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Global Microcaps

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MONTHLY REPORT MAY 30, 2025

1 2 3 4 5 6 7 Risk profile +6.3% -1.4% 16.8% Performance YTD Volatility Performance

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After a volatile start to spring, May saw a sharp rebound in indices, with the S&P, for example, recording its best May since 1997. The market was buoyed in particular by easing tensions between China and the US, solid US employment and more positive European PMIs. However, Japanese long-term interest rates rose sharply. Over the month, the MSCI World rose 6.0%, the MSCI World Smallcap rose 5.9% and the MSCI World Microcap rose 5.6%. With 231 of its 326 stocks rising, the fund outperformed its benchmark index. Among the top contributors were three stocks boosted by strong results: Strattec Security (+64%), Niagen, formerly Chromadex (+42%), and Nutex Health (+41%). On the other hand, Protalix (-49%) corrected after disappointing Elfabrio sales in Q1, and Myomo (-38%) suffered from Meta's change in marketing focus, which penalised the acquisition of new prospects. In terms of major moves, we sold Yossix, Rion and Elmera, whose GARP profiles were deteriorating, and we initiated Tasmea, an Australian infrastructure services company, Business Engineering, a long-standing SAP partner in Japan, and NewRiver REIT, after receiving two takeover bids in the sector since the beginning of the year. The fund is invested in 326 stocks with reasonable debt levels (median debt/equity ratio of 31.7%) and a strong GARP (Growth At a Reasonable Price) profile, with a median market capitalisation of around €411 million. With a wealth of potential investment ideas, the fund remains more than 96% invested.

Main transactions over the month

(+) NEWRIVER REIT (-) YOSSIX CO LTD (+) TASMEA (-) RION CO ITD (+) BUSINESS ENGINEERING (-) ELMERA GROUP ASA

(+) New holding (-) Sale

Major contributors/detractors over the month (%)

STRATTEC SECURI... +0.2 | PROTALIX BIOTHER... -0.2 NUTEX HEALTH INC. +0.2 MYOMO INC -0.1CHROMADEX CORP +0.2 SENSEONICS HOL... -0.1

Mandarine Global Microcap invests in the smallest global market capitalisations, applying a quantitative screening filter followed by fundamental stock analysis, designed to detect those stocks which offer the most favourable risk/return profile.

PERFORMANCES AND RISKS

The data presented relates to past periods, past performance is not an indicator of future results. Statistical indicators are calculated on a weekly basis. Benchmark: MSCI World Microcap NR EUR



Annual performances Fund Bench. 30% +25.2 +25.2 +14.4 +12.8 +12.7 +12.6 15% +31 -1.4 -1.9 -15% -16.8 -30% 2020 2022 2023 2025

Rolling / annualized performances

2021

	Rolling performances				Annualized performance				
	1 month	YTD	1 year	3 years	5 years	Inception	3 years	5 years	Inception
Fund	+6.3%	-1.4%	+8.4%	+11.1%	+56.2%	+87.8%	+3.6%	+9.3%	+7.4%
Bench.	+5.6%	-1.9%	+6.5%	+4.5%	+53.3%	+78.9%	+1.5%	+8.9%	+6.8%
Diff.	+0.7%	+0.4%	+1.9%	+6.6%	+2.9%	+8.9%	+2.1%	+0.4%	+0.6%
Quartile*	2	2	1	3	2	2			

2024

EAA Fund Global Small/Mid-Cap Equity

Risk indicators

	Fund volatility	Benchmark volatility	Tracking error	Information ratio	Sharpe ratio
1 year	16.8%	16.4%	3.1%	0.6	0.3
3 years	14.2%	13.6%	3.3%	0.7	0.1

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PORTFOLIO STRUCTURE

Main holdings							
YONEX CO LTD	0.5%	Cons.Discretionary / Japan					
NIPPON DRY-CHEMICAL CO LTD	0.5%	Industrials / Japan					
BASE CO LTD	0.5%	Technology / Japan					
CRESCO LTD	0.5%	Technology / Japan					
BAUDROIE INC	0.5%	Technology / Japan					
HODEN SEIMITSU KAKO KENKYU	0.5%	Industrials / Japan					
GENUSPLUS GROUP LTD	0.5%	Industrials / Australia					
TOKYO KEIKI INC	0.5%	Industrials / Japan					
STRATTEC SECURITY CORP	0.4%	Cons.Discretionary / United-St					
NORTHRIM BANCORP INC	0.4%	Financials / United-States					

Sector		Country	
Industrials	21.3%	Japan	29.2%
Technology	15.6%	United-States	22.2%
Financials	13.3%	Great Britain	7.9%
Health Care	11.3%	Australia	7.4%
Cons.Discretionary	10.6%	Canada	4.9%
Materials	8.0%	Sweden	4.4%
Communication serv.	4.7%	Israel	3.1%
Cons.Staples	4.2%	Norway	2.0%
Real Estate	4.2%	Germany	1.7%
Energy	2.9%	France	1.6%
Utilities	0.6%	Italy	1.6%
Cash & Others	3.4%	Singapore	1.5%
		China	1.4%
		Other Country	7.6%

Cash & Others

3.4%

FUND PROFILE

Key figures at May 30 2025

Asset under management	25.3M€
Equity exposure	96.3%
Number of holdings	327
Active share	93.5%
Average capitalisation (Bln €)	0.5
EPS growth (Next 12 M./Last 12 M.)	+12.9%
PE (Next 12 Months)	12.6x



137 Carbon footprint

*Tonnes of CO2e/M€ invested, Direct (scope 1-2) + First tier indirect

Capitalisation Currency > 500 mln € 41.7% JPY 27.5% 300-500 mln € 28.1% USD 21.8% 150-300 mln € 16.9% EUR 10.4% < 150 mln € 9.8% GBP 8.2% Cash & Others 6.9% 3.4% AUD Other Currency 25.2%

CHARACTERISTICS

ISIN	Bloomberg code	Inception of the fund	Shareclass inception
LU1329694266	MGMCRAE LX Equity	12/07/2016	12/07/2016
Legal Status	Shareclass currency	Investment horizon	Management company
Sicav Lux.	EUR	5 years	Mandarine Gestion
Depositary	Valuation	Cut-Off	Settlement
BNP Paribas	Daily	13h00	D+3 (NAV D+1)
Management Fee	Performance Fee	Initial charge	Redemption Fee
1.95%	20% of the outperformance over the benchmark	2.00%	0%



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