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# SEILERN EUROPA USD H C

#### **Fund Data**

Legal Status Irish UCITS

Fund launch date 19 October 2009

Liquidity
Daily at NAV

Available Currencies EUR, GBP, USD, CHF

Fund Size (USD) as at 31/10/2024 71m

Portfolio Manager

Seilern Investment Management Ltd. Investment Team

Share Class Name Seilern Europa USD H C

Share Class Launch Date 23 March 2018

**Share Class Currency** USD

ISIN Code IE00BF5H4J77

Bloomberg Code STXEHCU ID

OCF as at 31/12/2024 1.00%

**Morningstar Rating** 

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## **Investment Objective**

The fund seeks to achieve growth of your investment by investing mainly in shares (equity) and similar securities issued by high quality companies listed on the stock exchanges of European countries within the Organisation for Economic Co-operation and Development (OECD).

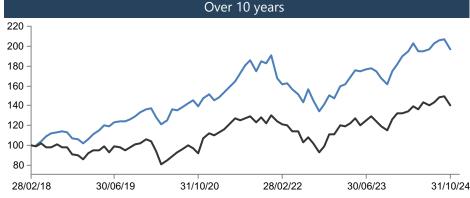
#### Commentary

SAP was the best performer, up +5.09%. The company reported continued sales momentum in cloud contracts, robust backlog growth and surprised the market positively on profitability. Essilor was second best, up +1.32%. Despite Q3 sales slightly missing market expectations, management's confidence in the company's underlying growth trajectory and resilient outlook likely reassured investors. Straumann was the worst performer, down -17.54%. The group reported strong third quarter sales, ahead of expectations, helped by Europe and Asia Pacific. However, investors are questioning whether softer sales in North America could continue into next year. L'Oreal was second worst, down -14.38%. The company's Q3 sales fell behind market expectations, mainly due to a broad-based slowdown in the global beauty market and a further weakening of the Chinese market.

#### **Fund Performance**

Cumulative						
	Fund	MSCI Europe TR	Difference			
1M	-5.21%	-5.89%	+0.68%			
3M	-3.25%	-1.80%	-1.45%			
2024 YTD	8.39%	6.13%	+2.26%			
1Y	21.94%	22.43%	-0.49%			
3Y	6.54%	9.27%	-2.73%			
5Y	52.25%	39.68%	+12.57%			
Since Launch	100.92%	43.80%	+57.12%			

Annualised							
Fund MSCI Europe TR Difference							
CAGR 3Y	2.12%	2.98%	-0.86%				
CAGR 5Y	8.74%	6.89%	+1.85%				
CAGR Since Launch	11.10%	5.63%	+5.47%				



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MSCI Europe TR

Source:@FactSet Research Systems, USD H C share class, net of fees, as at 31 October 2024

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## Monthly Performance

	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	YTD
2024	4.68%	2.60%	4.30%	-4.33%	0.10%	0.93%	3.47%	1.58%	0.48%	-5.21%			8.39%
2023	8.13%	1.12%	4.58%	4.27%	-0.91%	1.35%	0.49%	-1.48%	-4.45%	-3.58%	8.25%	3.92%	22.88%
2022	-12.23%	-3.93%	0.63%	-3.49%	-3.49%	-5.33%	9.57%	-7.12%	-7.56%	5.02%	6.87%	-2.09%	-22.66%
2021	-4.25%	1.72%	3.57%	4.29%	3.19%	4.60%	5.00%	2.53%	-5.65%	5.42%	-0.78%	4.23%	25.74%
2020	1.10%	-6.94%	-5.16%	3.20%	8.44%	-0.19%	1.85%	3.07%	2.47%	-4.78%	5.91%	3.30%	11.69%
2019	4.02%	5.41%	2.95%	4.44%	-0.44%	3.53%	0.59%	0.15%	1.66%	2.31%	3.26%	1.92%	33.98%
2018			2.00%	3.54%	5.68%	2.37%	1.11%	1.13%	-1.56%	-4.70%	-1.60%	-3.89%	3.66%

Source:@FactSet Research Systems, USD H C share class, net of fees, as at 31 October 2024

## Portfolio Analysis

Top 10 Holdings						
Company	Weight					
Lonza Group	8.01%					
SAP	7.82%					
Dassault Systemes	7.80%					
Novo Nordisk	7.10%					
Rightmove	5.92%					
BELIMO Holding	4.64%					
EssilorLuxottica	4.59%					
Novonesis	4.52%					
Spirax Group	4.45%					
Edenred	4.42%					
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Sector Allocation						
Sector	Weight					
Health Care	23.15%					
Industrials	21.20%					
Information Technology	18.25%					
Consumer Staples	11.55%					
Consumer Discretionary	8.16%					
Communication Services	5.92%					
Materials	4.52%					
Financials	4.42%					

Geographic Allocation						
Country	Weight					
Eurozone	45.45%					
Switzerland	27.12%					
United Kingdom	12.99%					
Denmark	11.62%					
Cash	2.82%					

Source:©FactSet Research Systems, as at 31 July 2024

## Share Classes

Class	ISIN	Bloomberg	Price as at 31 October 2024	Initial Fee	Annual Fee	Launch Date	CAGR Since Launch	1M
EUR U I	IE00BKM3XV86	STXEUHE ID	207.12	0%	0.75%	28/11/14	7.59%	-5.37%
CHF U I	IE00BMPRPV58	SESECUA ID	127.14	0%	0.75%	16/04/20	5.41%	-5.64%
GBP U C	IE00BK9Z4F86	STXEUUC ID	136.50	0%	0.85%	04/09/19	6.19%	-3.96%
USD H C	IE00BF5H4J77	STXEHCU ID	200.93	0%	0.85%	23/03/18	11.10%	-5.21%
EUR H C	IE00BF5H4K82	STXEUHC ID	174.61	0%	0.85%	23/03/18	8.77%	-5.31%
GBP H C	IE00BF5H4H53	STXEHCG ID	188.39	0%	0.85%	23/03/18	10.02%	-5.23%
CHF H C	IE00BMPRPW65	SESACHA ID	139.01	0%	0.85%	16/04/20	7.49%	-5.54%
EUR U R	IE00B68JD125	STXEUFR ID	300.79	0%	1.50%	04/01/11	8.26%	-5.43%
EUR U R Fdrs	IE00B4MB6665	STXEURO ID	464.47	0%	0.50%	16/10/09	10.71%	-5.35%

Source: FactSet Research Systems, as at 31 October 2024. Key: U = Unhedged, H = Hedged, I = Institutional, R = Retail, C = Clean

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### **Principal Risk Factors**

The Fund is subject to a range of risks including:

Market Risk: The Fund is subject to normal market fluctuations and the risks associated with investing in international securities markets.

Investment Risk: The value of investments can fall as well as rise and investors might not get back the sum originally invested.

Political Risk: The Fund invests in markets where economic and regulatory risks can be significant.

No Capital Guarantee: Positive Returns are not guaranteed and no form of capital protection applies.

Currency Risk: The Fund may acquire assets in currencies other than the base currency of the Fund and as a result the value of the Fund's investments may rise and fall due to changes in foreign exchange rates.

Hedging Risk: In respect of hedged (H) share classes, there is no guarantee that the Fund's use of hedging to protect against changes in currency exchange rates will be successful.

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