

## KEY INFORMATION DOCUMENT

### Purpose

This document provides you with key information about this investment product. It is not marketing material. The information is required by law to help you understand the nature, risks, costs, potential gains and losses of this product and to help you compare it with other products.

### Product

## DPAM B Equities Japan ESG Leaders Index - Class J - ISIN: BE6344907405

A sub-fund of DPAM B, a public SICAV under Belgian law

**Name of the originator of the product: Degroof Petercam Asset Management SA, abbreviated DPAM.**

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DPAM B is managed by the management company DPAM which acts in that capacity within the meaning of Directive 2009/65/EC.

**Competent authority:** The Financial Services and Markets Authority (FSMA) is responsible for the supervision of DPAM in relation to this Key Information Document.

This product is authorised in Belgium.

DPAM is authorised in Belgium and regulated by the FSMA.

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## What is this product?

### Type

Capitalisation share of a sub-fund of DPAM B, a public SICAV under Belgian law. The shares of the sub-fund are capitalisation shares, which do not give right to a dividend. All income earned by the product is reinvested.

### Duration

Indefinite. This product does not have a fixed maturity date.

### Objectives

**Objective:** The objective of the sub-fund is to provide shareholders with as high a global return as possible, with an accent on investments in Japanese equities. The sub-fund is a tracker fund whose objective is to replicate physically and not synthetically the "Net Dividends Reinvested" performance of the cap-weighted MSCI Japan ESG Leaders Index in Euros. The tracking error is around 1.50%.

It is a passively managed sub-fund, which means that the portfolio manager aims to replicate the performance of a benchmark.

The sub-fund does not aim for sustainable investment but promotes environmental and social aspects within the meaning of Article 8 of Regulation (EU) 2019/2088 on sustainability-related disclosures in the financial services sector. It does not have a sustainable investment objective. \* A cap-weighted index is a type of stock market index that is constructed on the basis of the market capitalisation of each of the securities that make up the index.

**Investment policy:** The sub-fund invests mainly in equities of companies (and other analogous transferable securities of companies), warrants, convertible bonds, subscription rights and cash and cash equivalents. The sub-fund will not invest more than 10% of its net assets in units of other undertakings for collective investment. The MSCI Japan ESG Leaders index, on which the indexed portfolio is constructed, applies a constrained process combining a) the exclusion of companies directly involved in controversial weapons and nuclear systems, or companies where the majority of turnover (>15%) is derived from activities such as firearms, tobacco, alcohol, gambling, nuclear power generation, fossil fuel extraction and coal-fired power generation and b) MSCI best-in-class selection applied to the remaining stocks in the selection universe. More information about this methodology can be found in the prospectus and at [www.msci.com](http://www.msci.com).

The sub-fund also applies strict investment restrictions to companies involved in controversial activities. Details of the exclusions (including the exclusion criteria and thresholds) are available in DPAM's controversial activities policy (section on "conventional" strategies) available at <https://www.dpaminvestments.com/documents/controversial-activity-policy-enBE> (Controversial Activities Policy).

**Derivative products:** The sub-fund may also make use, subject to the legal regulations in force, of derivative products such as, for example, futures contracts on Japanese stock market indices in order to achieve the investment objectives. These contracts are intended to supplement equity positions and enable the sub-fund to be fully invested without disrupting

the structure of the portfolio when issuing and redeeming units. Investors should be aware that derivatives of this type can be more volatile than the underlying instruments.

**Benchmark:** MSCI Japan ESG Leaders Net Total Return.

The MSCI website ([www.msci.com](http://www.msci.com)) contains more detailed information about the MSCI indices.

**Subscription/Redemption:** You can exchange your shares in this sub-fund for shares in another sub-fund. For more information on this subject, please refer to the information in the prospectus under the heading "Information about the shares and trading of the shares".

All share subscription or redemption requests may be made prior to 3:00 p.m. (Belgian time) on each business day to Banque Degroof Petercam SA.

### Intended Retail Investor

This product is intended for investors with an investment horizon of 7 years meet the criteria for access to this share class described in the prospectus and that:

- have sufficient knowledge and experience in the markets for equities and funds, and understand the risks of the product;
- are seeking exposure to the equity markets of Japanese companies by broadly replicating an index;
- are interested in an investment that promotes environmental and social characteristics without a sustainable investment objective;
- can suffer a loss of more than 20% per year.

### Practical information

Custodian: Banque Degroof Petercam Luxembourg S.A, succursale belge

The Key Information Document describes a share class of the sub-fund DPAM B Equities Japan ESG Leaders Index of the SICAV DPAM B.

DPAM B is an undertaking for collective investment in transferable securities incorporated in Belgium (the Home Member State of the SICAV), which complies with the requirements of Directive 2009/65/EC and which is subject to prudential supervision by the FSMA.

In accordance with the applicable legal provisions, the assets of the sub-fund are segregated from the assets of the other sub-funds of the SICAV, which means that the rights of the investors and other creditors of this sub-fund are limited to the assets thereof.

The prospectus and periodic reports are drawn up for all the sub-funds of the SICAV.

Additional information on the sub-fund is available in the prospectus and in the periodic reports, which can be obtained on request, without charge, from the registered office of the SICAV. These documents (which are produced in French, Dutch and English) as well as more extensive information about this product are available on the website: <https://www.funds.dpaminvestments.com/funds.html> (tab 'Publications').

All other practical information, including the most recent net asset value of the shares, is available on the website mentioned above (tab 'Net asset value').

## What are the risks and what could I get in return?

### Risk Indicator



The risk indicator assumes that you will hold the product for at least 7 years. The actual risk can vary significantly if you cash in at an early stage and you may get back less.

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 4 out of 7, which is a medium risk class. In other words, the potential losses related to the future performance of the product are average.

Investing in this product also entails risks that are materially relevant but not included in the risk indicator:

- Concentration risk: As the portfolio is mainly composed of Japanese securities, it is likely to be more specifically exposed to the economic development of this sector and area.
- Sustainability risk: The sub-fund's main objective is to track the performance of its index. As a result, the sub-fund may have greater exposure to companies that have a negative sustainability impact.

This product does not include any protection from future market performance so you could lose some or all of your investment.

### Performance Scenarios

What you will get from this product depends on future market performance. Market developments in the future are uncertain and cannot be accurately predicted.

The unfavourable, moderate, and favourable scenarios shown are illustrations using the worst, average, and best performance of the product and/or a suitable benchmark over the last 12 years.

Markets could develop very differently in the future.

Recommended holding period:		7 years	
Example Investment:		10 000 EUR	
		If you exit after 1 year	If you exit after 7 years
Scenarios			
Minimum	There is no minimum guaranteed return. You could lose some or all of your investment.		
Stress	What you might get back after costs	3 410 EUR	2 020 EUR
	Average return each year	-65.93%	-20.42%
Unfavourable	What you might get back after costs	8 080 EUR	9 430 EUR
	Average return each year	-19.19%	-0.84%
Moderate	What you might get back after costs	10 700 EUR	17 290 EUR
	Average return each year	7.00%	8.14%
Favourable	What you might get back after costs	15 750 EUR	23 040 EUR
	Average return each year	57.52%	12.67%

The figures shown include all the costs of the product itself, but may not include all the costs that you pay to your advisor or distributor. These figures do not take into account your personal tax situation, which may also affect the amounts you will receive.

The stress scenario shows what you might get back in extreme market circumstances.

Your maximum loss cannot exceed the amount of your initial investment.

Unfavourable scenario: this type of scenario occurred for an investment between 09 2021 et 01 2024.

Moderate scenario: this type of scenario occurred for an investment between 10 2013 and 10 2020.

Favourable scenario: this type of scenario occurred for an investment between 11 2012 and 11 2019.

## What happens if DPAM is unable to pay out?

The assets of the sub-fund are held with the Custodian and maintained separate from the other assets held by the Custodian.

In the event of a default by DPAM or any other sub-fund of the SICAV, neither of them may use the funds of the product to pay their debts.

However, your investment is not protected by an indemnification or guarantee mechanism.

## What are the costs?

The person advising on or selling you this product may charge you other costs. If so, this person will provide you with information about these costs and how they affect your investment.

If you change sub-funds, you will pay the total entry and exit fees for the sub-funds in question.

### Costs over time

The tables show the amounts that are taken from your investment to cover different types of costs. These amounts depend on how much you invest, how long you hold the product and how well the product does. The amounts shown here are illustrations based on an example investment amount and different possible investment periods.

We have assumed:

- In the first year, you would get back the amount that you invested (0 % annual return)
- the other holding periods we have assumed the product performs as shown in the moderate scenario
- that EUR 10,000 is invested

	If you exit after 1 year	If you exit after 7 years
<b>Total costs</b>	<b>185 EUR</b>	<b>587 EUR</b>
<b>Annual cost impact (*)</b>	<b>1.9%</b>	<b>0.8% each year</b>

(\*) This illustrates how costs reduce your return each year over the holding period. For example it shows that if you exit at the recommended holding period your average return per year is projected to be 8,97% before costs and 8,14% after costs.

These figures include the maximum distribution fee that the person selling you the product may charge (1,00% of the amount invested). This person will inform you of the actual distribution fee.

#### Composition of costs

We may share part of the costs with the person selling you the product to cover the services they provide to you.

One-off costs upon entry or exit		If you exit after 1 year
Entry costs	Max 1,10%. This is the fee you pay when you make your investment (subscription fee). These fees include distribution fees. This is the maximum amount you will pay. The person who sells you the product will inform you of the actual costs.	Up to 110 EUR
Exit costs	0,10%. This is the fee you pay when you sell your investment (redemption fee).	10 EUR

Ongoing costs taken each year		
Management fees and other administrative or operating costs	0,31% of the value of your investment per year. These are the portfolio management fees of the sub-fund, including the fees of the service provider and the operation of the sub-fund. This estimate is based on actual costs over the past year.	31 EUR
Transaction costs	0,34% of the value of your investment per year. This is an estimate of the costs incurred when we buy and sell the investments underlying the product. The actual amount will vary depending on the quantity we buy and sell.	34 EUR

Incidental costs taken under specific conditions		
Performance fees	This product does not charge any performance fees.	0 EUR

#### How long should I hold it and can I take money out early?

The recommended holding period is 7 years.

This has been defined on the basis of the sub-fund's asset mix (equities, bonds or a mix), risk profile and geographical exposure.

You can sell your shares in the sub-fund at any time. The decision to exit before the end of the recommended holding period may have a negative impact on the performance and risk profile of your investment.

The section "What are the costs?" provides information on the impact of costs over time.

All share subscription or redemption requests may be made prior to 3:00 p.m. (Belgian time) on each business day to Banque Degroof Petercam SA.

#### How can I complain?

Any complaint regarding the product or the conduct of its originator or the person who provides advice regarding this product or who sells it may be submitted in writing to DPAM, Service de Gestion des Plaintes, rue Guimard 18, 1040 Brussels, or by e-mail to [claimsDPAM@degroofpetercam.com](mailto:claimsDPAM@degroofpetercam.com).

All information on the complaint handling procedure of DPAM is available on the website <https://www.dpaminvestments.com/documents/complaints-procedure-enBE>.

#### Other relevant information

The information on the performance scenarios is updated monthly and published on [https://docs.publifund.com/monthlyperf/BE6344907405/en\\_AT](https://docs.publifund.com/monthlyperf/BE6344907405/en_AT).

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