present marketing communication on its own does not give complete information about the SICAV and should therefore be read before any investment together with the Key Information Document (KID), the prospectus as well as the latest annual/semi-annual report of the SICAV.

# FUND OBJECTIVE, STRATEGY AND RISKS (Class AH EUR)

The product aims to replicate, as closely as possible, as part of passive management, the performance of the MSCI ACWI ESG Leaders Index net return (the "Index"), regardless of whether its performance is positive or negative. The Management Company aims to achieve a tracking error level (ex-ante) between changes in the valuation of shares of the product and that of the Index of less than 5% (no guarantee is given in this regard by the Management Company).

This product provides partial currency exchange hedging: 100% hedging of currency risk against EUR in the following currencies: USD, GBP, JPY, CAD, CHF and AUD and without hedging on other currencies. Given the composition of the Index as of December 31, 2022, this means that the portion of the portfolio not hedged against currency risk is approximately 15%, this proportion being subject to change depending on the weight of currencies not covered within the Index. In this respect, the different products proposed may have different levels of spread compared to the Index, due in particular to the impact that the currency risk hedging strategy may have. For this product, the currency risk will be reduced by the partial coverage, but the tracking error compared to the MSCI ACWI ESG Leaders Index, which is not currency hedged, will be higher. The historical differences this level of tracking error to be estimated at 5% (based on normal market conditions); this level however may be exceeded in case of high currency volatility between them.

The Index is an equity index calculated and published by the international index provider MSCI Inc. ("MSCI"). The shares forming the MSCI ACWI ESG Leaders Index are among the most significant values of the equity markets in developed and emerging countries. They represent, among the companies making up the MSCI ACWI Index, the securities of companies having, according to the index provider, the best ratings in environmental, social and governance (ESG) matters.

The exposure to the Index will be achieved through physical replication with a direct investment in all components of the Index. This replication can lead to portfolio transaction costs having a considerable impact on the investment return. These costs are borne by the assets of the product. However, in order to handle the entries and exits, as well as the characteristics of the local equity markets (market access, liquidity, local tax), the Management Company will be able to combine physical replication with synthetic replication by using derivative instruments such as futures contracts and/or other UCIs, including Exchange Traded Funds. In the event of synthetic replication of the Index, counterparty risk will be higher.

This product does not distribute dividends (which means that the income generated by the product is added to the share price).

You can request the redemption of your product every bank working day in Brussels, the redemption operations are carried out on a daily basis, subject to the limitations outlined in the prospectus and the articles of association.

The product is aimed at individuals or legal entities wishing to invest for the long term (we recommend an investment horizon of 5 years). The investor must have a good knowledge of the risks associated with financial markets and be prepared to accept capital losses due to fluctuations in the value of the assets in the portfolio.

These objectives as well as the investment policy are an exact copy of those indicated in the corresponding KID.

The investment which is promoted concerns the acquisition of units or shares in a fund, and not in a given underlying asset.

The summary risk indicator is a guide to the level of risk of this product compared to other products. It shows how likely it is that the product will lose money because of movements in the markets or because we are not able to pay you. We have classified this product as 4 out of 7, which is a medium risk class. This indicator assesses potential losses in future returns at a medium level, and poor market conditions could affect the value of the shares in which the product invests and therefore the value of the product itself. This level of risk reflects the fact that the product invests in shares which are more risky than bonds or money market instruments.

Under unusual market conditions, other risks could arise: sustainability risk (environmental, social or governance event or condition that could cause an important negative impact on the value of an investment), counterparty risk (the risk that the credit institution may not honour its commitments with regard these instruments. This risk is present when using financial derivative instruments to ensure the synthetic replication of the Index or to hedge the currency risk) and the currency risk (the product invests in securities denominated in currencies other than that of the product, the risk that the value of an investment may be influenced by exchange rate fluctuations is real). Please refer to the prospectus for more details.

As this product does not include capital protection, particularly against market fluctuations, you could lose all or part of your investment, but not more than the amount of your investment.

# Promoter

TreeTop Asset Management S.A. Distributor

TreeTop Asset Management Belgium



### Share Class

#### **Class AH - EUR capitalisation**

NAV as of 31/05/23
ISIN code
Minimum subscription
Launch Date

#### € 1,646.27 BE6275985859 € 250 09/03/2015

under Belgian law

# **General Information**

Legal form

Type of financial product

Duration of the product Sub-funds Assets Delegated Investment Manager Custodian Financial serv. Belgium Auditors Liquidity

Management and marketing fee Entry fee Outgoing fee Change of Sub-fund fee

Management fees and other adm. or operating costs Transaction costs Stock exch. transaction tax Belgian savings tax on redemption Belgian withholding tax Definition

Undertaking for Collective Investment Indefinite € 271 million Amundi Asset Management S.A. CACEIS Bank, Belgium Branch CACEIS Bank, Belgium Branch Deloitte Daily (NAV published on www.fundinfo.com) 0.525% per annum

Sub-fund of an Open ended fund

0.1% for the sub-fund 0.05% for the sub-fund 0.1% + possible difference between the management fee of the new sub-fund and that of the current sub-fund 0.8%

0.2% 1.32% (max. € 4,000) Not applicable

Not applicable The word "fund" is used as a generic term to designate a SICAV or a sub-fund of a SICAV

# **Risk Indicator**



For further information on the risk indicator of the fund, please refer to the latest KID and prospectus.

# **CHARACTERISTICS OF THE MSCI ACWI ESG LEADERS INDEX AND ESG INFORMATION** (RELATED TO ENVIRONMENTAL, SOCIAL OR GOVERNANCE ASPECTS)

TreeTop World ESG Leaders Equity Index is a product promoting environmental or social characteristics in the sense of article 8 of the SFDR, since it replicates the MSCI ACWI ESG Leaders Index, and it does not have a sustainable investment objective. It is a passively managed fund.

The MSCI ACWI ESG Leaders Index is a stock index comprising securities in companies having the best ratings ("Best-in-Class" approach) in environmental, social and governance (ESG) matters among the companies making up the MSCI ACWI Index: an index representing mid and large-cap securities from 23 developed countries and 24 emerging countries (the "Benchmark Index").

The MSCI ACWI ESG Leaders Index is constructed by applying to the companies comprising the Benchmark Index (MSCI ACWI) a combination of two filters:

• The exclusion of companies participating in controversial activities (example of excluded activities: alcohol, gambling, tobacco, weapons)

• ESG rating of the remaining companies according to the MSCI methodology, taking into account 35 issues in the environmental (such as carbon footprint or water use), social (such as occupational health and safety or product quality and safety) and governance field (such as the composition of Boards of Directors or shareholders' rights) • Selection by MSCI of companies with the highest ESG ratings, representing 50% of the market capitalization of each sector and region of the Benchmark Index.

MSCI Inc. is the international index provider responsible for evaluating the selection criteria (more information available at www.msci.com). The decision to invest in the promoted fund should take into account all the charactertistics or objectives of the promoted fund. For more information related to environmental, social or governance aspects, please refer to TreeTop SICAV's prospectus.

# **PERFORMANCE AND NAV EVOLUTION (Class AH EUR)**

# NAV evolution of TreeTop World ESG Leaders Equity Index AH EUR vs. Reference Index<sup>(1)</sup> since inception



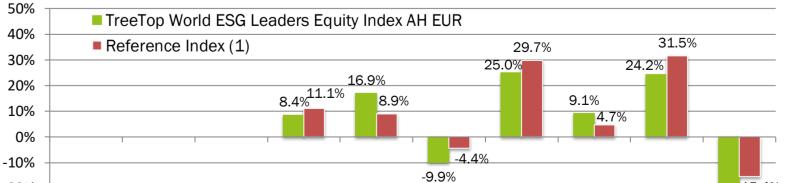
# **Performance summary**

#### Data as of 31 May 2023

	TreeTop WId ESG Lead Eq Ind. AH	Reference index <sup>(1)</sup>
Cumulated	returns	
Мау	1.6%	3.5%
YTD	8.4%	8.7%
1 year	1.3%	2.1%

Annualized ret	urns	
3 years	9.1%	11.2%
5 vears	58%	8.6%

# Calendar year performance of TreeTop World ESG Leaders Equity Index AH EUR vs. the **Reference Index<sup>(1)</sup> since inception** As of 31st December of each year





(1) From the launch until 25/01/2021, the reference index was MSCI ACWI Index net dividends reinvested in EUR (ticker Bloomberg:NDEEWNR). Since 26/01/2021, the reference index is MSCI ACWI ESG Leaders Index net dividends reinvested in EUR (ticker Bloomberg:NE703303). The performance achieved before this date was achieved under conditions that no longer exist.

Sources: Amundi Asset Management and MSCI for the period 2015-2023 (09/03/15=100).

Past performance and NAV evolution are no guarantee of future performance.

The returns, calculated in the reference currency (EUR), do not reflect any entry charges or tax a Belgian private individual might have to pay. There are other share classes: the relevant returns as well as the net asset value evolution are available on request and free of charge from TreeTop Asset Management and are also presented on our website https://www.treetopam.com/en/funds/treetop-index-funds.

# **PORTFOLIO STRUCTURE**

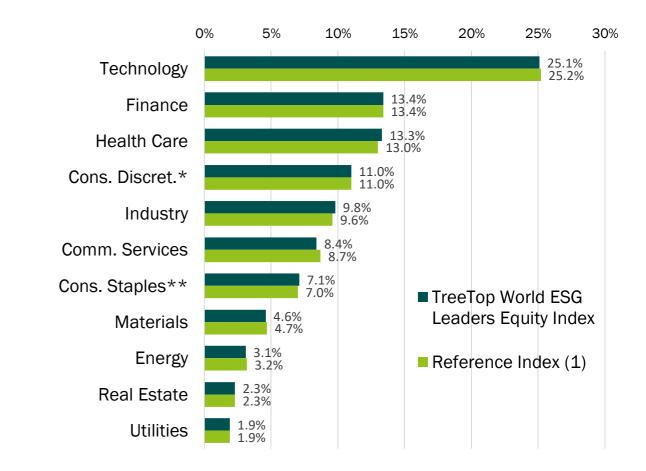
#### 0% 20% 40% 60% 80% 66.8% Americas developed 64.0% 1.1% Americas emerging 1.3% 8.8% Asia developed 8.7% 6.2% TreeTop World ESG Asia emerging 9.0% Leaders Equity Index 16.0% Europe developed Reference Index (1) 15.6% 1.1% Europe emerging 1.4%

## **Allocation by Region**

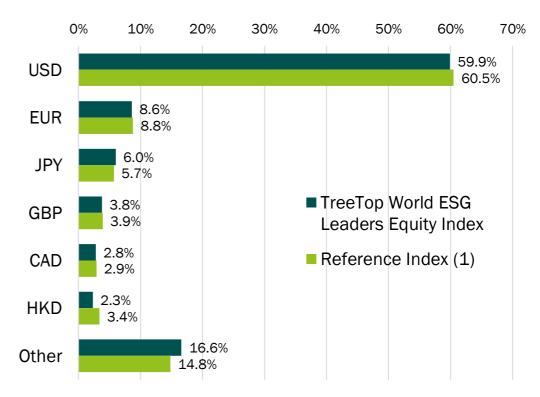
# **10 Main Holdings**

Holding name	TreeTop WId ESG	Reference
	Lead Eq Index	index(1)
MICROSOFT CORP	7.6%	7.6%
ALPHABET INC	4.6%	4.6%
NVIDIA CORP	3.2%	3.2%
TESLA INC	1.8%	1.8%
JOHNSON & JOHNSON	1.3%	1.3%
VISA INC	1.2%	1.2%
ELI LILLY & CO	1.1%	1.1%
PROCTER & GAMBLE CO/THE	1.1%	1.1%
MASTERCARD INC	1.0%	1.0%
HOME DEPOT INC/THE	1.0%	1.0%
TOTAL	23.9%	23.9%

# **Allocation by Economic Sector**



# **Currency breakdown (2)**



(1) The Reference Index is the MSCI ACWI ESG Leaders Index

(2) The currency breakdown reflects the allocation of the overall portfolio. Please note that the hedged share classes (AH and CH) have a 100% hedging of currency risk

against EUR in the following currencies: USD, GBP, JPY, CAD, CHF and AUD (without hedging on other currencies). The currency breakdown of these shares classes is therefore different.

\* Consumer Discretionary Sector: encompasses businesses sensitive to economic cycles (automotive, household durable goods, textiles & apparel, hotels, restaurants, leisure facilities, media and consumer retailing).

\*\* Consumer Staples Sector: encompasses businesses less sensitive to economic cycles (food, beverages and tobacco, non-durable household goods, personal products, drug retailing and consumer super centers).

Ine KID, as well as the prospectus and periodic reports in French and Dutch are available on https://www.treetopam.com/en/funds/treetop-index-funds for the A and AH share classes and https://www.treetopam.com/en/funds/treetop-philanthropic-funds for the C and CH share classes or on request and free of charge from TreeTop Asset Management Belgium 79 rue des Francs box 7, 1040 Brussels, or from the bank in charge of the fund administration in Belgium: CACEIS Bank, Belgium Branch, Avenue du Port 86C box 320, 1000 Brussels. Complaints can be addressed to the "Compliance officer" of TreeTop Asset Management Belgium (address at the right) or to the Mediation Service: Ombudsfin, North Gate II, Avenue Roi Albert II 8 B-1000 Brussels (www.ombudsfin.be or ombudsman@ombudsfin.be). You can obtain a summary of the rights of investors at https://www.treetopam.com/en/regulatory-information (in English) in the section "Rights of investors in UCIs managed by TreeTop".



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