## BSF European Absolute Return Fund Class A2 EUR FEBRUARY 2020 FACTSHEET

Unless otherwise stated, Performance, Portfolio Breakdowns and Net Assets information as at: 29-Feb-2020. All other data as at 07-Mar-2020.

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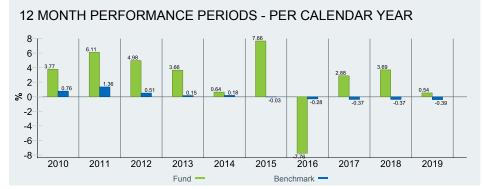
#### **FUND OVERVIEW**

The investment strategy of this Fund is currently capacity constrained which means that the Fund is closed to new subscriptions.

The Fund aims to achieve positive absolute returns through a combination of capital growth and income on your investment regardless of market conditions. The Fund seeks to gain at least 70% of any market exposure to shares of companies domiciled in, or the main business of which is in, Europe (including former Soviet Union countries). This is achieved by investing at least 70% of its assets in shares, other equity-related securities and when determined appropriate fixed income (FI) securities, money market instruments (MMIs) deposits and cash.



Share Class performance displayed in EUR. Source: BlackRock. Performance is show on a net asset value basis, with gross income reinvested. Past performance is not a guide to current or future performance



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#### **CUMULATIVE & ANNUALISED PERFORMANCE**

	Cumulative (%)					Annualised (% p.a.)		
	1m	3m	6m	YTD	1 Year	3 Years	5 Years	Since Inception
Share Class	-0.32%	1.13%	0.09%	2.03%	2.67%	3.02%	1.64%	2.83%
Benchmark	-0.03%	-0.11%	-0.22%	-0.07%	-0.41%	-0.38%	-0.30%	0.21%

The figures shown relate to past performance. Past performance is not a reliable indicator of current or future results and should not be the sole factor of consideration when selecting a product or strategy. Share Class and Benchmark performance displayed in EUR, hedged fund benchmark performance is displayed in EUR. Performance is shown on a Net Asset Value (NAV) basis, with gross income reinvested where applicable. The return of your investment may increase or decrease as a result of currency fluctuations if your investment is made in a currency other than that used in the past performance calculation. Source: BlackRock

**Key Risks:** All financial investments involve an element of risk. Therefore, the value of your investment and the income from it will vary and your initial investment amount cannot be guaranteed. The fund invests a large portion of assets which are denominated in other currencies; hence changes in the relevant exchange rate will affect the value of the investment.

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# SYNTHETIC RISK & REWARD INDICATOR (SRRI) Lower Risk Higher



#### **KEY FACTS**

**Asset Class** Absolute Return Morningstar Category Alt - Market Neutral - Equity **Fund Launch Date** 27-Feb-2009 **Share Class Launch Date** 27-Feb-2009 **Fund Base Currency** FUR **Share Class Currency EUR** Total Fund Size (M) 1 302 01 FUR LIBOR 3 Month Index **Benchmark** Domicile Luxembourg **Fund Type UCITS** ISIN LU0411704413 **Bloomberg Ticker BLEURAA Distribution Frequency** None **Minimum Initial Investment** 5,000 USD\* \* or currency equivalent

#### PORTFOLIO MANAGER(S)

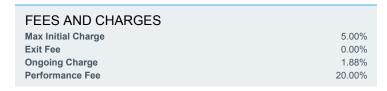
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### TOP HOLDINGS (%)

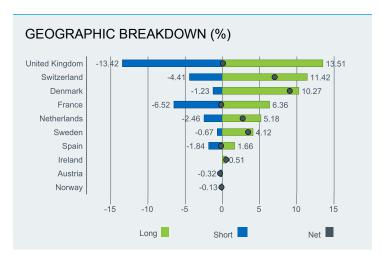
ROYAL UNIBREW A/S	4.11
RELX PLC	3.47
NOVO NORDISK A/S	3.31
SAFRAN SA	3.12
STRAUMANN HOLDING AG	3.11
LONZA GROUP AG	3.08
EXPERIAN PLC	2.95
DSV PANALPINA A/S	2.85
SIKA AG	2.67
ADIDAS AG	1.99
Total of Portfolio	30.66

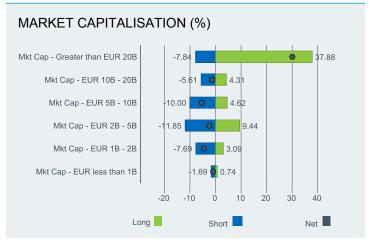
Holdings subject to change

#### SECTOR BREAKDOWN (%) Short Long Net 20.57 -10 49 10.08 Industrials Health Care 10.50 -1.499.01 Consumer Staples -3.09 5.05 8 14 2.82 Information Technology 4.27 -1.45 0.00 -0.54 -0.54 Energy Communication 1.80 -2.68 -0.88 Utilities 0.00 -1 24 -124-5.70 Materials 3.99 -1.71-2 00 Financials 6 14 -8 14 0.00 -2.48 Real Estate -2.48Consumer Discretionary 4 67 -7 35 -2 68









#### **GLOSSARY**

Ongoing Charge: is a figure representing all annual charges and other payments taken from the fund.

**Quartile Rank:** categorises a fund into four equal bands based on their performance over a specified period within the relevant Morningstar's sector. The top or first quartile contains the top 25% of funds, through to the bottom or 4th quartile which contains the bottom 25% of funds.

**SRRI:** is a value based on the volatility of the fund, which gives an indication of the overall risk and reward profile of the Fund.

**Performance Fee:** is charged on any returns that, subject to a High Water Mark, the Fund achieves above it's performance fee benchmark. Please refer to the Prospectus for further information.

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