# **KEY INFORMATION DOCUMENT**



### **Purpose**

This document provides you with key information about this investment product. It is not marketing material. The information is required by law to help you understand the nature, risks, costs, potential gains and losses of this product and to help you compare it with other products.

### **Product**

Name: Nordic Equities (the "Sub-Fund"), a sub-fund of DNB Fund (the "Fund")

ISIN: LU1047850182

Class: Institutional A (EUR) (the "Class")

Product manufacturer: FundPartner Solutions (Europe) S.A. (the "Management Company"), part of Pictet Group.

Website: https://assetservices.group.pictet/asset-services/fund-library/

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This key information document is accurate as at 19<sup>th</sup> February 2024.

### What is this product?

#### TYPE OF PRODUCT

The product is a sub-fund of DNB Fund (the "Fund"), an Undertaking for Collective Investment in Transferable Securities (UCITS) under the laws of the Grand-Duchy of Luxembourg.

The Sub-Fund is established for an unlimited duration and liquidation must be decided upon by the board of directors.

#### **OBJECTIVES**

The Sub-Fund aims to achieve a maximum return on investment over the long term without undue risk. The Sub-Fund invests mainly in equities in Denmark, Finland, Norway and Sweden. The Sub-Fund shall invest at least 75% of its net assets in equities of companies domiciled in the European Union or within the European Economic Area (EEA). Following the exclusion of issuers as described in the Prospectus, the investment process consists of a proprietary screening to identify issuers exhibiting positive share price trends, after which the portfolio managers utilises fundamental analysis to identify the most attractive investment ideas, from both a financial and an extra-financial perspective. Investments in other UCITS(s) or UCI(s), if any, will never exceed 10% of the net assets of the Sub-Fund.

Derivatives: The Sub-Fund may engage in forward foreign currency exchange contracts in order to hedge the assets of this Sub-Fund against currency fluctuations

**Benchmark:** The Sub-Fund follows an actively managed strategy. The benchmark is VINX Benchmark Net Index Capped EUR. It has been included as a point of reference against which the performance of the Sub-Fund may be compared. It can be used as a pool from which to select the investments, but the Sub-Fund does not aim to systematically replicate its composition.

**ESG information:** The Sub-Fund promotes, among other characteristics, environmental or social characteristics, and the companies in which the investments are made follow good governance practices in accordance with article 8 of SFDR. The Sub-Fund will have a minimum proportion of 10% sustainable investments. The investments made to attain the sustainable investment objective must be in companies which either demonstrate potential avoided emissions, have activities that are taxonomy aligned, or that have revenues aligned with either one or more environmental UN SDGs. The Sub-Fund commits to achieve an ESG score of the portfolio higher than the one of the benchmark (80% of the time) and a lower carbon intensity than the reference index. For more details about DNB Standards for Responsible Investments, exclusions, ESG integration and engagement please refer to the Prospectus and www.dnbam.com.

Dividend policy: No dividends are intended to be distributed. Any income derived from the portfolio is reinvested.

### INTENDED RETAIL INVESTOR

This share class is reserved for institutional investors. Investors must have experience with volatile products and should be aware that the value of the Sub-Fund may fall as well as rise and the invested capital may not be fully repaid. Investors must be able to accept significant temporary losses. The Sub-Fund is designed for the investment objective of building up capital with a Recommended Holding Period of 7 years.

#### OTHER INFORMATION

Depositary: Bank Pictet & Cie (Europe) AG, succursale de Luxembourg

Asset segregation: There is segregated liability between sub-funds of DNB Fund, meaning that the assets of a sub-fund will not be available to meet a claim of a creditor, or another third party made against another sub-fund.

Dealing: Investors may redeem shares on demand, on a daily basis. Please see the Prospectus for details.

Switching: Investors may switch between share classes or sub-funds of the Fund. Please see the Prospectus for details.

**Additional information:** More detailed information on the Fund, such as the prospectus, other classes, the key information, the latest Net Asset Value, the articles of incorporation as well as the latest annual and semi-annual report, can be obtained free of charge, in English, from the central administrator, the distributors, the Management Company or online at www.fundsquare.net.

This key information document describes the Class of one sub-fund of the Fund. For more information about other sub-funds, please refer to the prospectus and periodic reports that are prepared for the entire Fund.

## What are the risks and what could I get in return?



The risk indicator assumes you keep the product for 7 years.

The risk can be significantly different if you cash in at an early stage and you may get back less.

The summary risk indicator is a guide to the level of risk of this product compared to other products. It shows how likely it is that the product will lose money because of movements in the markets or because we are not able to pay you. The essential risks of the investment fund lie in the possibility of depreciation of the securities in which the fund is invested.

We have classified this product as 5 out of 7, which is a medium-high risk

This rates the potential losses from future performance at a medium-high level, and poor market conditions will likely impact our capacity to pay you.

Please refer to the Prospectus for more information on the specific risks relevant to this product not included in the summary risk indicator.

This product does not include any protection from future market performance, so you could lose some or all of your investment. If we are not able to pay you what is owed, you could lose your entire investment.

#### Performance scenarios

The figures shown include all the costs of the product itself, but may not include all the costs that you pay to your advisor or distributor. The figures do not take into account your personal tax situation, which may also affect how much you get back. What you will get from this product depends on future market performance. Market developments in the future are uncertain and cannot be accurately predicted.

The unfavourable, moderate, and favourable scenarios shown are illustrations using the worst, average, and best performance of the product over the last 12 years. Markets could develop very differently in the future.

Recommended holding period: Example investment		7 years EUR 10,000				
		If you exit after 1 year	If you exit after 7 years			
Scenarios						
Minimum	There is no minimum guaranteed return. You could lose some or all of your investment.					
Stress scenario	What you might get back after costs	EUR 5,420	EUR 1,230			
	Average return each year	-45.8%	-25.9%			
Unfavourable scenario	What you might get back after costs	EUR 7,560	EUR 8,620	This type of scenario occurred for an investment in the product between October 2021 and December 2023.		
	Average return each year	-24.4%	-2.1%	October 2021 and December 2023.		
Moderate scenario	What you might get back after costs	EUR 11,310	EUR 19,240	This type of scenario occurred for an investment in the product between January 2015 and January 2022.		
	Average return each year	13.1%	9.8%			
Favourable scenario	What you might get back after costs	EUR 16,150	EUR 23,880	This type of scenario occurred for an investment in the product between January 2014 and January 2021.		
	Average return each year	61.5%	13.2%			

The stress scenario shows what you might get back in extreme market circumstances.

### What happens if FundPartner Solutions (Europe) S.A. is unable to pay out?

The Management Company is not making any payment to you in relation to this Sub-Fund and you would still be paid in case of a default from the Management Company.

The Sub-Fund's assets are held with a separate company, the Depositary, so the Sub-Fund's ability to pay out would not be affected by the insolvency of the Management Company. However, in the event of the Depositary's insolvency, or its delegates, the Sub-Fund may suffer a financial loss. However, this risk is mitigated to a certain extent by the fact the Depositary is required by law and regulation to segregate its own assets from the assets of the Sub-Fund. The Depositary will also be liable to the Sub-Fund or its investors for any loss arising from, among other things, its negligence, fraud or intentional failure properly to fulfill its obligations (subject to certain limitations).

If the Sub-Fund is terminated or wound up, the assets will be liquidated and you will receive an appropriate share of any proceeds but you may lose part or all of your investment.

There is no compensation or guarantee scheme protecting you from a default of the Depositary.

### What are the costs?

The person advising on or selling you this product may charge you other costs. If so, this person will provide you with information about these costs and how they affect your investment.

#### Costs over time

The tables show the amounts that are taken from your investment to cover different types of costs. These amounts depend on how much you invest, how long you hold the product and how well the product does. The amounts shown here are illustrations based on an example investment amount and different possible investment periods.

We have assumed:

- In the first year you would get back the amount that you invested (0% annual return). For the other holding periods we have assumed the product performs as shown in the moderate scenario.
- EUR 10,000 is invested.

Investment of EUR 10,000	If you exit after 1 year	If you exit after 7 years
Total costs	EUR 93	EUR 1,173
Annual cost impact (*)	0.9%	0.9%

<sup>(\*)</sup> This illustrates how costs reduce your return each year over the holding period. For example it shows that if you exit at the recommended holding period your average return per year is projected to be 10.7% before costs and 9.8% after costs.

#### Composition of costs

One-off costs upon entry or exit						
Entry costs	We do not charge an entry fee for this Class.					
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Ongoing costs taken each year						
Management fees and other administrative or operating costs	0.77% of the value of your investment per year. This is an estimate based on actual costs over the last year.	EUR 77				
Transaction costs	0.17% of the value of your investment per year. This is an estimate of the costs incurred when we buy and sell the underlying investments for the product. The actual amount will vary depending on how much we buy and sell.	EUR 17				
Incidental costs taken under specific conditions						
Performance fees	There is no performance fee for this product.	EUR 0				

Conversions between sub-funds are subject to a commission of maximum 1% of the net asset value of the shares to be converted.

## How long should I hold it and can I take my money out early?

#### Recommended holding period: 7 years.

The recommended holding period was chosen to provide a consistent return less dependent on market fluctuations.

A redemption order is executed at the redemption price ruling on a Business Day (a full business day on which banks are fully open in Luxembourg), the application for the redemption of shares must reach the Administration Agent (FundPartner Solutions (Europe) S.A.) before 1 p.m. (Luxembourg time) on the same Business Day.

### How can I complain?

In the event a natural or legal person wishes to file a complaint with the Fund in order to recognize a right or to redress a harm, the complainant should address a written request that contains description of the issue and the details at the origin of the complaint, either by email (pfcs.lux@pictet.com), or by post, in an official language of their home country to the following address: FundPartner Solutions (Europe) S.A., 15 Avenue J.F. Kennedy, L-1855 Luxembourg. The Management Company's complaint handling procedure can be found on our website: https://www.pictet.com/ch/en/legal-documents-and-notes/key-information-document-complaint-procedure.

### Other relevant information

More detailed information on the Fund, such as the prospectus, the articles of incorporation, the latest annual and semi-annual report as well as the latest NAVs per share, can be obtained free of charge, in English from the central administrator, the distributors, the Fund or online at www.fundsquare.net.

The past performance over last 9 years and the previous performance scenarios are available on the link: https://download.alphaomega.lu/perfscenario LU1047850182 LU en.pdf