

# SPARINVEST SICAV DEALING GUIDE – INSTITUTIONAL INVESTORS

#### Institutional account opening

For institutional investors subscribing for the first time, a quick custody account opening procedure by fax ensures the smooth running of operations. On request, Sparinvest S.A. in Luxembourg will forward an application form to institutional investors to enable them to open an account. This institutional application form can also be downloaded from Sparinvest website www.sparinvest.lu.

# Account opening documentation required

European Fund Administration S.A. (EFA) in Luxembourg will contact the investor in respect of account opening documentation required.

#### **Orders**

Orders can be managed via the fund platforms Fundsettle/Euroclear and Vestima/Clearstream or can be sent via fax to European Fund Administration S.A. the Transfer Agent of Luxembourg domiciled Sparinvest product range.

The Clearstream account of BCEE (the custodian of Sparinvest funds) is 10251.

#### Cut-off time

The daily cut-off time for order being sent to European Fund Administration S.A. is 3:00 p.m. (CET) on a bank business day in Luxembourg.

#### Minimum subscription amount

There is no minimum subscription amount for the retail share classes. Institutional share classes have a minimum initial subscription of EUR 5 million, 50 million or 100 million (or equivalent thereof if investing in a share class of another currency).

# Phone trading

Phone trading is not accepted.

# Subscription order

Any subscription order sent to EFA must state at least the following instructions:

- Name of sub-fund and share class
- ISIN code
- Amount for subscription or number of shares to be purchased
- Amount or percentage of the commission (if applicable)
- Account number in the register
- Reference of the order (if applicable)
- Authorised signature(s)

#### Redemption order

Any redemption order sent to EFA must state at least the following instructions:

- Name of sub-fund and share class
- ISIN code
- Amount or number of shares to redeem
- Account number in the register
- Reference of the order (if applicable)
- Standard payment instructions
- Authorized signature(s)

# **Queries / Requests**

Queries in respect of trades, contract notes and holdings should be addressed to TA Operations & Shareholders Services at European Fund Administration S.A.

#### **Transfer Agents contact details**

# European Fund Administration S.A.

TA Operations & Shareholders Services 2, rue d'Alsace L-1122 Luxembourg Group phone: + 352 48 48 80 9001 Fax: + 352 48 65 61 8002

Group e-mail: register.ta.ops@efa.eu

#### **Order Execution**

Orders received before the cut-off time on a Valuation Date will be dealt with on the basis of the relevant Net Asset Value established as of that Valuation Date.

#### Confirmations

Trades are confirmed by fax or SWIFT on the business day following traded date (T+1).

#### Settlement period

The settlement period for subscriptions and redemptions in the fund is 2 business days following trade date (T+2).

#### Fee structure

Subscription fee: calculated on the Net Asset Value of the shares to which a subscription request relates. Redemption fee: calculated on the Net Asset Value of the shares to which a redemption request relates. Switch fee: No conversion commission will be charged.

#### Reporting

Reporting of holdings held with European Fund Administration S.A. can be done by normal mail, fax or via SWIFT on a monthly basis.

#### Reference currency of sub-funds

The reference currency for all funds is EUR except for Long Danish Bonds which is DKK. Share classes are available in the following currencies: CHF, EUR, DKK, GBP, SEK, USD. Please refer to the prospectus as not all share classes are currently active.

#### **Bank details**

Please find below bank account details to be used:

CHF	
Bank	BCEE
SWIFT-Code	BCEELULL
Beneficiary Account name	Sparinvest SICAV
Beneficiary Account number	LU840019445532514000
Ref	Subscription in SPARINVEST (name of the sub-fund)
Correspondent Bank	ZÜRCHER KANTONALBANK Zürich (SWIFT: ZKBKCHZZ80A)

DKK	
Bank	BCEE
SWIFT-Code	BCEELULL
Beneficiary Account name	Sparinvest SICAV
Beneficiary Account number	LU490019445532535000
Ref	Subscription in SPARINVEST (name of the sub-fund)
Correspondent Bank	Danske Bank A/S, Copenhagen (SWIFT: DABADKKK)
EUR	
Bank	BCEE
SWIFT-Code	BCEELULL

Bank	BCEE
SWIFT-Code	BCEELULL
Beneficiary Account name	Sparinvest SICAV
Beneficiary Account number	LU210019445532416000
Ref	Subscription in SPARINVEST (name of the sub-fund)

GBP	
Bank	BCEE
SWIFT-Code	BCEELULL
Beneficiary Account name	Sparinvest SICAV
Beneficiary Account number	LU830019445532437000
Ref	Subscription in SPARINVEST (name of the sub-fund)
Correspondent Bank	BARCLAYS BANK PLC, London (SWIFT: BARCGB22)

GRP

SEK	
Bank	BCEE
SWIFT-Code	BCEELULL
Beneficiary Account name	Sparinvest SICAV
Beneficiary Account number	LU040019445532465000
Ref	Subscription in SPARINVEST (name of the sub-fund)
Correspondent Bank	SVENSKA HANDELSBANKEN AB, Stockholm (SWIFT: HANDSESS)

USD	
Bank	BCEE
SWIFT-Code	BCEELULL
Beneficiary Account name	Sparinvest SICAV
Beneficiary Account number	LU740019445532423000
Ref	Subscription in SPARINVEST (name of the sub-fund)
Correspondent Bank	CITIBANK N.A., New York (SWIFT: CITIUS33)
NOK	
Bank	BCEE
SWIFT-Code	BCEELULL
Beneficiary Account name	Sparinvest SICAV
Beneficiary Account number	LU220019445532493000
Ref	Subscription in SPARINVEST (name of the sub-fund)
Correspondent Bank	NORDEA BANK NORGE ASA, Oslo (SWIFT: NDEANOKK)

#### NAV

The sub-funds are priced daily - on each full bank business day (D) in Luxembourg.

#### **NAV** publication

Fund prices are published on (D+1) around 9:00 a.m. (CET). Sparinvest fund prices are listed in most well known Financial Media.

Prices are also available on the Sparinvest website www.sparinvest.lu.

#### Shareholders register

Shares are held under registered form as a record of entry in the register maintained by European Fund Administration S.A. Further to a nominee agreement with a distributor, the said sub-fund shares can be held separately in the register of a duly appointed nominee whose bulk holdings will be registered in the register maintained by European Fund Administration S.A. No custody fee will be charged by European Fund Administration S.A. to shareholders, in the case of the Luxembourg-based Sparinvest sub-funds.

#### Conversion between sub-fund/share classes

Shares of any class may be converted into shares of any other class of the same, or another, sub-fund, upon written instructions, addressed to the registered office of the Fund, the Registrar and Transfer Agent, the Distributor, the Nominee or any intermediary situated in a country where the Fund is marketed. No conversion commission will be charged.

Conversion requests received by European Fund Administration S.A. on a Valuation Date until 3:00 p.m. (CET) will be dealt with on the basis of the relevant Net Asset Value established as of that Valuation Date. Conversion requests received by European Fund Administration S.A. after 3:00 p.m. (CET) on a Valuation Date or on any day, which is not a Valuation Date, will be dealt with on the basis of the Net Asset Value of the next Valuation Date. Conversion of shares will only be made on the basis of the applicable subscription and redemption prices of the concerned classes calculated as of the first applicable common Valuation Date.

The rate at which shares in a given class are converted to shares of another class is determined in accordance with the following formula:

$$A = \frac{(B * C)}{E} * EX$$

A = The number of shares in the new class to be issued

B = The number of shares in the original class

C = The Net Asset Value per share of the original class

E = The Net Asset Value per share of the new class

EX = the exchange rate on the conversion day in question between the currency of the class to be converted and the currency of the class to be issued. In the case no exchange rate is needed the formula will be multiplied by 1.

An investor who converts shares through paying agents may be required to pay fees connected to the transactions processed by said paying agents in the jurisdictions in which shares are offered. Shareholders may be requested to bear the difference in subscription commission between the sub-fund they leave and the sub-fund of which they become shareholders, should the subscription commission of the sub-fund into which the shareholders are converting their shares be higher than the commission of the sub-fund they leave.

#### Taxation in Luxembourg

Institutional investors are, at present, not subject to any Luxembourg capital gains, income, withholding, gift, estate, inheritance or other tax with respect to shares owned by them. The fund is however subject to an annual tax of 0.05% on the aggregate Net Asset Value of the "retail" share classes and 0.01% on the aggregate Net Asset Value of the "institutional" share classes.

#### Dividend payment

Dividends will be paid (once or twice a year) for the distributing share classes. The dividend will be paid in the currency of the respective share classes.

## Standard reporting

Monthly factsheets outlining performance figures, sector-, country- and geographic breakdown can be provided to Sparinvest's clients on request. Such mailing is done electronically. These monthly factsheets are also available on Sparinvest website www.sparinvest.lu.

# Representative office of Sparinvest S.A. in France

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