



Delivering resilience and diversification
in the new geoeconomic order.

Investments in the Defence, Cyber Security
& Space Industries



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“To prevent war, NATO must spend more... There is a lot that needs to be done to ensure long-term deterrence and restore peace.”

Mark Rutte, Nato Secretary General



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The Erosion of the Rules-Based Order



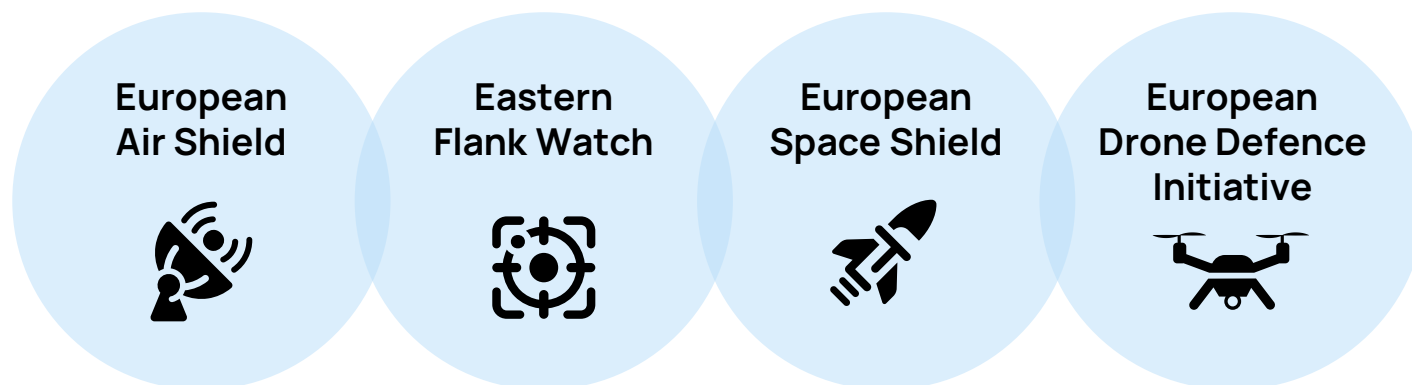
By 2017, the pattern was unmistakable: Russia, Iran, and China were not merely defending interests – they were actively reshaping the global order searching for more allies.



The Global Security Fund was created and launched in 2019 by a team of founders and partners with **experience from the defence, intelligence and financial sectors**, bringing together expertise in security, strategy, and asset management.

Preserving Peace: EU Defence Readiness Roadmap

- ▶ Urgently address military capability gaps & enable faster and larger-scale production.
- ▶ Integrated EU-wide defence market, accelerating innovation especially in AI, quantum tech & cyber
- ▶ Security Action for Europe Regulation to finance common procurement & technological advancement
- ▶ Four flagship projects:

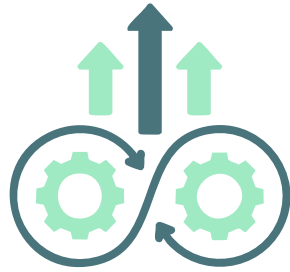


Investment Philosophy & Rationale

Structural High Growth & Diversification to Geopolitical Risks



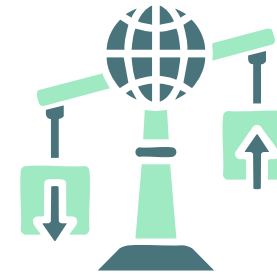
Exposure to structural long-term predictable megatrends



High growth & profitability with active asset allocation



Diversification against geopolitical risk in an efficient, logical & simple form



Complementary exposure – low correlated sector & less cyclical



Themes that drive macro trends rather than being influenced by them

Sectors With Structural Long-term Growth

Less affected by market cycles, reinforced by geopolitical realities.

Defence



- ▶ Geostrategic competition
- ▶ BRICS + reshaping power

Cybersecurity



- ▶ Digital transformation
- ▶ AI transforms security

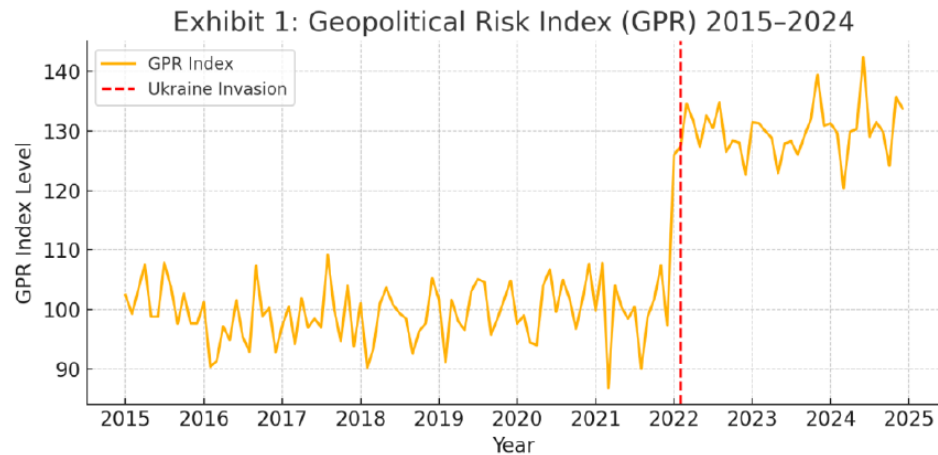
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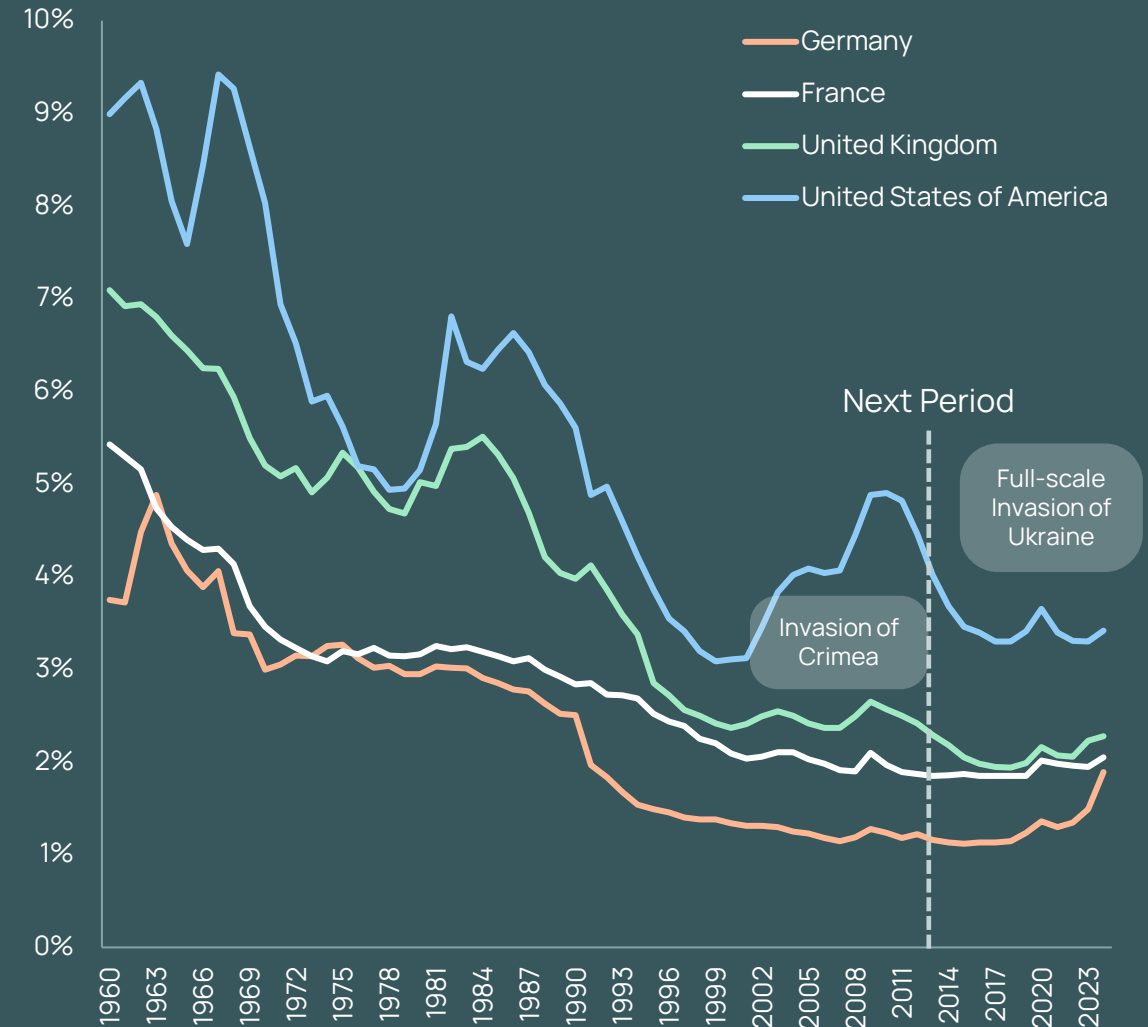
- ▶ Demand in digital infrastructure
- ▶ Surveillance & defence

Defence

- ▶ Military spending declined for decades due to peace and globalization
- ▶ Trend reversed with Crimea 2014, reinforced by Ukraine invasion 2022
- ▶ Alliances with increased budgets & rebalancing
- ▶ New era of long-term structural growth for defence industry

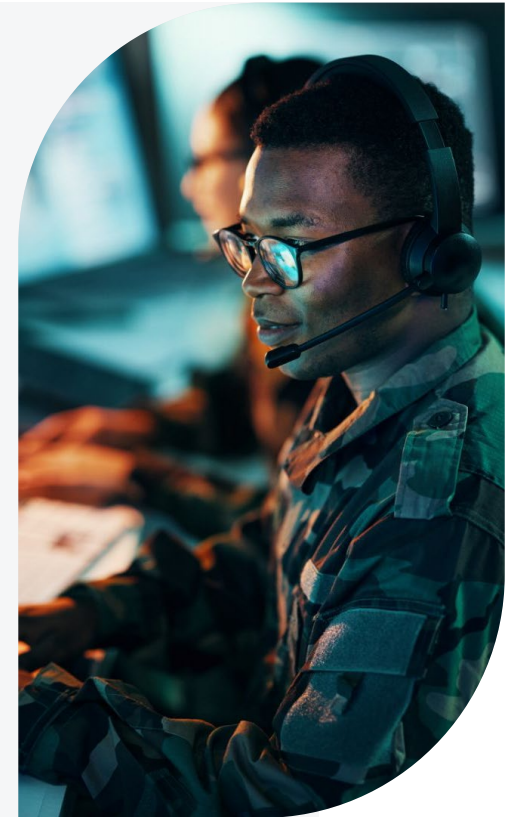
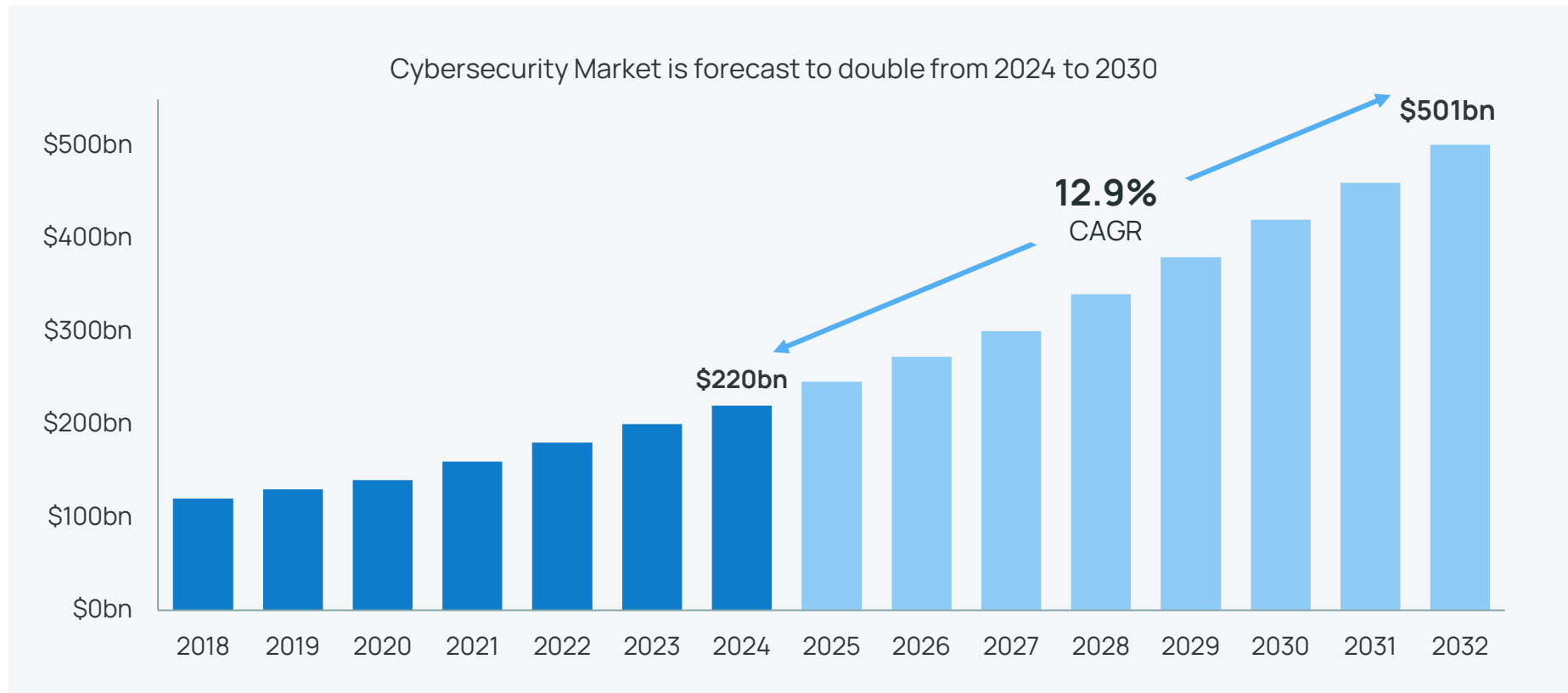


Military Expenditures as % of GDP



Explosive Cybersecurity Growth

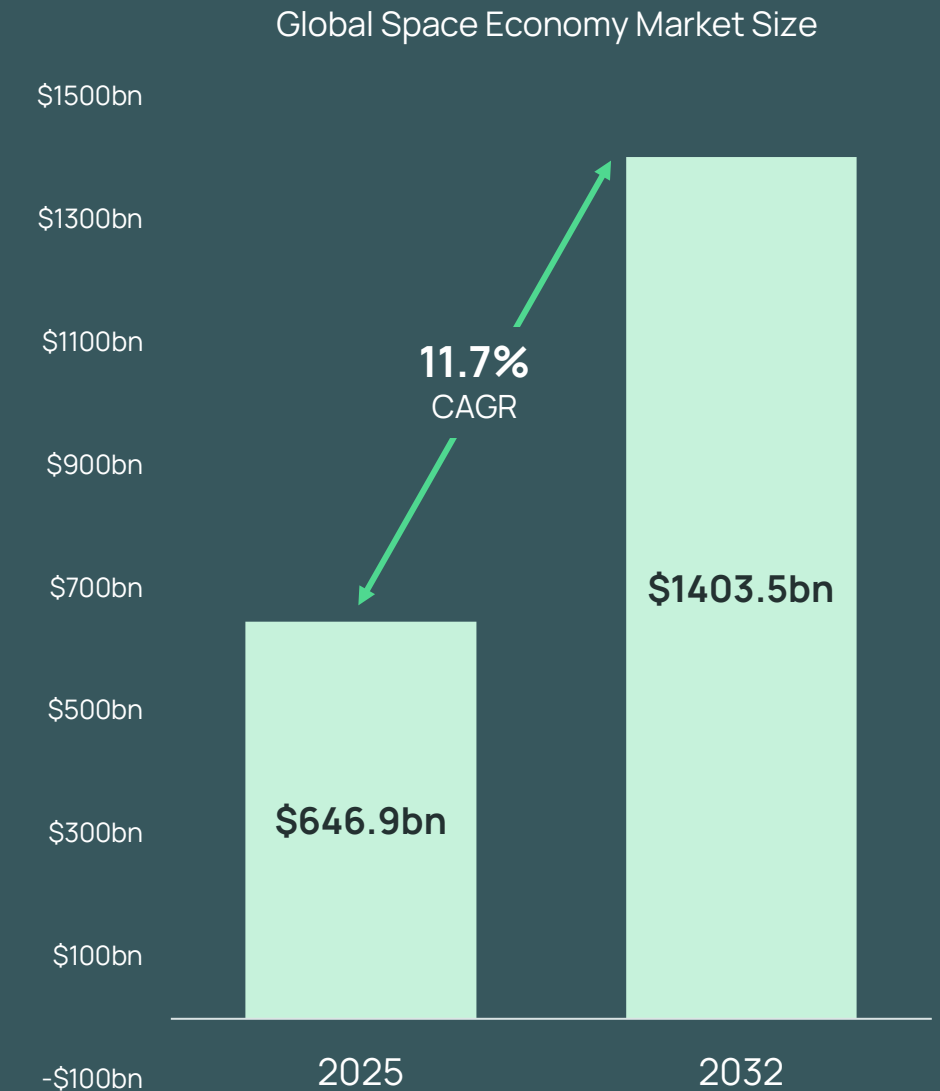
- ▶ Cloud security fastest-growing → 15.9%*
- ▶ North America largest (34%), Europe 27% share*



* Source: Grand View Research (2024)

Accelerating Space Economy

- ▶ Falling launch costs + private investment → rapid growth
- ▶ Critical for defence & digital infrastructure
- ▶ Key for positioning, drones & surveillance



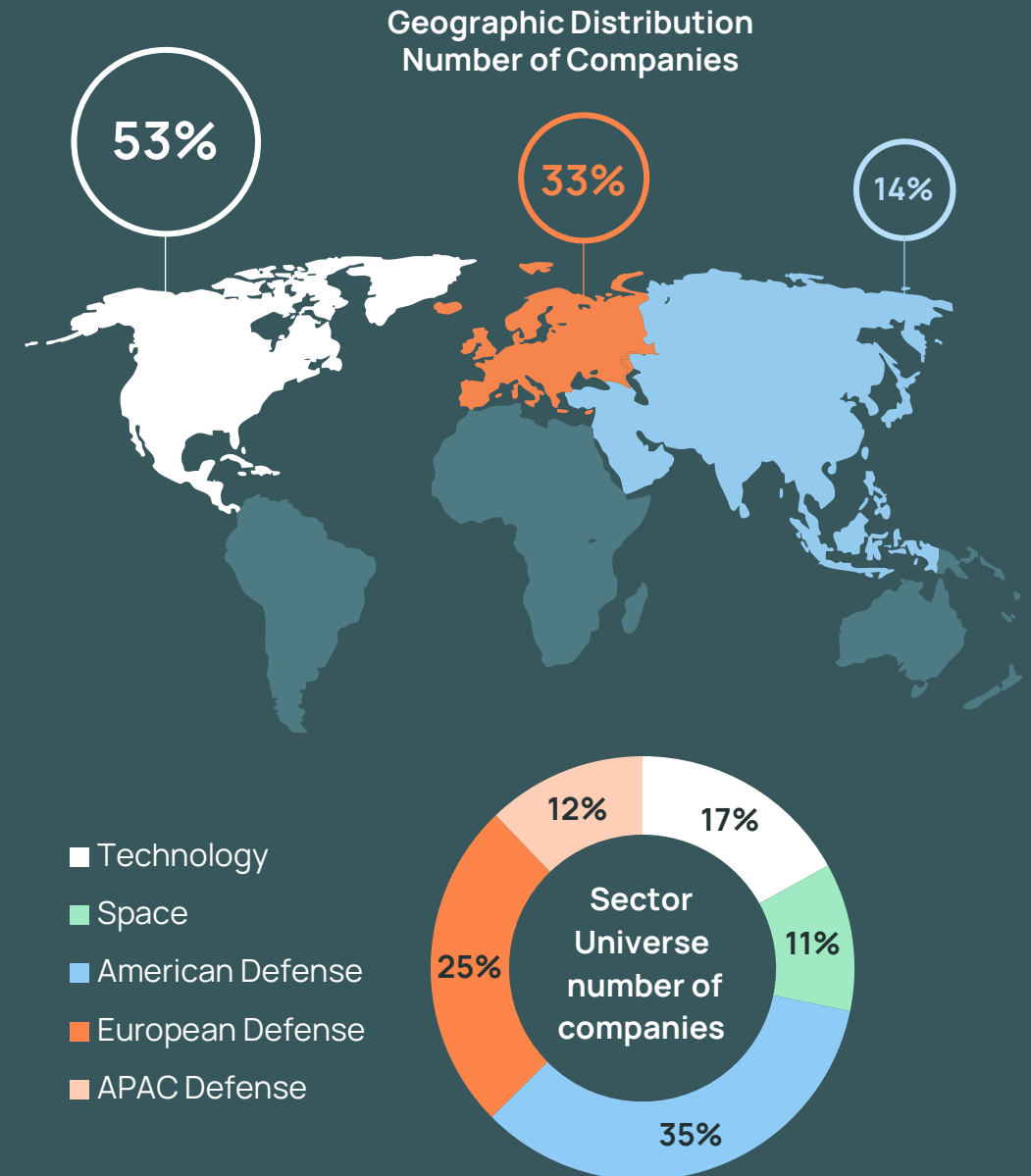
Our Investment Universe

Universe of 250 -300 companies

Selection Criteria:

- ✓ **Defence:**
Companies generating 40–60%+ of revenues from defence or homeland security are prioritized for alignment with core objectives*.
- ✓ **Technology:**
Companies with 20%+ revenues from cybersecurity to capture growth in critical digital defence capabilities.
- ✓ **Space:**
Companies with clear, demonstrated pathways for defence-related applications to support future strategic initiatives.
- ✓ Market cap above \$100m and adequate liquidity

*Minimum of 20% to be in portfolio



Team

Portfolio Management Team



Joakim Agerback

Lead Portfolio Manager

20+ years experience (RCM, IPM & Finserve). Expertise in equities, bonds, FX, & commodities. Published research on investment strategies & risk management.



Shayan Heidari

Portfolio Manager

8+ years experience specializing in quantitative strategies. Former senior role at SEB. MSc in Industrial Engineering.



Martin Redgard

Portfolio Manager

15+ years experience. Former fund manager at Alfakraft & Taaffeite Capital. Focus on quantitative strategies in FX & equities.



Fredrik Ljungdahl

Analyst

Founded a commodity trading startup in SE Asia. Studied Economics at Lund & Mathematics at Uppsala.



Amanda Gustafsson

ESG Analyst

Experience in structured products & corporate actions at Strivo. M.Sc. in Finance from Stockholm School of Economics.

Advisory Board



Karl Engelbrektson

Head of Advisory Board

42 years in Armed Forces. Former Army Chief of Sweden. NATO CFI Task Force Chair & Sweden's representative to EU & NATO.



Glenn Nilsson

Advisory Board

30 years in finance & 10 in Armed Forces. VP at Max Matthiessen & board member for financial firms.



Andreas Wiman

Advisory Board

25 years in defence industry & 10 in defence M&A & entrepreneurship.



Inge Heydorn

Advisory Board

30 years in finance. Tech fund manager & analyst. Former CEO of Finserve Nordic.

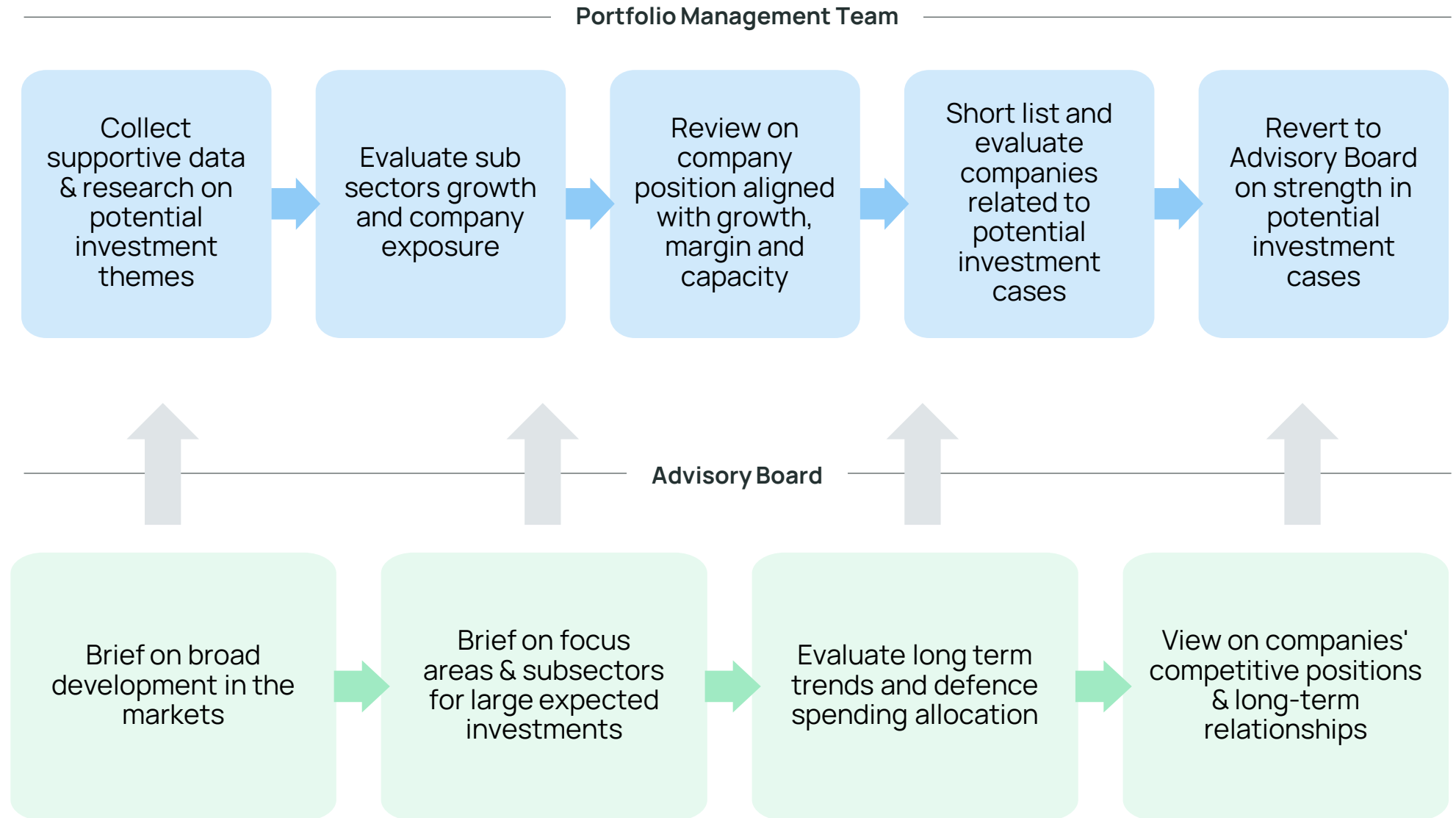


Stefan Gustafsson

Advisory Board

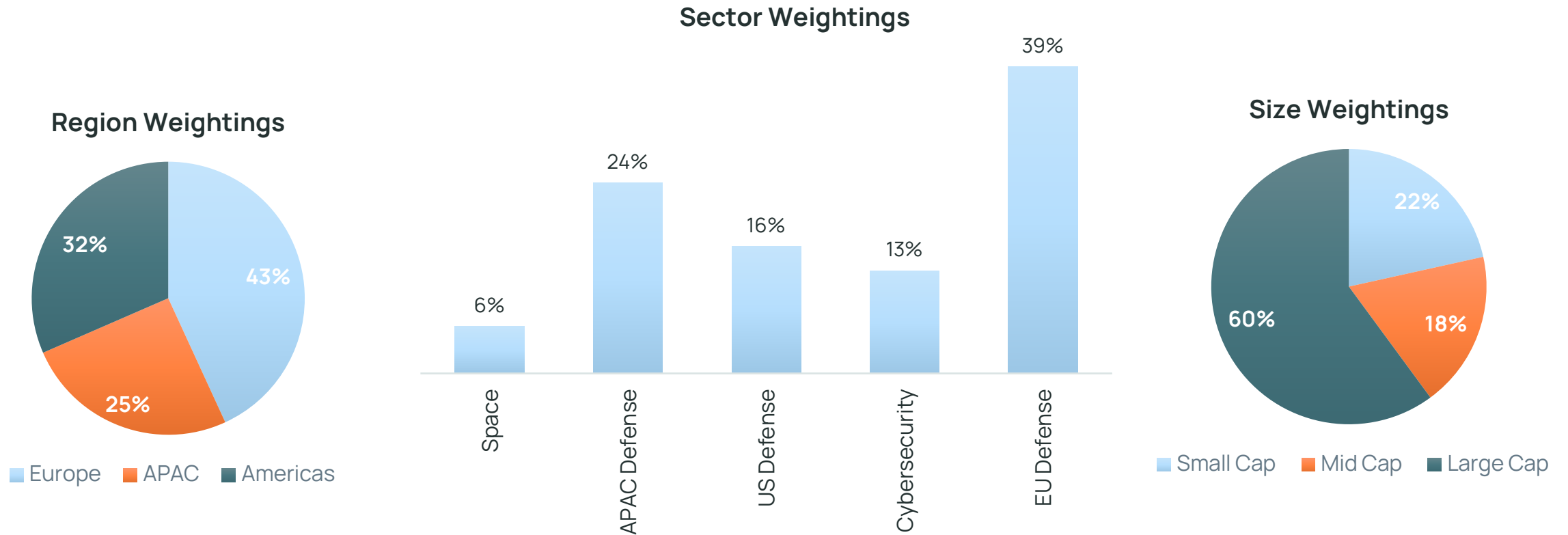
Strategic advisor in Space & Defence. Former SVP at Swedish Space Corporation & senior Armed Forces officer.

Investment Approach



Well-diversified portfolio across region, sector & size

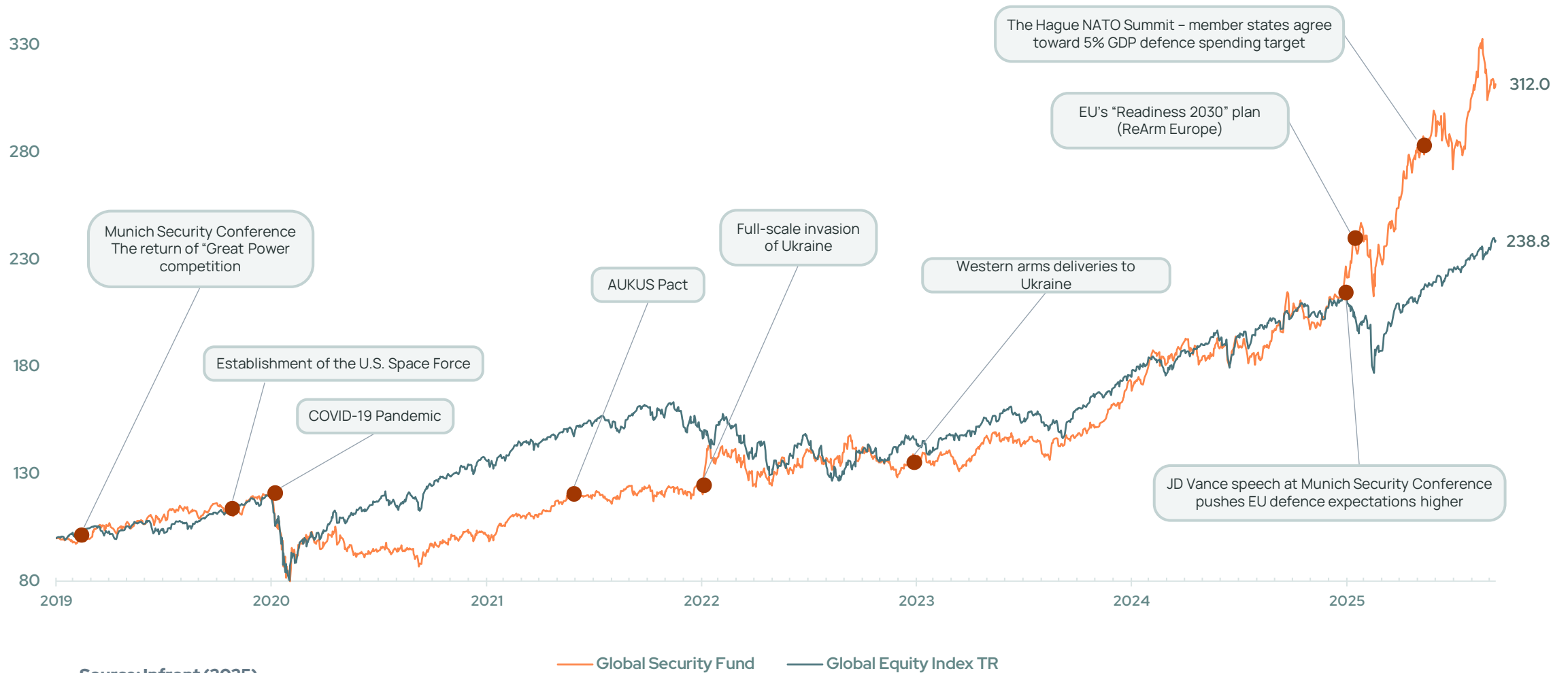
Our allocation ensures exposure to both established markets and high-growth areas, capturing long-term megatrends that drive innovation and security needs worldwide.



Portfolio

EU Defense 42%		APAC Defense 24%		US Defense 16%		Cybersecurity 11%		Space 5%	
Rheinmetall	4.9%	Hanwha Aerospace	4.2%	Kratos	2.3%	IBM	1.6%	Avio	1.4%
Saab	3.2%	ST Engineering	3.3%	OSI Systems	1.8%	Cisco	1.6%	MDA Space	1.2%
Rolls-Royce	3.1%	Hyundai Rotem	2.7%	RTX	1.7%	Cloudflare	1.4%	AST SpaceMobile	1.1%
Leonardo	3.0%	Austal	2.1%	OKI	1.6%	dMY Techn	1.2%	NextNav	0.7%
Kongsberg Gruppen	2.5%	Mitsubishi Heavy	2.0%	General Dynamics	1.5%	CrowdStrike	1.1%	CACI	0.3%
Babcock	2.3%	Hanwha Systems	1.8%	Leidos	1.2%	Planet Labs	0.8%	Redwire	0.2%
Cohort plc	2.2%	Korea Aerospace	1.6%	Northrop Grumman	1.2%	Zscaler	0.8%		
Dassault Aviation	2.0%	Hanwha Ocean Co	1.4%	Red Cat Holdings	1.0%	Palo Alto	0.6%		
Exail Tech	1.9%	Kawasaki Heavy	1.0%	HII	0.9%	BlackBerry	0.5%		
Indra	1.9%	Satellogic	1.0%	OHB SE	0.9%	Clavister	0.5%		
Fincantieri	1.7%	Electro Optic Sys.	0.8%	Moog Inc	0.8%	HENNGE	0.4%		
HENSOLDT	1.6%	CeoTronics AG	0.7%	Oshkosh	0.5%	Okta	0.4%		
BAE Systems	1.4%	ShinMaywa	0.6%	GigCapital4	0.3%				
Thales Group	1.3%	Hunseed Tech	0.3%						
Frequentis	1.3%	ACSL Ltd.	0.3%						
Firstec Co.Ltd.	1.0%	Kencoa Aerospace	0.3%						
Theon Sensors	1.0%								
Invisio	1.0%								
Avon Protection	0.9%								
MilDef	0.9%								
Airbus	0.8%								
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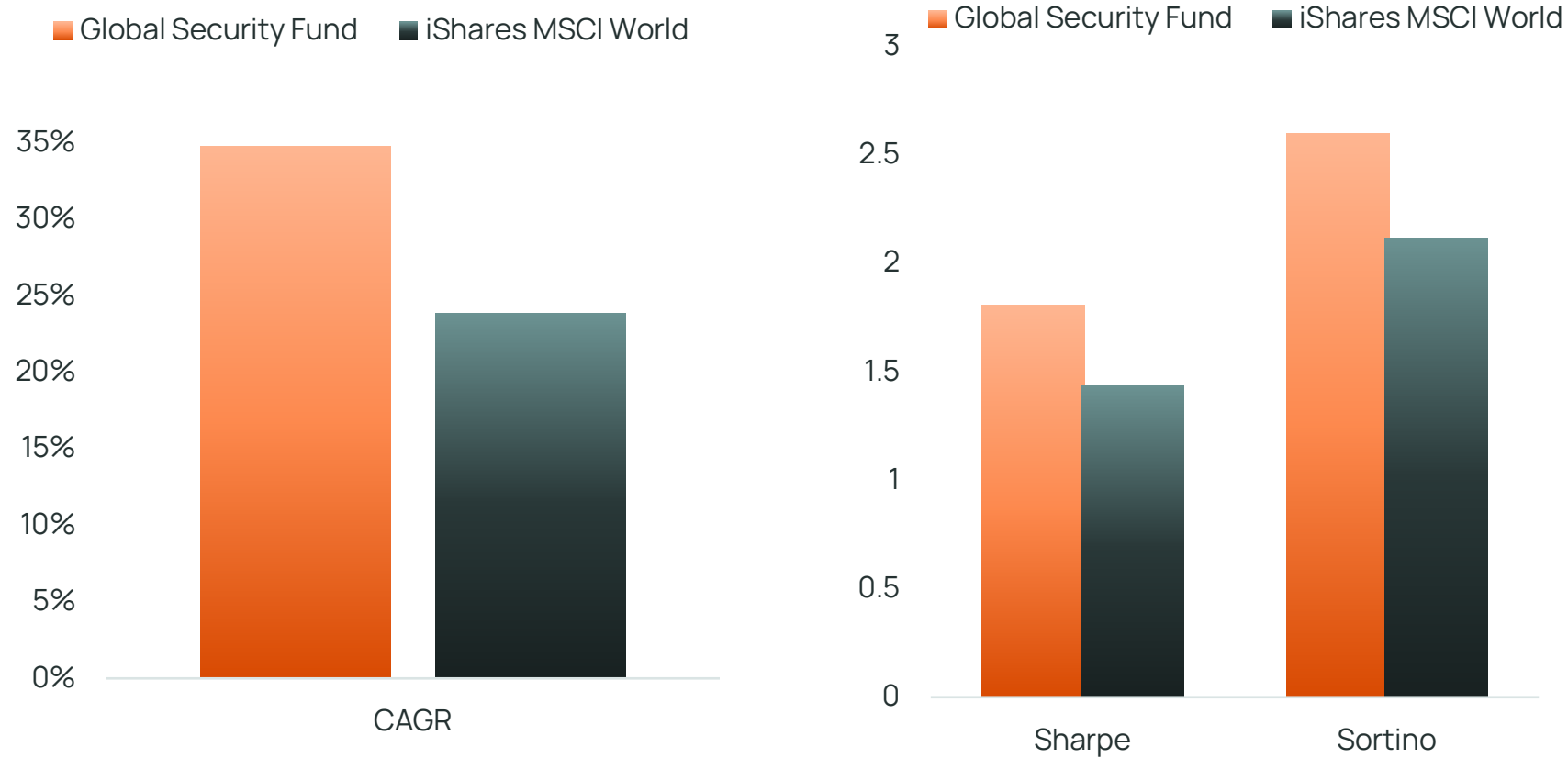
Structural Growth Fuelled by Geopolitical Reality



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Diversification Benefits

Enhancing Portfolio Resilience



Beta vs SP500	0,32
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Beta vs EUROSTOXX 50	0,34
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Beta vs MSCI World	0,32
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The fund not only delivers superior returns and stronger risk-adjusted performance than MSCI World but also provides lower beta and reduced correlation to global markets. This combination makes it a powerful diversifier, enhancing portfolio resilience without compromising performance.

Period: 2022-09-30 – 2025-09-26

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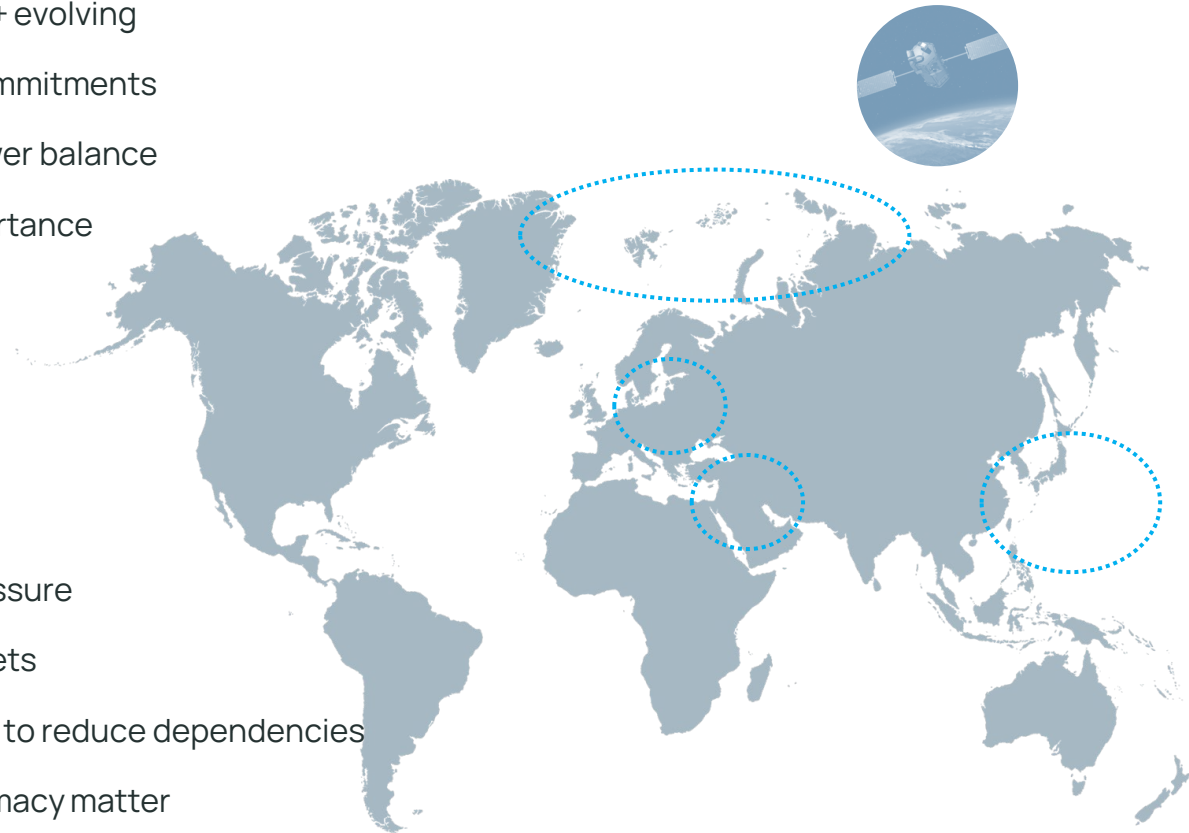
Investment Themes

Themes & Trends

- Autocratisation rising & BRICS+ evolving
- Military Spending targets & commitments
- Technology reshaping the power balance
- Space domain increasing importance

Subtrends

- Tariffs & agreements after pressure
- Capability in favour of set targets
- Changing order patterns & aim to reduce dependencies
- Historical connections & diplomacy matter



Regions

- Indo Pacific
- Europe
- Arctic
- Non-aligned countries
- 4th & 5th domain of Defence – Space & Cyber

Sectors

- Air Defence
- Unmanned systems
- 4CISR
- Maritime Security
- AI & Advanced Technology

Q&A

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