

Part of Storebrand

#### **Fund facts**

ISIN: NO0010657356

Launch date, share class: 31.10.2012 Launch date, fund: 31.10.2012

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NAV: 21.01 EUR AUM: 129 MEUR

Benchmark index: MSCI ACWI Real

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Minimum purchase: 50 EUR
Fixed management fee: 1.50 %
Performance fee: 10 % (see
prospectus for details)
Ongoing charge: 1.50 %
Number of holdings: 32

SFDR: Article 8



**Michael Gobitschek** Managed fund since 31 October 2012



**Anne Line Kristensen** Managed fund since 01 July 2022

### Investment strategy

SKAGEN m2 provides exposure to a normally difficult to access global real estate market. The fund selects low-priced, high-quality real estate companies from around the world. The fund is suitable for those with at least a five year investment horizon. Subscriptions are made in fund units and not directly in stocks or other securities. The benchmark reflects the fund's investment mandate. Since the fund is actively managed, the portfolio will deviate from the composition of the benchmark.

# **SKAGEN m2 A**

RISK PROFILE YTD RETURN ANNUAL RETURN

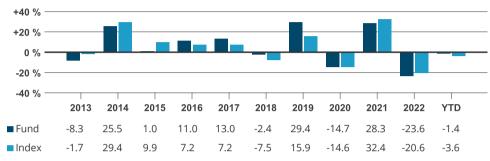
-1.42 % -0.03 %

6 of 7 (SRRI) 31.05.2023 Average last 5 years

Monthly report for May as of 31.05.2023. All data in EUR unless otherwise stated.

Historical returns are no guarantee for future returns. Future returns will depend, inter alia, on market developments, the fund manager's skills, the fund's risk profile and subscription and management fees. The return may become negative as a result of negative price developments. The fund's Key Investor Information Document and prospectus are available on www.skagenfunds.com

# Historical return in EUR (net of fees)



In the period from 11.07.2017 to 30.09.2019, the benchmark index was the MSCI ACWI Real Estate IMI ex REITS.

Period	Fund (%)	Index (%)
Last month	-0.46	-1.73
Year to date	-1.42	-3.62
Last 12 months	-18.26	-17.06
Last 3 years	0.96	2.19
Last 5 years	-0.03	-2.14
Last 10 years	3.10	3.29
Since inception	4.25	4.17

Returns over 12 months are annualised.

Key figures	1 year	2 years	3 years
Standard deviation	-	-	15.80
Standard deviation index	-	-	15.84
Tracking error	-	-	4.90
Information ratio	-	-	-0.25

Active share: 82 %

## Monthly commentary, May 2023

The global real estate market was down in May after a positive month in April. The European and Nordic real estate sectors came under fire this month with several companies receiving credit downgrades and outlook changes as higher interest rates are increasingly reducing the profitability of highly leveraged real estate companies.

Despite some negative news from the sector this month, May was a strong month for SKAGEN m2, which outperformed its benchmark index. The main contributors to the fund's performance in the month were the Brazilian logistics company LOG, the Japanese holding company Tokyo Fudosan and the US-listed data centre operator Equinix.

LOG's share price was up nearly 43% in local currency during the month as they announced two transactions at a combined size of roughly R\$ 900 million at decent valuations, demonstrating the attractiveness of their assets and allowing them to deleverage. Tokyo Fudosan delivered a strong quarterly report, beating the market's expectations on the back of higher property sales gains and improved hotel occupancy.

The largest detractors to the fund's performance in May were the Norwegian Self Storage Group, the pan European healthcare real estate operator Aedifica and the US hospitality company Marcus Corp. There was no company specific reason for Self Storage Group's decline. The company delivered a decent first quarter report, is seeing increased indexation flowing through on the top line, and is trading at a significant discount to its European self-storage peers on cash flow multiples.

SKAGEN m2 continues to focus on resilient companies in trend driven subsegments that are mispriced, can perform in various market conditions, have solid balance sheets, and are well positioned for inflation.

#### Contribution last month

✓	Weight (%)	Contribution (%)
LOG Commercial Properties e Participacoes SA	3.09	1.18
Tokyu Fudosan Holdings Corp	4.49	0.44
EQUINIX INC	5.11	0.39
Independence Realty Trust Inc	4.07	0.32
Arima Real Estate SOCIMI SA	2.60	0.20

✓	Weight (%)	Contribution (%)
Self Storage Group ASA	4.49	-0.67
Aedifica SA	2.79	-0.44
Marcus Corp/The	3.73	-0.36
Catena AB	4.97	-0.35
Shurgard Self Storage Ltd	4.68	-0.34

Absolute contribution based on NOK returns at fund level.

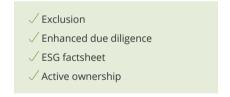
#### Portfolio information

Top 10 investments	Share (%)	Country exposure	Share (%)	Sector exposure	Share (%)
EQUINIX INC	5.1	United States	39.2	Real estate	87.7
Catena AB	4.9	Japan	8.2	Communication Services	5.7
Prologis Inc	4.8	United Kingdom	7.7	Industrials	4.2
Grainger PLC	4.8	Sweden	7.4	Cash, not invested	2.4
Tokyu Fudosan Holdings Corp	4.4	Belgium	6.9	Total share	100.0 %
Shurgard Self Storage Ltd	4.4	Singapore	5.4		
Independence Realty Trust Inc	4.3	Spain	4.7		
Self Storage Group ASA	4.2	Norway	4.2		
CBRE Group Inc	3.9	Brazil	3.8		
LOG Commercial Properties e	3.8	Netherlands	3.2		
Participacoes SA		Total share	90.7 %		
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# Sustainability

### SKAGEN's approach to sustainability

Our ESG approach is built on four pillars. In keeping with SKAGEN's active investment philosophy, our sustainability activities centre on active engagement with our holding companies, which is where we believe we can have the greatest impact. We recognise, however, that the full potential of a sustainable investment strategy is best realised when combining the following four pillars.



# IMPORTANT INFORMATION

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SKAGEN AS is a management company authorised by the Norwegian supervisory authority, Finanstilsynet, for the management of UCITS under the Norwegian Act on Securities Funds. SKAGEN AS has its registered office at Skagen 3, Torgterrassen, 4006 Stavanger, Norway. SKAGEN AS is part of the Storebrand Group and owned 100% by Storebrand Asset Management AS. Storebrand Group consists of all companies owned directly or indirectly by Storebrand ASA.

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In Ireland, SKAGEN AS has appointed Caceis Ireland Limited, One Custom House Plaza, International Financial Services Centre, Dublin, to act as Paying Agent for Ireland. For more information, please contact SKAGEN's Stavanger based International team: international@skagenfunds.com

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