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TIGER FUND – TIGER VALUE FUND

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Tiger Asset Management & Team

Introduction

Company

- Tiger Asset Management AG is an independent Investment Advisory firm specializing in a European absolute return strategy, offering advice to institutional clients since 2008

Strategy

- European fundamental long-short equity with catalyst driven value approach, alpha generating shorts and bias to companies based in or linked to DACH countries

Portfolio Characteristics

- Diversified portfolio of catalyst value long and short investments
- Risk and exposure management via proprietary 10 Point Scoring System
- Low gross and net equity exposure

Team

- +20 years of average capital market experience
- Complementary skill set
- Very experienced Board and Business & Operations Team

Track Record

- 9.5% p.a. performance at 7.5% volatility (class B) since 2008
- 34% net equity and 86% gross exposure (average)

Experienced Investment Team

Tiger Value Fund

Complementary skillset with overlapping investment principles



Matthias Rutsch > 25 years Capital Market Experience

Founder, CEO & CIO

Absolute Capital: Portfolio Manager & Investment Analyst
Sal. Oppenheim jr. & Cie.: Senior Associate, M&A
Credit Suisse First Boston: Analyst, Corporate Finance
The Bank of New York (NY): Equity Research, European Small & MidCaps
Vereins- und Westbank: Equity Research, German Small, Mid & LargeCaps
Education: BA, University of Hamburg (Germany)



Peter Irlblad > 25 years Capital Market Experience

Senior Investment Analyst

Tortuga Financial Services: Head of Research
Sharp Capital Mgmt.: Founder & Portfolio Manager
Absolute Capital: PM/Head of Research European Funds
Deutsche Bank (London): Research Analyst, Telecom/Media, Small & MidCaps
Alfred Berg (Stockholm): Research Analyst, Engineering & IT/Internet
Education: MSc., University of Stockholm (Sweden)

M&A & Equity Research
Active & Special Situations
Strong Network
Single stock ideas
Auto, Industrials, Energy,
Renewables, Telecoms, Tech
DACH

Valuation methodology
Risk/reward framework
Catalyst focus

Sell-Side Equity Research
Fundamental Research
Macro/thematic/sector ideas
IT, Telecom, Media, Tech,
Energy, Capital Goods...
Nordics, Benelux, DACH

Investment Advisory Board

Tom Alzin > 20 years Private Equity Experience
Member of the Board at Deutsche Beteiligungs AG

Jannick Hunecke > 20 years Private Equity Experience
Member of the Board at Deutsche Beteiligungs AG

Experienced Team

Tiger Value Fund



Dr. Richard Müller > 20 years Alternative Investments Experience
Legal & Operations

Experience:

Blackwall Capital Investment, Stone Milliner Asset Management, 47° North Capital Management, MAN Investments, Bain & Company, European Commission

Education:

MSc., London Business School (UK) & Ph.D. and M.A., University St. Gallen (CH)



Rico Back - Former CEO of Royal Mail and GLS
Chairman of the Board
Strategy & Senior Advisor

Royal Mail Group:

CEO of Royal Mail Group and CEO of Royal Mail Parcels

GLS:

CEO for 18 years

German Parcel:

Co-Founded in 1989; rebranded in GLS; sold to Royal Mail in 1999

M&A & Investment Experience:

More than 80 acquisitions and successful integrations



Tom Alzin
Member of the Board
Member of the Investment Advisory Board

Experience:

Deutsche Beteiligungs AG since 2004

Education:

Degree in Business Administration, HEC Lausanne (CH) and degree from London School of Economics and Political Science (UK)



Martina Hrdina
Administration

Experience:

VSH business diploma, trainee in fiduciary office, substantial experience as receptionist and admin. assistant



Investment Strategy



European L/S Equity – Strategy Objectives

Tiger Value Fund

➤ **Value Investing – Long/Short Equity**

in companies with **catalysts**

➤ **Regional Focus on Western Europe**

with a bias on **Germany, Austria, Switzerland**

➤ **Size Focus: Small Caps & Mid Caps**

with ~25% of NAV in < €500m MarketCap and ~35% of NAV in < €5bn MarketCap

➤ **Sector Focus Diversified**

with broad coverage of sectors

➤ **Build on Solid Fundamental Research**

in-house research notes and 10 Point Scoring / investment committee; in-depth knowledge of positions

➤ **Capital Preservation**

portfolio and position monitoring; active risk management; single shorts and hedging

➤ **Target Return**

> **7% p.a.** with limited downside of a 5-year cycle; class B **net return since inception 9.5% p.a.**



Portfolio Characteristics

Tiger Value Fund

Long (20-30 positions)

- Stock picking; high conviction positions with 4-8% weight
- Undervalued companies
 - wealth creators/high cash flow
 - obfuscate and quote significantly below "Intrinsic Value" ("Margin of Safety")
 - could benefit from change
 - restructuring cases
 - potential takeover candidates
 - industry consolidators
 - stock price under pressure due to forced sellers, etc.
- 12-24 months horizon

Short (15-30 positions)

- Stock picking, index futures/options; high conviction positions with 2-4% weight
- Overvalued companies
 - wealth destroyers/negative cash flow
 - overhyped "darlings" of the markets
 - frauds/corrupt management
 - liberal accounting/overstated profits
 - poorly positioned companies
 - high institutional ownership; forced sellers; significant insider selling
 - low earnings visibility, unsustainable profits/margins, etc.
- 1-6 months horizon



net exposure: 20-50% - **gross exposure: 70-130%**
(34% average) (86% average)



Investment & Research Process

Investment Process

Tiger Value Fund

Source and pool of ideas

- Network of Industry contacts, PE etc.
- Broker/Conferences and Field-trips
- Screening of insider dealings, short interest, control filings, share buy backs, etc.

Identify companies with locked value

- Search for catalyst or engaged ownership
- 360° Research Approach
- 10 Point Scoring System
- Risk/reward ratio

Construct and monitor portfolio

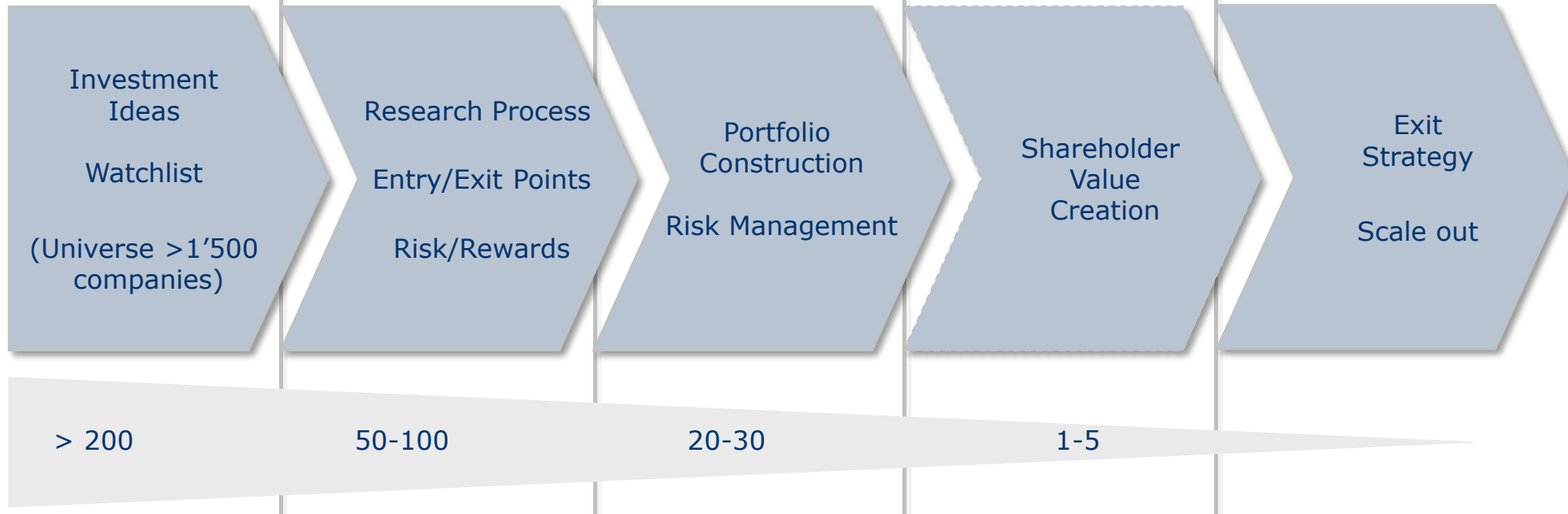
- Sizing of positions
- Portfolio liquidity
- Exposure management
- Portfolio hedging

Monitoring of positions and catalysts

- Reviewing positions
- Re-/evaluating investment catalysts

Realising profits and protecting capital

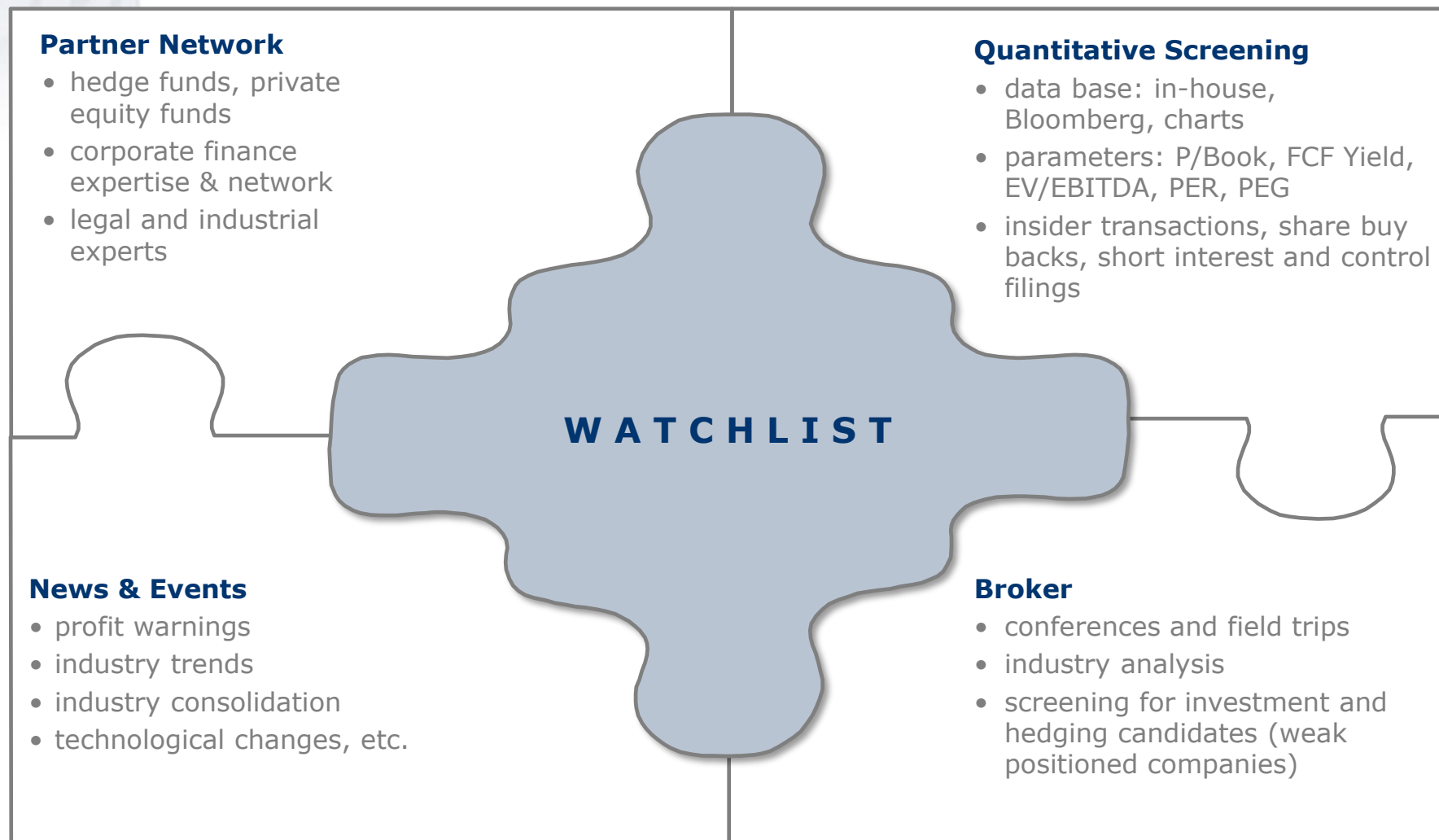
- Active profit taking
- Scaling out of position
- Implementing stop-loss rules



➤ "10 Point Scoring System" steers portfolio allocation and weights


Investment Ideas

Tiger Value Fund



Research Process/360° Approach

Tiger Value Fund



Sector research and detailed company analyses are basis for investment decisions.

Supplier

Competitors

Constantly search for and review of "Catalysts".

Ideas generated via extensive, longstanding network. The most important asset.

Technical and fundamental triggers to determine "entry" and "exit" points.

Ex-employees

Customers

Involves interviews with management, competitive analysis and investigative research.

Contacting sources helps verify investment premise (competitors, customers, ex-employees, suppliers).



360°
fundamental,
bottom-up research
approach verified from
network of more than
2,000 industry
contacts

10 Point Scoring System – Research Process

Tiger Value Fund

1. **Competitive position** - Competitive advantage vs peers? ESG Score?
2. **Wealth creator or destroyer** - FCF Yield, Dividend Yield, ROCE > WACC?
3. **Sector earnings predictability/transparency** - Predictable patterns?
4. **Management rating** - Credible, reliable, performance related compensation?
5. **Market cap/ Liquidity*/Ownership** – Volume; Insider buying; Stake holders
6. **Comparable multiples** - Multiples vs. peer group? Transaction sector multiples?
7. **Discount/Premium to intrinsic value** - DCF/LBO model and SOTP valuation?
8. **Catalysts** - Event in X months that affects shareholder value?
9. **Hedging method*** - Hedge possible with well correlated and researched peer?
10. **Risk /reward ratio*** - Up and down potential on price; risk/reward ratio: 1:2

Rating

Strong Buy (90-100)

Buy (80-89)

Hold (70-79)

Sell (50-69)

Short Sell (<50 points)

*) short investment cases: higher liquidity reduces scoring; hedging position = appropriate long; higher reverse risk/reward reduces scoring

Optimized Risk/Reward Ratio

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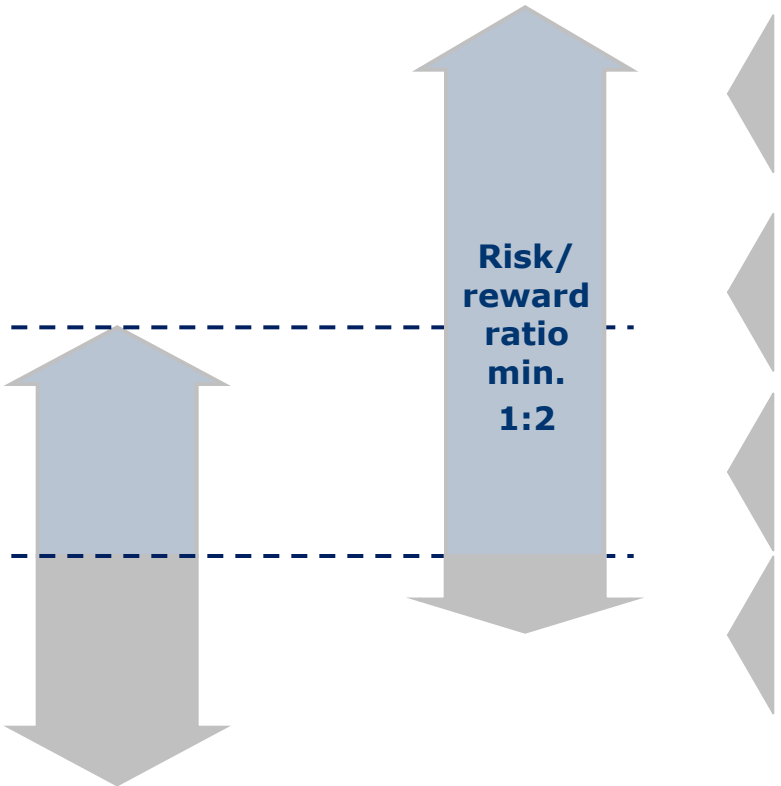


Traditional Investor

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Rewards

Risks



value creation via strategic and operational measures and financial engineering; catalysts

stock picking – undervalued companies with significant upside potential

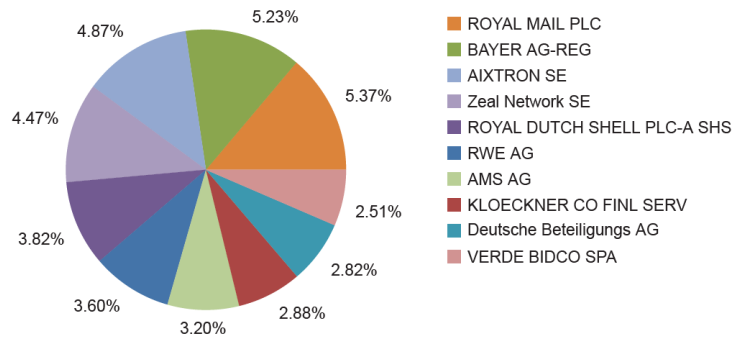
detailed due diligence / 360° - approach

hedging via “single shorts” and index futures/options

Risk Management

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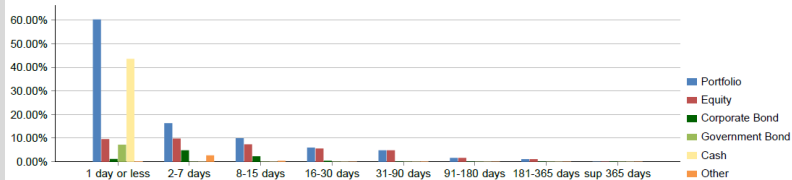
Concentration risk by corporate issuer - Top 10



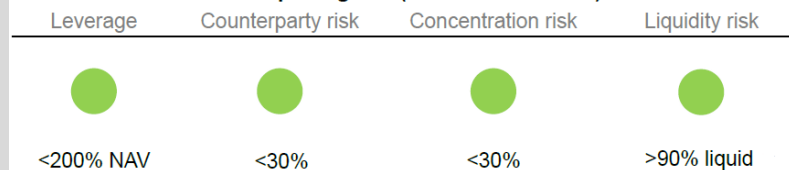
Baseline Scenario

PORTFOLIO LIQUIDITY PROFILE - ASSET SIDE - WATERFALL

Avib. Res. (%NAV)	1 day or less	2-7 days	8-15 days	16-30 days	31-90 days	91-180 days	181-365 days	sup 365 days
Portfolio	60.30%	16.29%	9.98%	5.97%	4.85%	1.57%	1.05%	0.00%
Equity	9.59%	9.83%	7.32%	5.61%	4.78%	1.57%	1.05%	0.00%
Corporate Bond	1.11%	4.80%	2.30%	0.36%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%
Government Bond	7.18%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%
Fund	-1.30%	-1.03%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%
Cash	43.55%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%
Other	0.16%	2.70%	0.36%	0.00%	0.07%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%



Risk Metrics: Scorecard reporting 4Cs (based on NAV date)



Source: FundSight S.A.

Investment Advisor (Tiger)

- 10 Point Scoring System steers position weight – scaling out / active profit taking
- High position weights for positions with immediate return potential
- Hedging via single shorts, futures and options
- Risk-Reward of min 1:2
- Due Diligence – we know the portfolio positions and our risks well
- Internal real-time NAV calculation (shadow accounting)
- Low average gross exposure of < 85% since 2008
- Stop loss rules: review intervals at 5%, 10% and 20%

Investment Manager (FundSight)

- Pre-Trade and Post-Trade Compliance
- Monthly Investment Committee Calls
- Leverage, counterparty risk, concentration risk and liquidity risk
- Internal monthly risk report

Trading & FX Hedging (Greenwich)

- Trading, execution and settlement
- FX hedging incl. USD share class hedging

Prime Broker (SEB)

- External Risk Monitoring – leverage and liquidity in particular
- Yearly Risk Management Calls



Track Record & Performance Analysis

Track Record

Tiger Value Fund

FUND STRATEGY

European Long/Short Equity
Catalyst driven/active value

PORTFOLIO STRUCTURE

Positions
20-30 Long & 15-30 Short

Net Return
9.5% per annum
(target > 7%)

Volatility Range
6-9% per annum

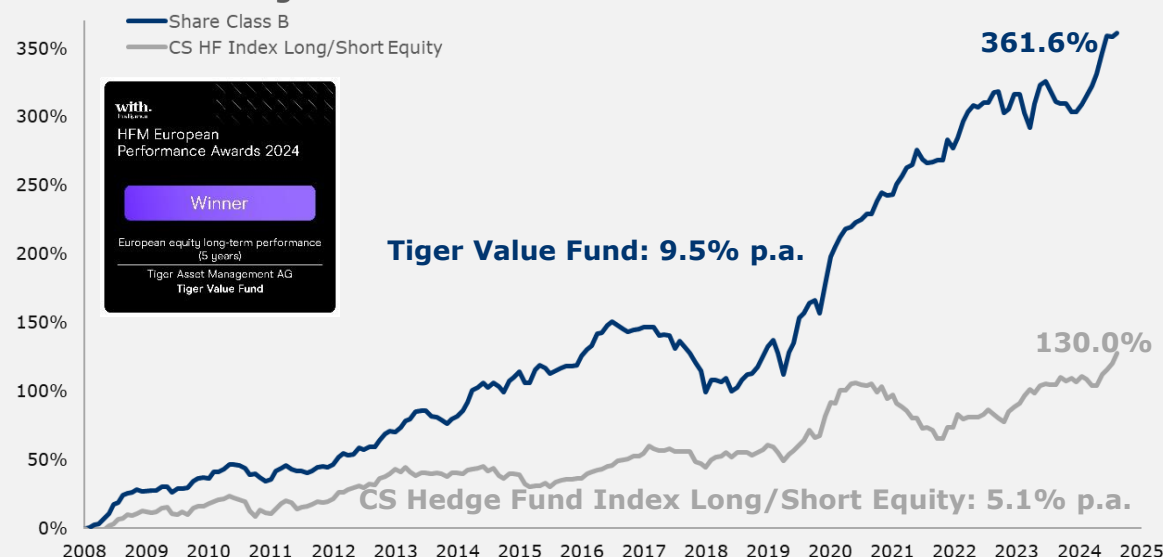
Gross Exposure
70-130%
(max 150%)

Net Exposure Target
~35%
(20-50%)

FUND

Launched December 2008
Luxembourg SIF (FCP)
AuM: EUR 170.3m

Fund vs. Hedge Fund Index



Sources: Fund data by European Fund Administration S.A. Hedge Fund Index Long/Short Equity. The Credit Suisse Hedge Fund Indices are a product of Credit Suisse Group AG. The Fund is not actively managed in reference to this Index.

Tiger Value Fund (B class) net return and risk metrics	1Y	5Y	15Y
Annualized net return	12.9%	11.7%	9.5%
Annualized net return Stoxx Europe 600	8.0%	11.8%	9.3%
Annualized standard deviation Tiger Value Fund	9.2%	7.3%	7.5%
Annualized standard deviation Stoxx Europe 600	14.0%	14.0%	16.9%
Sharpe ratio	1.13	1.38	1.19
Beta with Stoxx Europe 600	0.25	0.19	0.20
Correlation with Stoxx Europe 600	0.39	0.37	0.46

Source: Tiger Asset Management, Bloomberg

- Significant outperformance achieved without Big Tech/High Growth – Value Approach
- Low average 34% net and 86% gross exposure

Asymmetric return profile vs. broader market

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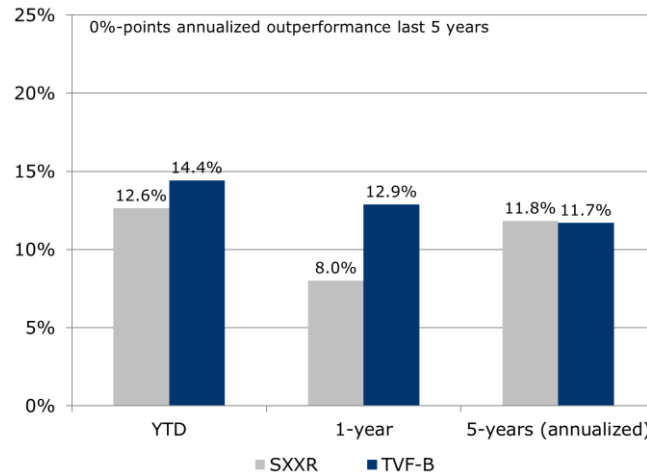
Outperformance in the last 5 years

High participation on the upside but little participation on the downside

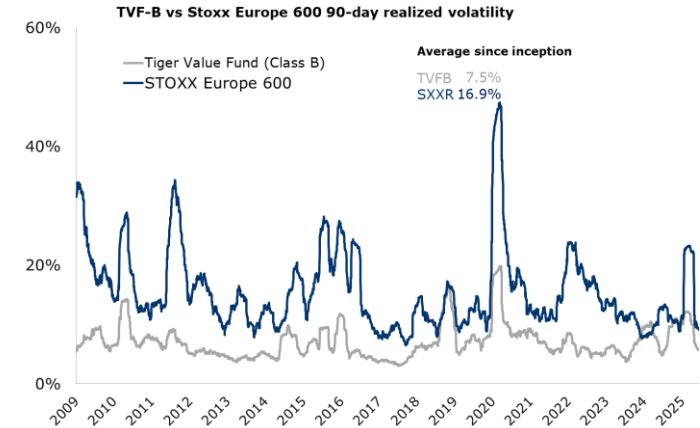
Sensitivity to positive markets higher than to negative markets

Tiger Value Fund Class B (TVF-B):
Beta: 0.20
Correlation: 0.46
 (since Jan 2009 relative to Stoxx Europe 600)

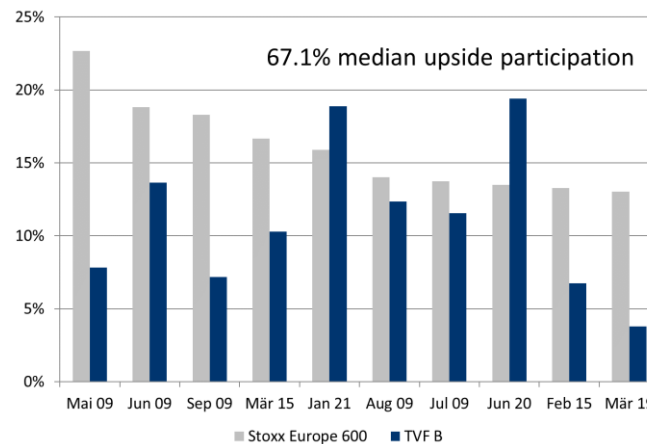
TVF-B vs Stoxx Europe 600 performance



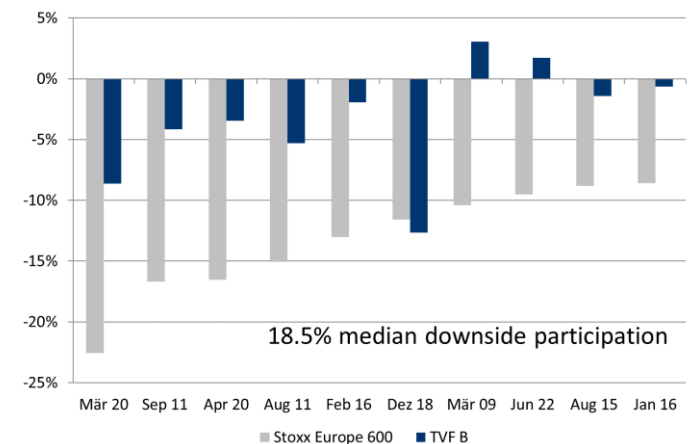
TVF-B vs. Stoxx Europe 600 volatility since inception



Stoxx Europe 600 10 Best 3-month Rolling Periods



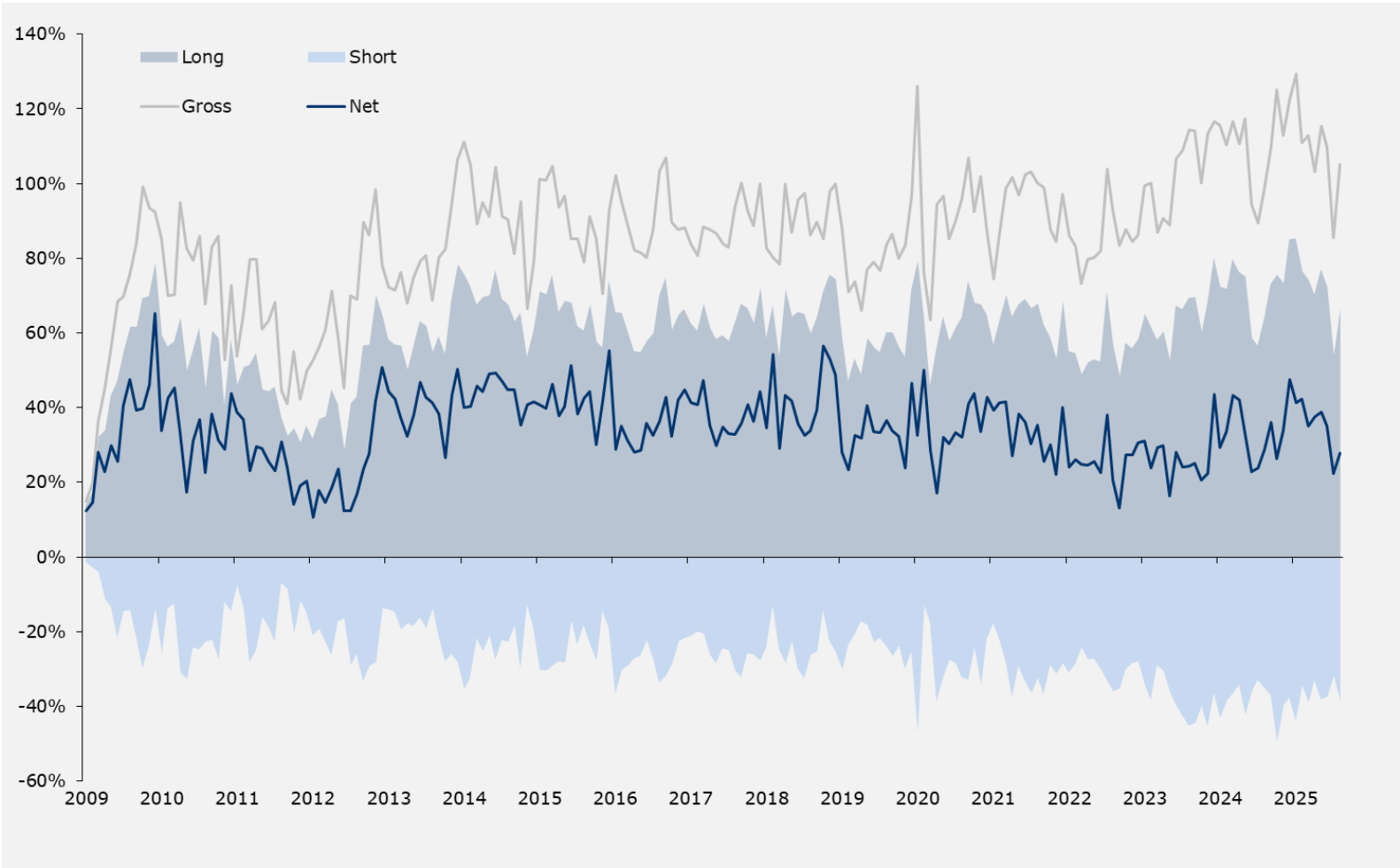
Stoxx Europe 600 10 Worst 3-month Rolling Periods



Source: Tiger Asset Management; STOXX. Analysis is based on Tiger Value Fund (Class B) since inception until 30 September 2025.

Low Gross and Net Exposure

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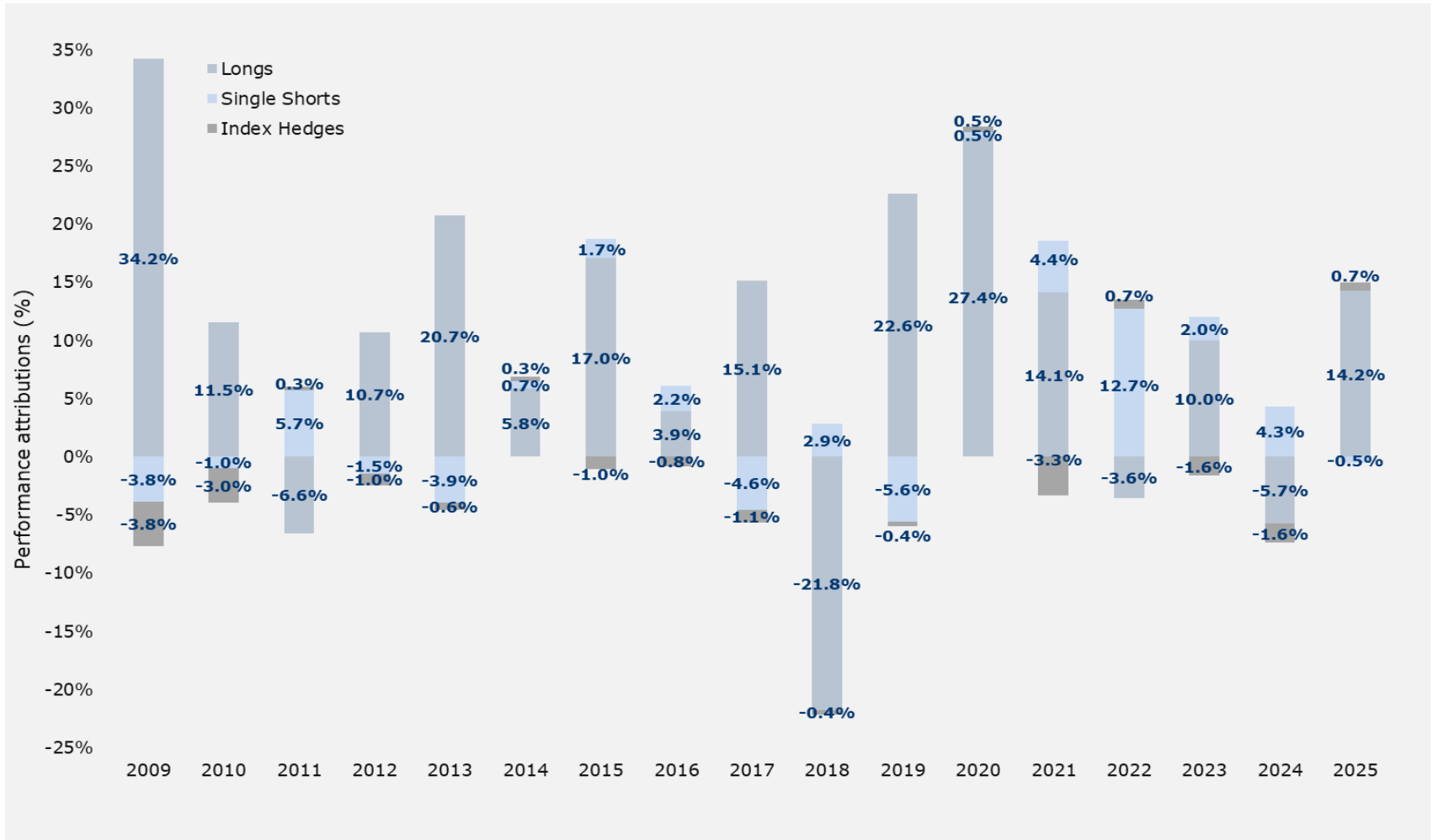


Source: Tiger Asset Management AG; European Fund Administration SA; Excludes Fixed Income Linked Investments

➤ **Outperformance achieved with 34% average net equity and 86% gross exposure**

Long and Short Attributions

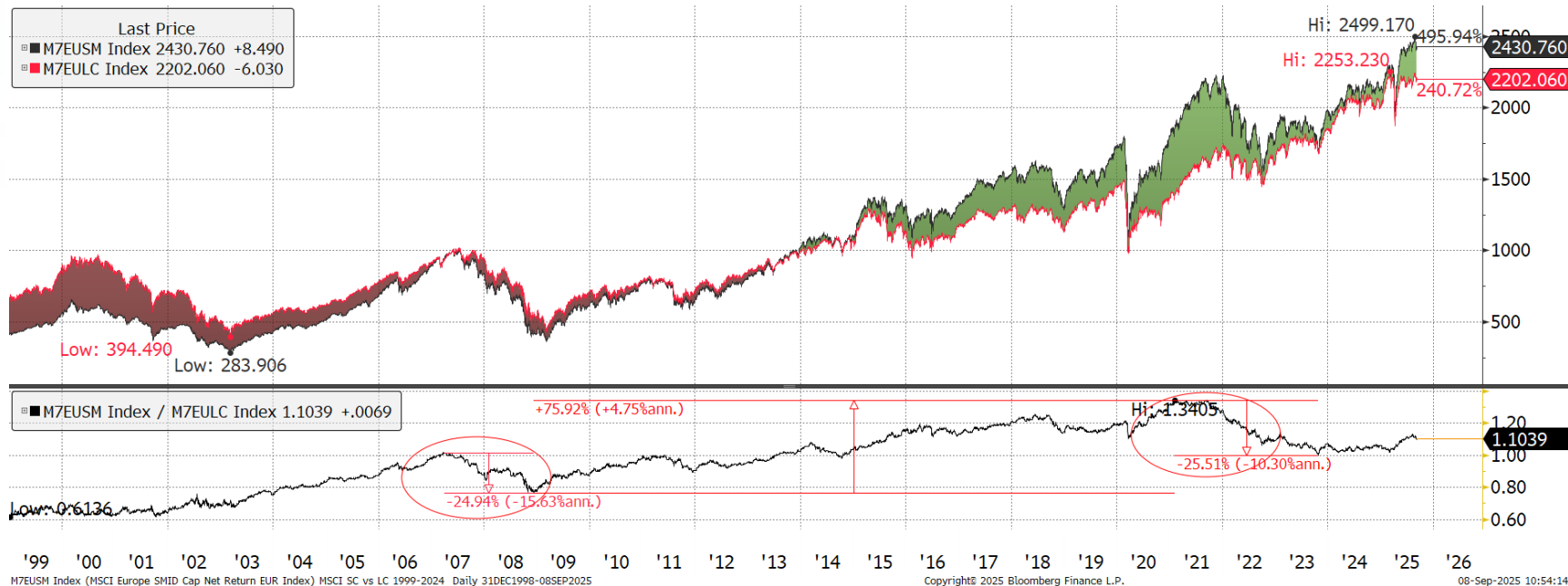
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Source: Tiger Asset Management AG, Bloomberg; performance attributions = Share Class B performance minus short attributions index hedges and single shorts

European Smallcap historical relative performance

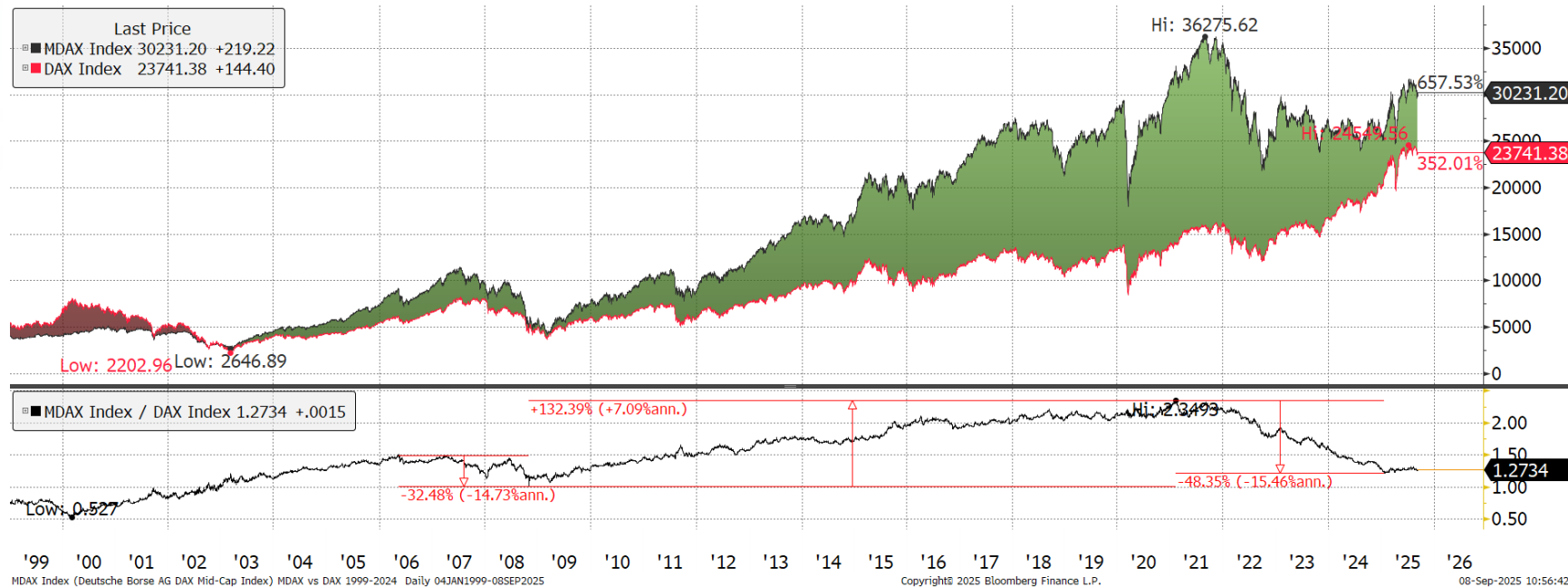
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- **The only other similar major underperformance of European smallcaps (MSCI SMID index vs. MSCI Largecap index) in the last 25 years was in 2007-08**
- 2007-2008 – 19 months underperformance, -24.9%, followed by 13 years and +75.9% outperformance
- 2021-2023 (October) – 33 months underperformance , -25.5%, then 18 months sideways
- 2025 - Smallcaps have started to outperform again

German Smallcap historical relative performance

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- **German Smallcaps have underperformed even worse and have only in H125 stabilised**
- 2006-2008 – 29 months underperformance, -32.5%, followed by 13 years and +132.4% outperformance
- 2021-2025 (January)– 47 months underperformance , -48.3% and now 5 months sideways
- Will German smallcaps start to outperform in H225?



Capturing Upside In Undervalued German Midcaps

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1. Valuation Opportunity

- **German Small & MidCaps (MDAX)** have **underperformed the Stoxx 600** for four consecutive years.
- They are now **attractively valued relative to DAX** and appear **underowned** by institutional investors.
- The **MDAX 12m relative forward P/E** is at **1.0x (vs. 1.2-1.5x 15-yrs average)** a **historical discount** vs large caps.

2. Strong Earnings Growth Outlook

- MDAX earnings are expected to grow **11.1% in 2025 and 18.4% in 2026**, vs DAX at 3.7% and 13.1%.
- This growth is driven by **greater exposure to Industrials**, which benefit from Germany's fiscal stimulus.

3. Beneficiaries of Fiscal Stimulus and Tax Tailwind

- The **€500bn infrastructure program** in Germany will support sectors like Industrials, Construction, Rail, Energy Transition, and Manufacturing—core exposures of many MDAX names.
- Germany plans to **reduce the corporate tax rate (Körperschaftsteuer, KöSt) from 15% to 10% by 2032**, improving net profitability and international competitiveness for domestic companies.
- A **30% declining-balance depreciation** on equipment investments between 2025 and 2027 will further incentivize capital spending and enhance economic momentum.

4. Improving Macro Backdrop

- With **falling energy prices**, German industrials (especially chemicals and materials) are gaining margin tailwinds.
- The shift in policy—more debt-financed investment—is supportive of **domestic demand and CAPEX cycles**.

5. Sector Rotation Tailwinds

- Shift from Growth/Large Caps into **Value/Small-Midcaps** is underway.
- European Small & MidCaps are **well-positioned for international rotation**, especially with a **weakening USD** and **more balanced global allocations**.

- **Tiger Value Fund to Capture the Opportunity:** Targeted **exposure to German IT, Industrials, and Consumers**—key beneficiaries of stimulus and reform—and **active hedging on the short side**, Tiger Value Fund is well-placed **to benefit from SMID-Caps re-rating**. With **large-cap indices at all-time highs**, the current environment offers a **compelling backdrop for long-short strategies** to generate strong, risk-adjusted returns.

➤ **Experienced Investment Team**

- Extensive capital market experience
- Complementary skill set
- Battle-tested, with exposure to full market cycle

➤ **Catalyst-Driven Value Approach**

- **Catalysts driven**, e.g. break-ups, structural/management changes, earnings surprises, share buy-backs
- **10 Point Scoring System** steers portfolio weights
- **Active Value focused** - engaged ownership with value creation track record
- **Risk/reward ratio framework** (downside risk) via 360° approach and portfolio & single stock hedging

➤ **Strong global network**

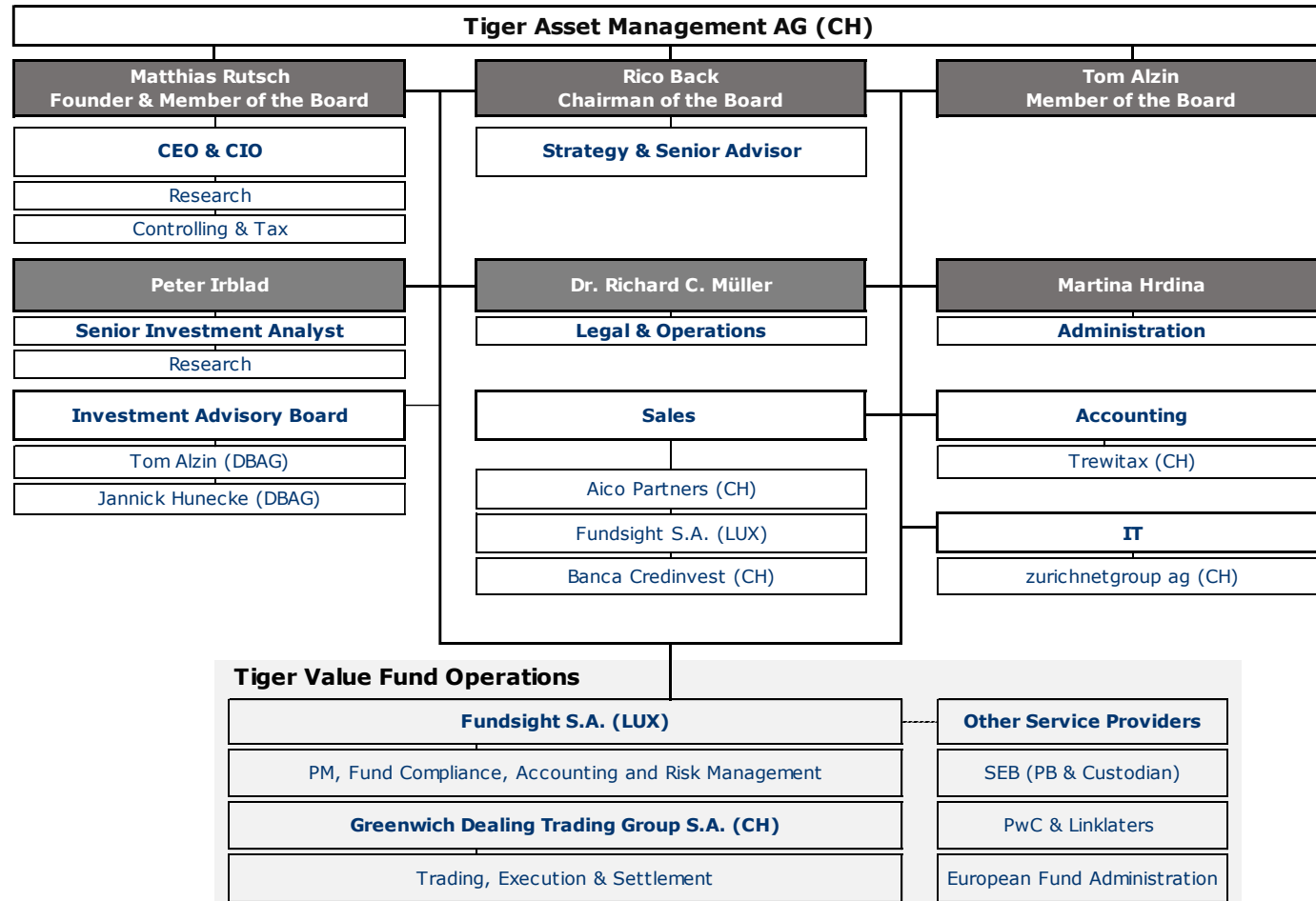
- Private equity and asset managers; corporate finance experts; research analysts and media contacts
- Data base with more than 2,000 contact data base across 35 industries
- Contacts to ~500 company management teams and >250 management meetings annually



Organisation & Terms

Organisation

Organisation Tiger Asset Management AG & Tiger Fund - Tiger Value Fund (FCP-SIF)



Terms & Providers

Tiger Value Fund

Terms

Share Class	Class A	Class B	Class U	Class V / S
Fund Structure	FCP-SIF (Luxembourg) / Alternative Investment Fund (AIF)			
Fund Reporting	Monthly newsletter; daily NAV (Bloomberg and Reuters)			
Investment Minimum	EUR 125,000	EUR 1,000,000	USD 125,000	EUR / CHF 1,000,000
Performance Fee (high water mark)	20% p.a.	15% p.a.	20% p.a.	20% p.a.
Management Fee	2% p.a.	1.5% p.a.	2% p.a.	1.5% p.a.
Dividend	no dividend	no dividend	no dividend	Half year dividend / no dividend
Subscription Frequency	Monthly with one day notice	Monthly with one day notice	Monthly with one day notice	Monthly with one day notice
Redemption*	Monthly with 5 days notice	6 months	Monthly with 5 days notice	3 months
Income Treatment	Accumulation	Accumulation	Accumulation	Distribution / Accumulation
Date of Inception	Dec 2008	Dec 2008	Aug 2017	Dec 2017 / May 2023
ISIN	LU0400329677	LU0400329750	LU1647855136	LU1740273310/LU2616641606
Bloomberg	TIGERAA LX EQUITY	TIGERAB LX EQUITY	TIGERVU LX EQUITY	TIGEREV LX EQUITY

Service Providers

Investment Manager & AIFM
Investment Advisor
Prime Broker
Custodian
Administrator
Swiss Representative
Auditor
Legal Advisor

FundSight S.A.
Tiger Asset Management AG
SEB AB
SEB SA
European Fund Administration SA
ACOLIN Fund Services AG
PricewaterhouseCoopers
Linklaters LLP

*) The redemption notice has to be at the Administrator five business days prior to month end (cut-off 5pm CET). Please see offering document for further information.



Appendix

Short Investment Case – Wirecard

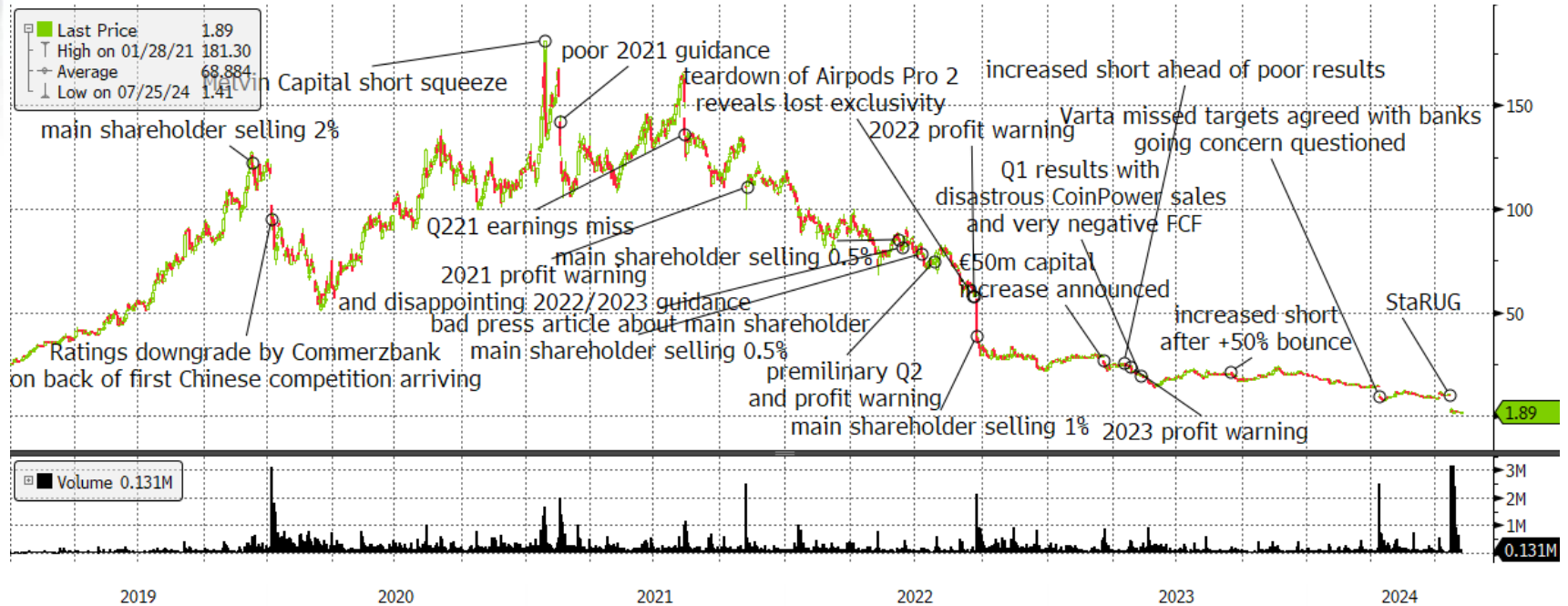
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- **Wirecard** was a German fintech fraud. When the auditor E&Y could not locate €2bn of cash, the fraud finally broke the company.
- We had been actively shorting the stock on and off for the last 10 years and knew the case very well.
- Ahead of the release date of the Annual report and immediately after we sold short mainly by buying put options and selling calls as stock lending was tight and prohibitively expensive; nearly 5% net attribution in 2020.

Short Investment Case – Varta

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- **Varta** is a Li-ion coin battery supplier for Apple AirPods benefiting from COVID; margins collapsed after VARTA has been 2nd sourced by Apple
- Varta's small battery format V4D is tested by Porsche (booster for combustion engine; not EV) but management overhyped prospects for a larger EV battery format and failed to sign up Auto OEMs and convince them to apply their niche technology
- Varta has issued multiple profit warnings since 2021. Despite falling almost -90% from the peak, the stock continued to be expensive in 2023 and 2024 trading at 1.5x EV/sales and 15x EBITDA 2024; press accused Tojner the 53% shareholder of milking Varta via related party transactions
- Varta announced StaRUG - a reorganization under German law – which will zero out the existing shareholders
- +728bps attribution since 2019, biggest short contributor since inception

Long Investment Case – AMS

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- **AMS** is a global leader in optical and LED sensors including 3D sensors, behind OLED display light & proximity sensors, LEDs and LIDAR.
- After the acquisition of Osram, AMS spent several years cost cutting and streamlining the portfolio which has resulted in falling revenues and stagnant margins. Nevertheless, in 2025 the company is on track to sustainably improve EBITDA margins (16.8% to 19.0%) after 4 years of declines. While consensus (19.4%) don't expect the company to hit their 20-24% EBITDA margin target by 2027 (we assume 21.6%), the stock is still extremely attractively valued at PE 5x 2027 (consensus) but if they hit the mid-point 22% margin target the implied valuation would be PE 3x.
- Despite a challenging macro environment especially for the Automotive business in H1 2025, we expect a continued margin improvement driven by significant design wins in the consumer (ALS for Apple) and the automotive business (pixelated LED). The sale of its Malaysia fab and continued reduction in financial debt from assets sales, are further potential catalyst in 2025.

Long Investment Case – Befesa

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- **Befesa** is the global leader in the niche steel dust recycling market. Electric arc furnaces (EAF) steel plants produce toxic dust which by law in most countries needs to be recycled or disposed. Befesa collects this waste for a fee (in US and EU) and recycles it, producing a zinc-enriched product (WOX) which is then being sold to zinc smelters. It acts like a local monopoly around the recycling plant.
- The stock has decoupled from the zinc price and their fundamental development recently. This can be explained with two disappointing years where the company set too high expectations in the beginning of the year, coupled with a significant slowdown in the Chinese real estate market, which impacted the ramp-up of their two Chinese recycling plants. Worries about the European steel sector added to the pessimism, especially in H2 2024.
- Befesa is trading close to the lowest valuation since the listing in 2018 at 9x 2026 P/E, despite a multi-year growth outlook. There are several growth opportunities that should justify a re-rating: 1) EAF growth in the US, signed contracts and their capacity expansion to service these new volumes 2) continued EAF growth in Europe and the possibility to add capacity in their existing French plant 3) aluminium demand growth in Europe served with a new plant in Bernburg.

Long Investment Case – SoftwareOne

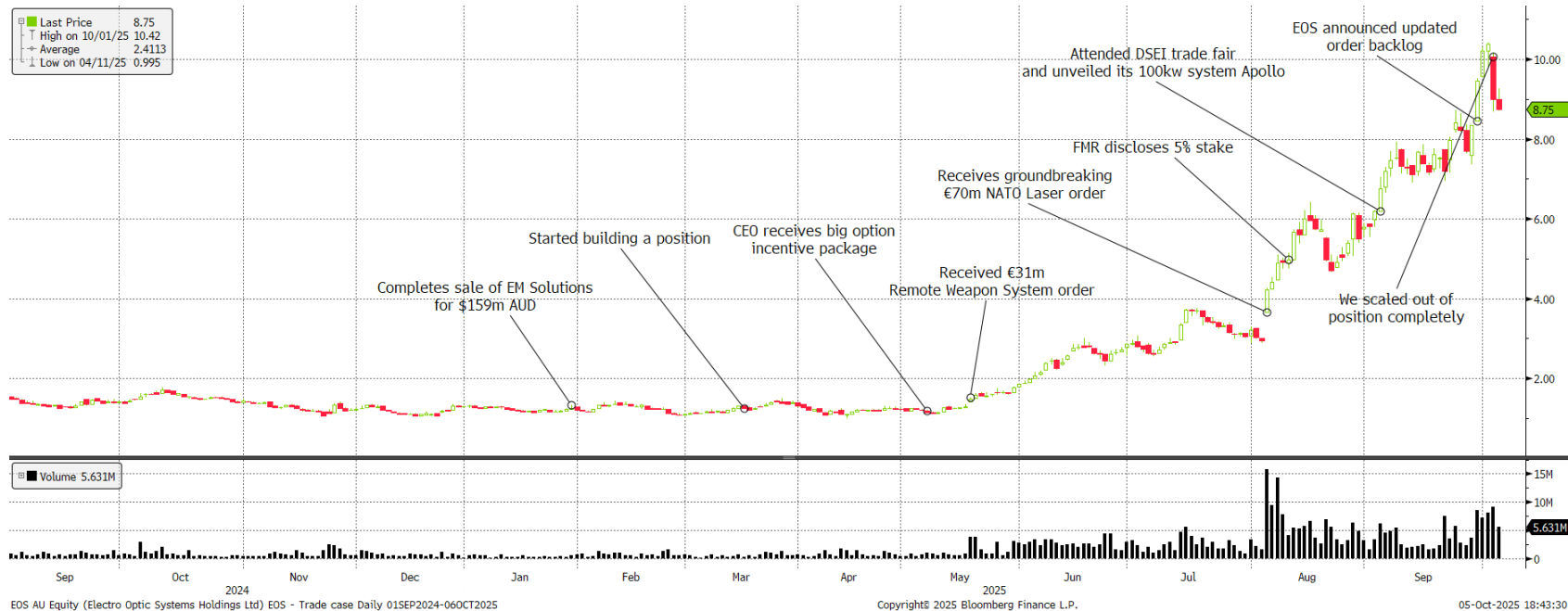
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- **SoftwareOne** is a leading global software reseller and cloud services provider. It recently merged with **Crayon Group** to form the world’s largest Microsoft products reseller—a highly strategic move with significant synergies and minimal client/geographic overlap.
- After rejecting Bain’s takeover bid in early 2024, the founders replaced the board. Meanwhile, the company faced operational challenges due to an aggressive sales strategy rollout. The former CEO, seen as disconnected from operations, underestimated the impact of Microsoft’s incentive changes.
- The combined group trades at 5x 2026 EBITDA and a single-digit P/E (9), vs. peers at 9x EV/EBITDA and 19x P/E. We see re-rating drivers: 1) successful integration/synergies, 2) operational turnaround under a new, experienced CEO, 3) industry tailwinds (AI, cloud, German stimulus). We believe the company remains attractive to private equity, with a renewed takeover bid possible.

Long Investment Case – EOS

Tiger Value Fund



- **EOS** is an Australian defense company developing products like the Sliger, a remote weapon systems (RWM) which are used for counter-drone warfare and optical sensors to track objects in space. In addition, the company is developing a DEW product (Directed Energy Weapon), a 100kw laser aimed for the counter-drone market.
- We built a position in the company after it sold a non-core division (EM Solutions), which dramatically improved its balance sheet resulting in a net cash position of AUD 176m or more than 70% of the market cap at the time we invested in the company (on an EV of merely AUD 47m relative to continuing sales of AUD 160m).
- With a €2bn order pipeline and plans to list in Europe, we saw several catalysts that would take the valuation from distressed levels to a more normalised defence contractor valuation and also benefit from the current defense hype in Europe. In August, they received a €70m order form a NATO country for their newest product, the 100kw High Power Laser Weapon causing another boost for the stock.
- After >700% performance since entry (\$1.3) and several catalyst already realised, we have completely sold out of our position and realised significant gains for the fund after only 6 months making it our best performer in 2025.

Long Investment Case – Computacenter

Tiger Value Fund



- **Computacenter** is a UK listed IT Value Added Reseller, mainly selling hardware in Germany, UK and North America. It has a very strong position in German which represents 50% of earnings.
- We built a position in the company in July 2025 after the stock had gone sideways for 5 years and had de-rated from above 20x 12M forward earnings to 11x in mid-2025 as adj EBIT margins contracted from 4.2% in 2022 to an expected 3.2% in 2025 due to recent weak UK margins and dilutive North American margins (2.5%).
- However, revenue growth has accelerated in H224 (+16%) and in H125 (+29%) driven by explosive US AI datacenter revenues and a recovery in the UK operations which we expect will result in improving margins in 2026. On top of its fast growing UK/US business, its German operations are set for a tailwind in 2026 as they benefit from the German €500bn infrastructure program sparking a recovery in the German IT market.
- Trading at PE 11x, the stock is significantly cheaper than its German peers Cancom and Bechtle trading at 2026 PE 19x and 18x respectively despite having a higher growth rate and more exposure to the fast growing AI Datacenter market.

Long Investment Case – Aixtron SE

Tiger Value Fund



- **Aixtron** is a global leader in MOCVD compound equipment, focusing on production tools for the LED, optoelectronic and power semiconductor market.
- The company experienced very strong growth in orders from the GaN and SiC (EV charging & inverters) segment driving revenues in 2021-24 but growth has stagnated in 2024 and early 2025 from the oversupply of power electronics chips.
- We participated in the strong run up of the share price in early 2022 when SiC and GaN orders started to accelerate. We exited the position in late 2023 as we expected a weaker 2024. After having tried to re-enter the stock in mid-2024, we are currently on the sidelines waiting for a bottom in 2025 ahead of a return to growth in 2026.

Historic 10 Point Scoring System – Aixtron SE

Long Investment Case - Tiger Value Fund

		SCORING	
1. Competitive position – Competitive Position? ESG Score? Market Leader within its core technologies GaN, MicroLED, SiC, VCSEL; ESG Ratings improved significantly in 2021		10	
2. Wealth creator or destroyer - FCF Yield, Dividend Yield, ROCE > WACC? ROCE > 40%; FCF yield of 5% due to current inventory build-up but > 10% potential; generally low capital-intensive business, mainly R&D (not capitalized)		8	
3. Sector earnings predictability/transparency - Predictable patterns? Historically volatile margin & sales development but since refocussing on core, established solid profitability also in weaker years		7	
4. Management rating - Credible, reliable, performance related compensation? CEO with engineering background; strong in sales; pushed SiC; expanded margins; impressive track record and feedback via our channel checks		10	
5. Market cap/ Liquidity*/Ownership – Volume; Insider buying; Stake holders Eur 2bn MCAP; Eur 15m ADV; 100% free float; insider buying on dips; >3% SI		10	
6. Comparable multiples - Multiples vs. peer group? Transaction sector multiples? Trading at 8x EBIT 2023 vs. other semi equipment peers at 12-25x EBIT		10	
7. Discount/Premium to intrinsic value - DCF/LBO model and SOTP valuation? > 100% upside to DCF value (9% WACC, 2% TV growth) and > 200% upside blue sky		10	
8. Catalysts - Event in X months that affects shareholder value? More positive earnings surprises and continued consensus upgrades; several orders to come in SiC, GaN and MicroLED (super capex cycle ahead)		10	
9. Hedging method* - Hedge possible with well correlated and researched peer? Hedge through other overvalued tech names		8	
10. Risk /reward ratio* - Up and down potential on price Risk/reward ratio is 1 to 6 (12m low of 15 Euro vs target price of 43 Euro)		9	

92 Strong Buy (90-100)

Buy (80-90)

Hold (70-80)

Sell (50-70)

Short Sell (<50 points)

**> 5%
position**

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*) short investment cases: higher liquidity reduces scoring; hedging position = appropriate long; higher reverse risk/reward reduces scoring

ESG – Integration in 10 Point Scoring System

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ESG impact on the 10 Point Scoring Model

10-point scoring model	ESG impact
1 Competitive position	Is the sourcing/manufacturing and R&D processes a competitive advantage or are they at risk from ESG?
2 Wealth creation or destruction:	Will ESG compliance materially alter the company's long term return potential and wealth creation?
3 Sector earnings predictability	What's the quality of financial reporting, are they transparent with business or regulatory risks from ESG?
4 Management rating (credibility):	How is mgmt incentivised, do they have questionable business ethics or any history of corruption/fraud?
5 MCAP/Liquidity/ownership	Are the largest shareholders engaged, do they have independent directors on the board?
6 Comparable companies/transactions	n/a
7 Discount/Premium intrinsic value:	n/a
8 Catalysts:	Are there positive/negative catalysts emerging from ESG compliance/non-compliance?
9 Hedging:	Are there undisclosed ESG risks/opportunities with the hedges that could benefit/harm the hedging?
10 Risk-Reward ratio:	Material lack of transparency and implementation of ESG policies will have a direct impact on the risk/rewardration
Total points	

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