



3 REASONS TO INVEST IN EUROPE



THE EUROPEAN UNION: AN ECONOMIC HEAVYWEIGHT¹

Home to **448 million**
plus consumers

World's biggest single market; one of
the world's largest economies

Largest exporter of manufactured
goods and services

Top trading partner for **80** countries;
the US is the top trading partner for
just over 20



DEEP INVESTMENT POTENTIAL

Euronext is one of the world's largest
stock exchanges - **\$6trn** market cap
and over 1,800 listed issuers²

European earnings growth has shown
robust resilience³

European bond markets supported by
resilient fundamentals, attractive yields
and strong inflows

Supportive government policy –
Germany has earmarked **€1trn** for
defence and infrastructure spending



GLOBAL SUSTAINABILITY LEADER

Driving force behind international
climate initiatives

European Green Deal aims to make
Europe the first climate-neutral
continent by 2050

The European Commission has pledged
to mobilise at least **€1trn** in sustainable
investments over the next decade⁴

Globally, Europe is the largest issuer
of green bonds with its market valued
at more than **€1trn**⁵

4 INVESTMENT IDEAS FOR EUROPE:

EUROPEAN EQUITIES

European equities offer
exposure to global growth.
Dividend income and
valuations currently more
attractive vs. US

EURO HIGH YIELD

Healthy income returns
to potentially continue
above inflation

GREEN BONDS

Europe's green bonds
market is maturing and
becoming an increasingly
relevant part of core fixed
income portfolios

EURO CREDIT

European credit is
supported by resilient
fundamentals, attractive
yields and strong inflows

¹ Facts and figures on the European Union

² The world's largest stock exchanges: 10 biggest by market capitalization, Bankrate, 31 July 2025

³ AXA IM, 1 August 2025

⁴ Finance and the Green Deal, European Commission

⁵ ICE BoA Euro Green Bond Index (as at end August 2025)

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