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129,31

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119

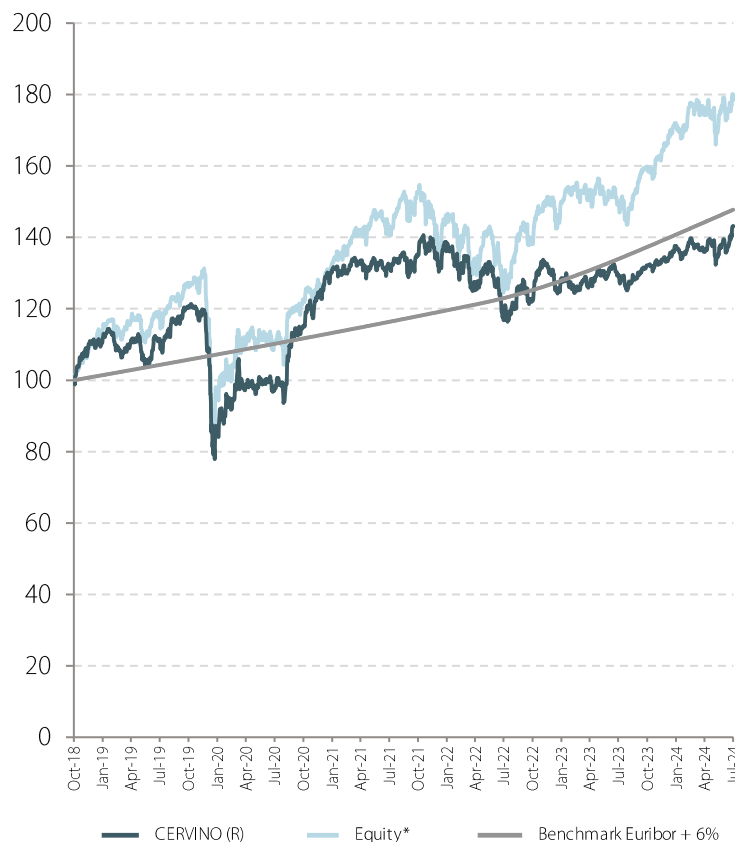
01 Investment Strategy

The fund's objective is to provide investors with long-term capital appreciation, similar to global equities over a long-term horizon but with significant less risk. Dynamic asset allocation with no predetermined benchmark. Cervino seeks to achieve a long-term return of Euribor + 6%. 40% to 100% exposure to Equities. No limitation regarding category, rating, or duration for Fixed Income. Security Selection based on value and contrarian approach. Search for low correlated assets and use of derivatives to control volatility. Article 8 fund, 5% Taxonomy Alignment. Promotes strategies to improve climate footprint, Human Rights and ESG improvers.

Portfolio Managers: Alberto Spagnolo, CFA. Founder and CEO of Varianza. He holds more than 28 years of experience in investment and wealth management. Previously, he held positions as CEO and CIO at Merrill Lynch Gestión SGIC, partner at M&B Capital and PM at BBVA AM. Pelayo Gil-Turner, CIO. He holds 19 years of experience in asset management. Before he was CEO and CIO of Julius Baer Gestión SGIC Spain and PM at Banco Urquijo

02 Returns

	CERVINO (R)**	Equities*	Benchmark Euribor + 6%
Cumulative since 31/12/2018	43,2%	78,4%	47,7%
Annualized since 31/12/2018	6,4%	10,6%	7,0%
Historical Returns			
2014	-	-	-
2015	-	-	-
2016	-	-	-
2017	-	-	-
2018	-	-	-
2019	20,4%	26,0%	5,7%
2020	-4,3%	-3,3%	5,6%
2021	17,2%	25,1%	5,6%
2022	-9,5%	-9,5%	6,2%
2023	8,1%	15,8%	9,6%
2024 (30/09/2024)	8,4%	11,6%	7,6%
Last month	2,7%	-0,4%	0,8%
Recent Available Data			
3 years annualized	2,9%	8,0%	8,3%
5 years annualized	5,1%	8,4%	7,2%
10 years annualized	-	-	-



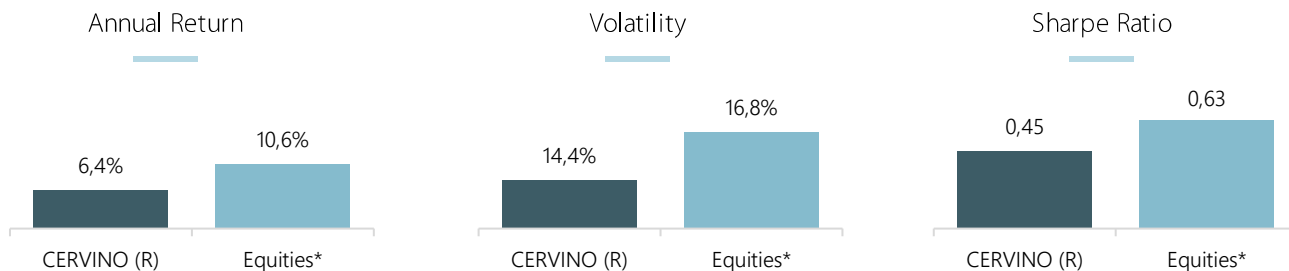
*MSCI Daily Net TR Europe Index

**Although Retail Class (R) started on 10/19/2018, Cervino's strategy began on 10/22/2008 with Class I. The data shown in this document starts on 31/12/2018 to disclose full calendar years.

03 Risk

Risk adjusted return since 31/12/2018	CERVINO (R)	Equities*	Best Returns	CERVINO (R)	Equities*	Worst Returns	CERVINO (R)	Equities*
Annual Return	6,4%	10,6%	1 Month	20,8%	19,4%	1 Month	-34,4%	-35,0%
Volatility	14,4%	16,8%	6 Months	39,4%	32,1%	6 Month	-29,9%	-28,6%
Sharpe Ratio	0,45	0,63	12 Months	65,9%	53,5%	12 Month	-29,5%	-24,3%

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04 Main Data

Institutional Share Class (I)		Retail Share Class (R)		Others	
ISIN	LU0907323314	ISIN	LU1860979399	Investment Manager	Varianza Gestión SGIC SA
Bloomberg ID	PACWIEP LX	Bloomberg ID	PACWIRB LX	CNMV Registry	250
Min. Investment	2.000.000 €	Min. Investment	10 €	Custodian / TA	BNP Securities Services
Mngmt Fee	0,55%	Mngmt Fee	1,50%	Administrative Agent	BNP Fund Services
Success Fee	10% over annual profit if greater than Euribor + 6%	Success Fee	Not applicable	Auditor	Deloitte Luxembourg
				SFDR	Article 8 + 5% Taxonomy

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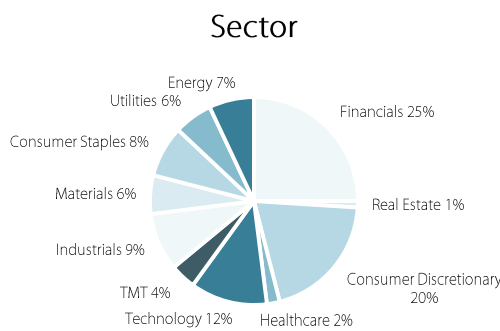


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05 Asset Allocation

Asset Allocation	
Equities*	77,8%
North America	28,2%
Japan	1,7%
Europe	41,5%
Emerging Markets	6,3%
Asia ex-Japan	-
Fixed Income	17,5%
Government	-
High Credit Quality	6,4%
High Yield	11,1%
Convertibles	-
Emerging	-
Inflation Linked	-
Alternative Investments	-
Real Estate	-
Cash and Equivalents	1,8%

*Net weight exposure including hedges



Top equity holdings	
BERKSHIRE HAT...	4,0%
ISHARES MSCI ...	3,7%
BANK OF AMERI...	2,7%
AGNICO EAGLE ...	2,5%
MICHELIN	2,4%

06 Portfolio Overview

Equities overview				Fixed Income overview			
Positions	50	Ebit/EV	6,4	Positions	15	Average Coupon (%)	5,3
Currency	EUR	FCF Yield (%)	5,3	Currency	EUR	Maturity (years)	17,6
Average P/E	14,5	ROE 5y average (%)	11,9	Yield to worst (%)	8,2	Duration	2,0
Dividend Yield	5,5%	ROCE	7,4	Average Rating	B+	Coupons (%)	5,4

VARIANZA Score*				External Sustainability Ratings			
Total CERVINO	76,7%	Positions with score >50	90,6%	MSCI:	A	Morningstar:	Average

*Commitment of internal ESG rating: Total Cervino > 50 and more than 50% of holdings having a Score >50: overall invested companies are above average vs their comparable universe

07 Monthly Summary

The NAV of CERVINO (R) went up by 2.7% during September (share class R). In 2024 the accumulated return is 8.4% which represents 43,2% since inception, and a CAGR of 6,4%.

The month closed with positive stock market returns (MSCI World up 1.9%), marking a shift in dynamics from previous months. This time, China led the charge with a staggering 23% return (MSCI China), all of which came in the final five days of the month—a move not seen in years.

The catalyst was the Chinese government's announcement of a fresh monetary and fiscal stimulus package aimed at stabilizing the economy and markets. This marks another 180-degree policy shift (the last being their abrupt reversal on COVID policies), signaling the government's growing concern over the weakness in China's economy and the poor performance of its markets. This news has reignited interest from international investors, who were notably underweight, as well as Chinese institutional investors, who have been encouraged to buy back their own shares. Given the previously low international interest and attractive valuations, we believe this rally could continue, especially if more fiscal measures are rolled out.

Elsewhere, a key highlight this month was the significant interest rate cuts from both the Federal Reserve and the European Central Bank. The Fed's 50 basis point cut was particularly bold, with a clear message: inflation is under control, the focus has shifted to the broader economy, and despite its strength, there's room for preemptive rate cuts. This move also quashes concerns that growth may be slowing and that the rate cuts could be coming too late. We are now in an era where the world's two largest economies are openly stimulating growth through monetary easing.

During the month, our positions in China and Hong Kong rebounded strongly, with Alibaba leading the gains at 35%, followed by Baidu at 27%, Prosus at 17%, and the local Chinese equity ETF at 21%. In total, 20 positions saw increases of more than 3% during the month. Capri also stood out with an 18% rise. On the other hand, 21 positions ended the month in negative territory, led by Mercedes Benz (-7%) amid weakness in the European automotive sector and Chinese luxury consumption, Roche (-6%), and the Antolin bond (-6%).

In terms of portfolio activity, we made three new investments in defensive sectors: Veolia, a leader in environmental services with an expected 10% annual EPS growth through 2027; EDP, focused on renewables and electricity distribution, with expansion opportunities in the U.S.; and Elia, a transmission network operator in Belgium and Germany, positioned for growth due to network investment and electrification needs. We also increased our position in Mercedes, taking advantage of market weakness. On the other hand, we took profits in British American Tobacco, which has delivered a 31% return this year, and partially trimmed our exposure to Berkshire Hathaway after a 34% gain in 2024.

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