

Data as of 30. June 2025

# Berenberg Aktien Mittelstand M A

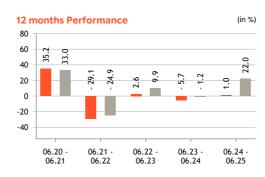
Actively managed equity fund

#### **Investment Strategy**

The Fund's investment objective is to achieve long-term capital growth that outperforms the benchmark over a medium to long-term period. The main driver for this is the above-average profit growth of the selected companies. The strategy is based on a disciplined bottom-up stock selection of attractive small and mid caps within the German-speaking area. The established niche companies have strong market positions with their focused business models in their home markets and globally. They offer sustainable and above-average growth with high profitability and are often owner-managed. Decisive criteria are end markets with structural growth, high entry barriers and excellent management teams.

- Growth-oriented fund
- Concentrated portfolio of 25-45 stocks
- Mid-cap approach; investment opportunities also in the small and micro-cap range
- Long-term investment horizon and low portfolio turnover
- Active approach, i.e. index weights have no influence on individual stock selection





Fund (gross)

50%MDAX / 50%SDAX / bis 30.09.2020 MDAX (TR) (EUR) / bis 31.08.18 Mid Cap Market TR (EUR)

Accumulated P	(gross, in %)	
since inception	(04.12.2015 - 30.06.2025)	47.69
since inception p	4.16	
YTD	(01.01.2025 - 30.06.2025)	11.69
1 Month	(31.05.2025 - 30.06.2025)	3.77
1 Year	(30.06.2024 - 30.06.2025)	1.01
3 Years	(30.06.2022 - 30.06.2025)	-2.24
5 Years	(30.06.2020 - 30.06.2025)	-6.26

# Risk Figures since inception

Max. Drawdown since inception	-49.45 %
Max. Drawdown Period (Days)	1393
Volatility 3 Years	18.85 %
Information Ratio 3 Years	-1.74
Tracking Error 3 Years	5.42 %

The charts and tables on historical performance shown are based on our own calculations in accordance with the BVI method developed by German Investment Fund Association (for explanation see "Notes"). Information on past performance is not a reliable indicator of future performance.

Sources: Berenberg, Capital Management Company

### **Fund management comment**

The rally on the German stock markets continued in June. The Berenberg Aktien Mittelstand outperformed its benchmark, driven by strong quality and growth stocks, particularly in the IT segment. Elmos was buoyed by the management's positive growth outlook for the rest of the year and for 2026, which is attributable to planned product launches and a revival in market momentum. In addition to Elmos, shares in SUSS and Aixtron also benefited from the improving sentiment toward semiconductor stocks. Knorr, on the other hand, declined due to ongoing headwinds from unfavorable currency effects and weakness in the US truck market. Redcare Pharmacy came under pressure as market doubts grew about its ability to maintain its ambitious growth forecast for the second quarter. Gerresheimer lost ground after the company issued a profit warning due to continued weak demand in the cosmetics segment. Last month, we reduced our positions in Flatex, Verbio, and PharmaSGP.

Signatory of:





#### **Fund data**

#### **Security Codes**

ISIN DE000A14XN42 WKN A14XN4

#### Inception date

04.12.2015

#### Fund manager

Andreas Strobl

#### NAV per Share (30.06.2025)

EUR 146.80

#### Fund size

EUR 61.47 million

### Share class volume

EUR 20.36 million

## **Currency Fund / Share Class**

EUR / EUR

#### Appropriation of income

accumulation

#### End of financial year

31 December

### **Management Company**

Universal-Investment-Gesellschaft

### Custodia

BNP Paribas S.A. Niederlassung Deutschland

### Asset Manager

Joh. Berenberg, Gossler & Co. KG

## **Registration and Distribution**

AT, CH, DE, ES, GB, LI

# Cut-off/Settlement

daily/T+2

# **Cut-off time**

16:00 p.m.

# Morningstar Rating™

3 Years: ★★

5 Years: ★

Overall: ★

(As of: 30.06.2025)

## Sustainability

### **Article 8 Funds**

SFDR Classification (Sustainable, Finance Disclosure Regulation)

### **ESG Elements**

Exclusion Criteria

Controversies Screen

Active Ownership

Impact focused

## Allocation of the portfolio

(in % of fund assets)

Cash

0.6

## **Top 5 positions**

(in % of fund assets)

(in %, since Inception)



GEA GROUP AKTIENGESELLSCHAFT	3.48
NEMETSCHEK SE	3.30
LEG IMMOBILIEN AG	3.19
ATOSS SOFTWARE AG	2.87
SCOUT24 AG	2.86

### **Currency allocation**

EUR

99.99

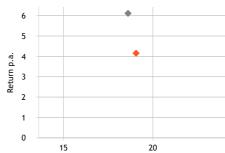
(in % of fund assets)

USD

0.00

Netherlands





Volatility p.a.

Fund (gross)

Risk-return profile

Benchmark

# Shares

1.34

Country allocation	(in % of share capital)
90.81	Germany
5.23	United Kingdom
2.62	Luxembourg

Sector allocation		(in % of share capital)
	26.11	Industrials
	23.15	Information Technology
10.64		Communication Services
10.07		Health Care
8.61		Consumer Discretionary
8.15		Materials
5.89		Real Estate
4.84		Financials
1.34		Consumer Staples
1.20		Energy

Sources: Berenberg, Capital Management Company As of: 30.06.2025

# **Additional fund information**

## **Issue Surcharge**

none

## Flat-rate fee

0.95 % p.a.

# **Total Expense Ratio (TER)**

1.01 %

### Performance fee

Up to 20% above the 50%MDAX / 50%SDAX Index

# Minimum investment

EUR 500,000

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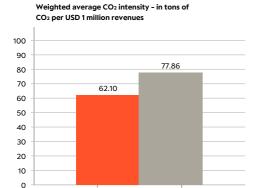
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#### **Consideration of ESG Elements**

Identifying companies and business models that will be successful in the long term is the basis for good investment decisions. Environmental, Social and Governance (ESG) factors are key factors in decision making and are therefore integral components of the investment process.

#### CO<sub>2</sub> Intensity

The fund does not actively manage its carbon footprint, however, emissions data such as CO<sub>2</sub> intensity are relevant parameters which can be used to assess the efficient management of a company and the extent of transition risks.

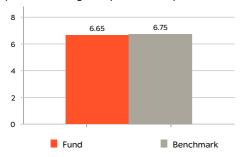


#### ESG Score

Fund

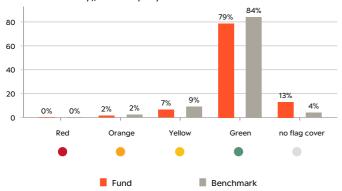
The data provider MSCI ESG uses an ESG score of 0 to 10 to assess the management of material ESG risks of portfolio holdings compared to competitors.

Benchmark



## **ESG Controversies Screen**

Investments in the fund are monitored for ESG controversies and, with the help of MSCI ESG data, flagged according their severity. Thereby, potential ESG risks of investments are identified. In the case of an orange flag (severe controversy), we enter into an active exchange with the company. In the case of a red flag (very severe controversy), the company is excluded.



### Benchmark composition for ESG metrics: 50% MDAX, 50% SDAX

Portfolio as of 30 Jun 2025. Source: MSCI ESG, own calculations and presentation. Certain information © 2023 MSCI ESG Research LLc. Reproduced by permission. Data coverage for fund and benchmark: graph "CO2-Intensity" (93.71%/95.63%), graph "ESG Score" (92.90%/94.52%). Liquidity and securities which are not covered by MSCI ESG are excluded from the calculation of the ESG metrics for the fund as well as the benchmark. The weights of the remaining fund and benchmark components are normalised to 100%.

#### **Glossary & Methodology**

#### **Active Ownership**

The term "Active Ownership" encompasses all our activities where we, as an investor, attempt to positively influence a company's management of ESG aspects. This includes Engagement, i.e. direct dialogue with companies to discuss specific ESG objectives as well as proxy voting, i.e. our voting recommendations to our fund administrator, which then exercises the voting rights at general meetings.

### CO<sub>2</sub> Intensity

The CO2 Intensity (Scope 1 & 2 emissions) per company is multiplied by is portfolio weight (current value of the investment by current portfolio value) and summed up. This weighted average CO2 Intensity provides an indication of the portfolio's exposure to CO2-emission intensive companies.

#### **ESG Score**

Using a score between 0 (lowest) and 10 (highest), MSCI ESG assesses the ability of portfolio holdings to identify and manage environmental, social and governance-related risks compared to peers. The ESG scores are assigned at the holding level and are aggregated at the portfolio level as the weighted average ESG Score.

### **ESG Controversies Screen**

MSCI ESG analyses controversial business practices from the five areas environment, human rights, labour rights & supply management, customers and governance. The controversies are rated according to their reputational risk as well as the operational handling by a flagging system. Green indicates no or weak controversies, yellow indicates moderate controversies, orange indicates severe controversies and red indicates very severe controversies.

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### **Opportunities:**

- · High return potential of stocks over the long term
- Development of growth stocks occasionally above average
- Development of small cap stocks above average in certain phases
- Possible additional earnings through individual value analysis and active management

#### Risks

- High susceptibility of shares to fluctuation, price losses possible
- Share value may fall below the purchase price at which the customer acquired the share
- Below-average development of growth stocks possible at times
- Below-average development of small cap stocks possible at times
- No guarantee of success for individual value analysis and active management
- Concentration risk through focusing on investments in one single country
- · Risks resulting from the use of futures

Further details on the opportunities and risks of this fund can be found in the sales prospectus.

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