# Arve Global Convertible Fund - CHF-I

Share Class CHF I: 95.65

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# FUND PROFILE

Arve Global Convertible Fund is an open-end investment fund incorporated in Luxembourg. The objective of the fund's investment policy is to achieve an increase in value through capital gains and interest income under consideration of the investment risks. The fund is actively managed. To achieve its investment objectives, the assets of Arve Global Convertible Fund are invested primarily in convertible bonds and warrant-linked bonds globally. The convertible bonds acquired for the Arve Global Convertible Fund securitize, in addition to a fixed rate of interest in various forms, the right to convert into shares of the company concerned. In the case of bonds with warrants, the right to interest and repayment as well as the right to acquire shares may exist side by side, ie the shares may be acquired by exercising the option in addition to the bond.

#### PERFORMANCE



							Since
	1 Month	6 Months	YTD	1 Year	3 Years	5 Years	Inception
Fund	-0.86%	-0.27%	1.96%	-6.20%	-3.31%	n/a	-4.35%
Reference Index <sup>1)</sup>	-0.01%	3.32%	3.49%	-2.69%	-1.33%	n/a	-0.76%

<sup>1)</sup> Refinitiv Global Focus IG (CHF hedged)

# MONTHLY RETURNS

	J	F	M	A	M	J	J	A	S	O	N	D	YTD
2019				0.32%	-1.12%	0.56%	-0.13%	-1.08%	0.00%	0.32%	0.48%	1.02%	0.35%
2020	-0.39%	-1.04%	-7.11%	3.22%	1.63%	1.03%	1.45%	1.07%	0.16%	0.18%	3.83%	1.88%	5.63%
2021	0.66%	0.37%	-0.33%	0.79%	-0.35%	0.33%	-0.61%	0.32%	-1.35%	0.89%	-0.78%	0.18%	0.08%
2022	-3.03%	-0.87%	0.27%	-2.82%	-1.51%	-3.78%	2.08%	-0.23%	-4.51%	1.28%	2.12%	-0.96%	-11.57%
2023	2.85%	-0.86%											1.96%

Past performance is not indicative of current or future performance. Returns may increase or decrease as a result of currency fluctuations. Data source: Bloomberg and Arve Asset Management AG.

# RISKS

Risk I	ndicator							
Low	er Risk						Higher I	₹isk
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The risk indicator is based on the assumption that you will hold the product for 5 years. If you redeem the investment early, the actual risk may differ significantly and you may get back less. The overall risk indicator helps you assess the risk associated with this product compared to other products. It shows how likely you are to lose money on this product because markets move in a certain way or we are unable to pay you out.

We have classified this product as risk class 2 on a scale of 1 to 7, where 2 corresponds to a low risk class. The risk of potential losses from future performance is classified as low. In the event of very adverse market conditions, it is highly unlikely that the ability to execute your redemption request will be impaired. **Please be aware of currency risk.** You will potentially receive payments in a different currency, so your final return may depend on the exchange rate between the two currencies. This risk is not considered in the indicator given above. Other risks not included in the risk indicator may be materially relevant: liquidity risk and operational risk. Please refer to the prospectus for further information. This product does not include protection against future market developments, so you could lose all or part of the invested capital.

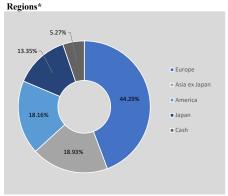
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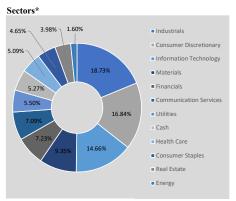
# KEY DATA

37.3370	Running Yield
30.37%	Effective Duration
14.88%	Number of Positions
	30.37%

Data source: Bloomberg and Arve Asset Management AG.

# **PORTFOLIO**







1) Internal Ratings (Estimation Fund Management)

\* The allocations may fluctuate over time.

Data source: Bloomberg and Arve Asset Management AG.

# STATISTICS (ANNUALIZED SINCE INCEPTION)

			Downside	Maximum		Sharpe	Sortino
	Return	Volatility	Volatility	Drawdown	VaR <sup>2)</sup>	Ratio	Ratio
Fund	-1.13%	5.22%	3.97%	-15.71%	0.76%	n/a	n/a
Reference Index	-0.19%	6.24%	4.77%	-16.99%	0.90%	n/a	n/a

Data source: Bloomberg and Arve Asset Management AG.

### 2) Parametric, 99%, 1-day

# FUND MANAGER COMMENT

February was characterized by a rise in interest rates in the USA and Europe of around 50 basis points. This was triggered by the continued robust labor market and stronger than expected inflation indicators. In the USA, for example, both consumer and producer price inflation exceeded forecasts. In addition, the Fed, the ECB and the BoE raised leading interest rates further, as expected, and once again rejected hopes of a forthcoming reversal. Thus, the "higher for longer" narrative slowly but surely gained the upper hand. The stock markets were initially unimpressed by the higher interest rates. Later, however, the S&P 500 Index weakened and ended the month 2.6% in the red. European equities continued to be robust, with the STOXX Europe 600 gaining almost 2% in February. This divergence was also supported by corporate profits: While fourth-quarter earnings in the U.S. fell slightly year-on-year, they rose somewhat in Europe, driven in particular by the energy sector. The Topix index in Japan was slightly up, while in Hong Kong profit-taking led to a decline of almost 10% after three strong months. Geopolitically, tensions between the U.S. and China increased following the spy balloon affair and rumors of possible Chinese arms supplies to Russia.

Convertible bond prices in general declined. The Refinitiv Global Focus Investment Grade Index, however, was able to narrowly hold its ground, thanks in particular to its high European weighting. Yet, the biggest contribution to the performance of the index came from the two bonds of Nippon Steel, which together had a weighting of 6% and again made strong gains. The fund also benefited from the rise of the Japanese steel producer, albeit to a lesser extent. In addition, Sika, MP Materials and Boral were the main positive contributors to performance. Anta Sports, Meituan, Southwest Airlines and Zhongsheng Motors weighed on results. The primary market was active, with several U.S. utilities with investment grade ratings (The Southern Co, PPL, Alliant Energy) issuing new convertibles alongside ON Semiconductor. In Europe, fresh paper included convertibles from Delivery Hero, the Swedish real estate company Balder and an exchangeable bond from FEMSA on Heineken. We divested from Adidas, Pharmaron and Hansoh Pharma. We also took profits in Voya and partially in Booking.com, Nippon Steel and Sika. New additions to the portfolio included MTU Aero Engines, Total, Enphase, Link REIT and PPL. The delta increased minimally to 37.5%, the effective duration was 1.56 and the average rating remained stable at BBB+.

# FUND FACTS

ISIN	LU1926966158
WKN	A2PA4P
Valor	45604379
Net Asset Value	95.65 CHF
Fund Size	118.31M EUR
Business Year-end	31.10.
Investment Type	Accumulating
Fund Domicile	Luxembourg
Legal Form	FCP (UCITS)
Inception Date	08.04.2019
Fund Inception Date	22.12.2008
Share Class Currency	CHF
Fund Currency	EUR
Distribution	CH/D/AT/LI/LU
Custodian	DZ PRIVATBANK S.A.
Management Company	IPConcept (Luxemburg) S.A.
Fund Manager	Arve Asset Management AG
Advisor	Reitelshöfer Vermögens-
	management GmbH
Duration	Unlimited

Data source: Bloomberg and Arve Asset Management AG.

# **FEES**

0.75% Management Fee Total Expense Ratio (TER) 1.16% Subscription Fee Up to 2.50% Redemption Fee

# **TOP 10 POSITIONS**

AMERICA MOVIL BV 0.00%/2024	2.53%
VEOLIA ENVIRONNEMENT SA 0.00%/2025	2.52%
SAGERPAR 0.00%/2026	2.17%
SCHNEIDER ELECTRIC SE 0.00%/2026	1.92%
DEUTSCHE POST AG 0.05%/2025	1.90%
AICA KOGYO CO LTD 0.00%/2027	1.83%
SIKA AG 0.15%/2025	1.69%
AMADEUS IT GROUP SA 1.50%/2025	1.63%
MERRILL LYNCH BV 0.00%/2026	1.60%
SOUTHWEST AIRLINES CO 1.25%/2025	1.50%

Data source: Bloomberg and Arve Asset Management AG.

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### **GLOSSAR**

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**Equity sensitivity (delta):** This key figure describes the change in a derivative in relation to the change in the underlying. For example, a 40% delta of the fund means that if all the equities underlying the convertible bonds in the fund are move up 1%, the fund theoretically moves 0.40% in the same direction - if all other characteristics remain unchanged.

**Conversion premium:** The conversion premium measures the distance between the price of the convertible bond and the conversion value (also called parity). It describes the premium you pay for the convertible bond compared to the underlying shares.

**Bond Floor:** The value of the bond without the conversion option.

Distance to Bond Floor: Indicates how much higher the convertible bonds are trading compared to the bond floors.

Running Yield: Puts the convertible bond's coupon in relation to its price.

Effective Duration: Measures the interest rate sensitivity of the convertible bond.

Volatility: Statistical parameter for fluctuations in prices, here the price of the fund share class.

Downside Volatility: Statistical measure of fluctuations in negative price changes, here the prices of thefund share class.

Maximum Drawdown: Describes the maximum loss to date from the historical high to the historical low of the share class.

VaR: Value at Risk. Describes, with a given probability level, the amount of loss within a period of time that with this probability is not exceeded.

Sharpe Ratio: The ratio measures the excess return (vs. a risk-free investment) in relation to the risk taken (volatility). It is used to estimate the risk ratio.

Sortino Ratio: Similar to the Sharpe Ratio, the Sortino Ratio measures excess return relative to risk, but includes only thefluctuations in negative returns.

Convertible Bonds: Convertible bonds are corporate bonds that offer a fixed interest payment and redemption value. In addition, the holder gets the right to convert the bond into the shares of the issuer.

Exchangeable Bonds: Exchangeable bonds are issued by one company but can be converted into shares of another company.

**Bonds with Warrants:** The right to interest and repayment as well as the right to acquire shares may exist side by side, ie the shares may be acquired by exercising the option in addition to the bond.

#### RISK GLOSSAR

#### Credit Risks:

The Fund may invest part of its assets in bonds. The issuers of these bonds may become insolventas a result of which the value of the bonds may be lost in whole or in part.

# **Liquidity Risks:**

The Fund may invest part of its assets in securities that are not traded on a stock exchange or similar market. Itcan be difficult to find a buyer for these papers in the short term. This may increase the risk of redemption of units being suspended.

# Counterparty Risks:

The Fund may enter into various transactions with counterparties. If a counterparty becomes insolvent, it can no longer or only partially settle the fund's open claims.

# Risks from the use of derivatives:

The Fund may use derivative transactions for the purposes set out under "Fund Profile" above. The increased opportunities from the use of derivatives come along with an increased risk of loss. Hedging against losses using derivatives can also negatively impact the fund's return.

#### Operational and custody risks:

The Fund may become a victim of fraud or other criminal activities. It may incur losses due to misunderstandings or mistakes by employees of the management company or external third parties or suffer from external events such as natural disasters. The custody of assets, especially abroad, can be associated with a risk of loss resulting from insolvency, breach of duty of care or abusive conduct by the custodian or any subcustodian.

A detailed description of the risks can be found in the "Risk information" section of the currently valid sales prospectus.

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