



# Flossbach von Storch - Multi Asset - Defensive - RT

Flossbach von Storch investment sub-fund under Luxembourg law (mutual fund) and authorised for distribution in Portugal.

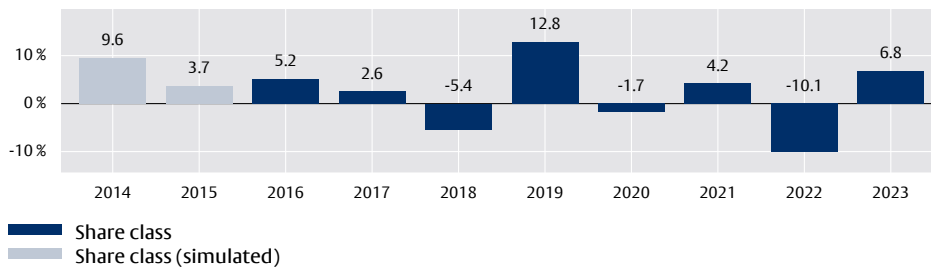
## INVESTMENT STRATEGY

Flossbach von Storch - Multi Asset - Defensive offers comprehensive integrated asset management for long-term investors. The fund management invests globally in equities, bonds, convertible bonds, currencies, precious metals (indirectly) and investment funds according to the principle of risk diversification. Derivatives may be used for hedging purposes or to optimise returns; the share of equities may be up to 35 per cent. When selecting individual securities, the fund management relies on in-house valuation models, which include ESG issues, engagement and voting. In addition, exclusion criteria defined within the framework of the Sub-Fund's investment policy are taken into account. The Fund distributes once a year.

The Sub-Fund is actively managed and not benchmarked against an index. The portfolio is composed by the fund manager exclusively in accordance with the criteria defined in the investment policy and is regularly reviewed and adjusted if necessary. The Sub-Fund is classified as an Article 8 product within the meaning of the Disclosure Regulation (EU) 2019/2088 (SFDR).

The sub-fund is an Article-8 product within the meaning of Regulation (EU) 2019/2088 on sustainability-related disclosures in the financial services sector (SFDR). For detailed information on the objectives and investment policy, please refer to the most recent sales prospectus and the Key Information Document (PRIIP-KID).

## ANNUAL PERFORMANCE IN EUR (IN %)<sup>2</sup>



## PERFORMANCE IN EUR SINCE INCEPTION<sup>2</sup>



Source: Depository and SIX Financial Information, status: 31.10.24

Return on investment may only be obtained if the investment was made for the entire reference period.

## ACCUMULATED PERFORMANCE IN EUR (IN %)<sup>2</sup>

| 2019   | 2020   | 2021  | 2022    | 2023  | YTD 2024 |
|--------|--------|-------|---------|-------|----------|
| 12.84% | -1.67% | 4.20% | -10.14% | 6.81% | 6.45%    |

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## EXPLANATORY NOTES REGARDING PERFORMANCE

**Past performance is not a reliable indicator of future performance.** Performance is calculated based on the net asset value (NAV). The subscription fee, as well as other fees, are not taken into account and therefore have a negative effect on the performance of the investment. Example calculation (subscription fee included): An investor wishes to buy shares with capital of €1,000. Based on a maximum subscription fee of 5%, €50 will be deducted from their investment as a one off initial charge. In addition, custody fees may be applied. Please refer to the cost details presented in this document to determine the maximum subscription fee for the share class of the sub-fund.

The reference index is merely informative. It does not constitute any obligation to track the index or achieve the same performance for the fund manager.

## CATEGORY: MULTI ASSET

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## FUND DETAILS

|                                    |  |
|------------------------------------|--|
| ISIN                               | LU1245470163   |
| Bloomberg code                     | FMADFRT LX   |
| Domicile                           | Luxembourg   |
| SFDR Classification                | Article 8  |
| Share class                        | RT   |
| Fund currency                      | EUR  |
| Launch date                        | 10 July 2015   |
| Financial year end                 | 30 September   |
| Income utilisation                 | Accumulating   |
| Authorised for distribution        | AT, BE, CH, DE, LI, LU, PT   |
| Fund type                          | UCITS / FCP  |
| Fund assets                        | 1.19 billion EUR   |
| Redemption price                   | 121.37 EUR   |
| Minimum initial investment         | none   |
| Minimum subsequent investment      | none   |
| Costs <sup>1</sup>                 |  |
| Ongoing charges                    | 1.62 % p.a.  |
| which includes a management fee of | 1.47 % p.a.  |
| Transaction costs                  | 0.08 % p.a.  |
| Performance fee                    | none   |
| Redemption fee                     | 0.00 %   |
| Exchange commission                | up to 3.00 %<br>(based on the unit value of the units to be purchased for the benefit of the relevant distributor) |
| Subscription fee                   | up to 3.00 %   |

## MANAGEMENT COMPANY

Flossbach von Storch Invest S.A.  
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www.fvsiinvest.lu

## DEPOSITARY

DZ PRIVATBANK S.A.  
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<sup>1</sup> In addition to the management fee, the fund is charged further costs such as transfer agent fees, transaction costs, and various other charges. Further information about ongoing and one-off costs can be found in the key information document (PRIIP-KID), the sales prospectus, and the most recent annual report.

<sup>2</sup> Until 10 July 2015, the performance was simulated. It is based on the performance of another Luxembourg sub-fund that had been launched on 23 October 2007 and was merged into this sub-fund effective 01 July 2015. The simulated historical performance takes into account the fee structure of share class RT.



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## TOP 10 SECTORS FOR EQUITIES (IN %)

|                           |         |
|---------------------------|---------|
| 1. Information Technology | 21.05 % |
| 2. Financials             | 17.98 % |
| 3. Health Care            | 17.02 % |
| 4. Consumer Staples       | 15.04 % |
| 5. Industrials            | 12.59 % |
| 6. Consumer Discretionary | 9.35 %  |
| 7. Communication Services | 5.69 %  |
| 8. Other                  | 1.29 %  |

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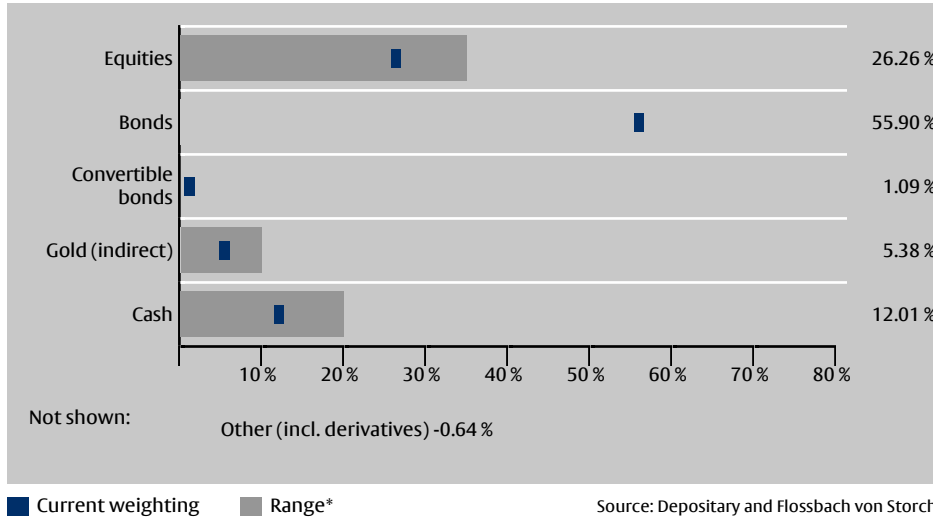
## CREDIT RATING FOR BONDS (IN %)

|     |         |
|-----|---------|
| AAA | 24.37 % |
| AA  | 33.68 % |
| A   | 14.53 % |
| BBB | 20.51 % |
| BB  | 4.05 %  |
| NR  | 2.86 %  |

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A simplified ratings scorecard is used when determining the rating. Trends (+/-) are not taken into account in this process. Convertibles are not considered.

## ASSET ALLOCATION AND FLUCTUATION MARGIN (IN %)



\* Fluctuation margins partly represent our in-house investment limits.

## MONTHLY COMMENTARY

The reporting season for the third quarter began in October and some individual stocks suffered major price losses in this context. Nevertheless, the global MSCI World equity index (calculated in euros) rose by 0.8%. The strength of the US dollar, which gained more than 2% against the common currency, had a positive effect. The global bond markets saw a consolidation in October after a pronounced rally in the previous months. For example, yields on US government bonds rose across the entire yield curve. This increase in yields was initially driven by the better-than-expected US labour market report, and later the approaching US presidential election also played a role. As a result, candidate Donald Trump continued to catch up in the election polls, fuelling fears of a significant uptick in government spending and international tariffs if he were to win. In such a scenario, inflation could rise again, which could result in a tighter monetary policy. German government bonds also yielded higher in the course of the month due to this upward pressure, although growth risks continued to increase. The rally in gold continued, with the price of the precious metal rising by 6.9% (in euro terms) over the month. In this environment, the Fund's price fell slightly over the month. Gains in equities and gold were offset by losses in currency hedging transactions and bonds. In equities, we established a new position in Bechtle. On the other hand, we have completely sold off our holdings in American Express. At the end of the month, the equity allocation was unchanged at 26.3%. In the bond segment, we extended the duration in the wake of the rise in yields, in addition to making minor position adjustments. At the end of the month, the bond allocation was 55.9%, while the duration and running yield reached 4.8 (previous month: 3.9) and 3.5%, respectively. The weighted average rating of the bond portfolio remained unchanged at AA. In October, we also reduced the gold allocation, which stood at 5.4% at the end of the month.

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## FUND MANAGEMENT



**Stephan Scheeren**  
Fund manager  
at Flossbach von Storch since 2008.



**Julian-Benedikt Hautz**  
Fund manager  
at Flossbach von Storch since 2017.



**Dr. Tobias Schafföner**  
Head of Multi-Asset  
at Flossbach von Storch since 2012.

## AWARDS

Morningstar Rating™ overall\*: ★★★★★

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<http://www.morningstar.co.uk/uk/help/Methodology.aspx>

The Morningstar Rating shown here is based on a so-called "Track Record Extension". This extension of the performance history implies that a back-calculation has taken place. The performance which is given dates back to before the launch of these sub-funds. The simulated performance corresponds to the methodology which is set out in the relevant Morningstar Extended Performance Methodology Paper. For more information please go to:

<http://www.morningstar.co.uk/uk/glossary/126106/track-record-extension.aspx>

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## OPPORTUNITIES

- + Flexible investment policy without benchmarking.
- + Risk is broadly diversified by investing in a range of asset classes (e.g. equities, bonds, convertible bonds and precious metals indirect). Market potential can be exploited by investing across a wide range.
- + Investing in assets denominated in a foreign currency can have a positive impact on unit values as a result of exchange rate movements.
- + Derivatives can be used to increase potential yields.
- + Precious metals [indirect] (e.g. in the form of gold) can be used to increase potential yields.

## RISKS

- Market risks: The securities in which the Management Company invests the sub-fund assets present opportunities for gain but also the possibility of risk. The ESG criteria restrict the selection of target investments in terms of category and number, sometimes considerably. If a sub-fund invests directly or indirectly in securities and other assets, it is subject to many general trends and tendencies on the markets, which are sometimes attributable to irrational factors, particularly on the securities markets. Losses can occur when the market value of the assets decreases against the cost price. If a unit holder disposes of units in a sub-fund at a time when the quoted price of the sub-fund assets is less than at the time of investment, then the unit holder will not recover the full value of the investment. While each sub-fund constantly strives to achieve growth, growth cannot be guaranteed. The risk exposure of the investor is, however, limited to the sum invested. There is no obligation to make additional capital contributions beyond investors' investments.
- Currency risks: If a sub-fund holds assets which are denominated in foreign currencies, it shall be subject to currency risk. In the event of a devaluation of the foreign currency against the reference currency of the subfund, the value of the assets held in foreign currencies shall fall.
- Credit risks: The fund may invest part of its assets in bonds. The issuers of these bonds could become insolvent, causing the bonds to lose some or all of their value.
- Interest change risks: Investing in securities at a fixed rate of interest is connected with the possibility that the current interest rate at the time of issuance of a security could change. If the current interest rate increases as against the interest at the time of issue, fixed rate securities will generally decrease in value. Conversely, if the current interest rate falls, fixed rate securities will increase.
- Risks relating to the use of derivatives: The fund may enter into derivative transactions for the purposes listed in the key information document (PRIIP-KID) and the sales prospectus. This means increased opportunities, but also increased risk of losses. The use of derivatives to hedge against losses may also reduce the profit opportunities of the fund.
- Risks of precious metals and commodities: Precious metals and commodities may be subject to greater price fluctuations. Trading prices may also fall.

Please read the Prospectus and particularly the RISK WARNINGS section and the specific annex of the subfund to understand the risks and benefits of this product.

The Risk and Return profil of this sub-fund is included on page 3 of this factsheet.

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## INVESTOR PROFILE

### CONSERVATIVE:

The fund is appropriate for conservative investors. Due to the composition of the net sub-fund assets, there is a moderate degree of risk but also a moderate degree of profit potential. The risks may consist in particular of currency risk, credit risk and price risk, as well as market interest rate risks.

### INVESTMENT HORIZON:

Medium-term: 3 to 5 years

## RISK INDICATOR

Lower risk ← Higher risk →

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| 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 |
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The risk indicator assumes you keep the product for 3 years. The actual risk can vary significantly 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. We have classified this product as 3 out of 7, which is a medium-low risk class. This rates the potential losses from future performance at a medium-low level, and poor market conditions are unlikely to impact our capacity to pay you.



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The latest net asset value (NAV) of the fund can be obtained from the management company's website.

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