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#### Fund Facts

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ISIN	LU0229080733
WKN	A0F567
Bloomberg	DJEDIXP LX
Reuters	LU0229080733.LU
Asset Class	Fund Global Equity Income
Minimum Equity	51%
Partial Exemption of Income <sup>1</sup>	30%
Investment Company <sup>2</sup>	DJE Investment S.A.
Fund Management	DJE Kapital AG
Type of Share	payout <sup>2</sup>
Financial Year	01/01 - 31/12
Launch Date	14/11/2005
Fund Currency	EUR
Fund Size (16/05/2024)	1.14 billion EUR
TER p.a. (29/12/2023) <sup>2</sup>	0.86%
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This sub-fund/fund promotes ESG features in accordance with Article 8 of the Disclosure Regulation (EU Nr. 2019/2088).  $^3$ 

#### Ratings & Awards<sup>4</sup> (30/04/2024)

Morningstar Rating Overall <sup>5</sup>	***

#### Investment Strategy

DJE - Dividende & Substanz focuses on companies with stable and attractive dividends as well as strong balance sheets. The fund management also takes into account additional shareholderfriendly corporate policies such as stock buybacks (total shareholder return). The fund invests globally and independent from any market benchmarks. Security selection is driven by a combination of quantitative and qualitative analysis and assessment of companies. We consider a broad range of indicators and financials statement figures and ratios in our investment decisions. The overall portfolio aims for an above-average dividend yields relative to the broader market; however, the fund may also invest in equities that do not currently pay a dividend.

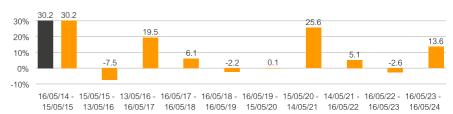
#### Performance in % since inception (14/11/2005)



#### Rolling Performance over 10 Years in %

■ Fund (net) in consideration with the maximum issue surcharge of 0.00%

Fund (gross) DJE - Dividende & Substanz XP (EUR)



#### Performance in %

	MTD	YTD	1 Yr	3 Yrs	5 Yrs	10 Yrs	SI
Fund	2.83%	10.92%	13.57%	16.25%	46.20%	118.33%	303.69%
Fund p.a.	-	-	-	5.14%	7.89%	8.12%	7.83%

Source for all performance data: Anevis Solutions GmbH, own illustration. As at: 16/05/2024.

The Funds are actively managed by DJE and, where a benchmark index is indicated, without reference to it. The presented charts and tables concerning performance are based on our own calculations according to the gross performance (BVI) method<sup>2</sup> and illustrate past development. Past performance is not indicative for future returns. The BVI method takes into account all costs incurred at the fund level (e.g. management fees), the net performance and the issue fee. Additional individual costs may be incurred at the customer level (e.g. custodian fees, commission and other charges). Model calculation (net): an investor wishes to purchase shares for Euro 1,000. With a maximum issue surcharge of 0.00%, he has to spend a one-off amount of Euro 0.00 when making the purchase. In addition, there may be custodian costs that reduce performance. The custodian costs are decided by your bank's price list and service charges

2 | see also on (www.dje.de/DE\_en/fonds/fondswissen/glossar) 3 | see also on (www.dje.de/en-de/company/about-us/Investsustainably/)

4 | Awards and many years of experience do not guarantee investment success. Sources on homepage (https://www.dje.de/en-de/company/about-us/awards-ratings/2023/)

<sup>1 |</sup> The fiscal treatment depends on the personal circumstances of the respective client and can be subject of change in the future.

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#### Asset Allocation in % of Fund Volume

Stocks	98.38%
Cash	1.62%
	As at: 30/04/2024.

The asset allocation may differ marginally from 100% due to the addition of rounded figures.

#### Country allocation total portfolio (% NAV)

United States	34.52%
Germany	13.00%
France	8.97%
Switzerland	4.71%
Japan	4.18%
	As at: 30/04/2024.

Fund Prices per 16/05/2024	
Bid	340.47 EUR
Offer	340.47 EUR

#### Fees<sup>1</sup>

Initial Charge	0.00%
Management Fee p.a.	0.65%
Custodian Fee p.a	0.06%

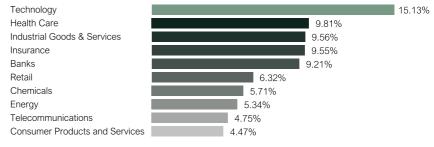
#### Risk Class (SRI 1-7)1

Low Risk		



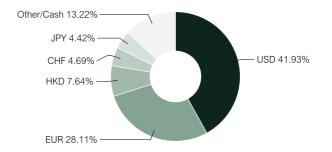
High Risk

# Top 10 Equity Sectors in % of Fund Volume



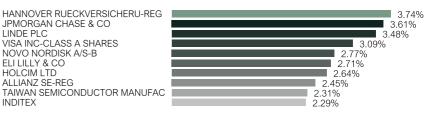
As at: 30/04/2024.

## **Currency Exposure (% NAV)**



Data: Anevis Solutions GmbH, own illustration. As at: 30/04/2024. Note: Cash position is included here because it is not assigned to any country or currency.

#### **Top Ten Holdings in % of Fund Volume**



As at: 30/04/2024. When buying a fund, one acquires shares in the said fund, which invests in securities such as shares and/or in bonds, but not the securities themselves.

#### **Risk Measures**<sup>1</sup>

Standard Deviation (2 years)	10.43%	Maximum Drawdown (1 year)	-5.06%
Value at Risk (99% / 20 days)	-6.50%	Sharpe Ratio (2 years)	0.32

As at: 16/05/2024.

#### **Target Group**

#### The Fund is Suitable for Investors

- + with a medium to long-term investment horizon
- + who seek to focus their equity investments on stocks that pay dividends
- + who wish to reduce risk compared to a direct investment

### The Fund is not Suitable for Investors

- with a short-term investment horizon
- who seek safe returns
- who are not prepared to accept increased volatility

1 | See Key Information Document (PRIIPs KID) under https://www.dje.de/en-de/investmentfunds/productdetail/LU0229080733#downloads

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### **Evaluation by MSCI ESG Research**

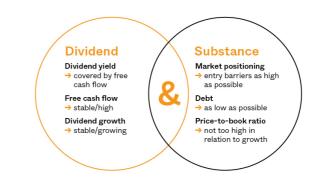
MSCI ESG Rating (AAA-CCC)	AA
ESG Quality Score (0-10)	7.3
Environmental score (0-10)	6.1
Social score (0-10)	5.4
Governance score (0-10)	5.7
ESG Rating compared to Peer Group (100% = best value)	72.07%
Peer Group	Equity Global (5550 Funds)
ESG Coverage	96.00%
Weighted Average Carbon Intensity (tCO <sub>2</sub> e / \$M sales)	167.87



#### Leader: The companies that the fund invests AA in show strong and/or improving management of financially relevant environmental, social and governance issues. These companies may be more resilient to disruptions arising from ESG events. Average: The fund invests in companies that BBB show average management of ESG issues, BB or in a mix of companies with both aboveaverage and below-average ESG risk management. Laggard: The fund is exposed to companies that do not demonstrate adequate management of the ESG risks that they face, or show worsening management of these issues. These companies may be more vulnerable to disruptions arising from ESG events. Companies in the fund's portfolio that are not Not Rated yet rated by MSCI, but these are rated as part of our own analysis.

Source: MSCI ESG Research as at 30/04/2024 Information on the sustainability-relevant aspects of the funds can be found at www.dje.de/en-de/company/about-us/Investsustainably/ High-dividend stocks are a source of recurring income, but their importance is often underestimated. In the long term, dividends often make the biggest contribution to stock portfolio performance, as reinvested dividends facilitate the compounding effect. This is why stocks with above-average dividend yields are the focus of the DJE - Dividende & Substanz fund. When selecting high dividend stocks, a stable, increasing dividend payment is more important than the absolute level of the current dividend yield. Historical data shows that high-dividend stocks can be more stable in difficult market phases relative to low-dividend stocks. Hence, dividends can act as a buffer to mitigate temporary capital losses. This is mainly because stable businesses with strong balance sheets and high dividend yields as well as protective entry barriers to their markets and products increase the chance of long-term investment success. The stock selection of the portfolio aims for an above-average dividend yield relative to the broader market; however, the fund may also invest in equities that do not currently pay a dividend.

### Important selection criteria



Source: DJE Kapital AG. For illustration purposes only.

### Opportunities

- + Participation in the growth opportunities of global equity markets independent of benchmark index specifications.
- + Dividends offer regular income potential in addition to possible share price gains and can thus mitigate possible price losses.
- + Attractive level of global dividend stocks.
- Experienced fund manager with an approach based on fundamental, monetary and market analysis (FMM) that has proven itself since 1974.

## Risks

- Share prices can fluctuate relatively strongly due to market, currency and individual value factors.
- Dividends are a voluntary payment by companies and therefore not guaranteed. They can rise, fall or be cancelled altogether.
- Currency risks due to a high foreign share in the portfolio.
- Previously proven investment approach does not guarantee future investment success.

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#### Fund Manager

#### Dr. Jan Ehrhardt

Responsible Since 14/11/2005

Dr Jan Ehrhardt is Deputy CEO of DJE with responsibility for Research & Portfolio Management and Wealth Management. As a fund manager, he is also responsible for DJE's dividend strategies. The business economist graduated with a PhD from the University of Wuerzburg.



**Stefan Breintner** Responsible Since 01/07/2019

Stefan Breintner is Head of Research & Portfolio Management and, as an analyst, is responsible for the basic materials, chemicals, energy and construction & materials sectors. Since 2019, he has also been cofund manager of DJE's dividend strategies. The business economist has been with DJE since 2005.

#### DJE Kapital AG

DJE Kapital AG is part of the DJE Group, can draw on around 50 years of experience in asset management and is today one of the leading bank-independent financial service providers in German-speaking Europe. Our investment strategy, both in equities and bonds, is based on the FMM method developed in-house: a systematic analysis which takes three views on securities and the financial markets – fundamental, monetary and market-technical. DJE follows sustainability criteria when selecting securities, takes into account selected sustainable development goals, avoids or reduces adverse sustainability impacts and is a signatory to the United Nations "Principles for Responsible Investment".

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#### Monthly Commentary

After a strong first quarter, the international stock markets largely went into reverse in April. The development of US inflation was a particular burden. In March, the inflation rate rose to 3.5% (February: 3.1%) compared to the same month in the previous year. The US economy grew by 1.6% in the first quarter compared to the previous quarter - weaker than expected, but significantly stronger than the eurozone, whose economy grew by 0.3% and was thus able to avoid a technical recession. As a result, expectations for interest rate cuts in the US declined even further and largely changed to the view that the US key interest rate plateau would remain at the current level of 5.25 to 5.50% for the time being. For the eurozone, however, the markets continue to expect a rate cut in June. The markets were also kept on tenterhooks by Iran's attack on Israel and the Israeli response, which caused the VIX volatility index to spike to its highest level of the year and briefly drove up the oil price. In this market environment, the DJE - Dividende & Substanz fell by -1.47%. On the global equity market, only four sectors were able to escape the negative trend and end the month with a positive result: Basic Materials, Utilities, Energy and Food & Beverages. The weakest results came from the property, media, telecommunications and consumer goods & services sectors. The strongest performance contributions for the fund came from the utilities, energy and healthcare sectors. The latter benefited on the one hand from a temporary rise in the oil price and on the other hand from well-performing obesity products. The performance of the telecommunications, financial services and technology sectors in particular had a negative impact. In general, the environment of rising interest rates had a negative impact, and companies in the technology sector presented some disappointing quarterly figures. At individual stock level, the best results came from the property company Great Eagle Holdings and the laminate manufacturer Kingboard Laminates (both from Hong Kong) as well as the German fashion company MYT Netherlands Parent. By contrast, the German reinsurance company Hannover Re, the US service provider Uber Technologies and the US internet company Meta Platforms, among others, performed disappointingly. The fund management made moderate adjustments to the allocation over the course of the month. It increased the weighting of the financial institutions, industrials, energy and retail sectors and reduced the technology and financial services sectors. As a result, the equity allocation fell slightly from 98.88% to 98.38%. Liquidity rose accordingly to 1.62%. At the end of the month, stocks denominated in Hong Kong dollars were hedged against the US dollar.

#### Legal Information

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