## **PURPOSE**

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

#### **PRODUC**

#### ESG Low Vol US, a sub-fund of BNP PARIBAS EASY, share class: UCITS ETF USD Capitalisation (LU1481201371)

Manufacturer: BNP PARIBAS ASSET MANAGEMENT Luxembourg ("BNPP AM Luxembourg")

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The Commission de Surveillance du Secteur Financier ("CSSF") is responsible for supervising the Product and BNPP AM Luxembourg.

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## WHAT IS THIS PRODUCT?

#### Type

This Product is an undertaking for collective investment in transferable securities (UCITS) qualfying as an exchange-traded fund (ETF). It is a sub-fund of BNP PARIBAS EASY, an open-ended investment company (société d'investissement à capital variable "SICAV") governed by the provisions of Part I of the Luxembourg Law of 17 December 2010 (the "2010 Law") relating to undertakings for collective investment as well as by UCITS Directive 2009/65.

#### Term

This Product has no maturity date.

BNPP AM Luxembourg is not entitled to terminate the Product unilaterally. The board of directors of the SICAV has the authority to decide on the merger, split, liquidation or the closure of the sub-fund. Furthermore, the SICAV may be wound up by decision of an extraordinary general meeting of shareholders.

## **Objectives**

The Fund is an index-tracking passively managed fund.

The sub-fund seeks to replicate (with a maximum tracking error\* of 1%) the performance of the BNP Paribas Low Vol US ESG (NTR) (Bloomberg: BNPIFELU index) (the Index) by investing in shares issued by companies included in the index, respecting the Index's weightings (full replication), or by investing in a substitute basket, composed of, inter alia, shares of companies, debt securities or cash (synthetic replication).

When investing in a basket of securities called substitute basket the performance is swapped with the performance of the index, generating counterparty risk.

The Index is composed of shares of US companies whose historical volatility is low, while taking into account an Environmental, Social and Governance (ESG) criteria (reduction of carbon emission, human capital, corporate governance etc.). Hence, companies involved in disputable activities, subject to significant violations of the principles of the United Nations Global Compact or companies that have been involved in serious controversies related to the ESG are excluded from the index. The type of approach implemented here is Best-in-class (Best-in-class approach identifies leaders in each sector based on the best environmental, social and governance (ESG) practices, while avoiding those that present high levels of risk and do not comply with minimum ESG standards). The extra-financial strategy of the Index, carried out at each step of the investment process, may comprise methodological limitations such as the risk related to ESG investment or the Index rebalancing.

Further information on the Index, its composition, calculation and rules for periodical review and rebalancing and on the general methodology behind the BNP Paribas indices can be found on https://indx.bnpparibas.com.

The performance of the sub-fund, denominated in EUR, is not hedged against the USD currency risk.

\*The tracking error is a risk indicator that measures how closely a fund tracks the performance of its index.

Environmental, social and governance (ESG) criteria contribute to, but are not a determining factor in, the manager's decision making. Incomes are systematically reinvested.

Investors are able to redeem on a daily basis (on Luxembourg bank business days) as described in the prospectus.

## Intended retail investors

This Product is designed for retail investors who have neither financial expertise nor any specific knowledge to understand the Product but nevertheless may bear a total capital loss. It is suited for clients who seek growth of capital. Potential investors should have an investment horizon of at least 5 years.

### Practical Information

- Depositary: BNP PARIBAS, Luxembourg Branch
- This key information document is prepared for the aforementioned share class and describes a sub-fund of BNP PARIBAS EASY. Further information about the Product is contained in the prospectus and periodical reports which are issued at the level of the SICAV. Under the 2010 Law, there is segregated liability between sub-funds, meaning that the assets of the sub-fund will not be available to meet a claim of a creditor or another third-party made against another sub-fund.
- Further information about the Product including the latest prospectus, Articles of Association, key information document, net asset values, latest published prices of share(s), periodical report, investment description, may be obtained free of cost, in English, from BNPP AM Luxembourg or online at https://www.bnpparibas-am.com.



## WHAT ARE THE RISKS AND WHAT COULD I GET IN RETURN?

#### **Risk Indicator**





The risk indicator assumes you keep the Product for 5 years.

You may not be able to sell your Product easily or you may have to sell at a price that significantly impacts on how much you get back.

The summary risk indicator is a guide to the level of risk of this Product compared to other Products. It shows how likely it is that the Product will lose money because of movements in the markets or because we are not able to pay you.

We have classified this Product as 5 out of 7, which is a medium-high risk class. The risk category is justified by the investment mainly in stocks and shares, the value of which can fluctuate considerably. These fluctuations are often amplified in the short term.

Be aware of currency risk. If the currency of your account is different from the currency of this Product, the payments you will get depend on the exchange rate between the two currencies. This risk is not considered in the indicator shown above. Because the Product currency is different from the reference currency of the Fund, you will be exposed to the fluctuations between those currencies.

Other risks materially relevant to the Product not included in the summary risk indicator:

- Counterparty Risk: this risk is associated with the ability of a counterparty in an Over The Counter financial transaction to fulfil its commitments like payment, delivery and reimbursement.
- Operational risk: in the event of an operational breakdown within the management company, one of its representatives or the depositary, investors could face various disruptions (late payment, delivery etc.).

For additional details regarding the risks, please refer to the prospectus.

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

#### **Performance Scenarios**

Recommended holding period: 5 years

The figures shown include all the costs of the Product itself, but may not include all the costs that you pay to your advisor or distributor. The figures do not take into account your personal tax situation, which may also affect how much you get back. What you will get from this product depends on future market performance. Market developments in the future are uncertain and cannot be accurately predicted. The unfavourable,moderate and favourable scenarios presented represent examples using the best and worst performance, as well as the average performance of the Product and/or appropriate benchmark over the last 10 years. The markets could develop very differently in the future. The stress scenario shows what you might get back in extreme market circumstances.

Example Investr	nent: USD 10,000	if you exit after 1 year	if you exit after 5 years	
Scenarios				
Minimum	There is no minimum guaranteed return. You cou	old lose some or all of your investment.		
Stress	What you might get back after costs	4,700.43 USD	886.68 USD	
	Average return each year	-53.00%	-38.40%	
Unfavourable	<b>What you might get back after costs</b> Average return each year	7,948.49 USD -20.52%	8,082.66 USD -4.17%	
Moderate	What you might get back after costs	10,599.48 USD	17,644.36 USD	
	Average return each year	5.99%	12.03%	
Favourable	<b>What you might get back after costs</b> Average return each year	12,979.76 USD 29.80%	20,713.27 USD 15.68%	

The below scenarios occurred for an investment using a suitable proxy.

The favorable scenario occurred for an investment between 2016 and 2021.

The moderate scenario occurred for an investment between 2017 and 2022.

The unfavorable scenario occurred for an investment between 2021 and 2023.

# WHAT HAPPENS IF BNPP AM LUXEMBOURG IS UNABLE TO PAY OUT?

The SICAV is incorporated as a separate entity distinct from BNPP AM Luxembourg. In the event BNPP AM Luxembourg would default, the assets of the Product/SICAV, held by a depositary, would not be affected by this default.

In case of default of the depositary, the risk of financial loss of the Product/SICAV is mitigated by the legal segregation of the assets of the depositary from those of the Product/SICAV.

## WHAT ARE THE COSTS?

The person advising on or selling you this Product may charge you other costs. If so, this person will provide you with information about these costs and how they affect your investment. If this Product is used as an underlying of an insurance policy or a capitalization policy, the costs presented do not include any costs related to such policies.

#### Costs over time

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

- in the first year, you would get back the amount that you invested (0% annual return). For the other holding periods we have assumed the Product performs as shown in the moderate scenario.
- USD 10.000 is invested.



	If you exit after 1 year	If you exit after 5 years	
Total Cost	620.1 USD	1,120.19 USD	
Annual Cost Impact (*)	6.21%	1.71%	

(\*) This illustrates how costs reduce your return each year over the holding period. For example it shows that if you exit at the recommended holding period your average return per year is projected to be 13.74% before costs and 12.03% after costs.

## Composition of costs

One-off entry or exit costs	If you exit after 1 year	
Entry costs	Up to 3.00% of the amount you pay in when entering this investment.	Up to
		300 USD
Exit costs	3.00% of your investment before it is paid out to you.	291 USD
Recurring costs levied annually		
Management costs and other administrative operating costs	and 0.30% of the value of your investment per year. The amount is based on past expenses calculated on 31/12/2022.	29.1 USD
Transaction costs	There are no transaction costs.	0 USD

Incidental	costs ta	iken und	ter speci	fic cond	litions

Performance fees There is no performance fee for this Product. 0 USD

Conversions not allowed

## HOW LONG SHOULD I HOLD IT AND CAN I TAKE MONEY OUT EARLY?

## Recommended holding period ("RHP"): 5 years.

The RHP has been defined and based on the risk and reward profile of the Product.

Investors are able to redeem on a daily basis (on Luxembourg bank business days) as described in the prospectus.

Any redemption occurring before the end of the RHP may adversely impact the performance profile of the Product.

In addition, the investor's subscription or redemption order may be subject to an anti-dilution levy (maximum 0.08% for subscription and maximum 0.08% for redemption) paid to the sub-fund in order to cover transaction costs.

## **HOW CAN I COMPLAIN?**

For any claim, you are invited to contact your usual relationship manager that advised you on the Product. You can also contact BNPP AM Luxembourg, as described on its website www.bnpparibas-am.lu (Footnote 'Complaints management policy'), by sending an email to amlu.complaints@bnpparibas.com or by writing to BNPP AM Luxembourg - Client Services - 10, rue Edward Steichen L-2540 Luxembourg.

## OTHER RELEVANT INFORMATION

- In order to access the Product's past performances and performance scenarios, please follow the instructions below:

  (1) Click on https://www.bnpparibas-am.lu (2) On the welcome page, keep 'Luxembourg' country and choose the language and your investor profile; accept web site terms and conditions (3) Go to tab 'FUNDS' and 'Fund explorer' (4) Search for the Product using the ISIN code or the Product's name and click on the Product (5) Click on the 'Performance' tab.
- The chart on the website shows the Product's performance as the percentage loss or gain per year over the last 5 years compared to its benchmark. It can help you assess how the Product has been managed in the past and compare it to its benchmark.
- Information for investors in Switzerland: the prospectus, the key information document, the articles of association as well as the annual and semi-annual reports can be obtained, free of cost, from the representative in Switzerland, BNP PARIBAS, Paris, Zurich branch, 16, Selnaustrasse, 8002 Zurich; the paying agent in Switzerland is BNP PARIBAS, Paris, Zurich branch, 16, Selnaustrasse, 8002 Zurich.

