Annual report including audited financial statements as at 31st December 2019

## **METHOD INVESTMENTS SICAV** (in liquidation)

Société d'Investissement à Capital Variable with multiple Sub-Funds Luxembourg

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## Organisation

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## Organisation (continued)

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## Additional information for investors in Switzerland

### Additional information for investors in Switzerland:

The full prospectus, the KIIDs, as well as the Articles of Association of the Company, the annual reports including audited financial statements and unaudited semi-annual reports and the list of changes in the portfolios can be obtained free of charge at the registered office of the Swiss representative.

### Report on activities of the Board of Directors

### FUND OVERVIEW

#### Attractive Global Opportunities (launched in November 2014)

2019 has been a tough year for the Sub-Fund as markets continued to grow regardless any global growth concern, political uncertainty, or trade war fear, ending to be the peak of the longest bull market in the history. We kept a net short position for the greatest part of the year since we saw very concentrated and very fragile markets with exaggerated high valuations. It is our belief such fragility will finally turn into a severe market correction with or even without a true catalyst, creating a strong panic effect on the markets, which we think may create in turn new liquidity risks in the markets.

#### Global Brands (launched in 2013)

The Sub-Fund returned decent performance last year thanks to the easing of monetary policies around the globe, the reduction of credit spreads and a prudent asset allocation. The hedge to foreign exchange risk has been the major drag to the performance. The Sub-Fund benefitted mainly from the yield compression in the USD and EUR investment grade bond markets. Thanks to the improvement in credit quality and the reduction of bond duration, the Sub-Fund ended up with a very low historical volatility. Over the year the exposure to US treasuries gradually increased reaching ca 25% of NAV, conversely the investments in HY credit and hybrid bonds were trimmed. Due to the flattening of the USD yield curve the Sub-Fund manager slightly reduced the GB duration to cope with interest rate risk.

#### Target Selection (re-activated in April 2017)

During the first half of 2019, the Sub-Fund did not achieve the expected performance and has been finally liquidated on June 2019.

### Attractive Global Opportunities Plus (launched in January 2017)

2019 has been a positive year for the Sub-Fund. Our strategies performed well regardless the market regimes, taking advantage of small market correction and intraday swings, trading the most of the times with very short time horizons. Despite the very good performance the Sub-Fund did not reach the expected amount of subscriptions and for this reason, it has been liquidated on July 2019.

### FUND DEVELOPMENT

Although the sponsors have put efforts to increase the level of Asset under Management, the Fund has closed 2019 without important developments.

The Board of Directors, in the best interest of the Company's investors finally decided to propose a voluntary liquidation. Due to this decision, the Company has sold all positions before the Covid-19 pandemic hit the markets and therefore it was not impacted by any of the event and high volatility caused or linked to the pandemic.

Luxembourg, 27th April 2020

The Board of Directors

Note: The information in this report represents historical data and is not an indication of future results.

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## Report of the réviseur d'entreprises agréé

To the Shareholders of METHOD INVESTMENTS SICAV (in liquidation) 2, Rue d'Alsace L-1122 LUXEMBOURG

### Opinion

We have audited the financial statements of Method Investments SICAV (in liquidation) (the "Company") and of each of its sub-funds, which comprise the statement of net assets and the statement of investments and other net assets as at 31st December 2019 and the statement of operations and other changes in net assets for the year then ended and notes to the financial statements, including a summary of significant accounting policies.

In our opinion, the accompanying financial statements give a true and fair view of the financial position of the Company and of each of its sub-funds as at 31st December 2019, and of the results of their operations and changes in their net assets for the year then ended in accordance with Luxembourg legal and regulatory requirements relating to the preparation and presentation of the financial statements.

#### **Basis for Opinion**

We conducted our audit in accordance with the Law of 23 July 2016 on the audit profession (Law of 23 July 2016) and with International Standards on Auditing (ISAs) as adopted for Luxembourg by the *Commission de Surveillance du Secteur Financier* (CSSF). Our responsibilities under the Law of 23 July 2016 and ISAs as adopted for Luxembourg by the CSSF are further described in the "Responsibilities of the *Réviseur d'Entreprises Agréé* for the Audit of the Financial Statements" section of our report. We are also independent of the Company in accordance with the International Ethics Standards Board for Accountants' Code of Ethics for Professional Accountants (IESBA Code) as adopted for Luxembourg by the CSSF together with the ethical requirements that are relevant to our audit of the financial statements, and have fulfilled our other ethical responsibilities under those ethical requirements. We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion.

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## Report of the réviseur d'entreprises agréé (continued)

### Emphasis of matter

We draw attention to Notes 2 a) and 18 of these financial statements, which indicate the decision of the Shareholders of the Company to put the Company into liquidation on 27th January 2020. These financial statements have been therefore prepared using a non-going concern basis. Our opinion is not modified in respect of this matter.

### Other information

The Board of Directors of the Company is responsible for the other information. The other information comprises the information stated in the annual report but does not include the financial statements and our report of the *Réviseur d'Entreprises Agréé* thereon.

Our opinion on the financial statements does not cover the other information and we do not express any form of assurance conclusion thereon.

In connection with our audit of the financial statements, our responsibility is to read the other information and, in doing so, consider whether the other information is materially inconsistent with the financial statements or our knowledge obtained in the audit or otherwise appears to be materially misstated. If, based on the work we have performed, we conclude that there is a material misstatement of this other information, we are required to report this fact. We have nothing to report in this regard.

### Responsibilities of the Board of Directors of the Company for the Financial Statements

The Board of Directors of the Company is responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of the financial statements in accordance with Luxembourg legal and regulatory requirements relating to the preparation and presentation of the financial statements, and for such internal control as the Board of Directors of the Company determines is necessary to enable the preparation of financial statements that are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

In preparing the financial statements, the Board of Directors of the Company is responsible for assessing the Company's ability to continue as a going concern, disclosing, as applicable, matters related to going concern and using the going concern basis of accounting unless the Board of Directors of the Company either intends to liquidate the Company or to cease operations, or has no realistic alternative but to do so.

### Responsibilities of the Réviseur d'Entreprises Agréé for the Audit of the Financial Statements

The objectives of our audit are to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements as a whole are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error, and to issue a report of the *Réviseur d'Entreprises Agréé* that includes our opinion. Reasonable assurance is a high level of assurance, but is not a guarantee that an audit conducted in accordance with the Law dated 23 July 2016 and with ISAs as adopted for Luxembourg by the CSSF will always detect a material misstatement when it exists. 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.

As part of an audit in accordance with the Law dated 23 July 2016 and with ISAs as adopted for Luxembourg by the CSSF, we exercise professional judgment and maintain professional skepticism throughout the audit. We also:

• Identify and assess the risks of material misstatement of the financial statements, whether due to fraud or error, design and perform audit procedures responsive to those risks, and obtain audit evidence that is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion. The

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## Report of the réviseur d'entreprises agréé (continued)

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.

- Obtain 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 Company's internal control.
- Evaluate the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of accounting estimates and related disclosures made by the Board of Directors of the Company.
- Conclude on the appropriateness of the Board of Directors of the Company 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 Company's ability to continue as a going concern. If we conclude that a material uncertainty exists, we are required to draw attention in our report of the *Réviseur d'Entreprises Agréé* 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 report of the *Réviseur d'Entreprises Agréé*.
- Evaluate the overall presentation, structure and content of the financial statements, including the disclosures, and whether the financial statements represent the underlying transactions and events in a manner that achieves fair presentation.

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

For Deloitte Audit, Cabinet de Révision Agréé

Raphaël Charlier, *Réviseur d'Entreprises Agréé* Partner

29th April 2020

## **Combined statement of net assets (in EUR)** as at 31st December 2019

Assets Securities portfolio at market value Deposits on futures contracts Cash at banks Other liquid assets Income receivable on portfolio Unrealised gain on forward foreign exchange contracts Other receivables Total assets	19,238,861.64 340,000.00 1,058,595.39 1,138,129.37 206,353.26 12,031.20 30,517.16 22,024,488.02
<u>Liabilities</u> Other liquid liabilities Bank interest payable Unrealised loss on futures contracts Unrealised loss on forward foreign exchange contracts Unrealised loss on contracts for difference (CFD) Expenses payable	87,999.84 786.23 11,856.37 22,741.45 63,499.91 220,860.63
Total liabilities	407,744.43
Net assets at the end of the year	21,616,743.59

## **Combined statement of operations and other changes in net assets (in EUR)** from 1st January 2019 to 31st December 2019

Income	
Dividends, net	8,419.95
Interest on bonds and other debt securities, net	667,237.13
Bank interest	18,835.64
Other income	50.69
Total income	694,543.41
Expenses	
Investment Management fees	137,590.89
Performance fees	1,174.28
Depositary fees	44,988.89
Banking charges and other fees	18,142.84
Transaction fees	32,314.33
Central administration costs	187,952.92
Professional fees	36,352.02
Other administration costs	129,394.10
Subscription duty ("taxe d'abonnement")	6,045.97
Bank interest paid	30,809.79
Interest paid on swaps contracts	38,055.67
Other expenses	242,159.40
Total expenses	904,981.10
Net investment loss	-210,437.69
Net realised gain/(loss)	
- on securities portfolio	-381,239.96
- on option contracts	-5,053.40
- on futures contracts	-2,829,972.03
- on contracts for difference (CFD)	-628,288.66
- on swaps contracts	-239,251.00
<ul> <li>on forward foreign exchange contracts</li> </ul>	-814,358.59
- on foreign exchange	-5,962.37
Realised result	-5,114,563.70
Net variation of the unrealised gain/(loss)	
- on securities portfolio	1,716,360.58
- on futures contracts	421,495.07
- on contracts for difference (CFD)	87,612.24
- on credit default swap (CDS)	202,930.00
- on forward foreign exchange contracts	83,015.30
Result of operations	-2,603,150.51
Subscriptions	93,401.08
Redemptions	-15,196,749.70
- Total changes in net assets	-17,706,499.13
Total net assets at the beginning of the year	39,323,242.72
Total net assets at the end of the year	21,616,743.59
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## Statement of net assets (in EUR) as at 31st December 2019

Assets Securities portfolio at market value Deposits on futures contracts Cash at banks Other liquid assets Income receivable on portfolio Unrealised gain on forward foreign exchange contracts Other receivables	7,703,194.35 340,000.00 362,074.64 1,138,129.37 58,590.78 12,031.20 30,517.16
Total assets	9,644,537.50
<u>Liabilities</u> Other liquid liabilities Bank interest payable Unrealised loss on futures contracts Unrealised loss on contracts for difference (CFD) Expenses payable	87,999.84 786.23 11,856.37 63,499.91 115,086.64
Total liabilities	279,228.99
Net assets at the end of the year	9,365,308.51

#### Breakdown of net assets per share class

Share class	ss Number of shares		NAV per share in currency of share class	Net assets per share class (in EUR)
A-Acc EUR	13,964.1916	EUR	616.26729	8,605,674.49
I-Acc EUR	622.0954	EUR	679.08237	422,454.02
I-Acc USD H	534.0784	USD	682.65882	324,746.89
Listing-Acc EUR	20.0000	EUR	621.65579	12,433.11
-				9,365,308.51

## Method Investments SICAV (in liquidation) - Attractive Global Opportunities

## Statement of operations and other changes in net assets (in EUR) from 1st January 2019 to 31st December 2019

Income	
Interest on bonds and other debt securities, net Bank interest	146,724.16 16,983.80
Total income	163,707.96
Expenses	
Investment Management fees	89,841.93
Depositary fees	14,804.39
Banking charges and other fees	2,002.75
Transaction fees	10,335.85
Central administration costs	84,625.04
Professional fees	9,588.01
Other administration costs	50,055.99
Subscription duty ("taxe d'abonnement")	4,497.90
Bank interest paid	28,971.08
Interest paid on swaps contracts	38,055.67
Other expenses	125,582.18
Total expenses	458,360.79
Net investment loss	-294,652.83
Net realised gain/(loss)	
- on securities portfolio	246,072.40
- on option contracts	-5,053.40
- on futures contracts	-2,857,058.28
- on contracts for difference (CFD)	-628,288.66
- on swaps contracts	-239,251.00
- on forward foreign exchange contracts	-115,727.40
- on foreign exchange	10,806.53
Realised result	-3,883,152.64
Net variation of the unrealised gain/(loss)	
- on securities portfolio	454.700.71
- on futures contracts	434,700.77 421,495.07
- on contracts for difference (CFD)	87,612.24
- on credit default swap (CDS)	202,930.00
- on forward foreign exchange contracts	12,528.51
Result of operations	-2,703,886.11
Subscriptions	93,401.08
Redemptions	-4,065,645.90
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Total changes in net assets	-6,676,130.93
Total net assets at the beginning of the year	16,041,439.44
Total net assets at the end of the year	9,365,308.51

## Method Investments SICAV (in liquidation) - Attractive Global Opportunities

## Statistical information (in EUR) as at 31st December 2019

Total net assets	Currency	31.12.2017	31.12.2018	31.12.2019
	EUR	35,432,508.14	16,041,439.44	9,365,308.51
Net asset value per share	Currency	31.12.2017	31.12.2018	31.12.2019
A-Acc EUR I-Acc EUR	EUR EUR	850.40973 930.52949	762.25363 838.30500	616.26729 679.08237
I-Acc USD H	USD	891.83490	817.85745	682.65882
Listing-Acc EUR	EUR	852.31433	767.72460	621.65579

Number of shares	outstanding at the beginning of the year	issued	redeemed	outstanding at the end of the year
A-Acc EUR	14,843.4892	-	-879.2976	13,964.1916
I-Acc EUR	5,137.0294	122.5835	-4,637.5175	622.0954
I-Acc USD H	534.0784	-	-	534.0784
Listing-Acc EUR	50.0000	-	-30.0000	20.0000

## Statement of investments and other net assets (in EUR) as at 31st December 2019

Currency	Number / nominal value	Description	Cost	Market value	% of total net assets
Investi	<u>ments in se</u>	curities			
Transfe	rable securiti	es admitted to an official stock exchange listin	<u>Ig</u>		
Bonds					
EUR	1,500,000	Deutschland 0.25% 18/15.08.28	1,464,525.00	1,567,837.50	16.74
EUR	1,400,000	Deutschland 0.5% Sen 18/15.02.28	1,418,195.88	1,492,351.00	15.94
EUR	2,000,000	Italia 2.05% T-Bonds Ser 10Y 17/01.08.27	2,041,440.00	2,140,860.00	22.86
EUR	1,000,000	Italia 3% T-Bonds Ser 10Y 19/01.08.29	1,139,470.00	1,152,355.00	12.30
			6,063,630.88	6,353,403.50	67.84
USD	900,000	Goldman Sachs Group Inc 5.75% Sen 12/24.01.22	915,489.85	860,074.37	9.18
Total bo	onds		6,979,120.73	7,213,477.87	77.02
Transfe	rable securitie	es dealt in on another regulated market			
Bonds					
USD	500,000	US 3.125% 18/15.11.28	451,954.07	489,716.48	5.23
Total bo	onds		451,954.07	489,716.48	5.23
Total inv	estments in se	ecurities	7,431,074.80	7,703,194.35	82.25
Cash at	banks			362,074.64	3.87
Other ne	et assets/(liabil	ities)		1,300,039.52	13.88
Total	-			9,365,308.51	100.00

## Method Investments SICAV (in liquidation) - Attractive Global Opportunities

## Industrial and geographical classification of investments as at 31st December 2019

(in percentage of net assets)	
Countries and governments	73.07 %
Financials	9.18 %
Total	82.25 %
<b>Geographical classification</b> (by domicile of the issuer) (in percentage of net assets)	
Italy	35.16 %
Germany	32.68 %
United States of America	14.41 %
Total	82.25 %

## Statement of net assets (in EUR) as at 31st December 2019

<u>Assets</u> Securities portfolio at market value Cash at banks Income receivable on portfolio	11,535,667.29 658,473.39 147,762.48
Total assets	12,341,903.16
<u>Liabilities</u> Unrealised loss on forward foreign exchange contracts Expenses payable	22,741.45 67,726.63
Total liabilities	90,468.08
Net assets at the end of the year	12,251,435.08

#### Breakdown of net assets per share class

Share class	Number of shares	Currency of share class	NAV per share in currency of share class	Net assets per share class (in EUR)
P-Acc EUR	13,241.0256	EUR	925.26330	12,251,435.08
				12,251,435.08

## Method Investments SICAV (in liquidation) - Global Brands

## Statement of operations and other changes in net assets (in EUR) from 1st January 2019 to 31st December 2019

Income	
Dividends, net	1,099.67
Interest on bonds and other debt securities, net	506,213.55
Total income	507,313.22
Expenses	
Investment Management fees	14,116.01
Depositary fees	14,804.39
Banking charges and other fees	14,120.34
Transaction fees	6,936.80
Central administration costs	49,298.41
Professional fees	9,588.01
Other administration costs	20,272.79
Subscription duty ("taxe d'abonnement")	1,379.25
Bank interest paid	1,129.99
Other expenses	74,746.76
Total expenses	206,392.75
Net investment income	300,920.47
<u>Net realised gain/(loss)</u>	
- on securities portfolio	-338,694.89
<ul> <li>on forward foreign exchange contracts</li> </ul>	-557,654.07
- on foreign exchange	-37,893.55
Realised result	-633,322.04
Net variation of the unrealised gain/(loss)	
- on securities portfolio	843,304.62
- on forward foreign exchange contracts	-1,475.06
Result of operations	208,507.52
Subscriptions	-
Redemptions	-2,005,968.93
Total changes in net assets	-1,797,461.41
Total net assets at the beginning of the year	14,048,896.49
Total net assets at the end of the year	12,251,435.08

## Method Investments SICAV (in liquidation) - Global Brands

## Statistical information (in EUR) as at 31st December 2019

Total net assets	Currency	31.12.2017	31.12.2018	31.12.201	9
	EUR	16,564,988.67	14,048,896.49	12,251,435.0	08
Net asset value per share	Currency	31.12.2017	31.12.2018	31.12.201	19
P-Acc EUR	EUR	943.28139	912.20525	925.2633	30
Number of shares		outstanding at the beginning of the year	issued	redeemed	outstanding at the end of the yea
P-Acc EUR		15,401.0256	-	-2,160.0000	13,241.0256

## Statement of investments and other net assets (in EUR) as at 31st December 2019

Currency	Number / nominal value	Description	Cost	Market value	% of total net assets
	ments in se				
	rable securition	es admitted to an official stock exchange listing			
Bonds					
AUD	260,000	IBRD 2.8% MTN Sen 16/13.01.21	167,806.50	165,511.88	1.3
EUR	150,000	Banco BPM SpA 5.5% Serie 359 Sen Sub 13/18.11.20	154,420.65	155,658.75	1.2
EUR	300,000	FCA Bank SpA Irish Branch 0.50% EMTN Sen Reg S	298,590.00	299,244.00	2.4
EUR	200,000	19/13.09.24 Ford Motor Cred Co LLC FRN EMTN Sen 18/14.05.21	193,782.00	198,816.00	1.6
EUR	500,000	RCI Banque SA FRN EMTN Sen 17/12.04.21	496,013.50	501,772.50	4.10
EUR	212,964.5202	Teva Pharmaceutical Fin II BV 0.375% Reg S Sen 16/25.07.20	208,568.32	212,458.73	1.73
			1,351,374.47	1,367,949.98	11.16
GBP	100,000	Aston Martin Capital Hgs Ltd 5.75% Sen Reg S 17/15.04.22	115,865.63	113,293.88	0.92
GBP	250,000	Autostrade per l'Italia SpA 6.25% EMTN Ser 3 Sen 04/09.06.22	306,466.16	316,725.97	2.59
GBP	200,000	BAT Intl Finance Plc 7.25% EMTN Ser 33 Sen Reg S 08/12.03.24	290,352.14	287,678.07	2.3
GBP	250,000	BMW Finance NV 0.875% EMTN Sen Reg S 16/16.08.22	275,968.12	293,056.09	2.39
GBP	150,000	EIB 2.25% EMTN Sen Reg S 14/07.03.20	177,996.81	177,492.29	1.4
GBP GBP	600,000 150,000	ENEL SpA VAR Sen Sub Reg S 13/10.09.75 Petroleos Mexicanos 8.25% EMTN Ser 2 Sen Reg S	774,266.30 188,810.43	739,180.20 200,978.67	6.03 1.64
GDF	130,000	09/02.06.22	100,010.43	200,978.07	1.0-
		-	2,129,725.59	2,128,405.17	17.37
USD	250,000	Arconic Inc 6.15% Sen 10/15.08.20	214,149.25	227,624.26	1.86
USD	500,000	BHP Billiton Finance USA Ltd VAR Reg S Sub 15/19.10.75	452,115.00	458,967.23	3.75
USD	500,000	Coca-Cola Co 1.875% Sen 15/27.10.20	420,758.77	445,479.64	3.64
USD USD	200,000 400,000	Dow Chemical Co 7.375% Sen 99/01.11.29 Enel Finance Intl SA 4.25% Sen Reg S 18/14.09.23	239,165.82 347,901.84	237,167.54 377,593.30	1.94 3.08
USD	200,000	IBM Corp 7% Sen 95/30.10.25	220,273.99	223,741.87	1.83
USD	100,000	JPMorgan Chase & Co 8% Sen Sub 97/29.04.27	119,292.62	117,878.86	0.96
USD	500,000	Procter & Gamble Co 1.9% Sen 17/23.10.20	421,227.78	445,991.80	3.64
USD	1,000,000	UBS Group Inc VAR Sen Su Reg S 15/19.02.Perp	897,836.54	897,345.68	7.32
USD USD	400,000 1,750,000	US 1.25% T-Notes Ser U-2020 15/31.01.20 US 1.375% T-Notes Ser AE-2020 15/31.10.20	360,548.74	356,214.37	2.9 <sup>,</sup> 12.7(
USD	130,000	US 1.625% T-Notes Sen 17/15.03.20	1,457,953.80 117,537.95	1,555,423.92 115,810.39	0.95
USD	150,000	Walgreens Boots Alliance Inc 3.3% Sen 14/18.11.21	138,755.93	136,306.01	1.1
		_	5,407,518.03	5,595,544.87	45.69
Total bo	onds	-	9,056,424.59	9,257,411.90	75.5
Transfo	rahle securiti	es dealt in on another regulated market			
Bonds				00/ 000 07	
EUR	200,000	Unicredit SpA FRN MTN Ser 02/12 Sen Sub 15/03.05.25	203,668.00	201,000.00	1.64
USD	150,000	Siemens Financieringsmaatsc NV 6.125% Reg S Sen 06/17.08.26	160,557.42	163,275.81	1.33
Total bo	onds	-	364,225.42	364,275.81	2.97
Monev	market instrui	nents			
	market instru				
USD		US 0% T-Bills 19/06.02.20	1 521 462 05	1 510 040 77	10.0
			<u>1,521,462.05</u> 1,521,462.05	<u>1,512,042.77</u> 1,512,042.77	12.34
i Utal III	oney market i	11311 011101113	1,021,402.00	1,012,072.11	12

## Method Investments SICAV (in liquidation) - Global Brands

## Statement of investments and other net assets (in EUR) (continued) as at 31st December 2019

,	Number / ominal value	Description	Cost	Market value	% of total net assets
Open-ende	ed investm	ent funds			
Tracker fu	inds (UCITS	5)			
EUR	1,650	iShares III Plc EUR Covered Bond UCITS ETF Dist	262,317.00	259,957.50	2.12
GBP	1,130	iShares Plc GBP Corp Bond 0-5yr UCITS ETF Dist	133,439.75	141,979.31	1.16
Total track	ker funds (l	JCITS)	395,756.75	401,936.81	3.28
Total invest	stments in se	ecurities	11,337,868.81	11,535,667.29	94.16
Cash at ba	anks			658,473.39	5.37
Other net a	assets/(liabil	ities)		57,294.40	0.47
Total				12,251,435.08	100.00

## Method Investments SICAV (in liquidation) - Global Brands

## Industrial and geographical classification of investments as at 31st December 2019

## Industrial classification

(in percentage of net assets)
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Financials	32.25 %
Countries and governments	28.90 %
Non-cyclical consumer goods	8.39 %
Utilities	6.03 %
Raw materials	3.80 %
Investment funds	3.28 %
International institutions	2.80 %
Industrials	2.59 %
Technologies	1.83 %
Healthcare	1.73 %
Energy	1.64 %
Cyclical consumer goods	0.92 %
Total	94.16 %

## Geographical classification

(by domicile of the issuer) (in percentage of net assets)

United States of America	46.85 %
Italy	11.53 %
The Netherlands	8.53 %
Switzerland	7.32 %
Ireland	5.72 %
France	4.10 %
Australia	3.75 %
United Kingdom	2.35 %
Mexico	1.64 %
Luxembourg	1.45 %
Jersey	0.92 %
Total	94.16 %

## Method Investments SICAV (in liquidation) - Attractive Global Opportunities Plus

## Statement of net assets (in EUR) as at 31st December 2019

<u>Assets</u> Cash at banks	20,754.44
Total assets	20,754.44
<u>Liabilities</u> Expenses payable	20,754.44
Total liabilities	20,754.44
Net assets at the end of the year	0.00

## Method Investments SICAV (in liquidation) - Attractive Global Opportunities Plus

## Statement of operations and other changes in net assets (in EUR) from 1st January 2019 to 23rd July 2019

Income	
Dividends, net	682.86
Interest on bonds and other debt securities, net	14,299.42
Interest on bank accounts	1,851.84
Total income	16,834.12
Expenses	
Investment Management fees	7,630.54
Performance fees	1,174.28
Depositary fees	8,348.04
Banking charges and other fees	796.28
Transaction fees	1,316.67
Central administration costs	27,842.56
Professional fees	8,588.00
Other administration costs	27,461.02
Subscription duty ("taxe d'abonnement")	56.87
Bank interest paid	257.97
Other expenses	23,728.20
Total expenses	107,200.43
Net investment loss	-90,366.31
Net realised gain/(loss)	
- on securities portfolio	-14,237.25
- on futures contracts	27,086.25
- on forward foreign exchange contracts	-7,546.44
- on foreign exchange	10,319.86
Realised result	-74,743.89
Net variation of the unrealised gain/(loss)	
- on securities portfolio	68,602.27
- on forward foreign exchange contracts	5.14
Result of operations	-6,136.48
Subscriptions	-
Redemptions	-1,427,134.35
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Total changes in net assets	-1,433,270.83
Total net assets at the beginning of the period	1,433,270.83
Total net assets at the end of the period	0.00

## Method Investments SICAV (in liquidation) - Attractive Global Opportunities Plus

## Statistical information (in EUR) as at 31st December 2019

Total net assets	Currency	31.12.2017	31.12.2018	31.12.20	19
	EUR	1,322,306.37	1,433,270.83	0	.00
Net asset value per share	Currency	31.12.2017	31.12.2018	31.12.	2019
I-Acc EUR * Net asset value	EUR e as at 23rd July 2	1,064.57071 2019 used for final redemption	1,124.92549	1,115.0721	16 (*)
Number of shares		outstanding at the beginning of the year	issued	redeemed	outstanding at the end of the year
I-Acc EUR		1,274.1029	-	-1,274.1029	-

## Method Investments SICAV (in liquidation) - Target Selection

## Statement of net assets (in EUR) as at 31st December 2019

<u>Assets</u> Cash at banks	17,292.92
Total assets	17,292.92
<u>Liabilities</u> Expenses payable	17,292.92
Total liabilities	17,292.92
Net assets at the end of the year	0.00

## Method Investments SICAV (in liquidation) - Target Selection

## Statement of operations and other changes in net assets (in EUR) from 1st January 2019 to 21st June 2019

Income	
Dividends, net	6,637.42
Other income	50.69
Total income	6,688.11
Expenses	
Investment Management fees	26,002.41
Depositary fees	7,032.07
Banking charges and other fees	1,223.47
Transaction fees	13,725.01
Central administration costs	26,186.91
Professional fees	8,588.00
Other administration costs	31,604.30
Subscription duty ("taxe d'abonnement")	111.95
Bank interest paid	450.75
Other expenses	18,102.26
Total expenses	133,027.13
Net investment loss	-126,339.02
<u>Net realised gain/(loss)</u>	
- on securities portfolio	-274,380.22
<ul> <li>on forward foreign exchange contracts</li> </ul>	-133,430.68
- on foreign exchange	10,804.79
Realised result	-523,345.13
Net variation of the unrealised gain/(loss)	
- on securities portfolio	349,752.98
- on forward foreign exchange contracts	71,956.71
Result of operations	-101,635.44
Subscriptions	-
Redemptions	-7,698,000.52
Total changes in net assets	-7,799,635.96
Total net assets at the beginning of the period	7,799,635.96
Total pat apparts at the and of the pariod	
Total net assets at the end of the period	0.00

## Method Investments SICAV (in liquidation) - Target Selection

## Statistical information (in EUR) as at 31st December 2019

EUR Currency	10,544,414.79 <b>31.12.2017</b>	7,799,635.96	0.0	00
Currency	31 12 2017			
	01.12.2017	31.12.2018	31.12.201	9
EUR EUR s at 21st June 2	1,036.87401 1,040.23720 019 used for final redemption	905.37769 912.91755	900.00000 (* 895.70893 (*	/
	outstanding at the beginning of the year	issued	redeemed	outstanding at the end of the year
	72.0011	-	-72.0011	
5	EUR	EUR 1,040.23720 at 21st June 2019 used for final redemption outstanding at the beginning of the year	EUR 1,040.23720 912.91755 at 21st June 2019 used for final redemption outstanding at the issued beginning of the year 72.0011 -	EUR       1,040.23720       912.91755       895.70893 (         at 21st June 2019 used for final redemption       outstanding at the beginning of the year       issued       redeemed         72.0011       -       -72.0011

Notes to the financial statements as at 31st December 2019

### Note 1 - General information

METHOD INVESTMENTS SICAV (the "Company") is an open-ended investment company organised under the laws of Luxembourg as a "*Société d'Investissement à Capital Variable*" (SICAV). The Company was incorporated under the form of a public limited liability company (*Société Anonyme*) on 14th December 2011 and is authorised under Part I of the amended law of 17th December 2010 (the "2010 Act") relating to Undertakings for Collective Investment under the Council Directive 2009/65/EC, as amended. The Company is a self-managed SICAV in accordance with article 27 of the 2010 Act.

The accounts of the Company are closed on 31st December each year.

The following documents are available for inspection by Shareholders during normal business hours on any Business Day at the Registered Office of the Company:

- the Articles of incorporation,
- the Investment Management Agreement,
- the General Agreement, and
- the most recent annual reports including audited financial statements and semi-annual unaudited reports of the Company.

A copy of the Prospectus, the key investor information document ("KIID"), the most recent financial statements and the Articles of incorporation may be obtained free of charge upon request at the Registered Office of the Company.

### Note 2 - Significant accounting policies

a) Presentation of the financial statements

The financial statements of the Company are prepared in accordance with Luxembourg legal and regulatory requirements concerning Undertakings for Collective Investment and with generally accepted accounting principles in Luxembourg.

The Shareholders of the Company approved the liquidation of the Company as at 27th January 2020. Consequently, the financial statements of the Company have been prepared on a non going-concern basis.

b) Valuation of assets

The value of any cash in hand or on deposit, notes and bills payable on demand and accounts receivable (including reimbursements of fees and expenses payable by any UCI in which the Company may invest), prepaid expenses and cash dividends declared and interest accrued but not yet collected, is deemed the nominal value of these assets unless it is improbable that it can be paid and collected in full; in which case, the value will be arrived at after deducting such amounts as the Board of Directors of the Company may consider appropriate to reflect the true value of these assets.

Securities and Money Market Instruments listed on an official stock exchange or dealt on any other Regulated Market are valued at their last available price on the Valuation Day and, if the security or Money Market Instrument is traded on several markets, on the basis of the last known price on the main market of this security. If the last known price is not representative, valuation is based on the fair value at which it is expected it can be sold, as determined with prudence and in good faith by the Board of Directors of the Company.

Notes to the financial statements (continued) as at 31st December 2019

Unlisted securities and securities or Money Market Instruments not traded on a stock exchange or any other Regulated Market as well as listed securities and securities or Money Market Instruments listed on a Regulated Market for which no price is available, or securities or Money Market Instruments whose quoted price is, in the opinion of the Board of Directors of the Company, not representative of actual market value, are valued at their last known price in Luxembourg or, in the absence of such price, on the basis of their probable realisation value, as determined with prudence and in good faith by the Board of Directors of the Company.

The valuation of investments reaching maturity within a maximum period of 90 days may include straight-line daily amortisation of the difference between the principal 91 days before maturity and the value at maturity.

The liquidation value of futures, spot, forward or option contracts that are not traded on stock exchanges or other Regulated Markets is equal to their net liquidation value determined in accordance with the policies established by the Board of Directors of the Company on a basis consistently applied to each type of contract. The liquidation value of futures, spot, forward or option contracts traded on stock exchanges or other Regulated Markets is based on the latest available price for these contracts on the stock exchanges and Regulated Markets on which these option, spot, forward or futures contracts are traded, provided that if an option or futures contract cannot be liquidated on the date on which the net assets are valued, the basis for determining the liquidation value of said contract shall be determined by the Board of Directors of the Company in a fair and reasonable manner.

Liquid assets and money market instruments are valued at their nominal value plus accrued interest, or on the basis of amortised costs. The money market instruments are shown at cost and the difference between the cost and the cost of redemption on maturity is shown as interest.

Any other securities and assets are valued in accordance with the procedures put in place by the Board of Directors of the Company and with the help of specialist valuers, as the case may be, who are instructed by the Board of Directors of the Company to carry out the said valuations.

Shares or Units in underlying open-ended investment funds are valued at their last available Net Asset Value.

c) Acquisition cost of securities in the portfolio

The acquisition cost of the securities held by each Sub-Fund that are denominated in currencies other than the reference currency of the Sub-Fund is converted into this currency at the exchange rate prevailing on the date of purchase.

d) Net realised gain/(loss) on securities portfolio

The realised gains and losses on securities portfolio are calculated on the basis of the average acquisition cost and are disclosed net in the statement of operations and other changes in net assets.

e) Investment portfolio income

Dividend income is recorded at the ex-date, net of any withholding tax.

Interest income accrued and payable is recorded, net of any withholding tax.

Notes to the financial statements (continued) as at 31st December 2019

f) Valuation of forward foreign exchange contracts

Open forward foreign exchange contracts are valued at forward market rates for the remaining period from valuation date to the maturity of the contracts. Net unrealised gains or losses are disclosed in the statement of net assets. Net variation of the unrealised gains or losses and net realised gains or losses are disclosed in the statement of operations and other changes in net assets.

g) Valuation of futures contracts

Open futures contracts are valued at the last settlement or close price on the stock exchanges or regulated markets. Net unrealised gains or losses of open contracts are disclosed in the statement of net assets. Net variation of the unrealised gains or losses and net realised gains or losses are disclosed in the statement of operations and other changes in net assets.

h) Valuation of option contracts

Net variation of the unrealised gains or losses and net realised gains and losses are disclosed in the statement of operations and other changes in net assets.

i) Valuation of Contracts For Differences (CFD)

Contracts For Differences (CFD) are registered in the off-balance sheet and valued on the basis of the last available price of their underlying. Net unrealised gains or losses are disclosed in the statement of net assets. Net variation of the unrealised gains or losses and net realised gains or losses are disclosed in the statement of operations and other changes in net assets.

j) Valuation of swaps contracts

Swaps contracts are registered on the off-balance sheet and valued on the basis of the recalculated market prices by using the traditional elements of pricing, considering the value, the volatility of the underlying, the interest rates and the residual value of the swap. Unrealised gains or losses are disclosed in the statement of net assets. Net variation of the unrealised gains or losses and net realised gains or losses are disclosed in the statement of operations and other changes in net assets.

k) Formation expenses

Formation expenses were fully amortised on a straight line basis over a period of five years.

I) Conversion of foreign currencies

Cash at banks, other net assets, liabilities and the market value of the securities in portfolio expressed in currencies other than the reference currency of the Sub-Fund are converted into this currency at the exchange rate prevailing on the date of the financial statements. Income and expenses expressed in currencies other than the reference currency of the Sub-Fund are converted into this currency at the exchange rate prevailing on the date of the transaction. Net realised gains or losses on foreign exchange are disclosed in the statement of operations and other changes in net assets.

At the date of the financial statements, the exchange rates are as follows:

Notes to the financial statements (continued) as at 31st December 2019

1	EUR	=	1.5973536	AUD	Australian Dollar
			0.8473847	GBP	Pound Sterling
			122.0206454	JPY	Japanese Yen
			1.1227000	USD	US Dollar

m) Combined financial statements

The combined financial statements of the Company are expressed in EUR and are equal to the sum of the corresponding items in the financial statements of each Sub-Fund converted into this currency at the exchange rate prevailing at the date of the financial statements.

n) Other liquid assets / Other liquid liabilities

The captions "Other liquid assets" and "Other liquid liabilities" disclosed in the statement of net assets are mainly composed of treasury accounts held with brokers.

o) Transaction fees

Transaction costs disclosed under the item "Transaction fees" in the expenses of the statement of operations and other changes in net assets are mainly composed of broker fees incurred by the Company and of fees relating to transactions paid to the depositary as well as of transaction fees on financial instruments and derivatives.

### Note 3 - Investment Management Fee

The Investment Manager is entitled to receive out of the assets of each share Class an Investment Management Fee accrued on each Valuation Day and payable monthly in arrears at the following rates p.a.:

Sub-Fund	Effective rate
- Method Investments SICAV (in liquidation) - Attractive Global Opportunities	
- for class A-Acc EUR	0% (since 7th May 2019) 2.25% (until 7th May 2019)
- for class I-Acc EUR , class I-Acc USD H and class Listing-Acc EUR	0% (since 7th May 2019) 1.75% (until 7th May 2019)
- Method Investments SICAV (in liquidation) - Global Brands	
- for class P-Acc EUR	0.10%

## Notes to the financial statements (continued) as at 31st December 2019

Sub-Fund	Effective rate
- Method Investments SICAV (in liquidation) - Attractive Global Opportunities Plus	
- for class I-Acc EUR	0% (since 7th May 2019) 1.75% (until 7th May 2019)
- Method Investments SICAV (in liquidation) - Target Selection	
- for class A-Acc EUR	0% (since 3rd June 2019) 1.50% (until 3rd June 2019)
- for class I-Acc EUR	0% (since 3rd June 2019) 1.00% (until 3rd June 2019)

By circular resolution dated 18th April 2019, the Board of Directors of the Company has resolved to waive the Management Fees and to reduce them to 0% for the Sub-Funds Method Investments SICAV (in liquidation) - Attractive Global Opportunities and Method Investments SICAV (in liquidation) - Attractive Global Opportunities Plus with effect as at 7th May 2019 and with effect as at 3rd June 2019 for the Sub-Fund Method Investments SICAV (in liquidation) - Target Selection.

### Note 4 - Other receivables

The items "Other receivables" disclosed in the statement of net assets include margin accounts on futures contracts reflecting to daily value variations.

#### Note 5 - Other expenses

The items "Other expenses" disclosed in the statement of operations and other changes in net assets are mainly composed of Director's fees, liquidation fees, expert fees and legal fees.

### Note 6 - Management fees of the target funds

The Sub-Funds Method Investments SICAV (in liquidation) - Attractive Global Opportunities, Method Investments SICAV (in liquidation) - Global Brands and Method Investments SICAV (in liquidation) - Attractive Global Opportunities Plus invest in UCITS and/or other UCIs whose management fees do not exceed 3% per year of the respective UCITS and/or other UCIs' net asset value.

### Note 7 - Performance Fee

In addition to the Investment Management Fee, the Investment Manager is entitled to receive a Performance Fee out of the appreciation of the Net Asset Value per share and which is due as of each Valuation Day and is payable monthly in arrears. The Performance Fee is calculated with the following rates:

## Notes to the financial statements (continued) as at 31st December 2019

as at 31st December 2019

Sub-Fund	Rate
- Method Investments SICAV (in liquidation) - Attractive Global Opportunities	
- for class A-Acc EUR	0% (since 7th May 2019)
- for class I-Acc EUR shares	20% above Bofa* 1M EUR LIBID (until 7th May2019)
- for class Listing-Acc EUR	(and ran may 2010)
<ul> <li>Method Investments SICAV (in liquidation) - Attractive Global</li> <li>Opportunities         <ul> <li>for class I-Acc USD H shares</li> </ul> </li> </ul>	0% (since 7th May 2019) 20% above Bofa* 1M USD LIBID (until 7th May2019)
- Method Investments SICAV (in liquidation) - Global Brands	
- for class P-Acc EUR shares	15%
- Method Investments SICAV (in liquidation) - Target Selection	
- for class A-Acc EUR shares	0% (since 3rd June 2019)
- for class I-Acc EUR shares	15% (until 3rd June 2019)

#### \*Bofa=Bank of America

The Performance Fee accrues only on the Valuation Day on which the Net Asset Value per share exceeds the "High Water Mark", which is equal to the highest Net Asset Value per share on any previous Valuation Day.

As of each Valuation Day, the Performance Fee (if any) which shall accrue is the amount equal to:

- (i) the positive difference between:
  - (A) the Net Asset Value per share of the relevant class as of such Valuation Day and

(B) the highest Net Asset Value per share of the relevant class on any previous Valuation Day plus the prorated benchmark;

- (ii) multiplied by the number of shares, which are in issue on the Valuation Day and
- (iii) multiplied by the percentage rate applicable to the calculation of the Performance Fee.

By circular resolution dated 18th April 2019, the Board of Directors of the Company has resolved to waive the Performances Fees and to reduce them to 0% for the Sub-Funds Method Investments SICAV (in liquidation) - Attractive Global Opportunities and Method Investments SICAV (in liquidation) - Attractive Global Opportunities Plus with effect as at 7th May 2019 and with effect as at 3rd June 2019 for the Sub-Fund Method Investments SICAV (in liquidation) - Target Selection.

At the date of the financial statements, the performance fees recorded for the following Sub-Fund amount to:

Method Investments SICAV (in liquidation) - Attractive Global EUR 1,174.28 Opportunities Plus

No performance fees are recorded for the other Sub-Funds.

Notes to the financial statements (continued) as at 31st December 2019

### Note 8 - Central administration costs

The item "Central administration costs" disclosed in the statement of operations and other changes in net assets is composed of administrative agent fees.

### Note 9 - Subscription duty ("taxe d'abonnement")

The Company is governed by Luxembourg law.

Pursuant to the legislation and regulations in force, the Company is subject to an annual subscription duty ("*taxe d'abonnement*") of 0.05% of its net assets, calculated and payable quarterly and calculated on the basis of the net assets of each Sub-Fund on the last day of each quarter.

A reduced rate of 0.01% is applied to the classes reserved to institutional investors according to Article 174 (2) of the 2010 Act.

Pursuant to Article 175 (a) of the 2010 Act, the net assets invested in undertakings for collective investment already subject to the "*taxe d'abonnement*" are exempt from this tax.

### Note 10 - Forward foreign exchange contracts

As at 31st December 2019, the Sub-Funds are committed in the following forward foreign exchange contracts:

#### Method Investments SICAV (in liquidation) - Attractive Global Opportunities

Currency	Purchases	Currency	Sales	Maturity	Unrealised result (in EUR)
orward foreign exc	hange contracts (Bank	of America Corp)			
EUR	1,573,274.12	USD	1,750,000.00	10.01.2020	15,312.44
					15,312.44
orward foreign exc	hange contracts linked	to class I-Acc USD	H (Bank of America C	orp)	,
USD	375,000.00	EUR	. 337,130.17	10.01.2020	-3,281.24
					-3,281.24
vietnoa investm	ients SICAV (in liqu	uidation) - Globa	al Brands		
Currency	Purchases	uidation) - Globa Currency	al Brands Sales	Maturity	Unrealised result (in EUR)
Currency	· ·	Currency	Sales		Unrealised result (in EUR)
Currency orward foreign exc	Purchases hange contracts (Quint	Currency	Sales		•
Currency orward foreign exc	Purchases hange contracts (Quint	Currency	Sales		(in EUR)
Currency orward foreign exc Private Bankers S.A	Purchases hange contracts (Quint .))	Currency	Sales rope) S.A.) (formerly K	BL European	•

#### Note 11 - Futures contracts

As at 31st December 2019, the following Sub-Fund is committed in the following futures contracts with MORGAN STANLEY & CO INTL PLC, UNITED KINGDOM and INTERACTIVE BROKERS LTD, UNITED KINGDOM:

## Notes to the financial statements (continued)

as at 31st December 2019

	Number of contracts	Denomination	Currency	Exposure (in EUR)	Unrealised result (in EUR)
Sale	19	Euro BTP 10 Years FUT 03/20 EUX	EUR	-2,706,740.00	570.00
Sale	6	Euro Bund 10 Years FUT 03/20 EUX	EUR	-1,022,940.00	13,740.00
Sale	48	Euro-Schatz 6% 2 Years FUT 03/20 EUX	EUR	-5,371,440.00	4,320.00
Sale	4	Nikkei 225 Index FUT 03/20 CME	JPY	-383,951.42	-491.72
Sale	9	Nasdaq 100 Stock Index FUT 03/20 CME	USD	-1,403,228.82	-18,771.71
Sale	8	S&P 500 Index FUT 03/20 CME	USD	-1,151,153.47	-11,222.94
					-11,856.37

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At the date of the financial statements, the Sub-Fund has pledged assets, recorded in the item "Deposits on futures contracts" disclosed in the statement of net assets in favour of MORGAN STANLEY & CO INTL PLC, UNITED KINGDOM.

### Note 12 - Contracts For Differences (CFD)

As at 31st December 2019, the Sub-Fund Method Investments SICAV (in liquidation) - Attractive Global Opportunities is committed in the following Contracts For Differences with MORGAN STANLEY & CO INTL PLC, UNITED KINGDOM and INTERACTIVE BROKERS LTD, UNITED KINGDOM:

	Number of contracts	Denomination	Currency	Market value (in EUR)	Unrealised result (in EUR)
Sale	-295	Abiomed Inc CFD	USD	-44,824.13	35,616.23
Sale	-200	Alphabet Inc A CFD	USD	-238,601.59	-43,206.68
Sale	-12,000	Anglo American Plc CFD	GBP	-307,723.28	-18,480.39
Sale	-618	Facebook Inc A CFD	USD	-112,981.65	-23,739.36
Sale	-20,000	Glencore Plc CFD	GBP	-55,547.38	9,358.75
Sale	-2,375	Rio Tinto Plc CFD	GBP	-126,207.43	-22,211.73
Sale	-2,394	Twitter Inc CFD	USD	-68,342.12	-836.73
				-954,227.58	-63,499.91

### Note 13 - Credit default swap contracts

As at 31st December 2019, no Sub-Fund is committed in any Credit default swap contract.

#### Note 14 - Changes in investments

The statement of changes in investments for the reporting period is available free of charge at the registered office of the Company.

#### Note 15 - Petrochemicals

The receivable accounted in the Sub-Fund Attractive Global Opportunities on Petrochemicals was written off in 2017 due to a worsening of the credit position which finally ended with the bankruptcy of the debtor in early 2018.

On 25th November 2019, Workinvoice, formally notified the Company of its intention to waive the outstanding payable of EUR 153,621.

## Notes to the financial statements (continued) as at 31st December 2019

On 26th November 2019, the Conducting Officers requested the credit recovery specialist to issue an updated assessment on the probability to recover totally or partially the receivables. The outcome of the assessment has highlighted there is 0% probability to recover any amount.

Thus, at the date of the report, the Board of Directors of the Company is in the opinion that the value of the receivable on Petrochemicals is still nil.

## Note 16 - Difference between the published Net Asset Value as at 31st December 2019 and the Net Asset Value presented in the audited financial statements

The Net Asset Value as at 31st December 2019 published by the Central Administration was the following for the Sub-Funds:

#### Method Investments SICAV (in liquidation) - Attractive Global Opportunities :

Share class	Number of shares	Currency of share class	NAV per share in currency of share class	Net assets per share class (in EUR)
A-Acc EUR	13,964.1916	EUR	622.41127	8,691,470.33
I-Acc EUR	622.0954	EUR	685.85260	426,665.75
I-Acc USD H	534.0784	USD	689.47931	327,991.46
Listing-Acc EUR	20.0000	EUR	627.85350	12,557.07
-				9,458,684.61

#### Method Investments SICAV (in liquidation) - Global Brands :

Share class	Number	Currency	NAV per share	Net assets per
	of	of	in currency of	share class
	shares	share class	share class	(in EUR)
P-Acc EUR	13,241.0256	EUR	928.98430	12,300,704.95 12,300,704.95

Following the decision of the liquidation of the Company by the Shareholders of the Company on 27th January 2020, the net asset was reduced from 93,376.10 EUR for the liquidation fees provision for the Sub-Fund Method Investments SICAV (in liquidation) - Attractive Global Opportunities and 49,269.87 EUR for the liquidation fees provision for the Sub-Fund Method Investments SICAV (in liquidation) - Global Brands.

Those above mentioned impacts resulted in a lower total Net Asset as at 31st December 2019 for the Sub-Funds in the audited financial statements as follows:

#### Method Investments SICAV (in liquidation) - Attractive Global Opportunities :

Share class	Number of shares	Currency of share class	NAV per share in currency of share class	Net assets per share class (in EUR)
A-Acc EUR	13,964.1916	EUR	616.26729	8,605,674.49
I-Acc EUR	622.0954	EUR	679.08237	422,454.02
I-Acc USD H	534.0784	USD	682.65882	324,746.89
Listing-Acc EUR	20.0000	EUR	621.65579	12,433.11
C C				9.365.308.51

Share class	Number of shares	Currency of share class	NAV per share in currency of share class	Net assets per share class (in EUR)
P-Acc EUR	13,241.0256	EUR	925.26330	12,251,435.08
				12,251,435.08

### Method Investments SICAV (in liquidation) - Global Brands :

## Note 17 - Events

By circular resolution dated 18th April 2019, the Board of Directors of the Company has resolved to waive:

- the Management Fees and the Performance Fees for the Sub-Funds Method Investments SICAV (in liquidation)- Attractive Global Opportunities and Method Investments SICAV (in liquidation) - Attractive Global Opportunities Plus with effect as at 7th May 2019;
- the Management Fees and the Performance Fees for the Sub-Fund Method Investments SICAV (in liquidation) Target Selection with effect as at 3rd June 2019.

The Board of Directors of the Company has decided to liquidate the Sub-Fund Method Investments SICAV (in liquidation) - Target Selection with effect on 21st June 2019. Following the full redemption of the total number of its shares, the Sub-Fund Method Investments SICAV (in liquidation) - Attractive Global Opportunities Plus has been fully redeemed with effect on 23rd July 2019.

### Note 18 - Subsequent Events

As at 8th January 2020, the Sub-Fund Method Investment SICAV (in liquidation) - Attractive Global Opportunities does not show any margin of improvements in the current stock market situation, the size of the Sub-Fund Global Brands is becoming too small to remain economically viable.

Moreover, the Company is facing high operating expenses and Method Investments & Advisory Ltd, the sponsor of the Company, has not proposed any development plan in order to increase the assets under management of the Company.

Consequently, the Board of Directors of the Company decided to convene an Extraordinay General Meeting of Shareholders on 17th January 2020 which was not able to deliberate and vote to liquidate the Company.

A second Extraordinary General Meeting of shareholders took place on 27th January 2020 and resolves to put the Company in liquidation and to appoint Francesco Rocco VINCENTI as liquidator of the Company with immediate effect.

With effect from 16th January 2020, KBL EUROPEAN PRIVATE BANKERS S.A. changed its name to QUINTET PRIVATE BANK (EUROPE) S.A..

On 3rd March 2020, the Liquidator of the Company has decided to distribute to the investors a first boni of liquidation equal to 80% of the Net Assets calculated as at 25th February 2020.

On 11th March 2020, the World Health Organisation declared the Covid-19 deases a pandemic. This event hit an already very precarious financial markets very hard. Method Investments Sicav (in liquidation) has already sold all its positions and was holding cash only since beginning of January 2020 when the liquidation of the Company was decided and voted by an Extraordinary General Meeting of Shareholders as mentioned above. This event helped the Company to avoid any Covid-19 side effects on performance, administration and governance.

## Additional information (unaudited) as at 31st December 2019

as at 31st December 2019

#### 1 - Risk Management

As required by Circular CSSF 11/512, the Board of Directors of the Company needs to determine the global risk exposure of the Company either by applying the commitment approach or the VaR approach.

In terms of risk management, the Board of Directors of the Company decided to adopt the absolute VaR approach as a method of determining the global exposure for the following Sub-Funds:

- Attractive Global Opportunities
- Attractive Global Opportunities Plus

The Board of Directors of the Company decided to adopt the commitment approach as a method of determining the global exposure for the following Sub-Funds:

- Global Brands
- Target Selection

The table below summarises for each Sub-Fund the following items:

- the maximum VaR limit over the period under monitoring (Limit)
- the VaR-fluctuation range of the VaR over the period under monitoring (Min + Max)
- the average daily VaR over the period under monitoring (Avg)

Monthly VaR 01/01/2019 - 31/12/2019	Limit	Min	Avg	Мах
Attractive Global Opportunities	20%	3.25%	5.74%	11.48%
Attractive Global Opportunities Plus	20%	0.29%	2.23%	2.73%

The Risk Management model used by StatPro is Historical Simulation on Risk Factors with Full Re-Pricing. The simulations of future expected prices are generated by pricing functions. Each pricing function is fed with risk factors (i.e. IRS curves, CDS curves, Implied Volatilities etc.). EFA uses historical scenarios on risk factors to generate future expected prices.

Inside the pricing functions there are several models:

- analytical models (e.g. Black-Scholes formula);
- lattice models (e.g Trimonial models);
- finite differences models ;
- Monte Carlo models (used for path-dependent stochastic pay-offs).

VaR calculation is implemented in accordance with the following parameters:

- One-tailed confidence interval of 99%
- Holding period equivalent to 1 month (20 business days)
- Effective observation period (history) of risk factors of 3 years (750 days)
- Daily data set updates
- Daily calculation or any other if requested.

#### Leverage:

1. Leverage risk levels measured during the year 2019

For each Sub-Fund using the VaR approach, the leverage was measured during the full year with both gross and commitment methods on a daily basis. The tables below summarise the following items:

- the maximum leverage limit (Limit)
- the leverage-fluctuation range over the year 2019 (Min + Max)
- the average daily leverage over the year 2019 (Avg)

## Additional information (unaudited) (continued) as at 31st December 2019

Leverage Risk (Gross Method) 01/01/2019 - 31/12/2019	Min	Avg	Max	Limit
Attractive Global Opportunities	151.07%	227.66%	453.09%	300%
Attractive Global Opportunities Plus	31.18%	34.61%	58.86%	600%

Leverage Risk (Commitment Method) 01/01/2019 - 31/12/2019	Min	Avg	Max
Attractive Global Opportunities	131.51%	187.84%	285.25%
Attractive Global Opportunities Plus	0.00%	12.37%	19.38%

### 2. Comments

Please be informed that during 2019 the Sub-Funds Equity Rebalance and Xingtai China Consumer have been dormant, no VaR, Commitment and Leverage has been calculated during this period.

### 2.1. Regulation

Method Investments SICAV falls under the scope of the UCITS regulation.

According to Box 23 of ESMA guidelines 10-788, UCITS using VaR approaches should disclose the expected level of leverage and the possibility of higher leverage levels in the prospectus.

Leverage should be calculated as the sum of the notionals of the derivatives used.

Since the VaR approach does not directly limit the level of leverage, the UCITS' prospectus should disclose the possibility of higher leverage levels and also the expected level of leverage that might be reached. However, the disclosed expected level of leverage is not intended to be an additional exposure limit for the UCITS. The level of leverage may vary over time.

#### 2.2. Prospectus

In the version of the prospectus dated February 2017, it is indicated:

- in the special sections relating to "Attractive Global Opportunities" that "the leverage of the Sub-Fund (calculated as the sum of the notionals of the Derivatives used) is not expected to exceed 300% of the Sub-Fund's Net Asset Value."

- in the special sections relating to "Attractive Global Opportunities Plus" that "the leverage of the Sub-Fund (calculated as the sum of the notionals of the Derivatives used) is not expected to exceed 600% of the Sub-Fund's Net Asset Value."

- in the special sections relating to "Equity Rebalance" that "the leverage of the Sub-Fund (calculated as the sum of the notionals of the Derivatives used) is not expected to exceed 350% of the Sub-Fund's Net Asset Value."

#### 2.3. Interpretation / analysis

Since the disclosed expected level of leverage is not intended to be an additional exposure limit for the UCITS, and due to the good monitoring of the level of the net leverage, the Board of Directors of the Company has decided not to undertake any further additional action.

## Additional information (unaudited) (continued) as at 31st December 2019

### 2 - Remuneration

The Company is a self-managed UCITS, that employs two part-time Conducting Officers who receive a fixed remuneration. Two members of the Board of Directors of the Company also received a fixed remuneration and one of them received an additional variable remuneration.

Accordingly, and taking into account the principle of proportionality, there is no specific requirement for the Company to establish a remuneration policy.

The total fixed remuneration paid in 2019 to the senior management of the Company (Board of Directors and Conducting Officers) was EUR 85,066.24 (VAT excl.). This amount excludes remuneration paid to delegates.

The total variable remuneration paid in 2019 to senior management of the Company (Director) was EUR 0 (VAT excl.).

## 3 - Information concerning the transparency of securities financing transactions and of reuse of cash collateral (regulation EU 2015/2365, hereafter "SFTR")

During the reporting period, the Company did not engage in transactions which are subject to the publication requirements of SFTR. Accordingly, no information concerning the transparency of securities financing transactions and of reuse of cash collateral should be reported.