

# **MW RENDEMENT**



This UCITS is a sub-fund of the SICAV MW ASSET MANAGEMENT

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OCTOBER 2017 NAV date: 27/10/2017 NAV: 99,17 Perf. 2017: 1,70% AUM: 14,76 Mil. €

#### **OBJECTIVES AND INVESTMENT POLICY**

The aim of the sub-fund is to offer a yield exceeding French sovereign rates by selling equity volatility, thus mimicking "reverse convertible" positions. The sub-fund typically sells deeply out-of-the-money put options on single stocks or stock indices on developped markets (Europe, North America, Japan), with over on year maturity. Hence, the sub-fund receives upfront the option premium and generates P&L along with the time decay. By selling options at times of acute market stress, the sub-fund will benefit of the subsequent sharp decrease in implied volatility.

The sub-fund won't sell digital, rainbow, callable nor barrier options.

At any time, the sub-fund will hold sufficient assets to be able to cover a potential exercise of all options sold and the underlying securities or indices will be liquid enough do so.

The sub-funds aims at outperforming the French sovereign OAT 10Y + 200bp. The recommended investment horizon is 3 years.

The sub-fund's assets are invested in corporate debt securities, sovereign bonds or, within the limit of 20% of the AUMs, in European mutual funds.

However, with the exclusive purpose of hedging its risks and positions, the sub-fund may occasionnally use derivative instruments within the constraints outlined in the prospectus,

Should some put options be exercised, the sub-fund may exceptionnally be invested in equities. The equity investments will be limited to 33% of the AUMs.

Any foreign exchange exposure will be limited to a maximum 10% of the AUSs.

Purchase/redemption requests will be centralized by Caceis Bank Luxembourg before 16h each Friday when a NAV is published, and will be executed on the base of this following NAV on D+2.

CUMULATIVE PERFORMANCES							
	1 mois	3 mois	YTD	1 an	3 ans	5 ans	Création
MWR	0,06%	0,00%	1,70%	2,23%	-	-	-0,80%
OAT+200bp	0,21%	0,68%	2,36%	2,84%			6,30%
Spread	-0,15%	-0,68%	-0,66%	-0,61%	-	-	-7,10%





RISK INDI	ISK INDICATORS						
	Volatility		Sharpe Ratio		Info Ratio.		
	Fund	Indicator	Fund	Indicator			
1 Y	1,69%	0,03%	1,13	-	- 0,25		
3 Y							
5 Y							

OPTIONS PORTFOLIO INDICATORS					
	In€	As a % of the AUM			
Premium	531 463	3,6%			
Delta	5 169 153	35,0%			
Nb of undelyings		25			
Average maturity	of the portfolio	179 days			

# MAIN MOVEMENTS OVER THE PAST MONTH New positions or positions accrued Signet General Electric Macy's Altice Engie Covered or lapsed positions Royal Dutch

### COMMENTS

European equity market's performance was remarkably flat in October.

However, investors seem to get more and more anxious as markets look historically high, volatility is particularly low and valuation metrics may look stretched, particularly in the US. The potential reasons for equities keeping on rising look questionable, be it an acceleration of the economic growth, a US tax reform or a moderate return of inflation.

Conversely, European long term rates have been fluctuating in a quite narrow range for most of the year, in spite of the indisputable strengthening macro-economic conditions, raising doubts about a potential surge in rates at some point in the future. Such a move would be detrimental to equity valuations.

In this environment, investors confidence is fragile. Companies releasing disappointing quarterly figures or a prudent forward guidance have been immediately and markedly punished by the market.

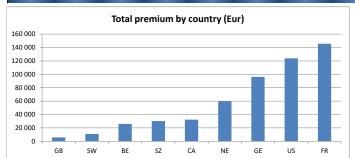
This context is still naturally uncomfortable for our strategy as implicit volatility levels are very low and offer no protection should the underlying securities go down. For this reason, we have tried to add positions on underlyings whose implicit volatility were much higher than the average.

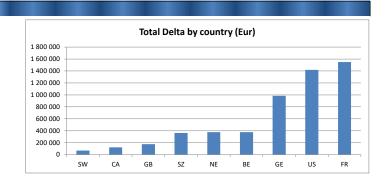
As an illustration, we have sold options on IAm Gold, Altice or Signet with volatilities in the range of 40 to 50.

MAIN OPTION POSITIONS					
Underlying	Premium (€)	Delta (% of AUM)		Industry	
CARREFOUR SA	70 760	4,1%	FR	Distribution	
MERCK KGAA	45 200	3,0%	GE	Santé Pharma	
KLEPIERRE	30 286	2,3%	FR	Immobilier	
CAMECO CORP	26 012	0,6%	CA	Matières premières	
KONINKLIJKE AHOLD DEL	22 566	0,8%	NE	Distribution	
DEUTSCHE EUROSHOP A	17 550	0,9%	GE	Immobilier	

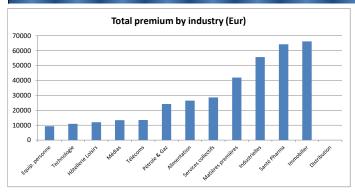
PRINCIPAUX CONTRIBUTEURS A LA PERFORMANCE						
Gains	As a % of the AUM	Losses	As a % of the AUM			
SCHLUMBERGER	0,09%	GENERAL ELECTRIC	-0,18%			
SHIRE	0,05%	CAMECO	-0,06%			
ERICSSON	0,05%	ROCHE	-0,03%			
CARREFOUR	0,04%	VALLOUREC	-0,02%			
GEMALTO	0,04%	MACY'S	-0,02%			
KLEPIERRE	0,04%					

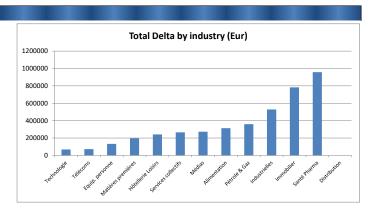
#### BREAKDOWN OF OPTION PORTFOLIO BY COUNTRY





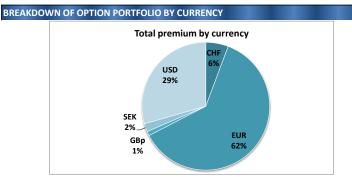
#### BREAKDOWN OF OPTION PORTFOLIO BY INDUSTRY





# BREAKDOWN OF OPTION PORTFOLIO BY MATURITY





## **CARACTERISTICS OF THE SHARE**

Information
Investment category
Inception date
Valuation frequency
Depositary
Settlement

July 22, 2015 Weekly CACEIS Luxembourg Branch D+2 Subscription
Redemption
Management
Performance
Benchmark

1,5% max. 0% 1,5% TTC

10% of outperformance over the benchmark OAT 10 yeras + 200bp

Legal form: Sub-Fund of the Luxembourg SICAV MW Gestion AM, intended particularly for institutional investors

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