# Legends Fund

The Netherlands

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# **General information**

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Listing Agent	NIBC Bank N.V. Carnegieplein 4 2517 KJ The Hague The Netherlands
Depositary	Darwin Depositary Services B.V. 101 Barbara Strozzilaan 1083 HN Amsterdam The Netherlands

<sup>1</sup> On 11 January 2019, Custom House Fund Services (Netherlands) B.V. changed its name to Apex Fund Services (Netherlands) B.V.

# **General information** (continued)

Liquidity Provider

NIBC Bank N.V. Carnegieplein 4 2517 KJ The Hague The Netherlands

ENL - Agent and Principal Paying Agent

ABN AMRO Clearing Bank N.V. Gustav Mahlerlaan 10 1082 PP Amsterdam The Netherlands

# Historical multi-year overview

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	2018	2017	2016	2015	2014
(All amounts in EUR)					
Equity	31,794,888	36,042,621	30,870,303	25,445,409	23,978,982
Number of participations					
Class A	350,151	367,488	320,867	246,876	230,990
Class B	174	174	174	174	-
Equity per participation					
Class A	90.75*	98.03	96.15	102.98	103.92
Class B	90.76	98.03	96.15	102.98	-
Ongoing charges ratio					
(including incentive fee) Ongoing charges ratio	1.40%	1.44%	1.61%	1.54%	2.76%
(excluding incentive fee)	1.40%	1.44%	1.61%	1.54%	2.48%
Turnover ratio	32.24%	31.97%	24.18%	13.92%	60.27%
Performance of the Fund	(7.43%)	1.96%	(6.63%)	(0.91%)	5.07%
Weighted average number of					
participations	363,588	340,106	274,703	243,220	189,827
Net (loss)/profit					
Investment income	97,734	1,668	385	9,007	5
Indirect investment result	(2,191,860)	1,082,477	(1,137,117)	111,527	1,427,221
Expenses	(492,146)	(471,496)	(439,115)	(395,485)	(532,854)
Net (loss)/profit	(2,586,272)	612,649	(1,575,847)	(274,951)	894,372
Net (loss)/profit per participation					
Investment income	0.27	0.00	0.00	0.04	0.00
Indirect investment result	(6.03)	3.19	(4.14)	0.46	7.52
Expenses	(1.35)	(1.39)	(1.60)	(1.63)	(2.81)
Net (loss)/profit per participation	(7.11)	1.80	(5.74)	(1.13)	4.71
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\* The Class A participations are listed on Euronext Amsterdam, the regulated market of Euronext Amsterdam N.V. The market price as at 31 December 2018 is 90.00.

### **Fund Manager Report**

Legends Fund closed out the year at a total loss of 7.43%. We are by no means satisfied with the result, even though it does compare well with the HFRX Global Hedge Fund Index (euro hedged) which was down 9.93% for the year. Most importantly, we are standing at a crossroads from which the prospects for hedge funds look extremely compelling. We are approaching this opportunity with what we feel is the best possible portfolio of managers for the upcoming expected changing market environment. We strongly believe any investor should be wary of strategies that have worked well over the past five years and should seriously consider the active, risk managed, and value-added approaches despite their relative recent underperformance. We can be very clear about Legends Fund's results over the last 5 years. They have not been the results we were aiming for and have achieved for most of our 18-year history of investing in hedge funds. The last five years, investors would have been significantly better off by putting their money in a cheap 50/50 equity/bond index strategy. However, a new regime in markets is taking over now that central banks are withdrawing liquidity, interest rates are starting to normalise, and the growth outlook is less clear. This new regime is starting to offer a great amount of highly compelling investment opportunities to our managers. We encourage investors to look beyond the results of the past few years and to think about where they are going to achieve attractive positive returns going forward. With a significant share of the fund being our own capital, be assured that our interests are fully aligned with our investors' interests. We encourage investors to read our monthly reports for a full overview of the underlying managers and to stay abreast of market updates.

Most of the underlying funds in the portfolio are denominated in USD. We consistently hedge this risk to euros. This has been a significant drag on performance with an interest differential of 3% between Europe and the US. However, it does protect us from a weakening USD, which in our opinion is not an unlikely scenario.

The changes we made to the portfolio in 2018 have had a significant positive effect. We sold Glenview Capital because of its high equity market correlation. We avoided a significant downturn for the fund in the fourth quarter. Also, we redeemed out of Discovery Capital where we did not feel the manager would benefit our portfolio and also here we avoided a similar sized downturn in the last quarter. Finally, we sold our position in Transtrend Omnitrend Plus as we believed CTAs would not protect us in an equity market downturn. This proved correct and as a result we did not participate in the double digit losses posted by the fund. We added to our positions in Renaissance Institutional Equities Fund and added an equally sized position in the market-neutral Renaissance Institutional Diversified Global Equities Fund. Both funds did very well with positive gains, even in the fourth quarter. We aggressively increased our position with VR Global when we had the opportunity per September 1st. The manager made a slight profit in those last four months of the year, already quite an accomplishment given the market backdrop, but obviously we are in it because we expect much stronger prospective returns.

We are tremendously pleased to announce that Marc de Kloe has joined the Theta Team per 1 January. Many of you will know Marc from the annual Legends4Legends charity conference which we have been organising together. Marc has an extensive background in alternatives. For several years he rebuilt and headed the worldwide Alternatives efforts of ABN Amro Private Banking and more recently was COO at Adamas Asset Management, a private credit group in Hong Kong working in a joint venture with Ping An. With Marc on board we are fully prepared to address the great opportunity we see ahead of us in valued added strategies. We hope the letter gets across our excitement and we look forward to engaging with our investors in 2019.

# Fund Manager Report (continued)

### Risk management and willingness to take risks

In the table below we list the various risks to which investors in the Fund are exposed and we discuss the measures applied to manage these risks and their potential impact on the Fund's NAV.

Sorts of risks	Risk hedged	Measures applied and expected effectiveness	Expected impact on 2019 NAV if risk materializes	Impact on 2018 NAV	Adjustments to risk management in 2018 or 2019?
Price risk	No	Portfolio risk management as described in "Investment objective, policy and processes" is being applied and is expected to limit the price risk to a degree in line with the objective of achieving an annual return of Euribor +5%	As return volatility implies, we expect a 95% chance of NAV not declining by more than 11% (2 standard deviations below the mean) in a given year	The risk was comparable and the ultimate year result as well as the monthly results remained well within the expected range.	No
Interest rate risk	No	The fund has no interest bearing financial instruments except for cash at bank which is limited to a couple of percent max. Therefore, the Fund is not exposed to significant interest rate risk.	None	None	No
Foreign Exchange Risk	Yes	3 month forwards	Negligible	Negligible	No

### Fund Manager Report (continued)

Risk management and willingness to take risks (continued)

Liquidity Risk	Νο	Liquidity risk is mitigated by investing in hedge funds that offer sufficiently liquid redemption terms and that we expect to be able to meet those terms at all times	We would not expect an NAV impact if this risk would materialize. It could trigger the fund gate delaying the redemption window for exiting participants	No impact	No
Credit Risk	No	The fund has a credit facility with ABN Amro but limits the amount of credit to bridging purposes for new positions and FX settlements. ABN Amro has an A credit-rating and we would reconsider the arrangement would this change.	In theory the fund could lose the amount under the credit facility which, again in theory, could be as high as 20%. In practice we expect to keep credit limited to a couple of percent of NAV at any time.		

### General principles of remuneration policy :

Theta Fund Management B.V. maintains a careful, controlled and sustainable remuneration policy. The remuneration policy is consistent with and contributes to a sound and effective risk management and does not encourage risk taking beyond what is acceptable for Theta Fund Management B.V. or the funds under management.

The remuneration policy consists of a fixed and variable component that is at the discretion of management. The aggregate personnel cost for employees totaled EUR 418,823. The variable component of the personnel costs amounted to EUR 65,000.

### Control Statement

We declare as the manager of Legends Fund to have an AO/IB that meets the requirements of the "Wet op het Financiële Toezicht" and the "Besluit gedragstoezicht financiële ondernemingen ("Bgfo")".

During 2018 we assessed the various aspects of Legends Fund's operations as outlined in this AO/IB. We have not identified any internal control measures that do not meet the requirements of article 121 of the Bgfo and as such we declare that the operations in the year 2018 functioned effectively as described.

We expect no significant changes to this document for the year 2019.

### **Investment objective, policy and processes**

### INVESTMENT OBJECTIVE

Legends Fund (the "Fund") aims to provide individuals and institutional investors with an investment vehicle which targets average returns of approximately Euribor + 5% per annum. The Fund attempts to accomplish this objective by investing in a diversified portfolio of hedge funds (collective investment vehicles) and other investment structures which employ diverse investment styles and strategies.

### **INVESTMENT POLICY**

The Fund focuses on hedge funds that have an outstanding investment history and proven adaptiveness to changing market environments through various economic cycles. Many of these hedge funds have a minimum investment amount of more than EUR 10 million and therefore are not easily accessible for private investors. It is expected that a Fund Manager of an investment fund will have a track record of at least 10 years.

The Fund aims to achieve consistent high absolute returns on investment, irrespective of the direction of comparable publicly traded securities, i.e. to have limited correlation to general market risks. The Fund's portfolio will contain participations in between 10 and 20 hedge funds with no single investment in a fund representing 20% or more of the book value of the Fund's assets. Diversification is sought through the underlying market, securities, investment strategies, trading styles and regions, rather than the number of hedge funds.

The Fund invests primarily in investment funds based in established onshore and offshore financial centers, but will retain the flexibility to invest in funds established in other developing hedge fund markets if and when suitable opportunities arise. The Fund intends, in principle, to invest in investment funds established by hedge fund managers with strong and consistent track records.

The overall success of the Fund depends on (i) the ability of the Fund Manager in selecting hedge fund managers and to build a diversified investment portfolio amongst them, (ii) the hedge fund managers' ability to be successful in their strategies.

Below is a summary of investment strategies that fit into the profile of the Fund.

- Long-Short Equity Strategy;
- Event-Driven Strategy;
- Global Macro Strategy; and
- Relative Value and Credit Strategy.

### INVESTMENT PROCESS AND RISK MANAGEMENT PROCESS

In its investment process, the Fund Manager takes a predominantly bottom-up approach reflecting its belief that hedge fund managers are well equipped to capitalise on varying market conditions. In other words, the Fund Manager does not actively manage its portfolios according to pre-formulated return expectations for the different hedge fund investment strategies. Rather, the Fund Manager strives to select managers that have proven the ability to successfully exploit investment opportunities across various market environments and aims to compose portfolios of hedge funds with fundamentally different risk-return profiles to maximise the benefit of diversification. This approach endeavours to provide the Fund investors with capital appreciation and downside protection, at all times.

### **Investment objective, policy and processes** (continued)

### INVESTMENT PROCESS AND RISK MANAGEMENT PROCESS (CONTINUED)

#### Manager Selection and Due Diligence

The objective of the Fund Manager's selection process is to identify hedge fund managers with superior investment skills that have proven to operate successfully through different market environments. The selection process entails three levels of analysis, each with its own information requirements, documents and criteria. The selection process is supported by several databases, a qualitative information system and various tools (some proprietary) for quantitative fund analysis and stress-testing.

In the qualitative due diligence process the Fund Manager focuses on:

- independent mind, potential to generate uncorrelated returns, flexibility of investment approach;
- competitive edge in investment strategy, trading style;
- investment process;
- risk management; and
- background and experience.

The objective of performing quantitative analysis of a hedge fund track record is twofold: risk analysis and relative return analysis. To allow for the dynamism inherent in a fund's investment strategy, quantitative techniques cannot be applied in a strict and rigid manner, but a healthy dose of common sense and expert judgement is required.

The objective of the Fund Manager's operational due diligence process is to provide a transparent overview of the infrastructure supporting the trading strategy in terms of:

- People & organisation;
- Processes & systems; and
- Involvement of third party service providers.

Crucial elements in the operational risk assessment are reference checks, evaluation of portfolio marking-to-market and net asset value ("NAV") calculations, administrators and prime brokers.

#### Portfolio construction and risk management

In its portfolio construction, the Fund Manager is driven by the concept that it can only set the level of portfolio risk, and the market will dictate returns. The Fund Manager does not apply top-down (tactical) allocation based on relative return expectations across the various hedge fund strategies but takes a bottom-up approach where risk parameters on the portfolio level determine the allocation across individual hedge funds. Allocation limits to certain strategies, managers and market risks are applied to control concentration risk. This approach to portfolio construction complements the manager selection process, where the Fund Manager strives to select managers that are able to produce positive returns in all market environments. The process embodies an optimisation of the portfolio in which the Fund Manager aims to minimise concentration risk by focusing on cross-correlations between fund managers and strategies. The Fund Manager believes this disciplined, quantitative approach enables it to engineer risk-return profiles that match the clients' needs and preferences.

### Hedging Strategies

The Fund will make use of hedging strategies to hedge the currency risk in a particular Class. All Classes will be subject to the same investment objectives and strategy but will have a currency hedge strategy linked to the currency of the Class. The related hedging costs and the gains and losses attributable to the hedging transactions will be credited or charged to the Class on behalf of which such transactions are effected.

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## **Financial statements**

### **BALANCE SHEET**

(As at 31 December) (After profit appropriation)

(Αμει ρισμι αρρισριτατιοπ)	Note	31 December 2018 EUR	31 December 2017 EUR
Assets			
Investments			
Investments in investment funds		33,349,335	35,906,263
Derivative financial assets		58,609	278,686
	3	33,407,944	36,184,949
Current assets			
Due from broker	4	373,997	1,211,464
Other receivables		724	
		374,721	1,211,464
Total assets		33,782,665	37,396,413
Liabilities			
Current liabilities			
Due to bank (credit facility)	4	(1,825,511)	(127,070)
Accrued expenses and other payables	5	(162,266)	(130,023)
Due to broker	4	-	(1,096,699)
		(1,987,777)	(1,353,792)
Total liabilities		(1,987,777)	(1,353,792)
Total assets minus total liabilities		31,794,888	36,042,621
Equity			
Participants equity		33,917,016	35,578,477
Unappropriated (loss)/profit		(2,122,128)	464,144
Total equity	6	31,794,888	36,042,621

The accompanying notes are an integral part of these financial statements.

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### **INCOME STATEMENT**

(For the years ended 31 December)

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	Note(s)	2018 EUR	2017 EUR	
Investment result				
Direct investment result				
Dividend income		86,876	-	
Interest income	7	10,858	1,668	
	-	97,734	1,668	
Indirect investment result				
Realised gains on investments in investment funds	3, 9	173,677	1,035,847	
Realised (losses)/gains on derivative financial instruments	3, 9	(1,960,904)	1,392,093	
Unrealised losses on investments in investment funds	3, 9	(235,001)	(1,984,175)	
Unrealised (losses)/gains on derivative financial instruments	3, 9	(220,077)	597,599	
Foreign currency gains on translation	8	50,445	41,113	
	-	(2,191,860)	1,082,477	
Total investment (loss)/income	-	(2,094,126)	1,084,145	
Expenses				
Management fee	10, 11	(219,823)	(205,441)	
Other operational costs		(91,724)	(96,255)	
Administrator fees	10, 11	(48,726)	(47,945)	
Interest expense		(37,402)	(32,821)	
Depositary fees	10, 11	(27,225)	(27,225)	
Custody fee	10, 11	(20,204)	(27,406)	
Audit fee	10, 11	(17,545)	(18,755)	
Legal fee		(15,015)	(8,697)	
Bank charges	_	(14,482)	(6,951)	
Total expenses	-	(492,146)	(471,496)	
Net (loss)/profit	-	(2,586,272)	612,649	

The accompanying notes are an integral part of these financial statements.

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### STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS

(For the years ended 31 December)

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	Note	2018 EUR	2017 EUR
Cash flows from operating activities			
Net receipts from non-derivative financial assets			
at fair value through profit or loss		2,495,604	(2,985,842)
Net (receipts)/payments from derivative financial assets and		, - ,	()
liabilities		(1,960,904)	1,392,093
Interest received		10,134	1,668
Interest paid		(41,686)	(27,734)
Dividend received		86,876	-
Management fee paid		(220,729)	(199,809)
Administrator fees paid		(48,938)	(48,113)
Audit fee paid		(17,545)	(17,545)
Custody fee paid		(24,977)	(21,668)
Legal fee paid		(4,515)	(6,697)
Bank charges paid		(14,482)	(6,951)
Other general expenses paid		(87,031)	(139,215)
Net cash flows provided by/(used in) operating activities	-	171,807	(2,059,813)
Cash flows from financing activities			
Proceeds from sales of participations – Class A		308,487	8,659,119
Payments on redemptions of participations – Class A		(1,969,948)	(4,099,450)
Net cash flows (used in)/provided by financing activities	-	(1,661,461)	4,559,669
Net (decrease)/increase in cash		(1,489,654)	2,499,856
Cash at the beginning of the year		(12,305)	(2,553,274)
Foreign currency translation of cash positions		50,445	41,113
Cash at the end of the year	4	(1,451,514)	(12,305)
Total cash	-	(1,451,514)	(12,305)
Avalue's of each	-		
Analysis of cash Due from broker		373,997	1,211,464
Due to bank (credit facility)		(1,825,511)	(127,070)
Due to broker		(1,023,311)	(1,096,699)
Total cash	4	(1,451,514)	(12,305)

The accompanying notes are an integral part of these financial statements.

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### Notes to the financial statements

### **1. GENERAL INFORMATION**

Legends Fund (the "Fund") is structured as a common contractual fund in the Netherlands, established on 22 February 2011. The Fund commenced operations in March 2011.

The Fund may issue participations in various Classes, each denominated in different currencies and listed on different exchanges. All Classes are subject to the same investment objectives and strategies but will have a different hedge strategy linked to the currency of the Class. As at 31 December 2018 and 2017, Class A and Class B participations have been issued by the Fund. The Class A and Class B participations are denominated in Euro ("EUR"). The Fund is registered at the commercial register of the Chamber of Commerce of the Netherlands under number 27198870.

The Class A participations are listed on Euronext Amsterdam, the regulated market of Euronext Amsterdam N.V.

The Class B participations were created to facilitate "Pensioen Beleggen".

The investment objective of the Fund is to generate average investment returns of approximately Euribor + 5% per annum. The Fund attempts to accomplish this objective by investing in a diversified portfolio of hedge funds (collective investment vehicles) and other investment structures, which employ diverse investment styles and strategies. The Fund focuses on hedge funds that have an outstanding investment history and have proven adaptiveness to changing market environments through various economic cycles.

The Fund and the Fund Manager are subject to the supervision of the Netherlands Authority for the Financial Markets ("AFM") and the Dutch Central Bank ("DNB").

The Fund's investment activities are managed by Theta Fund Management B.V. (the "Fund Manager"), with the administration delegated to Apex Fund Services (Netherlands) B.V. (formerly known as Custom House Global Fund Services Limited) (the "Administrator").

The Fund had no employees during the years ended 31 December 2018 and 2017.

The financial statements have been authorised for issue by the Fund Manager 29 April 2019.

### 2. SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING PRINCIPLES AND POLICIES

### **Basis of preparation**

The financial statements of the Fund have been prepared in accordance with the reporting principles generally accepted in the Netherlands ("Dutch GAAP") including the guidelines for annual reporting (RJ) 615 and the statutory provisions concerning annual accounts contained in Part 9, Book 2 of the Dutch Civil Code. The financial statements have also been prepared in accordance with the requirements of the Dutch Financial Supervision Act ("FSA"), which came into force on 1 January 2007.

The financial statements are prepared on a fair value basis for financial investments, except those for which a reliable measure of fair value is not available. Other financial assets and liabilities and non-financial assets and liabilities are stated at amortised cost or historical cost.

Below is a summary of the accounting policies of the Fund.

### **Functional currency**

The financial statements are presented in Euro ("EUR"), which is the Fund's functional currency.

### **Recognition and measurement**

An asset is recognised in the balance sheet when it is probable that future economic benefits of the asset will flow to the Fund and the amount of the asset can be reliably measured. A liability is recognised in the balance sheet when it is probable that an outflow of resources embodying economic benefits will result from the settlement of a present obligation and the amount at which the settlement will take place can be measured reliably. Income is recognised in the income statement when an increase in future economic benefit related to an increase in an asset or decrease in a liability has arisen that can be measured reliably.

Expenses (including value added tax ("VAT"), where applicable) are recognised in the income statement when a decrease in future economic benefit related to a decrease in an asset or an increase in a liability has arisen that can be measured reliably.

### 2. SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING PRINCIPLES AND POLICIES (CONTINUED)

### Foreign exchange

Assets and liabilities denominated in currencies other than the EUR are converted to EUR at the exchange rates prevailing on the balance sheet date. Transactions in foreign currency are converted at the rates prevailing on the date of the transaction. Foreign currency exchange differences arising on translation and realised gains and losses on disposal or settlement of monetary assets and liabilities are recognised in the income statement.

### **Classification of participations**

The participations of the Fund are classified as equity. These participations are recognised and measured at the redemption amount. Any distribution of equity is recognised through equity.

### **Basis of valuation - policies in preparing the balance sheet**

Financial investments and financial derivatives are initially measured at fair value which is the fair value of the consideration given or received. Financial investments are subsequently re-measured at fair value.

Gains and losses arising from fair value changes are recognised in the income statement as 'realised gains/(losses) on investments in investment funds and derivative financial instruments' or 'unrealised gains/(losses) on investments in investment funds and derivative financial instruments'.

The Fund's investments in investment funds are valued based on the reporting received from the administrators of those funds. As at 31 December 2018, the value of investments in investment funds is the aggregate of the Fund's attributable share of the latest available (unaudited) NAV of the investment funds.

The profit or loss of the Fund on its investments in investment funds is the aggregate of the Fund's attributable share of the result of the investment funds. The Fund Manager may, if it thinks fit, make adjustments as a result of the different bases of determination of results applied by the investment funds.

Where an up-to-date value of an underlying investment fund is not available, or the valuation date does not coincide with that of the Fund, the Fund Manager will use an estimated value. As at 31 December 2018 and 2017, there were differences between the estimated and final valuations of certain underlying investment funds held by the Fund. The differences resulted in insignificant valuation differences as at 31 December 2018 and 2017 of EUR 46,346 and EUR 18,104 respectively in these financial statements. These immaterial valuation differences were not adjusted in these financial statements. The 31 December 2018 and 2017 figures are reported under the accounting treatment as per the prospectus and reflect the net asset value reported to shareholders at 31 December 2018 and 2017.

### Forward currency contracts

The Fund may use forward currency contracts to hedge the currency exposure. Details of hedging, if any, are disclosed in the financial investments and associated risk note. A forward currency contract involves an obligation to purchase or sell a specific currency at a future date, at a price set at the time the contract is made. Forward currency contracts are valued by reference to the forward price at which a new forward currency contract of the same size and maturity could be undertaken at the valuation date. The unrealised gain or loss on open forward currency contracts is calculated as the difference between the contract rate and this forward price.

### Receivables and prepayments

The value of accounts receivable and prepaid expenses will be deemed to be the full amount unless it is unlikely to be paid or received in full. Appropriate allowances for estimated irrecoverable amounts are recognised in the income statement when there is objective evidence that the asset is impaired. Cash is carried at face value.

### Payables and accruals

Payables and accruals and deferred income are included at fair value.

Cash

Cash comprises cash on hand and demand deposits. Cash also includes short-term, highly liquid investments that are readily convertible to known amounts of cash and which are subject to insignificant changes in value and are held for the purpose of meeting short-term cash commitments rather than for investment or other purposes.

### 2. SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING PRINCIPLES AND POLICIES (CONTINUED)

### Statement of cash flows

The statement of cash flows is prepared according to the direct method. The statement of cash flows shows the Fund's cash flows for the year divided into cash flows from operations and financing activities and how the cash flows have affected cash funds.

For the purposes of the statement of cash flows, financial instruments at fair value through profit or loss are included under operating activities. Cash flows from financing activities include proceeds from subscriptions and payments for redemptions of shares of the Fund. As the nature of the Fund is to invest in financial instruments, all cash flows related to investments are classified as cash flows from operating activities.

### Principles for determining the result

The Fund recognises financial assets and financial liabilities on the date it becomes a party to the contractual provisions of the instrument. A regular way purchase and sale of investments is recognised using trade date accounting.

The changes in value of investments in investment funds are accounted for in the income statement. The Fund uses forward currency contracts to limit the exchange rate risk. Forward currency contracts are accounted for as currency transactions. The change in value of forward currency contracts are also accounted for in the income statement.

Expenses are accounted for in the income statement on the accrual basis. Transaction costs in relation to investment funds are capitalised while transaction costs in relation to forward currency contracts are expensed immediately.

### Tax position

The Dutch tax authorities have granted a ruling confirming that the Fund is tax transparent. This implies that the Fund is not subject to corporate income tax. Distributions made by the Fund (for example in case of redemption by a participant) are not subject to dividend withholding tax.

### NOTES FOR INDIVIDUAL BALANCE SHEET ITEMS

3. Investments

Movement in schedule of investments

(All amounts in EUR)	31 December 2018	31 December 2017
(All amounts in EOR)	2010	2017
Investments in investment funds		
As at 1 January	35,906,263	33,868,749
Purchases	5,561,307	28,572,096
Sales	(8,056,911)	(25,586,254)
Realised	173,677	1,035,847
Unrealised	(235,001)	(1,984,175)
As at 31 December	33,349,335	35,906,263
Derivative financial instruments		
As at 1 January	278,686	(318,913)
Purchases	-	-
Sales	1,960,904	(1,392,093)
Realised	(1,960,904)	1,392,093
Unrealised	(220,077)	597,599
As at 31 December	58,609	278,686
Total investments		
As at 1 January	36,184,949	33,549,836
Purchases	5,561,307	28,572,096
Sales	(6,096,007)	(26,978,347)
Realised	(1,787,227)	2,427,940
Unrealised	(455,078)	(1,386,576)
As at 31 December	33,407,944	36,184,949

The table below provides an analysis of the forward currency contracts as at 31 December 2018:

(All amounts in EUR)

Expiration date	Contract currency	Bought	Contract currency	Sold	Contract rate*	Current rate*	Unrealised EUR
31/01/2019	EUR	8,160,499	USD	9,335,000	1.14392	1.14956	39,987
28/02/2019	EUR	5,970,741	USD	6,851,500	1.14751	1.15226	24,616
29/03/2019	EUR	5,487,715	USD	6,332,000	1.15385	1.15525	6,631
31/01/2019	USD	1,070,500	EUR	943,853	1.13418	1.14956	(12,625)
Total unrealised loss on open forward currency contracts							58,609

\* Showing the equivalent of 1 Euro.

The table below provides an analysis of the forward currency contracts as at 31 December 2017:

(All amounts in EUR)

Expiration date	Contract currency	Bought	Contract currency	Sold	Contract rate*	Current rate*	Unrealised EUR
31/01/2018	EUR	5,172,620	USD	6,053,000	1.17020	1.20241	138,555
28/02/2018	EUR	10,356,604	USD	12,312,500	1.18886	1.20437	133,374
29/03/2018	EUR	8,137,265	USD	9,811,100	1.20570	1.20670	6,757
Total unrealised gain on open forward currency contracts							278,686

\* Showing the equivalent of 1 Euro.

### NOTES FOR INDIVIDUAL BALANCE SHEET ITEMS (CONTINUED)

#### 3. Investments (continued)

The tables below provide an analysis of financial instruments that are measured subsequent to initial recognition at fair value based on how that fair value is determined.

31 December 2018		Quoted prices (unadjusted) in	Derived from Administrator
	Total EUR	active markets EUR	statements EUR
Investments in investment funds	33,349,335	3,559,636	29,789,699
Derivative financial liabilities	58,609	58,609	-
Total	33,407,944	3,618,245	29,789,699
31 December 2017		Quoted prices (unadjusted) in	Derived from Administrator
	Total	active markets	statements
	EUR	EUR	EUR
Investments in investment funds	35,906,263	3,223,108	32,683,155
Derivative financial liabilities	278,686	278,686	-
Total	36,184,949	3,501,794	32,683,155

### 4. Cash and due from/to broker/credit facility

As at 31 December 2018, cash comprise of balances owed to ABN AMRO Clearing Bank N.V. of EUR (1,825,511) (2017: EUR (127,070)). As at 31 December 2018 and 2017, no restrictions in the use of these balances exist.

Amounts due from the broker ABN AMRO Clearing Bank N.V. of EUR 373,997 (2017: EUR 1,211,464) which represents unsettled trades of EUR 227,892 (2017: EUR 1,211,464).

As at 31 December 2018, the Fund had no amounts due to the broker. As at 31 December 2017, amounts due to the broker ABN AMRO Clearing Bank N.V. of EUR 1,096,699. These amounts include short-term debt balances that may be collateralised by certain of the Fund's securities held with the broker.

ABN AMRO Clearing Bank N.V. has made available a credit facility for a total maximum net amount of EUR 4.5 million as of March 2017 (previously it was EUR 6.0 million until March 2017). The total credit facility drawdown may at no time exceed 20% of the financial instruments pledged by the Fund. The credit facility is interest bearing for debit balances in EUR at EONIA interest rate plus 145 basis points, and for USD debit balances at LIBOR plus 145 basis points. The Fund also pays ABN AMRO Clearing Bank N.V. a commitment fee per annum of 10 basis points over the approved credit facility, payable quarterly in arrears.

ABN AMRO Clearing Bank N.V. has made available to the Fund a treasury product facility. The treasury product facility may be used to enter into foreign exchange contracts and/or over the counter financial derivative transactions in order to cover foreign exchange risks and/or interest rate risks. The Fund may enter transactions in various currencies as agreed upon between the Fund and ABN AMRO Clearing Bank N.V. in a case by case basis. The maximum treasury product limit for foreign exchange contracts is EUR 2 million and the maximum transaction limit is EUR 20 million.

### NOTES FOR INDIVIDUAL BALANCE SHEET ITEMS (CONTINUED)

### 5. Accrued expenses and other payables

At 31 December 2018 and 2017, accrued expenses and other payables consist of the following:

(All amounts in EUR)	31 December 2018	31 December 2017
Management fee payable	(52,670)	(53,576)
Other payables	(45,512)	(20,166)
Audit fee payable	(17,545)	(17,545)
Administration fee payable	(13,733)	(13,945)
Regulator fees payable	(13,525)	(6,953)
Legal fee payable	(12,500)	(2,000)
Interest payable	(3,316)	(7,600)
Custody fee payable	(2,340)	(7,113)
Commitment fee	(1,125)	(1,125)
Total accrued expenses and other payables	(162,266)	(130,023)

### 6. Participations of the Fund

### Structure of the Fund's capital

The Fund is organised as a common contractual fund and is subject to Dutch law. The Fund may issue participations in various Classes denominated in different currencies and with a different listing. As at 31 December 2018 and 2017, Class A and Class B participations have been issued by the Fund. The Class A and Class B participations are denominated in EUR.

The Class A participations are listed on Euronext Amsterdam, the regulated market of Euronext Amsterdam N.V. The Class B participations were created to facilitate "Pensioen Beleggen".

The movement of equity in the participations during the year is as follows:

(All amounts in EUR)	2018	2017
Contributions of participants		
Balance at the beginning of the year	35,578,477	31,018,808
Issue of participations – Class A	308,487	8,659,119
Redemption of participations – Class A	(1,969,948)	(4,099,450)
Total contributions at the end of the year	33,917,016	35,578,477
Undistributed gain/(loss)		
Balance at the beginning of the year	464,144	(148,505)
Net (loss)/gain	(2,586,272)	612,649
Total undistributed (loss)/gain at the end of the year	(2,122,128)	464,144
Equity at the end of the year	31,794,888	36,042,621

### NOTES FOR INDIVIDUAL BALANCE SHEET ITEMS (CONTINUED)

### 6. Participations of the Fund (continued)

#### Subscriptions and redemptions

The Class A participations were issued at an initial subscription price of EUR 100 per participation and thereafter at the NAV. Prospective participants will be informed about the actual subscription charge on the website of the Fund (http://www.legendsfund.nl).

Unless otherwise determined by the Fund Manager, the minimum value of Class A participations which may be the subject of one subscription will be EUR 10,000 (or the equivalent thereof in the relevant other currency of the Class).

Class A participations may be redeemed as of the last business day of each calendar month, pursuant to written notice, which must be received by the administrator at least 90 calendar days prior to the redemption day.

The Fund is not obliged to redeem more than 10% of the total of the participations in issue in any Class on a redemption day.

Redemptions are subject to a redemption charge with a maximum of 3% of the NAV at the redemption day, which is due and payable to the Fund.

Unless otherwise determined by the Fund Manager, the minimum value of Class A participations which may be the subject of one redemption request will be EUR 10,000 (or the equivalent thereof in the relevant other currency of the Class).

For the convenience of investors, to create a market with orderly trading and to promote liquidity of the participations, the Fund has designated NIBC Bank N.V. as liquidity provider. The Fund has agreed, subject to certain limitations, to accept redemption of participations by the liquidity provider on each business day at the NAV for that business day.

The movement of the participations during the year ended 31 December 2018 is as follows:

	Participations at the beginning of the year	Participations issued	Participations redeemed	Participations at the end of the year
Class A	367,488	3,157	(20,494)	350,151
Class B	174			174
Total	367,662	3,157	(20,494)	350,325

The movement of the participations during the year ended 31 December 2017 is as follows:

	Participations at the beginning of the year	Participations issued	Participations redeemed	Participations at the end of the year
Class A	320,867	88,734	(42,113)	367,488
Class B	174			174
Total	321,041	88,734	(42,113)	367,662

### Rights and obligations

Each participation of a certain Class is entitled to one vote in the meeting of participants of that Class. Each participation denominated in EUR gives without exception, an entitlement to one vote in a meeting of participants of the Fund. Participations denominated in a currency other than the EUR will have voting power in a meeting of participants depending on the relevant exchange rate against the EUR on the most recent business day prior to the day on which the votes are cast.

### NOTES FOR INDIVIDUAL BALANCE SHEET ITEMS (CONTINUED)

### 6. Participations of the Fund (continued)

### Capital management

The Fund's objectives when managing capital are to safeguard the Fund's ability to continue as a going concern in order to provide returns for participants and benefits for other stakeholders and to maintain an optimal capital structure to reduce the cost of capital. In order to maintain or adjust the capital structure, it is not expected that the Fund will declare any dividends. All earnings will normally be retained for investments. However, the Fund reserves the right to declare dividends or make distributions if the Fund Manager so decides.

### NOTES FOR INDIVIDUAL INCOME STATEMENT ITEMS

### 7. Interest income

Interest income relates to the interest on bank deposits.

### 8. Foreign currency gains on translation

Realised and unrealised exchange differences consist of realised and unrealised translation gains and losses on assets and liabilities other than financial assets and liabilities.

For the year ended 31 December 2018, this amounted to gains of EUR 50,445 (2017: gains of EUR 41,113). The following average and closing rates have been applied in the preparation of these financial statements (the equivalent of one euro is shown):

	2018		201	7
	Average	Closing	Average	Closing
(Showing the equivalent of 1 euro)				
United States Dollar	1.1809	1.1469	1.1297	1.2005
9. Investment return				
		2018		2017
(All amounts in EUR)	Profit	Loss	Balance	Balance
Investment funds				
Realised result	759,463	(585,786)	173,677	1,035,847
Unrealised result	4,298,027	(4,533,028)	(235,001)	(1,984,175)
	5,057,490	(5,118,814)	(61,324)	(948,328)
Derivative financial instruments				
Realised result	-	(1,960,904)	(1,960,904)	1,392,093
Unrealised result	-	(220,077)	(220,077)	597,599
	-	(2,180,981)	(2,180,981)	1,989,692
Total result	5,057,490	(7,299,795)	(2,242,305)	1,041,364

### NOTES FOR INDIVIDUAL INCOME STATEMENT ITEMS (CONTINUED)

### 10. Costs

The Fund makes use of various parties for management, administration and custody services. The table below provides a breakdown of expenses for the years ended 31 December 2018 and 2017.

(All amounts in EUR)	2018	2017
Expenses accruing to Fund Manager		
Management fee	(219,823)	(205,441)
Other expenses		
Other operational costs*	(91,724)	(96,255)
Administration fee	(48,726)	(47,945)
Interest expense	(37,402)	(32,821)
Depositary fees	(27,225)	(27,225)
Custody fee	(20,204)	(27,406)
Audit fee	(17,545)	(18,755)
Legal fee	(15,015)	(8,697)
Bank charges	(14,482)	(6,951)
Total	(492,146)	(471,496)

\* Other operational costs include regulator fees of EUR 15,713 (2017: EUR 15,713), liquidity provider fees of EUR 26,313 (2017: EUR 25,000), professional fees of EUR 16,854 (2017: EUR 13,750), listing fees of EUR 10,346 (2017: EUR 9,851), compliance fees of EUR 12,499 (2017: EUR 17,546), commitment fees of EUR 4,500 (2017: EUR 2,395), transfer agency fees of EUR 2,699 (2017: EUR 9,200) and Euronext fees of EUR 2,800 (2017: EUR 2,800).

The basis on which various costs are charged to the Fund are disclosed in detail in the Prospectus. It is a Dutch regulatory requirement to disclose any differences between actual costs and the costs disclosed in the Prospectus. During the financial year ended 31 December 2018 and 2017, all costs actually charged to the Fund were in accordance with the costs disclosed in the Prospectus.

During the year, the Fund also incurred the following costs which are not detailed in the Prospectus such as custody fees of EUR 20,204 (2017: EUR 27,406), legal fees of EUR 15,015 (2017: EUR 8,697), depositary fees of EUR 27,225 (2017: EUR 27,225), bank charges of EUR 14,482 (2017: EUR 6,951) and other general expenses of EUR 6,000 (2017: EUR 6,000).

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### NOTES FOR INDIVIDUAL INCOME STATEMENT ITEMS (CONTINUED)

### **10.** Costs (continued)

#### Ongoing charges ratio

The ongoing charges ratio is the ratio of the total costs to the average net assets of the Fund. The average net assets are based on the Fund's net assets at each calculation of the NAV i.e., daily.

For the year ended 31 December 2018, the ongoing charges ratio for the Fund is as follows:

Ongoing charges ratio including incentive fees	1.40%
Ongoing charges ratio excluding incentive fees	1.40%
Ongoing charges ratio including expenses of underlying funds	2.53%
Ongoing charges ratio excluding incentive fees of the Fund and of the underlying funds	2.33%
For the year ended 31 December 2017, the ongoing charges ratio for the Fund is as follows:	2017
Ongoing charges ratio including incentive fees	1.44%
Ongoing charges ratio excluding incentive fees	1.44%
Ongoing charges ratio including expenses of underlying funds	3.97%
Ongoing charges ratio excluding incentive fees of the Fund and of the underlying funds	2.84%

#### Turnover factor

For the year ended 31 December 2018, the turnover factor for the Fund is 32.24% (2017: 31.97%). The turnover factor is calculated by adding total purchases and sales, subtracting total subscriptions plus total redemptions and dividing the total by the daily average NAV.

### **11. RELEVANT CONTRACTS**

### **Fund Manager**

#### Management agreement

Theta Fund Management B.V. acts as the Fund Manager to the Fund. The Fund Manager is entitled to an annual management fee of 0.625% of the total NAV of a Class. The management fee accrues on each business day by reference to the NAV on that day and is paid quarterly in arrears on the last business day of March, June, September and December. Details of management fees charged for the year are disclosed in the income statement.

The Fund Manager is also entitled to an annual incentive fee calculated per Class equal to 5% of the amount by which the NAV at the end of the financial year of the Fund exceeds the High Water Mark (the "HWM").

HWM means the highest NAV that the Fund has reached at the end of any previous financial year.

In calculating the incentive fee in an absolute amount:

1) an equitable adjustment is made for participations subscribed and redeemed during the financial year; and 2) any distributions paid to participants during the financial year are added back.

The incentive fee is payable to the Fund Manager as to 90% of the estimated amount thereof one month after the end of the relevant financial year. The balance is payable within 14 days following completion of the audit of the accounts for the relevant financial year. On redemption of participations during the year an amount equal to the incentive fee accrued to the date of redemption in respect of such participations shall be due to the Fund Manager. No incentive fee is charged when the NAV, including distributions, at the end of a financial year is below the HWM.

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### 11. RELEVANT CONTRACTS (CONTINUED)

### Administrator

The Fund has entered into an administration agreement with Apex Fund Services (Netherlands) B.V. (formerly known as Custom House Global Fund Services Limited). The Administrator charges a fee based on 0.12% of the NAV of the Fund up to EUR 100 million, 0.10% of the NAV between 100 million and 200 million and 0.08% on the NAV above EUR 200 million. There is a minimum fee of EUR 40,000 per year. All fees are excluding VAT. Details of administration fees charged for the year are disclosed in the income statement.

### **Custody services**

The current annual fee charged by ABN AMRO Clearing Bank N.V. equals 0.04% per annum. The Fund will be subject to a minimum fee of EUR 6,000 (excluding VAT) per annum.

### **Independent Auditor**

The Fund appointed Ernst & Young Accountants LLP as the Independent Auditor. The Independent Auditor's remuneration consists of EUR 17,545 (2017: EUR 18,755) audit fee (including VAT) for the audit of the financial statements. The Independent Auditor does not provide any non-audit services or other audit services to the Fund.

### Depositary

The Fund has entered into a depositary agreement with Darwin Depositary Services B.V. The Depositary charges an annual fee of EUR 22,500 (excluding VAT), payable quarterly in advance, for depositary services provided to the Fund. Details of depositary fees charged for the year are disclosed in the income statement.

### **12. RELATED PARTY TRANSACTIONS**

Related party transactions are transfers of resources, services or obligations between related parties and the Fund, regardless of whether a price has been charged. Parties are considered to be related if one party has the ability to control the other party or exercise significant influence over the other party in making financial or operational decisions or is part of key management of the Fund. The following provides details on the related parties of the Fund and transactions with the related parties.

### **Fund Manager**

The following transactions occurred between the Fund and the Fund Manager during the reporting years.

Transactions from 1 January 2018 to 31 December 2018 and balances as at 31 December 2018

Paid EUR	
Management fee 220,729	52,670
Transactions from 1 January 2017 to 31 December 2017 and balances as at 31 December 2017 Paid EUR	Balance
Management fee 199,809	53,576

As per 31 December 2018, one of the Directors of the Fund Manager holds 10,690 (2017: 10,690) shares in the Fund.

### 13. FINANCIAL INVESTMENTS AND ASSOCIATED RISKS

The Fund's activities expose it to a variety of financial risks: market risk (including market price risk, interest rate risk and currency risk), credit risk and liquidity risk.

The investment funds, to which the Fund subscribes, may also indirectly expose the Fund to the financial risks as detailed above and because of this indirect exposure the financial risks discussed herein may not fully indicate the total exposure of the Fund.

### Market risk

Market risk is the risk that the fair value or future cash flows of a financial instrument will fluctuate as a result of changes in market prices whether those changes are caused by factors specific to the individual security or its issuer or factors affecting all securities traded in the market. Market risk comprises market price risk, interest rate risk and currency risk. The Fund's exposure to market risk relates to the Fund's investments in investment funds. The Fund's market risk is managed through diversification of the investments in investment funds. For further explanation of the investment objectives, policies and processes, refer to pages 8 and 9 of this annual report.

#### Interest rate risk

Interest rate risk is the risk that the fair value or future cash flows of a financial instrument will fluctuate because of changes in market interest rates. The Fund has no interest bearing financial instruments except for cash at bank which is subject to normal market related short-term interest rates. Therefore, the Fund is not exposed to significant interest rate risks.

### **Currency risk**

Currency risk is the risk that the fair value or future cash flows of a financial instrument will fluctuate because of changes in foreign exchange rates. Currency risk exposure arises from the Fund investing in financial instruments and entering into transactions which are denominated in currencies other than its functional currency. At 31 December 2018, 42.9% of the investments in investment funds are denominated in EUR (2017: 34.1%) and 57.1% are denominated in USD (2017: 65.8%).

The Fund uses forward rate contracts to mitigate the foreign currency exchange risk. This hedging strategy is intended to substantially mitigate the currency risk but does not eliminate such risk.

The Fund uses forward currency contracts in order to manage the currency risk exposure of foreign currency positions. The forward currency contracts are settled on a gross basis and as such the Fund has a settlement risk of EUR 18.7 million (2017: EUR 23.7 million).

The currency exposure of the Fund at 31 December 2018 and 2017 is as follows:

	2018			2017		
	Net position EUR	Notional amount forwards EUR	Total currency exposure EUR	Net position EUR	Notional amount forwards EUR	Total currency exposure EUR
Currency						
United States Dollar	19,196,300	(18,675,103)	521,197	24,218,727	(23,666,489)	552,238

All forward contracts will mature within 3 month(s) (2017: 3 months). The notional amounts represent the undiscounted cash flow at the maturity date.

### 13. FINANCIAL INVESTMENTS AND ASSOCIATED RISKS (CONTINUED)

### Credit risk

Credit risk is the risk that a counterparty to a financial instrument will fail to discharge an obligation or commitment that it has entered into with the Fund. It arises from derivative financial assets, cash and other receivables. The carrying values of financial assets (excluding any investments in investment funds) best represent the maximum credit risk exposure at the reporting date and amount to EUR 373,997 (2017: EUR 8,965,373).

All transactions of the Fund are cleared by ABN AMRO Clearing Bank N.V. representing a concentration risk. Bankruptcy or insolvency of ABN AMRO Clearing Bank N.V. may cause the Fund's rights with respect to the cash and/or its investments to be delayed or limited. The Fund regularly monitors its risk by monitoring the credit quality of ABN AMRO Clearing Bank N.V. as reported.

As at 31 December 2018, the credit rating of ABN AMRO Clearing Bank N.V. is 'A' (2017: 'A'), as determined by Standard and Poor's. If the credit quality or the financial position of this entity deteriorates significantly the Investment Manager will deal with another provider.

### Liquidity risk

Liquidity risk is the risk that the Fund will encounter difficulty in meeting obligations arising from its financial liabilities.

The Fund's Prospectus provides for the daily creation and monthly cancellation of participations and it is therefore exposed to liquidity risk of meeting participant's redemptions. To manage this liquidity risk the Fund has a 90 day notice period for the participants. In addition, the Fund is not obliged to redeem more than 10% of the total participations in a Class in issue on any dealing day.

The Fund is exposed to liquidity risk as the investments of the Fund in investment funds cannot immediately be converted into cash. The liquidity risk involved with the investment funds will be dependent on the redemption policies of the individual investment funds. Some of the investment funds may be or become illiquid, and the realisation of investments from them may take a considerable time and/or be costly. The Fund's investments in such investment funds may not be readily realisable and their marketability may be restricted, in particular because the investment funds may have restrictions that allow redemptions only at specific infrequent dates with considerable notice periods, and apply lock-ups and/or redemption fees.

The liquidity risk is significantly reduced because the Fund diversifies its investments across different investment funds.

The Fund Manager may borrow to meet its liquidity requirements (see note 4 for further details).

The Fund's other liabilities are short-term in nature.

### Specific instruments

### Derivative financial instruments

The notional amounts of certain types of derivative financial instruments including forward contracts provide a basis for comparison with instruments recognised on the statement of financial position, but they do not necessarily indicate the amounts of future cash flows involved or the current fair value of the instruments and therefore do not indicate the Fund's exposure to credit or market price risk. These derivative instruments become favourable (assets) or unfavourable (liabilities) as a result of fluctuations in market prices, market interest rates or foreign exchange rates relative to their terms. The aggregate contractual or notional amount of derivative financial instruments on hand, the extent to which instruments are favourable or unfavourable, and thus the aggregate fair value of derivative financial assets and liabilities can fluctuate significantly from time to time.

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### 13. FINANCIAL INVESTMENTS AND ASSOCIATED RISKS (CONTINUED)

### **Specific instruments** (continued)

### Derivative financial instruments (continued)

As at 31 December 2018 and 2017, the Fund holds the following derivative financial instruments:

#### Forward contracts

Forward contracts are commitments to either purchase or sell a designated financial instrument, currency, commodity or an index at a future date for a specified price and may be settled in cash or another financial asset. Forward contracts are individually traded over-the-counter contracts and result in credit exposure to the counterparty.

Forward contracts result in exposure to market risk based on changes in market prices relative to contracted amounts. Market risks arise due to the possible movement in foreign currency, exchange rates, indices, and securities' values underlying these instruments. In addition, because of the low margin deposits normally related to contract sizes, a high degree of leverage may be typical of a forward trading account. As a result, a relatively small price movement in an underlying forward contract may result in substantial losses to the Fund. Forward contracts are subject to liquidity risk. See note 3 for an analysis of the forward currency contracts at 31 December 2018 and 2017.

### **14. SOFT DOLLAR ARRANGEMENTS**

A 'soft dollar arrangement' applies when a (financial) service provider offers services and products (such as research and information services) to an asset manager in exchange for executing certain securities transactions. The Fund Manager had no soft dollar arrangements during the years ended 31 December 2018 and 2017.

### **15. SCHEDULE OF INVESTMENTS BY INVESTMENT STRATEGY**

	2018 EUR	% of equity	2017 EUR	% of equity
Strategy				
Relative Value & Credit	14,233,325	44.8	9,966,385	27.7
Global Macro	9,370,127	29.5	13,367,192	37.1
Long/Short Equity	5,384,568	16.9	5,805,614	16.0
Event Driven	4,361,315	13.7	6,767,072	18.8
	33,349,335	104.9	35,906,263	99.6

### **16. PROVISION OF INFORMATION**

This annual report and the Prospectus of the Fund are available free of charge from the Fund Manager or available for download free of charge from the Fund's website: <u>http://www.legendsfund.nl</u>.

### **17. DATE OF AUTHORISATION**

The financial statements have been authorised for issue by the Fund Manager in Amsterdam on 29 April 2019.

### **18. EVENTS AFTER THE BALANCE SHEET DATE**

No material events occurred after the balance sheet date that could influence the transparency of the financial statements.

# **Investment portfolio as at 31 December 2018**

Assets	Currency	Fair value EUR	% of equity
Investment funds			
Andurand Comm Fund	USD	1,477,206	4.6
Autonomy Global Macro Fund	USD	3,609,285	11.4
Brevan Howard Fund Ltd.	EUR	1,984,563	6.2
Egerton Long Short Fund	EUR	2,629,178	8.3
King Street Capital Ltd.	USD	45,808	0.2
Lansdowne Developed Markets Fund Ltd.	EUR	2,755,390	8.7
Millennium International Ltd.	EUR	4,634,731	14.6
Moore Global Investments Ltd.	EUR	2,299,073	7.2
Paulson Enhanced Ltd.	USD	410,989	1.3
Pershing Square Holdings Ltd.	USD	1,984,370	6.2
Renaissance Global LP	USD	4,358,769	13.7
Third Point Offshore Investment	USD	1,575,265	5.0
Third Point Ultra Class D	USD	390,691	1.2
VR Global Offshore Fund	USD	5,194,017	16.3
		33,349,335	104.9

## **Investment portfolio as at 31 December 2017**

Assets		Fair value	% of
	Currency	EUR	equity
Investment funds			
Andurand Comm Class A	USD	1,790,068	5.0
Autonomy Global	USD	2,957,960	8.2
Brevan Howard Fund Ltd.	EUR	1,791,384	5.0
Discovery Global Opportunity Fund	USD	2,143,363	5.9
Egerton Long Short Fund	EUR	2,754,062	7.6
Glenview Capital Partners Ltd.	USD	2,599,474	7.2
King Street Capital Ltd.	USD	75,102	0.2
Lansdowne Developed Markets Fund Ltd.	EUR	3,051,551	8.5
Millennium International Ltd.	USD	3,707,359	10.3
Moore Global Investments Ltd.	EUR	3,348,022	9.3
Paulson Enhanced Ltd.	USD	504,702	1.4
Pershing Square Holdings Ltd.	USD	1,365,053	3.8
Renaissance Global LP CI S USD Temp	USD	3,790,259	10.5
Transtrend Fund Alliance - Omnitrend Plus	EUR	1,336,395	3.7
Third Point Offshore Investment	USD	1,858,055	5.2
Third Point Ultra Class D	USD	439,789	1.2
VR Global Offshore Fund	USD	2,393,665	6.6
		35,906,263	99.6

### **Other information**

### Provisions of the Prospectus on distribution policy

The Fund Manager does not intend to distribute any income of the Fund to its participants. The Fund Manager shall have sole discretion whether to distribute any income of the Fund or whether to retain it within the Fund.

### Interests held by the Directors

As at 31 December 2018, one of the Directors of the Fund Manager holds 10,690 (2017: 10,690) shares in the Fund. The Directors also hold shares in the following underlying investment funds:

Asset Name	31 December 2018	31 December 2017
<ul> <li>Andurand Commodities Fund Class A April 13 Series</li> </ul>	153.2050 shares	153.2050 shares
<ul> <li>Autonomy Global Macro Fund Limited General Series Shares</li> </ul>	1,916.0236 shares	1,916.0236 shares
<ul> <li>Discovery Global Focus Fund Ltd. Class A 01 2017 T</li> </ul>	_ 1	2,557.2047 shares
<ul> <li>Discovery Global Focus Fund Ltd. Class A 02 2017 T</li> </ul>	- 1	41.7306 shares
<ul> <li>Discovery Global Focus Fund Ltd. Class A 04 2017 T</li> </ul>	- 1	136.7861 shares
<ul> <li>Glenview Capital Partners Class H/73</li> </ul>	188.3763 shares <sup>2</sup>	188.3763 shares
Lansdowne Developed Markets (EUR) Fund Limited	9.4878 shares	9.4878 shares
<ul> <li>Lansdowne Developed Markets (USD) Fund Limited Class R (Restricted)</li> </ul>	398.8259 shares	398.8259 shares
<ul> <li>Lansdowne Developed Markets Strategic (EUR) Fund Limited Class R Series 10</li> </ul>	1,652.6044 shares	1,652.6044 shares
<ul> <li>Millenium International Fund Class FF Sub-Class 3 Series 01A</li> </ul>	84.8727 shares	84.8727 shares
<ul> <li>Moore Global Investments Ltd. Class G (USD)</li> </ul>	44.6923 shares	44.6923 shares
<ul> <li>Moore Global Investments Ltd. Class H (EUR)</li> </ul>	131.0384 shares	203.4385 shares
<ul> <li>Pershing Square Holdings Ltd.</li> </ul>	19,317.0000 shares	19,317.0000 shares
Renaissance Institutional Diversified Alpha Fund	355.5722 shares	355.5722 shares
<ul> <li>Third Point Ultra</li> </ul>	136.8071 shares	-
<ul> <li>Third Point Ultra Class D Series 14</li> </ul>	299.1543 shares	190.0000 shares
<ul> <li>Third Point Ultra Class D Series 33</li> </ul>	-	110.0000 shares
<ul> <li>VR Global Offshore Fund Class A 0599</li> </ul>	18.0984 shares	13.5259 shares

<sup>1</sup> During 2018, the Fund redeemed its holdings in this underlying investment fund and the Directors sold their shares in this underlying investment fund also.

<sup>2</sup> During 2018, the Fund redeemed its holdings in this underlying investment fund.

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### **Other information** (continued)

### General principles of remuneration policy

Theta Fund Management B.V. maintains a careful, controlled and sustainable remuneration policy. The remuneration policy is consistent with and contributes to a sound and effective risk management and does not encourage risk taking beyond what is acceptable for Theta Fund Management B.V. or the funds under management. The remuneration policy consists of a fixed and variable component that is at the discretion of management.

The remuneration policy consists of a fixed and variable component that is at the discretion of management. The aggregate personnel cost for employees totaled EUR 418,823. The variable component of the personnel costs amounted to EUR 65,000.

### **Other information** (*continued*)

### Independent auditor's report

### To: the participants and investment manager of Legends Fund

# Report on the audit of the financial statements 2018 included in the annual report

### Our opinion

We have audited the financial statements 2018 of Legends Fund, based in Amsterdam, The Netherlands.

In our opinion the accompanying financial statements give a true and fair view of the financial position of Legends Fund as at 31 December 2018, and of its result and its cash flows for 2018 in accordance with Part 9 of Book 2 of the Dutch Civil Code.

The financial statements comprise:

- The Financial statements as at 31 December 2018
- The following statements for 2018: Profit and loss statement and cash flow statement
- The notes comprising a summary of the significant accounting policies and other explanatory information

### Basis for our opinion

We conducted our audit in accordance with Dutch law, including the Dutch Standards on Auditing and in accordance with the International Standards on Auditing. Our responsibilities under those standards are further described in the Our responsibilities for the audit of the financial statements section of our report.

We are independent of Legends Fund in accordance with in accordance with the Wet toezicht accountantsorganisaties (Wta, Audit firms supervision act), the Verordening inzake de onafhankelijkheid van accountants bij assurance-opdrachten (ViO, Code of Ethics for Professional Accountants, a regulation with respect to independence) and other relevant independence regulations in the Netherlands. Furthermore we have complied with the Verordening gedrags- en beroepsregels accountants (VGBA, Dutch Code of Ethics).

We believe the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion.

### Report on other information included in the annual report

In addition to the financial statements and our auditor's report thereon, the annual report contains other information that consists of:

General information;

Historical multi-year overview;

Fund managers report (the management board's report);

Investment objective, policy and processes;

Other information pursuant to Part 9 of Book 2 of the Dutch Civil Code.

Based on the following procedures performed, we conclude that the other information: Is consistent with the financial statements and does not contain material misstatements; Contains the information as required by Part 9 of Book 2 of the Dutch Civil Code.

### **Other information** (continued)

### Independent auditor's report (continued)

We have read the other information. Based on our knowledge and understanding obtained through our audit of the financial statements or otherwise, we have considered whether the other information contains material misstatements. By performing these procedures, we comply with the requirements of Part 9 of Book 2 of the Dutch Civil Code and the Dutch Standard 720. The scope of the procedures performed is less than the scope of those performed in our audit of the financial statements.

The manager of the investment entity is responsible for the preparation of the other information, including the fund manager report in accordance with Part 9 of Book 2 of the Dutch Civil Code and other information pursuant to Part 9 of Book 2 of the Dutch Civil Code.

### Description of responsibilities for the financial statements

### Responsibilities of the manager of the investment entity for the financial statements

The manager of the investment entity is responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of the financial statements in accordance with Part 9 of Book 2 of the Dutch Civil Code. Furthermore, the manager is responsible for such internal control as the manager determines is necessary to enable the preparation of the financial statements that are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

As part of the preparation of the financial statements, the manager is responsible for assessing the investment entity's ability to continue as a going concern. Based on the financial reporting framework mentioned, the manager should prepare the financial statements using the going concern basis of accounting unless the manager either intends to liquidate the investment entity or to cease operations, or has no realistic alternative but to do so. The manager should disclose events and circumstances that may cast significant doubt on the investment entity's ability to continue as a going concern in the financial statements.

### Our responsibilities for the audit of the financial statements

Our objective is to plan and perform the audit assignment in a manner that allows us to obtain sufficient and appropriate audit evidence for our opinion.

Our audit has been performed with a high, but not absolute, level of assurance, which means we may not have detected all material errors and fraud.

Misstatements can arise from fraud or error and are considered material if, individually or in the aggregate, they could reasonably be expected to influence the economic decisions of users taken on the basis of these financial statements. The materiality affects the nature, timing and extent of our audit procedures and the evaluation of the effect of identified misstatements on our opinion.

We have exercised professional judgment and have maintained professional skepticism throughout the audit, in accordance with Dutch Standards on Auditing, ethical requirements and independence requirements. Our audit included e.g.:

Identifying and assessing the risks of material misstatement of the financial statements, whether due to fraud
or error, designing and performing audit procedures responsive to those risks, and obtaining audit evidence
that is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion. The risk of not detecting a material
misstatement resulting from fraud is higher than for one resulting from error, as fraud may involve collusion,
forgery, intentional omissions, misrepresentations, or the override of internal control;

### **Other information** (continued)

### Independent auditor's report (continued)

- Obtaining an understanding of internal control relevant to the audit in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the investment entity's internal control;
- Evaluating the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of accounting estimates and related disclosures made by the manager;
- Concluding on the appropriateness of the manager's use of the going concern basis of accounting, and based
  on the audit evidence obtained, whether a material uncertainty exists related to events or conditions that
  may cast significant doubt on the investment entity's ability to continue as a going concern. If we conclude
  that a material uncertainty exists, we are required to draw attention in our auditor's report to the related
  disclosures in the financial statements or, if such disclosures are inadequate, to modify our opinion. Our
  conclusions are based on the audit evidence obtained up to the date of our auditor's report. However, future
  events or conditions may cause an investment entity to cease to continue as a going concern;
- Evaluating the overall presentation, structure and content of the financial statements, including the disclosures;
- Evaluating whether the financial statements represent the underlying transactions and events in a manner that achieves fair presentation.

We communicate with the manager regarding, among other matters, the planned scope and timing of the audit and significant audit findings, including any significant findings in internal control that we identify during our audit.

The Hague, 29 April 2019

Ernst & Young Accountants LLP

Signed by M.J. Knijnenburg