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#### Short and leveraged

#### **ETF (UCITS compliant)**

# L&G DAX Daily 2x Short UCITS ETF

**EUR Accumulating ETF Class** 

## Fund aim

The L&G DAX® Daily 2x Short UCITS ETF (the "ETF") is an exchange traded fund that aims to track the performance of the ShortDAX® x2 Index (the "Index"). More information on the Index can be found on page 2 of this document.

## Who is this fund for?

- This ETF is designed for investors who:
  (1) understand the risks involved in investing in a product with leveraged exposure;
  (2) intend to invest on a short term basis; and
  (3) are able to bear the risk of losing their entire investment.
- This fund is not designed for investors who cannot afford more than a minimal loss of their investment.
- If you do not understand the information in this document, the key information document and the prospectus, we recommend that you seek additional information or advice to help you decide if this ETF is suitable for you.

## Important information

Potential for magnified losses

Potential losses in leveraged products (such as this ETF) are significantly magnified in comparison to investments that do not incorporate leverage.

· Leveraged exposure

For periods of longer than one day, the return of the Index is not the same as the return of the Underlying Index multiplied by a factor of 2. This is because the x2 leverage factor is reset on a daily basis (i.e. the x2 leverage factor is applied to the performance of the Underlying Index on each day). The daily reset has a "compounding effect" which means that, the more volatile the per-

which means that, the more volatile the performance of the Underlying Index, the more the performance of the Index (and therefore the ETF) will deviate from the performance of the Underlying Index (multiplied by a leverage factor of 2) over a given period of time.

Accordingly, this ETF may not be a suitable investment for periods of longer than one day.

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#### Index

ShortDAX® x2 Index Gross TR EUR Index ticker SHRTDAX2

**Replication method** 

Synthetic - unfunded swap backed by collateral

Ongoing charge 0.60%

# Performance (%) EUR Accumulating class



#### **Rolling 12-month performance**

To 31 December	2024	2023	2022	2021	2020	2019	2018	2017	2016	2015
NAV	-24.63	-28.59	8.92	-31.55	-34.40	-41.58	35.44	-25.81	-25.28	-30.98
Index	-24.46	-27.96	9.72	-31.19	-33.99	-41.11	37.29	-24.65	-24.08	-28.26
Relative	-0.17	-0.63	-0.80	-0.36	-0.41	-0.47	-1.85	-1.16	-1.20	-2.72

Performance for the EUR Accumulating ETF class, listed on 18 August 2009. Source: Lipper. Performance assumes all ETF charges have been taken and that all income generated by the investments, after deduction of tax, remains in the ETF.

Past performance is not a guide to the future.



## Index breakdown

The breakdowns below relate to the Underlying Index.

All data source LGIM unless otherwise stated. Totals may not sum to 100% due to rounding.

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Currency (%)	
EUR	100.0

Sector (%)	
<ul> <li>Industrials</li> </ul>	27.1
• Financials	20.5
Information Technology	17.8
Consumer Discretionary	10.1
Communication Services	7.8
Health Care	5.9
<ul> <li>Materials</li> </ul>	4.8
Utilities	3.0
Consumer Staples	1.6
Real Estate	1.3



Top 10 constituents 63.4%
 Rest of Underlying Index 36.6%
 Number of constituents in Underlying Index 40

## Top 10 constituents (%)

SAP	14.9
Siemens	10.5
Allianz	8.0
Deutsche Telekom	7.8
Airbus	6.1
Muench. Rueckvers.	4.6
Deutsche Börse	3.0
Infineon Technologies	2.9
Adidas	2.8
BASF	2.8

Country (%)	
ermany	100.0

## **Index description**

The ShortDax® x2 Index (the "Index") is a leveraged inverse index. The daily percentage change in the level of the Index is intended to reflect twice the daily percentage change in the level of the DAX® Index (the "Underlying Index") on an inverse basis plus an implied amount reflecting the interest accruing on the cash proceeds earned from the sale of the Underlying Index portfolio (the "Interest Rate") less an implied amount reflecting the cost of borrowing the Underlying Index portfolio so as to create the leveraged exposure (the "Borrowing Cost").

The Underlying Index is comprised of 30 of the largest and most liquid companies which are publically traded on the Frankfurt Stock Exchange. Size is determined by reference to the total market value of the proportion of a company's shares that are freely tradable by the public (i.e. not subject to any restrictions or fixed ownership) and "liquidity" is determined by reference to how actively a company's shares are traded). Each company is weighted according to its relative size.

In tracking the Index, the ETF is exposed on each day to an inverse multiple (by a factor of 2) of that day's movement in the value of the Underlying Index as adjusted to reflect the Interest Rate and Borrowing Cost built into the Index and charges and expenses applied to the ETF. As the Index rebalances daily, the ETF may not be a suitable investment for periods of longer than one day.

## Investment manager

Legal & General Investment Management Limited is the investment manager for this ETF and is responsible for its day-today investment management decisions. The team is highly experienced with respect to all aspects relating to the management of an ETF portfolio, including collateral management, OTC swap trading, adherence to UCITS regulations and counterparty exposure and monitoring.

# **Key risks**

- The value of an investment and any income taken from it is not guaranteed and can go down as well as up; you may not get back the amount you originally invested.
- General investment risks: An investment in this ETF involves a significant degree of risk. Any decision to invest should be based on the information contained in the key investor information document and the prospectus. Prospective investors should obtain independent accounting, tax and legal advice and should consult their professional advisers to ascertain the suitability of this ETF as an investment to their own circumstances.
- Potential losses in leveraged products (such as this ETF) are significantly magnified in comparison to investments that do not incorporate leverage.
- For periods of longer than one day, the return of the Index is not the same as the inverse return of the Underlying Index multiplied by a factor of 2. This is because the x2 leverage factor is reset on a daily basis (i.e. the x2 leverage factor is applied to the inverse performance of the Underlying Index on each day). The daily reset has a "compounding effect" which means that, the more volatile the performance of the Underlying Index, the more the performance of the Index (and therefore the ETF) will deviate from the inverse performance of the Underlying Index (multiplied by a leverage factor of 2) over a given period of time.
- If a swap counterparty is no longer willing or able to continue entering into swaps with the ETF, the ETF will not be able to continue tracking the Index.
- If a swap counterparty increases the cost of entering into swaps with the ETF, the ETF's performance will be negatively impacted.
- Third party service providers (such as swap counterparties or the ETF's depositary) may go bankrupt and fail to pay money due to the ETF or return property belonging to the ETF.
- If the Index provider stops calculating the Index or if the ETF's license to track the Index is terminated, the ETF may have to be closed.
- It may not always be possible to buy and sell ETF shares on a stock exchange or at prices closely reflecting the NAV.
- There is no capital guarantee or protection on the value of the ETF. Investors can lose all the capital invested in the ETF.
- · Please refer to the "Risk Factors" section of the Issuer's Prospectus and the Fund Supplement.
- This Fund may have underlying investments that are valued in currencies that are different from the currency of this share class, in which case exchange rate fluctuations will impact the value of your investment. In addition, the return in the currency of this share class may be different to the return in your own currency.

For more information, please refer to the key investor information document on our website.

## Risk and reward profile



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 class 6 out of 7, which is a high risk class. This product does not include any protection from future market performance so you could lose some or all of your investment.

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Exchange	Currency	ISIN	SEDOL	Ticker	Bloomberg
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Borsa Italiana	EUR	IE00B4QNHZ41	B50Y6T7	DES2	DES2 IM
Deutsche Börse	EUR	IE00B4QNHZ41	BDC72K3	DES2	DES2 GY

The currency shown is the trading currency of the listing.

## **Country registration**



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