

## Robeco QI European Conservative Equities D EUR

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Fund manager since 07-08-2007

### Performance

|               | Fund   | Index  |
|---------------|--------|--------|
| 1 m           | 1.75%  | 0.91%  |
| 3 m           | 3.00%  | 5.14%  |
| Ytd           | 16.09% | 16.28% |
| 1 Year        | 13.86% | 15.71% |
| 2 Years       | 13.16% | 14.43% |
| 3 Years       | 10.07% | 12.17% |
| 5 Years       | 8.71%  | 11.14% |
| 10 Years      | 4.89%  | 6.82%  |
| Since 01-2008 | 6.08%  | 5.89%  |

Annualized (for periods longer than one year)

Note: due to a difference in measurement period between the fund and the index, performance differences may arise. For further info, see last page.

### Calendar year performance

|           | Fund    | Index  |
|-----------|---------|--------|
| 2024      | 8.39%   | 8.59%  |
| 2023      | 8.69%   | 15.83% |
| 2022      | -11.21% | -9.49% |
| 2021      | 23.25%  | 25.13% |
| 2020      | -6.98%  | -3.32% |
| 2022-2024 | 1.51%   | 4.41%  |
| 2020-2024 | 3.70%   | 6.61%  |

Annualized (years)

**Past performance is no guarantee of future results. The value of your investments may fluctuate.** If the currency in which the past performance is displayed differs from the currency of the country in which you reside, then you should be aware that due to exchange rate fluctuations the performance shown may increase or decrease if converted into your local currency. Performance since inception is as of the first full month. Periods shorter than one year are not annualized. Returns net of fees, based on transaction prices.

### Index

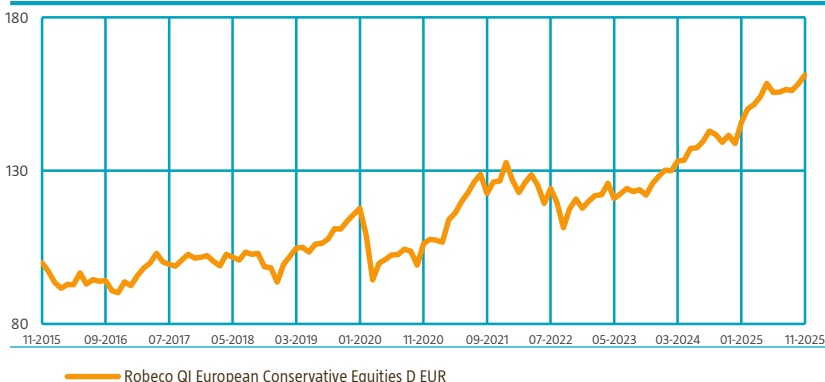
MSCI Europe Index (Net Return, EUR)

### General facts

|                              |                                            |
|------------------------------|--------------------------------------------|
| Morningstar                  | ★★★★                                       |
| Type of fund                 | Equities                                   |
| Currency                     | EUR                                        |
| Total size of fund           | EUR 501,917,372                            |
| Size of share class          | EUR 90,843,856                             |
| Outstanding shares           | 316,943                                    |
| 1st quotation date           | 25-01-2008                                 |
| Close financial year         | 31-12                                      |
| Ongoing charges              | 1.03%                                      |
| Daily tradable               | Yes                                        |
| Dividend paid                | No                                         |
| Ex-ante tracking error limit | -                                          |
| Management company           | Robeco Institutional Asset Management B.V. |

### Performance

Indexed value (until 30-11-2025) - Source: Robeco



### Performance

Based on transaction prices, the fund's return was 1.75%.

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### Expectation of fund manager

The European Conservative Equities Fund invests in low volatility stocks with lower expected downside risk and good upside potential. The more stable stocks tend to be overlooked by investors, though they offer relatively high returns given their risk profile. We expect the fund to do particularly well during down markets and volatile market conditions. In a very bullish environment, the fund could lag the overall market, yet still deliver good absolute returns. In the long term, we expect stable equity returns and high income with considerably lower downside risk.

### Top 10 largest positions

The top ten positions are primarily the result of the fact that these large companies have a low expected volatility combined with good upside potential.

### Fund price

|                     |     |        |
|---------------------|-----|--------|
| 30-11-25            | EUR | 286.63 |
| High Ytd (28-11-25) | EUR | 286.63 |
| Low Ytd (09-04-25)  | EUR | 246.09 |

### Fees

|                 |       |
|-----------------|-------|
| Management fee  | 0.80% |
| Performance fee | None  |
| Service fee     | 0.16% |

### Legal status

Investment company with variable capital incorporated under Luxembourg law (SICAV)  
 Issue structure Open-end  
 UCITS V Yes  
 Share class D EUR  
 This fund is a subfund of Robeco Capital Growth Funds, SICAV

### Registered in

Austria, Belgium, Chile, Finland, France, Germany, Ireland, Italy, Luxembourg, Netherlands, Norway, Singapore, Spain, Switzerland, Taiwan, United Kingdom

### Currency policy

Currency risk will not be hedged. Exchange-rate fluctuations will therefore directly affect the fund's share price.

### Risk management

Risk management is fully integrated in the investment process to ensure that positions always meet predefined guidelines.

### Dividend policy

The fund does not distribute dividend. The fund retains any income that is earned, and so its entire performance is reflected in its share price.

### Fund codes

|           |              |
|-----------|--------------|
| ISIN      | LU0339661307 |
| Bloomberg | ROECDEU LX   |
| Sedol     | B8H2X83      |
| WKN       | AONC7K       |
| Valoren   | 3676721      |

### Top 10 largest positions

#### Holdings

ASML Holding NV  
 Novartis AG  
 Shell PLC  
 Allianz SE  
 Roche Holding AG  
 GSK PLC  
 Unilever PLC  
 Zurich Insurance Group AG  
 Nordea Bank Abp  
 Deutsche Telekom AG  
**Total**

| Sector                 | %            |
|------------------------|--------------|
| Information Technology | 3.19         |
| Health Care            | 2.99         |
| Energy                 | 2.98         |
| Financials             | 2.79         |
| Health Care            | 2.47         |
| Health Care            | 2.42         |
| Consumer Staples       | 2.38         |
| Financials             | 2.25         |
| Financials             | 2.24         |
| Communication Services | 2.02         |
| <b>Total</b>           | <b>25.73</b> |

Holdings are subject to change. This is not a buy, sell or hold recommendation for any particular security. The securities shown here are for illustrative purposes only to demonstrate the investment strategy on the date stated above. It cannot be guaranteed the same securities will be considered in the future. No reference can be made to the future development of the securities.

### Top 10/20/30 weights

|        |        |
|--------|--------|
| TOP 10 | 25.73% |
| TOP 20 | 43.06% |
| TOP 30 | 55.78% |

### Key risk figures

|                            | 3 Years | 5 Years |
|----------------------------|---------|---------|
| Tracking error ex-post (%) | 6.15    | 6.25    |
| Information ratio          | -0.16   | -0.21   |
| Sharpe ratio               | 1.25    | 0.86    |
| Alpha (%)                  | 3.20    | 1.65    |
| Beta                       | 0.53    | 0.68    |
| Standard deviation         | 6.56    | 9.49    |
| Max. monthly gain (%)      | 5.17    | 7.18    |
| Max. monthly loss (%)      | -3.92   | -6.81   |

Above mentioned ratios are based on gross of fees returns

### Hit ratio

|                            | 3 Years | 5 Years |
|----------------------------|---------|---------|
| Months outperformance      | 16      | 26      |
| Hit ratio (%)              | 44.4    | 43.3    |
| Months Bull market         | 22      | 36      |
| Months outperformance Bull | 6       | 11      |
| Hit ratio Bull (%)         | 27.3    | 30.6    |
| Months Bear market         | 14      | 24      |
| Months Outperformance Bear | 10      | 15      |
| Hit ratio Bear (%)         | 71.4    | 62.5    |

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### Changes

Before July 2012 the portfolio was hedged into EUR, since July 2012 currency exposures are no longer hedged

## Asset Allocation

| Asset allocation |  |       |
|------------------|--|-------|
| Equity           |  | 98.2% |
| Cash             |  | 1.8%  |

## Sector allocation

The European Conservative Equities Fund is not benchmark driven. It uses a quantitative stock selection model for bottom-up selection of stocks with low absolute risk and high expected return characteristics. The current weights in defensive sectors are high compared to regular indices. This is due to the fact that these sectors contain a relatively large number of stable and attractively priced stocks.

| Sector allocation      |                        |       | Deviation index        |       |
|------------------------|------------------------|-------|------------------------|-------|
| Financials             | <div><div></div></div> | 30.4% | <div><div></div></div> | 6.6%  |
| Health Care            | <div><div></div></div> | 14.4% | <div><div></div></div> | 0.3%  |
| Consumer Staples       | <div><div></div></div> | 12.1% | <div><div></div></div> | 2.6%  |
| Communication Services | <div><div></div></div> | 11.7% | <div><div></div></div> | 8.0%  |
| Industrials            | <div><div></div></div> | 9.9%  | <div><div></div></div> | -8.9% |
| Information Technology | <div><div></div></div> | 6.4%  | <div><div></div></div> | -1.0% |
| Real Estate            | <div><div></div></div> | 5.3%  | <div><div></div></div> | 4.6%  |
| Energy                 | <div><div></div></div> | 4.5%  | <div><div></div></div> | 0.3%  |
| Utilities              | <div><div></div></div> | 3.8%  | <div><div></div></div> | -0.9% |
| Consumer Discretionary | <div><div></div></div> | 0.9%  | <div><div></div></div> | -7.1% |
| Materials              | <div><div></div></div> | 0.6%  | <div><div></div></div> | -4.5% |

## Country allocation

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| Country allocation |                        |       | Deviation index        |       |
|--------------------|------------------------|-------|------------------------|-------|
| Switzerland        | <div><div></div></div> | 17.9% | <div><div></div></div> | 3.5%  |
| United Kingdom     | <div><div></div></div> | 14.7% | <div><div></div></div> | -7.8% |
| Germany            | <div><div></div></div> | 13.1% | <div><div></div></div> | -1.4% |
| Netherlands        | <div><div></div></div> | 10.3% | <div><div></div></div> | 2.8%  |
| France             | <div><div></div></div> | 9.2%  | <div><div></div></div> | -7.2% |
| Sweden             | <div><div></div></div> | 5.9%  | <div><div></div></div> | 0.4%  |
| Norway             | <div><div></div></div> | 5.4%  | <div><div></div></div> | 4.5%  |
| Finland            | <div><div></div></div> | 5.0%  | <div><div></div></div> | 3.3%  |
| Spain              | <div><div></div></div> | 3.8%  | <div><div></div></div> | -1.9% |
| Portugal           | <div><div></div></div> | 3.6%  | <div><div></div></div> | 3.3%  |
| Austria            | <div><div></div></div> | 2.8%  | <div><div></div></div> | 2.4%  |
| Belgium            | <div><div></div></div> | 2.1%  | <div><div></div></div> | 0.4%  |
| Other              | <div><div></div></div> | 6.2%  | <div><div></div></div> | -2.3% |

The allocations shown are for illustrative purposes only. This is the current overview as of the date stated and not a guarantee of future developments. It should not be assumed that any investments in these allocations were or will be profitable. Due to rounding, the sum may not equal 100%.

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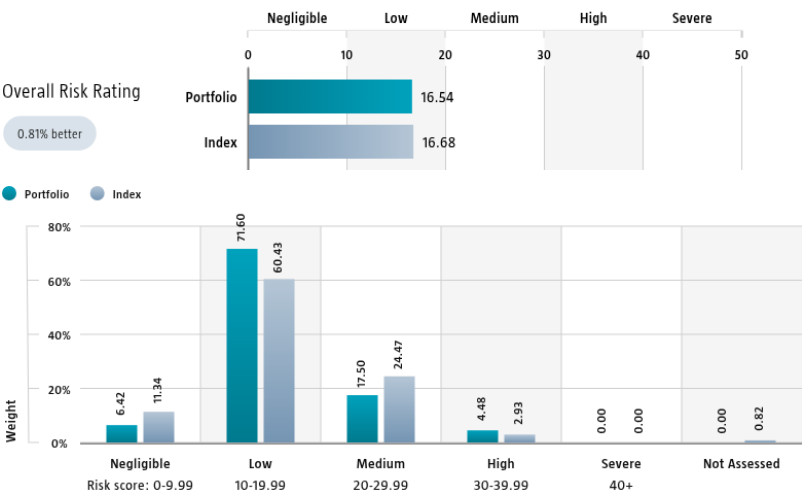
The sustainability information in this factsheet can help investors integrate sustainability considerations in their process. This information is for informational purposes only. The reported sustainability information may not at all be used in relation to binding elements for this fund. A decision to invest should take into account all characteristics or objectives of the fund as described in the prospectus. The prospectus is available on request and free of charge on the Robeco website.

Sustainability

The fund systematically incorporates sustainability in the investment process via exclusions, ESG integration, ESG and environmental footprint targets, engagement and voting. The fund does not invest in stocks issued by companies that are in breach of international norms or where its activities have been deemed detrimental to society following Robeco's exclusion policy. Financially material ESG factors are integrated in the portfolio construction to ensure the ESG score of the portfolio is better than that of the index. In addition, the environmental footprints of the fund are made lower than that of the benchmark by restricting the GHG emissions, water use and waste generation. With these portfolio construction rules, stocks issued by companies with better ESG scores or environmental footprints are more likely to be included in the portfolio while stocks issued by companies with worse ESG scores or environmental footprints are more likely to be divested from the portfolio. In addition, where a stock issuer is flagged for breaching international standards in the ongoing monitoring, the issuer will become subject to engagement. Lastly, the fund makes use of shareholder rights and applies proxy voting in accordance with Robeco's proxy voting policy. For more information please visit the sustainability-related disclosures. The index used for all sustainability visuals is based on MSCI Europe Index (Net Return, EUR).

Sustainalytics ESG Risk Rating

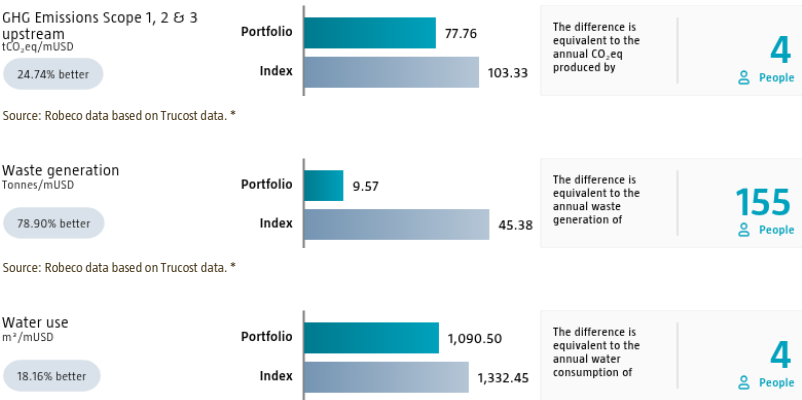
The Portfolio Sustainalytics ESG Risk Rating chart displays the portfolio's ESG Risk Rating. This is calculated by multiplying each portfolio component's Sustainalytics ESG Risk Rating by its respective portfolio weight. The Distribution across Sustainalytics ESG Risk levels chart shows the portfolio allocations broken into Sustainalytics' five ESG risk levels: negligible (0-10), low (10-20), medium (20-30), high (30-40) and severe (40+), providing an overview of portfolio exposure to the different ESG risk levels. Index scores are provided alongside the portfolio scores, highlighting the portfolio's ESG risk level compared to the index. Only holdings mapped as corporates are included in the figures.



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Environmental Footprint

Environmental footprint expresses the total resource consumption of the portfolio per mUSD invested. Each assessed company's footprint is calculated by normalizing resources consumed by the company's enterprise value including cash (EVIC). We aggregate these figures to portfolio level using a weighted average, multiplying each assessed portfolio constituent's footprint by its respective position weight. For comparison, index footprints are shown besides that of the portfolio. The equivalent factors that are used for comparison between the portfolio and index represent European averages and are based on third-party sources combined with own estimates. As such, the figures presented are intended for illustrative purposes and are purely an indication. Only holdings mapped as corporates are included in the figures.

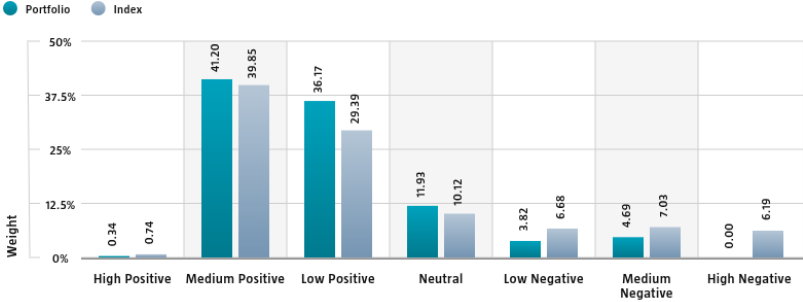


Source: Robeco data based on Trucost data. \*

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SDG Impact Alignment

This distribution across SDG scores shows the portfolio weight allocated to companies with a positive, negative and neutral impact alignment with the Sustainable Development Goals (SDG) based on Robeco’s SDG Framework. The framework utilizes a three-step approach to assess a company’s impact alignment with the relevant SDGs and assign a total SDG score. The score ranges from positive to negative impact alignment with levels from high, medium or low impact alignment. This results in a 7-step scale from -3 to +3. For comparison, index figures are provided alongside that of the portfolio. Only holdings mapped as corporates are included in the figures.



Source: Robeco. Data derived from internal processes.

Engagement

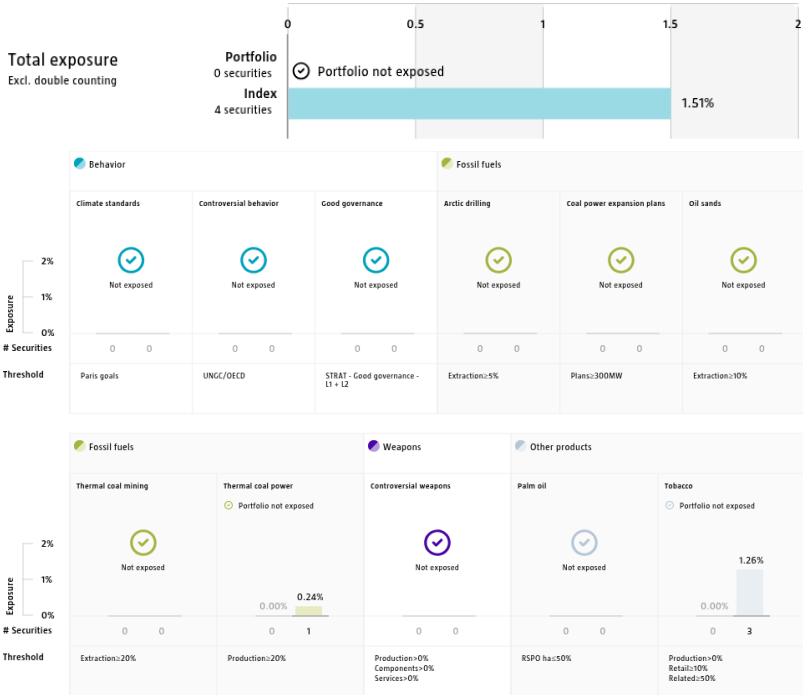
Robeco distinguishes between three types of engagement. Value Engagement focuses on long-term issues that are financially material and/or are causing adverse sustainability impacts. The themes can be broken into Environmental, Social, Governance, or Voting-related. SDG Engagement aims to drive a clear and measurable improvement in a company’s SDG contribution. Enhanced engagement is triggered by misconduct and focuses on companies severely breaching international standards. The report is based on all companies in the portfolio for which engagement activities have taken place during the past 12 months. Note that companies may be under engagement in multiple categories simultaneously. While the total portfolio exposure excludes double counting, it may not equal the sum of individual category exposures.

|                                     | Portfolio exposure | # companies engaged with | # activities with companies engaged with |
|-------------------------------------|--------------------|--------------------------|------------------------------------------|
| Total (* excluding double counting) | 20.51%             | 12                       | 63                                       |
| Environmental                       | 7.07%              | 3                        | 13                                       |
| Social                              | 0.00%              | 0                        | 0                                        |
| Governance                          | 11.20%             | 6                        | 28                                       |
| Sustainable Development Goals       | 8.74%              | 6                        | 22                                       |
| Voting Related                      | 0.00%              | 0                        | 0                                        |
| Enhanced                            | 0.00%              | 0                        | 0                                        |

Source: Robeco. Data derived from internal processes.

Exclusions

The Exclusions charts display the degree of adherence to exclusion applied by Robeco. For reference, index exposures are shown beside that of the portfolio. Thresholds are based on revenues unless otherwise indicated. For more information about the exclusion policy and which level applies, please refer to the Exclusion Policy and Exclusion List available on Robeco.com.



Source: We use several data sources such as Sustainalytics, RSPO (Roundtable on Sustainable Palm Oil), World Bank, Freedom House, Fund for Peace and International Sanctions; further policy document available [Exclusion Policy](#)

### Investment policy

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The fund aims for a better sustainability profile compared to the Benchmark by promoting E&S (i.e. Environmental and Social) characteristics within the meaning of Article 8 of the European Sustainable Finance Disclosure Regulation, integrating sustainability risks in the investment process and applying Robeco's Good Governance policy. The fund applies sustainability indicators, including but not limited to, normative, activity-based and region-based exclusions, proxy voting and engagement.

### Fund manager's CV

Pim van Vliet is Head of Conservative Equities and Chief Quant Strategist. As Head of Conservative Equities, he is responsible for a wide range of global, regional, and sustainable low-volatility strategies. He specializes in low-volatility investing, asset pricing, and quantitative finance. He is the author of numerous academic research papers including publications in the Journal of Banking and Finance, Management Science, and the Journal of Portfolio Management. Pim is a guest lecturer at several universities, author of an investment book and speaker at international seminars. He became Portfolio Manager in 2010. Pim joined Robeco in 2005 as a Researcher with responsibility for asset allocation research. Pim holds a PhD and a Master's cum laude in Financial and Business Economics from Erasmus University Rotterdam. Arlette van Ditschuijzen is Portfolio Manager Quantitative Equities. She has been portfolio manager since 2007. Arlette's areas of expertise are portfolio construction and risk management. She chairs Robeco's Equity Risk Maarten Polfiet is Portfolio Manager Quantitative Equities. Maarten specializes in portfolio construction and investment style analysis. Until 2014, Maarten was a Quant Client Portfolio Manager at Robeco. From 2002, he was Equity Portfolio Manager at Bank Insinger de Beaufort, until he joined Robeco in 2005. He started his career as a Portfolio Manager for private and institutional clients at SNS Bank Nederland in 1999. He has a Master's in Financial Economics from Tilburg University and a Master's in Financial Analysis from the University of Amsterdam. Jan Sytze Mosselaar is Portfolio Manager Quantitative Equities. He is responsible for quant equity strategies and specializes in quantitative stock selection as well as portfolio and market analysis. Jan Sytze is the author of 'A Concise Financial History of Europe', published by Robeco. He started his career in 2004 at Robeco and worked for ten years as a multi-asset portfolio manager, responsible for multi-asset funds, quant allocation funds and fiduciary pension mandates. He holds a Master's in Business Economics with a specialization in Finance & Investments from the University of Groningen. He is a CFA® Charterholder. Arnoud Klep is Portfolio Manager Quantitative Equities. Arnoud specializes in portfolio construction and sustainability integration within quantitative equities. Previously, Arnoud was Head of Structured Investments with Robeco, managing various quantitative investment strategies. He started his career in the Robeco Quantitative Research department in 2001. Arnoud holds a Master's in Econometrics from Tilburg University.

### Fiscal product treatment

The fund is established in Luxembourg and is subject to the Luxembourg tax laws and regulations. The fund is not liable to pay any corporation, income, dividend or capital gains tax in Luxembourg. The fund is subject to an annual subscription tax ('tax d'abonnement') in Luxembourg, which amounts to 0.05% of the net asset value of the fund. This tax is included in the net asset value of the fund. The fund can in principle use the Luxembourg treaty network to partially recover any withholding tax on its income.

### Fiscal treatment of investor

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