

OLZ Equity Switzerland Optimized ESG

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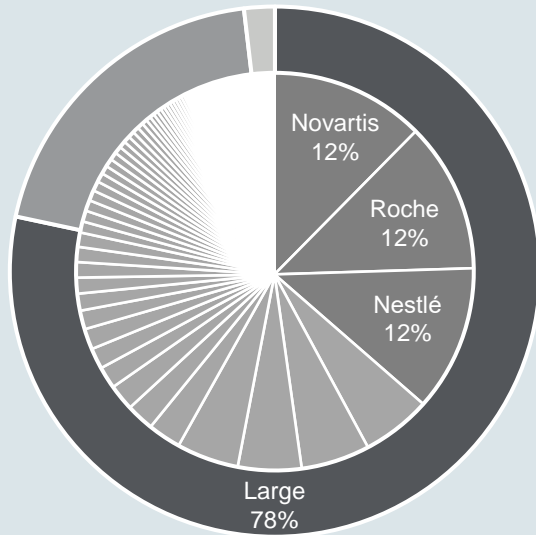


Starting point in the
equity universe



The Swiss stock index is not efficiently implemented

Cluster risks: Insufficient diversification



Almost 40% of the index distributed across three stocks.

Large caps account for around 80% of the index.

Reporting date: October 15, 2025

Return disadvantage: Very high large-cap exposure



Small and mid caps significantly outperforming large caps.

Analysis period: January 1, 2004 – September 30, 2025

Sustainability: No consideration of ESG



No consideration of exclusions, stewardship, climate targets, etc.

How does it work?



Through our optimization to an efficient portfolio

- **Index portfolio:** Too much risk for the return achieved. Although inexpensive, this portfolio is **inefficient!**
- Risks are easier to predict than returns. That is why the risk-optimized portfolio is also practical to implement.
- Risk-optimized portfolio with the following **added value:**






- **Increased efficiency**, as slightly higher returns are achieved in the long term with significantly lower risks
- Investors can therefore **make better use of** their individual **risk budget** at the overall portfolio level:
 - Either with a higher equity allocation
 - or by consciously taking on additional risks in the rest of their assets



Through our optimization towards a more sustainable portfolio



OLZ sustainability policy

Standard-based	Value-based exclusion criteria					ESG integration
SVK ASIR	MSCI ESG Rating "CCC"					Percentage increase in ESG score depending on that of the benchmark
UN Global Compact / MSCI Controversies	 Nuclear and controversial weapons >0%	 Civilian weapons Manufacturer: >5% Retailer: >10%	 Oil sands and thermal coal >10%	 Conventional weapons >5%	 Weapons-related support >20%	
ILO / Labor compliance						At least 30% reduction in carbon intensity and carbon footprint compared to BM ¹
Human Rights						



Exercise of voting rights	Initiatives (stewardship)		
Proxy voting (ISS) ²	 Principles for Responsible Investment		

Sustainability and risk-optimized investing complement each other perfectly. Companies that have their risks under control are often more sustainable!

¹ Carbon intensity = CO2e tons / revenue in CHF million, based on Scope 1 + 2 data
 Carbon footprint = CO2e tons / enterprise value including cash, based on Scope 1 + 2 data, expansion to Scope 3 planned
² Implementation of proxy voting via ISS for Swiss equities and Swiss small & mid caps, planned for other funds

Systematic combination of low-risk stocks



Index portfolio

Index construction: Market capitalization
Risk/diversification aspects: Not taken into account

Selection
Investment universe

Data availability: At least 5 years
Liquidity: Minimum liquidity at individual security level
Sustainability: Norm- and value-based exclusions

Risk forecasting

Risk forecast based on state-of-the-art quantitative methodology:
Volatility and correlations are forecast

Portfolio optimization

Risk minimization: Optimal weighting of low-risk stocks
Maximum weights: individual stocks / sectors / countries
Sustainability: Increase ESG score / reduce CO2 (footprint)

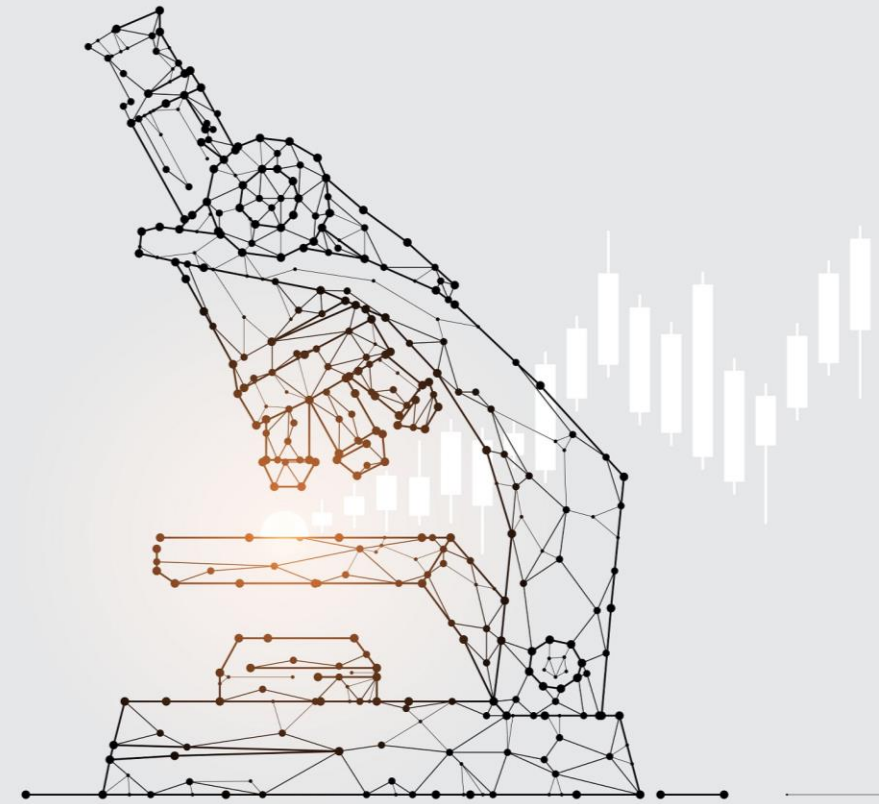
Minimum variance portfolio

Efficient portfolio

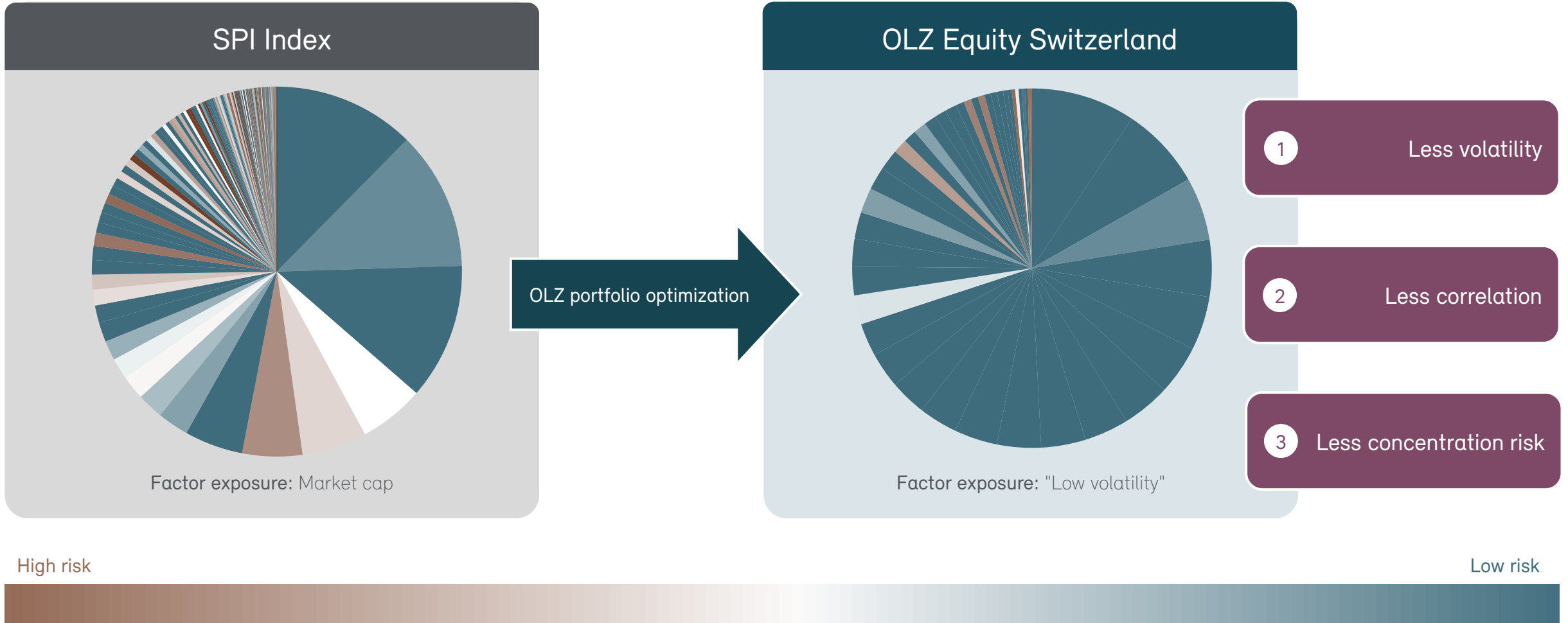
Consideration of risk /diversification aspects

Focus on low-risk stocks and sustainability

How well does it work?



Portfolio with better diversification and more lower-risk securities



OLZ systematically reduces risk

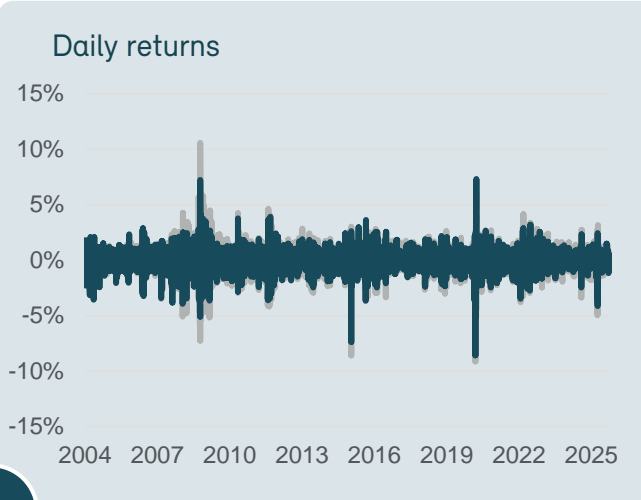
Less volatility

Volatility p.a.

OLZ 13.34%

Benchmark 15.75%

Average risk reduction of 15.3%



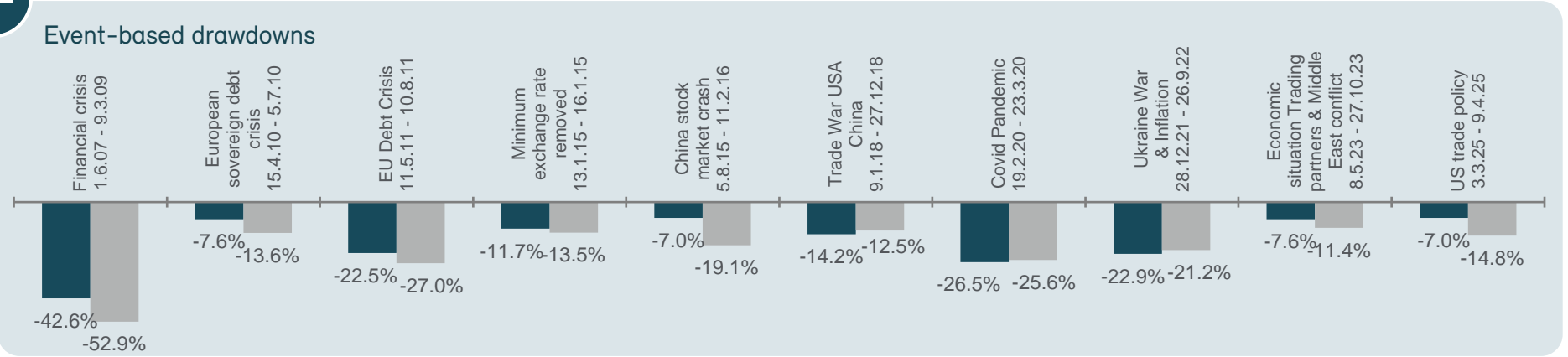
Lower losses

Maximum drawdown

OLZ -42.98%

Benchmark -53.25%

Drawdown reduction of 19.3%



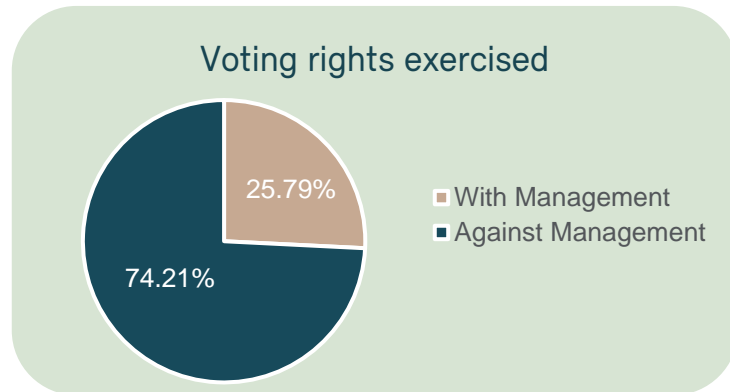
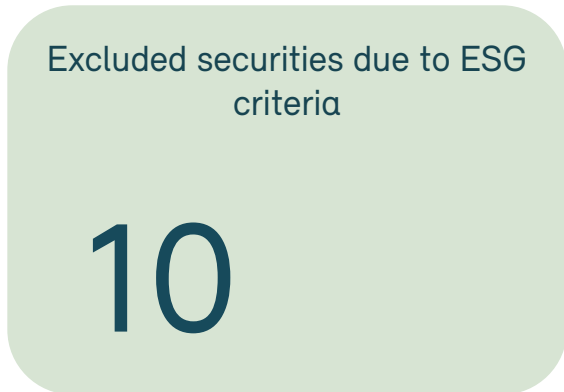
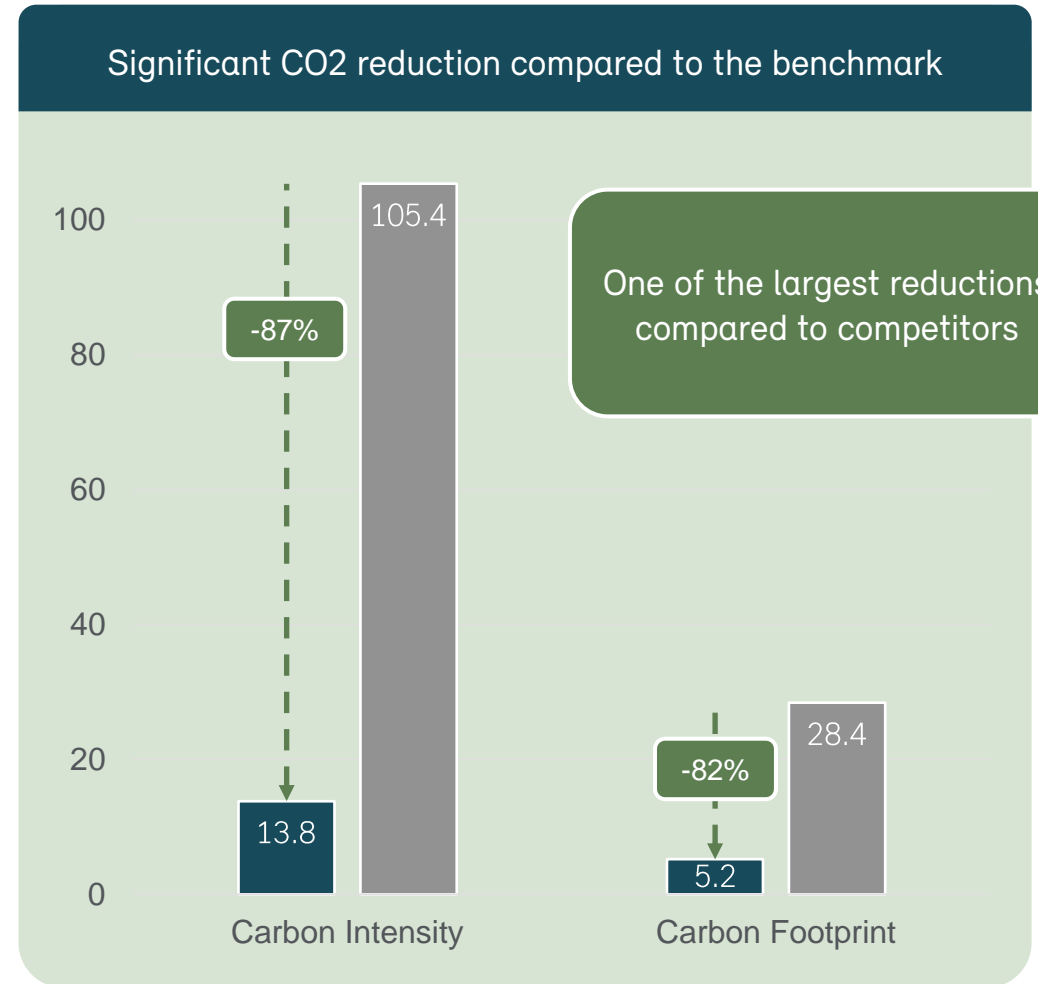
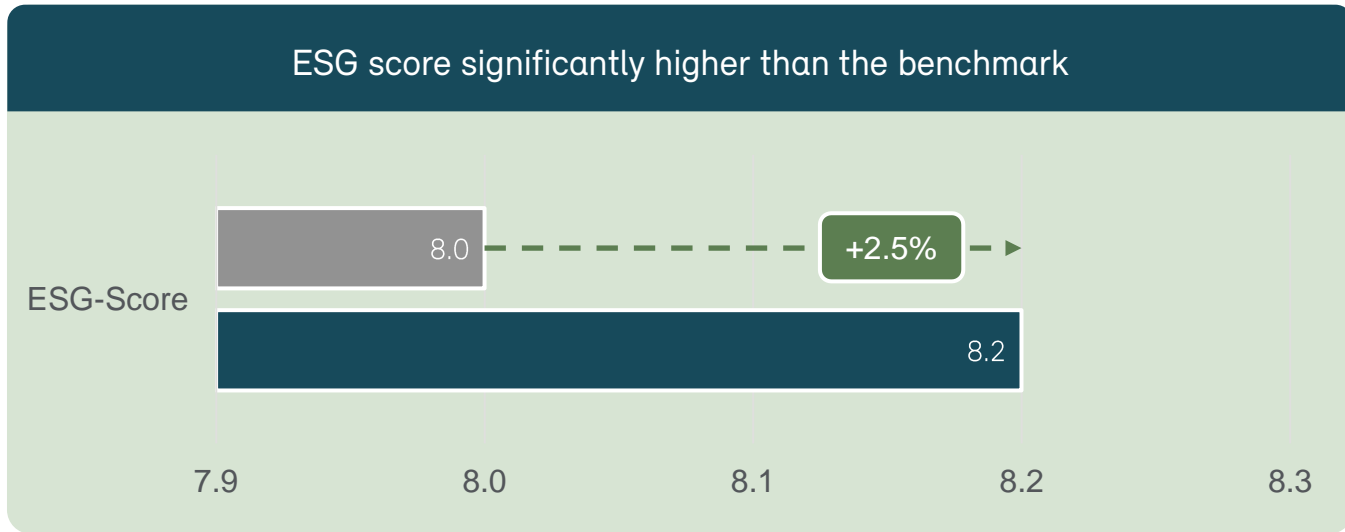
 OLZ Equity Switzerland

 SPI Index

Analysis period: January 1, 2004 – September 30, 2025 (out-of-sample simulation until the fund launch on December 20, 2010)

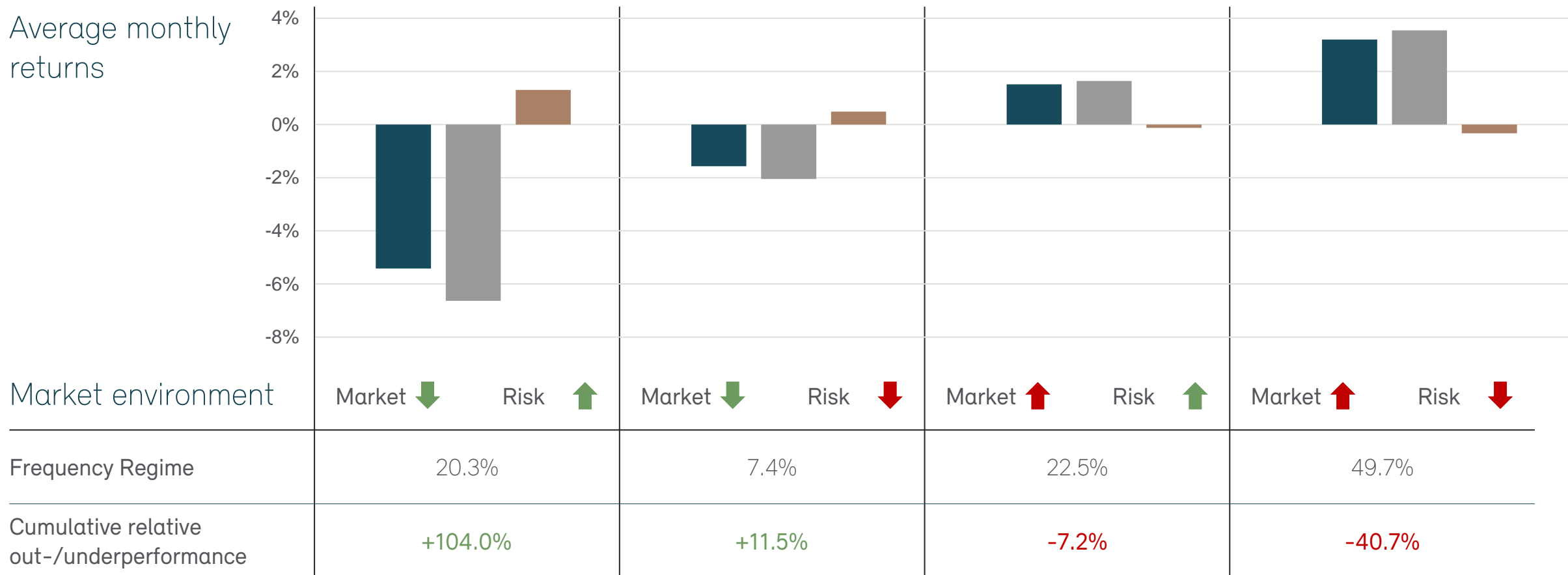
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Significantly better sustainability profile than the benchmark



Reporting date: Rebalancing on October 15, 2025, based on Scope 1 & 2 data
ESG metrics are based on model weights

Relative performance depends on the market environment: "Winning more by losing less"

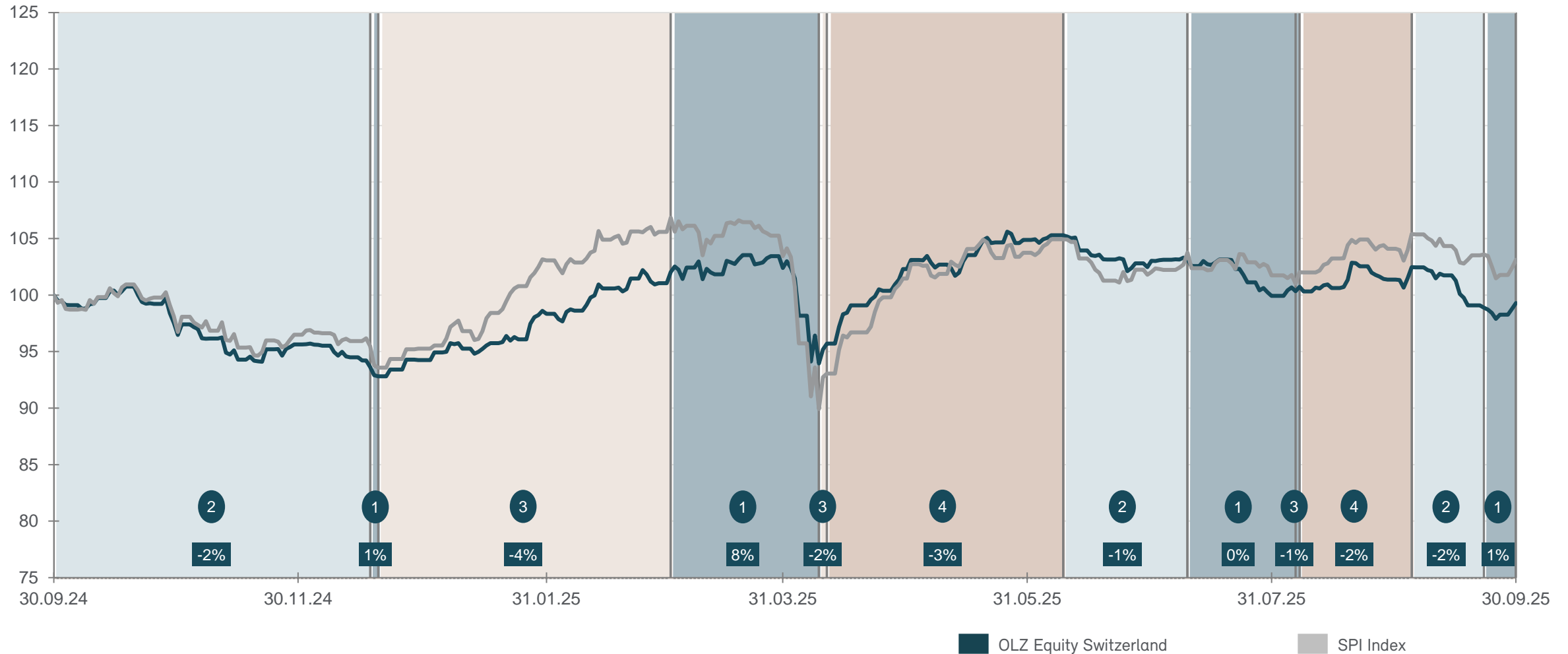


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OLZ SPI Index Relative performance

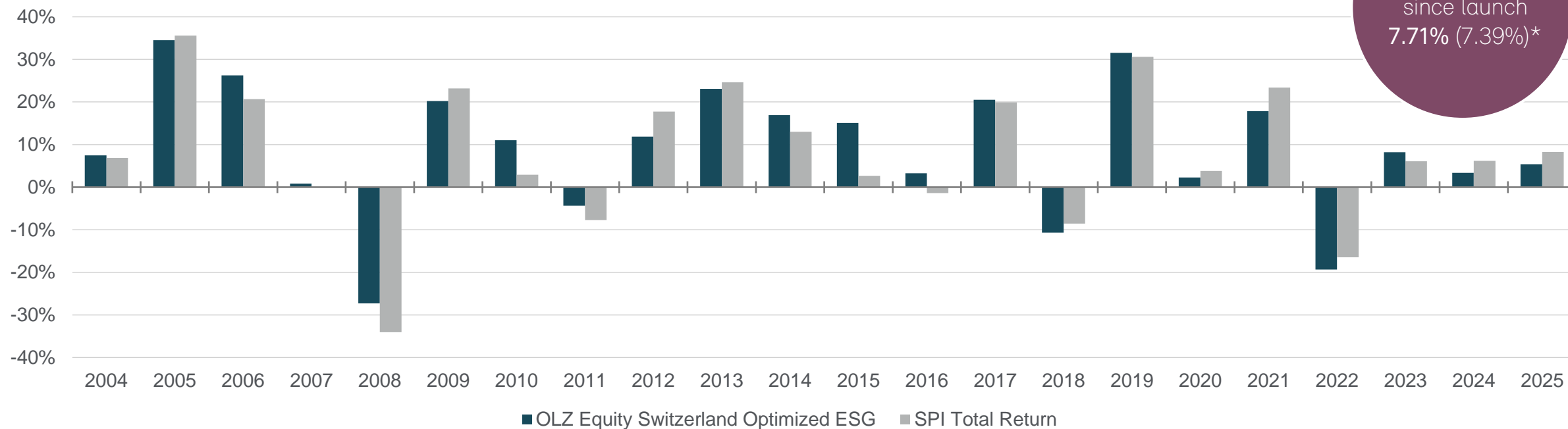
OLZ reduces risk across all regimes



Analysis period: September 30, 2024 – September 30, 2025

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Added value of a minimum variance portfolio: Long-term goal: Higher risk-adjusted returns



Return p.a. since launch
7.71% (7.39%)*

Return p.a.	
OLZ Equity Switzerland:	7.94%
SPI:	6.83%

Tracking error of 4.92%
compared to the SPI

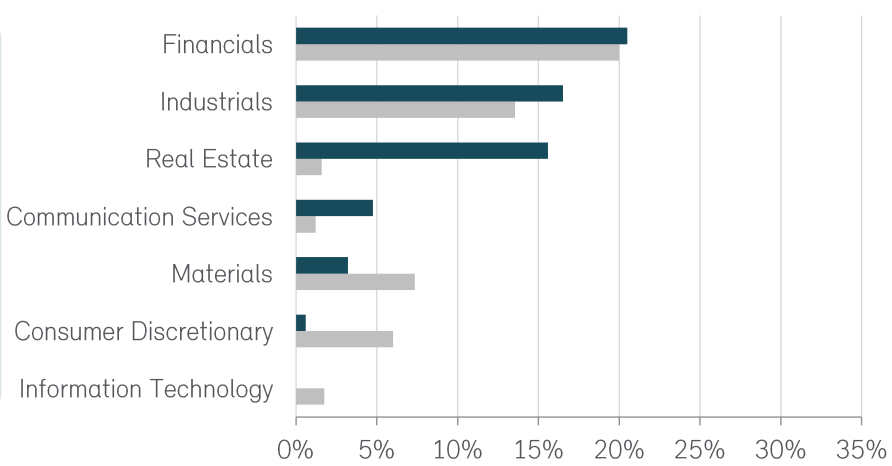
Sharpe ratio	
OLZ Equity Switzerland:	0.60
SPI:	0.43

Analysis period: January 1, 2004 – September 30, 2025; (*"out of sample" simulation until fund launch on December 20, 2010); *Return in parentheses: benchmark return for the same period. OLZ
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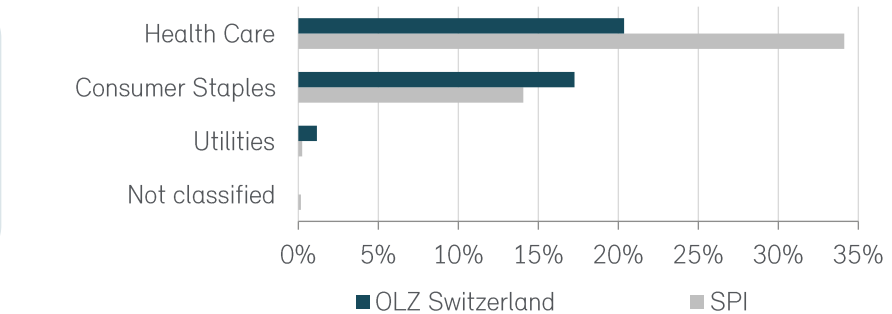
Fewer concentrated risks in the OLZ portfolio

Significant differences in sector weightings

Cyclical sectors



Defensive sectors



Better diversification than the benchmark

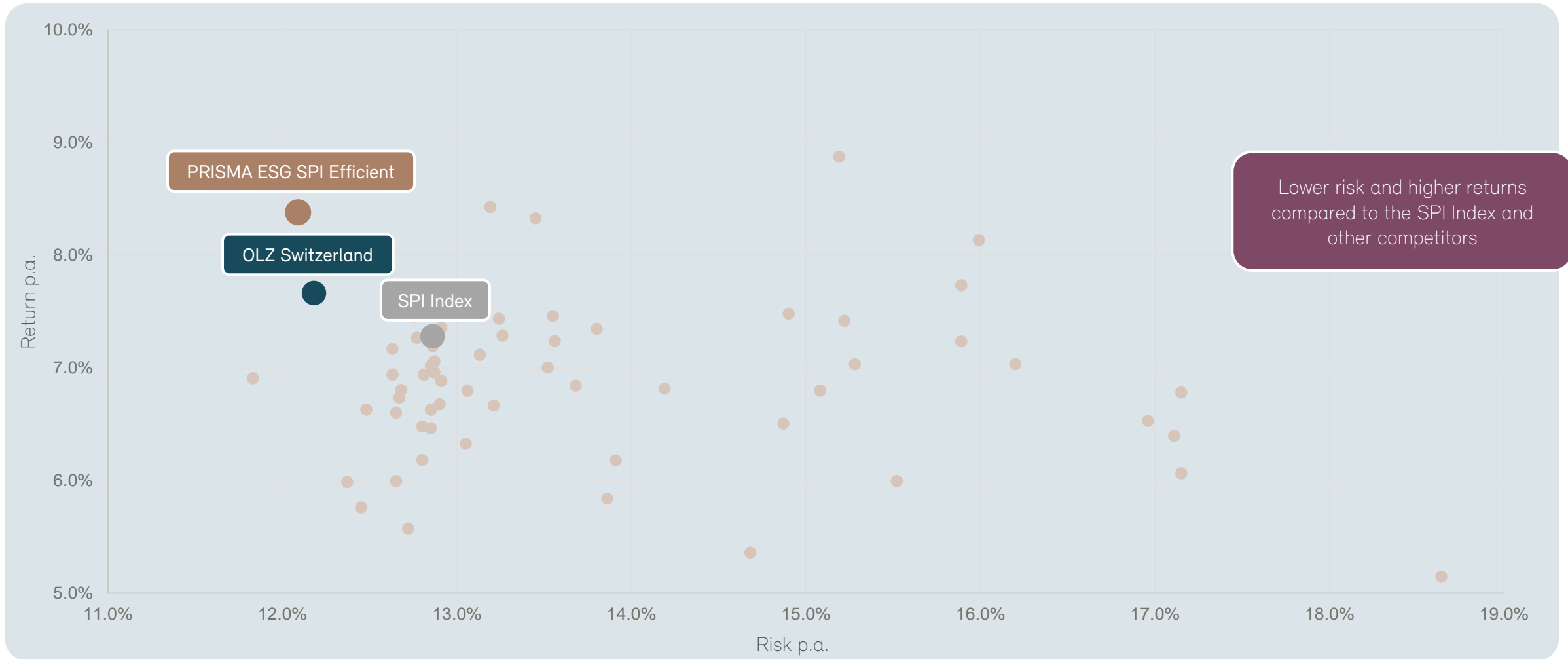
10 largest positions	OLZ	Benchmark
NOVARTIS N	9.35	12.40
NESTLE N	7.43	11.90
ROCHE GS	5.67	12.11
ZURICH INSURANCE N	5.12	5.12
GALENICA N	4.83	0.27
SWISSCOM N	4.46	0.91
LINDT PS	4.32	0.79
PSP N	4.00	0.38
SWISS PRIME SITE N	4.00	0.55
SGS N	3.95	0.88

Less exposure to large caps compared to the benchmark

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Competitor comparison: OLZ funds with strong performance since launch

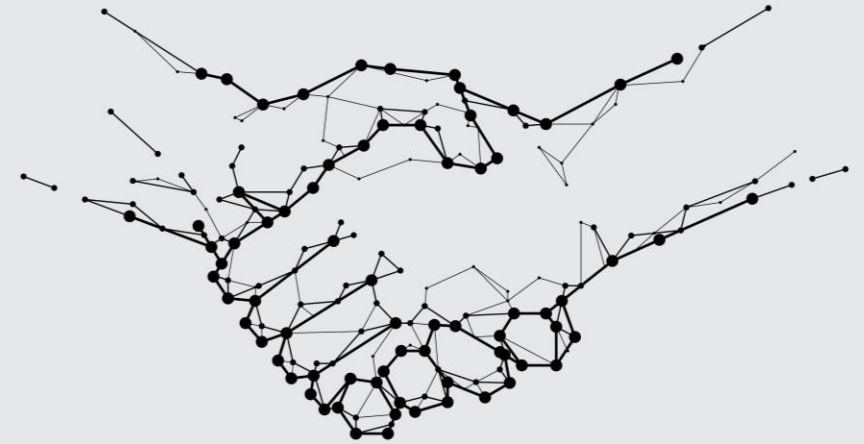


Analysis period: December 31, 2010 – December 31, 2024; all returns in CHF according to Bloomberg.

The peer group is based on a Bloomberg Fund Screening with the following filters: AuM > CHF 100 million; track record since at least January 1, 2011; asset allocation: equities > 95%; geographical focus: Switzerland > 95%; excluding funds with a small and mid cap focus.

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Summary



Attractiveness of a minimum variance portfolio: Optimal utilization of the risk budget



- ✓ Scientific and rule-based investment concept
- ✓ Efficient portfolio allocation through quantitative optimization
- ✓ Consideration of sustainability criteria (ESG)

Lower volatility through **systematic risk management**

Focus on low-risk stocks

Forecasting volatility of individual stocks and their correlations to portfolio construction

Most losses are reduced (drawdowns)

Medium to long term **higher risk-adjusted return**

Exploitation of the low-volatility premium

"Winning more by losing less"

An optimized portfolio with an **attractive risk/return profile** allows for **greater flexibility** in utilizing the risk budget.

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...want an efficient and optimized portfolio

...value a sparring partner for your investments

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