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## Investment focus and suitability

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The fund invests globally in the best investment ideas where the fund management expects a positive contribution in the short term. Thanks to the broadly spread investment universe consisting of traditional and non-traditional investment classes, investment opportunities can be used in all market conditions, regardless of any benchmark. The fund may be used as a core building block within a diversified portfolio.



## Performance in %



| in %          | YTD                | 1M    | 3M                     | 6M    | 1Y                       | 3Y<br>p.a. | 5Y<br>p.a.           | 10Y<br>p.a. | since<br>launch<br>p.a. |
|---------------|--------------------|-------|------------------------|-------|--------------------------|------------|----------------------|-------------|-------------------------|
| Fund          | -2.95              | -0.23 | -0.90                  | -1.26 | -4.13                    | 0.03       | 1.83                 | n.a.        | 1.12                    |
| Rolling perf. | 31.10.<br>- 31.10. |       | 31.10.20<br>- 31.10.20 |       | 31.10.2013<br>31.10.2014 |            | .10.2012<br>.10.2013 |             | 10.2011<br>10.2012      |
| Fund          |                    | -4.13 | 0.                     | .61   | 3.78                     | 3          | 5.97                 |             | 3.25                    |

The performance data for the period prior to 10.04.2014 correspond to the performance data for the Julius Baer Special Funds - Defender Asset Allocation Fund, a fund with the same investment objectives and the same investment policy, and which was merged with the fund on 10.04.2014. The fund itself was launched upon this merger and did not have any previous performance history.

Past performance is not an indicator of current or future trends. The performance values refer to the net asset value and are calculated without the commission and costs incurred on issue, redemption or swapping (e.g. transaction and custody costs of the investor).

### **Statistics**

| Volatility fund/benchmark (%)  | 4.34 / n.a. <sup>1</sup> Tracking Error (%) | n.a.1 |
|--------------------------------|---|-------|
| Information ratio/Sharpe ratio | n.a. / 0.021 Correlation                    | n.a.1 |
| Jensen Alpha/Beta              | n.a. / n.a. <sup>1</sup>                    |       |

<sup>1</sup> computed over 3 years

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### Base data

31.10.2016

| NAV per share           | EUR 100.11   |
|-------------------------|--|
| Total fund assets       | EUR 2.10 m   |
| Base currency           | EUR  |
| Share class             | A (distribution)   |
| Bloomberg Ticker        | JBAADEA LX   |
| Security code ISIN      | LU1021970899   |
| Security code CH        | 23455531   |
| Fund management company | GAM (Luxembourg) S.A.                                    |
| Legal structure         | SICAV under Luxembourg law                               |
| Date activated          | 10.04.2014   |
| Domicile                | Luxembourg   |
| Benchmark               | No suitable benchmark available                          |
| Last distribution       | EUR 1.30 (Pay date: 18.11.2015)                          |
| Total expense ratio     | 1.44% (30.06.2016)                                       |
| Management fee          | 1.20%  |
| Commission              | Issue: max. 5.00%<br>Redemption: max. 3.00% <sup>2</sup> |
| Registered in           | AT CH DE EE ES FI FR GB LI LT LU LV<br>NL NO SE          |

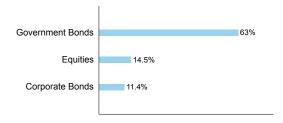
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### **Largest positions**

| Security                 | Interest<br>rate | Country | %     |
|--------------------------|------------------|---------|-------|
| IShares Euro Agg Bd      |                  | IE      | 9,42  |
| US Treasury Bonds        | 1,625%           | US      | 8,85  |
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| European Investment Bank | 5,375%           | SX      | 6,09  |
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| SPGB 1.3 10/31/26        | 1,300%           | ES      | 4,81  |
| Italy                    | 0,100%           | IT      | 4,76  |
| BTPS 0.45 06/01/21       | 0,450%           | IT      | 4,76  |
| Germany                  | 0,000%           | DE      | 4,69  |
| US Treasury Bonds        | 0,625%           | US      | 4,35  |
| Total                    |                  |         | 61,94 |

### Structure by net exposure asset classes



 $<sup>^{\</sup>rm 2}$  Only if no issuing commission was charged.

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### **Comments**

#### Market review

Equity market closed the month mixed: S&P500 (-1.94%), NASDAQ100 (-1.53%) and SMI (-3.82%) closed lower while EuroStoxx50 (+1.77%) and DAX (+1.47%) climbed higher. German Bunds (-2.13%), Italian BTPs (-3.17%) and US 10-YR-Note Futures (-1.14%) lost some ground. The USD traded higher against CHF and EUR. Crude (-2.86%) and Gold (-2.92%) declined.

### Performance contribution and portfolio changes

The overall performance was flat for the month. The low exposure to equities helped to stabilize the portfolio. The allocation to European equities was slightly increased towards the end of the month.

## Outlook and strategy

In anticipation of elevated volatility in connection with the elections in the US the risk of the fund will be kept stable. Investment opportunities will be assessed

### **Opportunities**

The fund invests in a broadly diversified investment universe and seeks opportunities for returns wherever they exist.

The fund gives investors easy access to the emerging markets. Many of these countries may offer attractive potential returns in various asset classes. A highly qualified and experienced management actively manages the fund on the basis of a fundamental valuation approach. The objective is to identify the potential investments that, in the Investment manager's opinion, are most attractive and to generate interesting and profitable opportunities for investors.

### **Risks**

The fund invests in equities and bonds, which may be subject to significant fluctuations in value. Bonds are subject to issuer risk, credit risk and interest rate

The fund may invest in derivatives, which are subject to the risks of their underlying markets or underlying instruments as well as issuer risks and often involve higher risks than direct investments.

The fund may invest in securities from emerging markets where prices can fluctuate significantly and where, in addition to social, political and economic uncertainties, operating and supervision conditions may deviate from the standards prevailing in developed markets.

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## **Glossary**

Alpha (Jensen's): Jensen's Alpha measures the performance of an investment (fund) in relation to its benchmark. A positive alpha means that the value of the fund has generated a higher return than the benchmark.

Benchmark (BM): An index that can be used by an investment fund as the basis of comparison for assessing the performance achieved.

Beta: the bela coefficient describes to what extent the price of a share tracks the value of an index, i.e. if the share performs better or worse than the market. Correlation: a statistic measurement which shows the linear relationship (or degree of parallel movement) between two series of figures, for example the performance of two equity investments.

Duration: refers to the period of time that capital is tied into a monetary or bond investment or in other debt securities, and determines the sensitivity of the price to interest rate changes. Unlike residual maturity, the duration also takes into account interest payments and other inflows from invested capital Funds of Funds: These are investment funds which invest their fund assets in other target funds.

High water mark: the high water mark principle establishes a cap on or allows for a potential rise in performance fees. According to this principle, the investment fund manager only receives the relevant remuneration when the fund exceeds the highest level of return that it has ever achieved. Information ratio: the information ratio expresses the ratio of additional returns generated to the extra risk involved. The value generated can be used to evaluate active management.

Modified duration: a risk indicator that measures the effect of price fluctuations on a bond issue or a portfolio of bond issues.

Residual maturity: time remaining until a bond must be repaid.

Sharpe ratio: the Sharpe ratio (risk-adjusted performance) is generated by calculating the difference between the average annualised return and the risk-free return. The resulting figure is divided by the annualised standard deviation of the returns. The higher the Sharpe ratio, the better the fund performance in relation to the risk potential of its portfolio.

Total Expense Ratio (TER): the TER is a measure of the total annual expenses incurred by a fund and is expressed as a percentage. It allows an accurate

Tracking error: the tracking error measures the divergence between the return of a fund in relation to its benchmark.

Volatility: a risk indicator demonstrating the fluctuation range (for example of the price or return of a security or fund unit) over a defined period; volatility is most often calculated using standard deviation. The higher the volatility, the greater the fluctuation range.

Yield to maturity: the yield to maturity is the average yield generated by an investment each year if it is held until expiry.

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