

## A series EUR

# MONTHLY report - 2023 APRIL (made on: 04/30/2023)

### INVESTMENT POLICY OF THE FUND

The Fund aims to achieve capital growth by investing in bonds of emerging European countries and state-owned companies. The Fund does not apply credit rating restrictions: it may purchase securities of any country or company with any long-term credit rating. The Fund aims for the highest possible capital growth alongside reasonable risk-taking. The Fund primarily purchases foreign currency emerging market bonds, in addition to which it holds Hungarian local currency short-term and long-term bonds for diversification and liquidity management purposes. The bond portfolio may also include short-term, long-term, fixed or floating-rate, structured and convertible bonds issued by mortgage credit institutions, other credit institutions, local governments or other business entities. The core of the Fund's investments is Central Eastern Europe (Hungary, Croatia, Poland, Romania, Slovakia, Ukraine), South East Europe (Serbia, Turkey), the Baltics (Latvia, Lithuania) and the Commonwealth of Independent States (Azerbaijan, Belarus, Kazakhstan, Russia, Georgia, Armenia) and bonds of majority state-owned companies, in addition to which the Fund holds short-term and long-term Hungarian government securities for diversification and liquidity management purposes. The target weight for bond exposures in the Fund in the 16 countries listed (target countries) is 95%. We do not set a limit on debt classification in the Fund. The Fund may only conclude derivative transactions for hedging purposes, or in the interest of establishing an efficient portfolio. The Fund may also hold non-leveraged bond-type collective investment forms. The Fund may also take on significant foreign currency exposure, which is normally covered 100% by the Fund Manager in the target currency (USD), but depending on market conditions, the Fund may also hold open foreign currency positions.

#### MARKET SUMMARY

Last month, the Chinese GDP figure for the first quarter of the year showed a surprisingly strong recovery of 2.2% QoQ after 0.6% in Q4 '22. The Eurozone composite PMI increased for the sixth consecutive month and hit its highest level in almost a year, driven by services. US core PCE inflation came in higher than expected for Q1 '23, while national April CPI data published so far for Eurozone countries suggests core inflation may have peaked. US GDP growth slowed to 0.3% QoQ (non-annualized) in Q1 '23, while Eurozone GDP growth picked up slightly, to 0.1% QoQ. German IFO business expectations rose for a sixth-consecutive last month. The FED minutes revealed that "several" participants had considered a pause while "some" others contemplated a 50bp hike. In the euro area, European Central Bank (ECB) rhetoric started to tilt again to the hawkish side, while industrial production expanded solidly for a second consecutive month. On the mid-March ECB meeting ECB President, Christine Lagarde confirmed that further rate hikes are likely according to their expectations. Investors have become more cautious in the past few days, with stocks declining moderately in both Europe and the US. Rates markets have been well supported, especially at shorter tenors. In FX, EUR-USD fell below 1.10 after reaching a new YTD peak of 1.1095. Credit spreads have gradually widened across the board after a mixed earnings season. We closed the Saudi and Serbian sovereign positions, switched from the U.S. t-bills to the ones with longer tenor, slightly adjusted exposures to Hungary, Romania, Poland and Turkey along with further decreasing of the Kazakh risk.

## **GENERAL INFORMATION**

Fund Manager:	AEGON Hungary Fund Manager Ltd.
Custodian:	Unicredit Bank Hungary Zrt.
Main distributor:	AEGON Hungary Fund Manager Ltd.
Benchmark composition:	The fund has no benchmark
ISIN code:	HU0000706114
Start:	12/11/2007
Currency:	EUR
Net Asset Value of the whole Fund:	5,110,768 EUR
Net Asset Value of A series:	431,506 EUR
Net Asset Value per unit:	0.704529 EUR

## DISTRIBUTORS

Aegon Magyarország Befektetési Alapkezelő Zrt., Aegon Towarzystwo Ubezpieczen na Zycie Spolka, Aegon Životná poisťovňa, a.s., Commerzbank Zrt., CONCORDE Értékpapír Zrt., Erste Befektetési Zrt., KBC Securities Magyarországi Fióktelepe, MKB Bank Nyrt., OTP Bank Nyrt., Raiffeisen Bank Zrt., SC Aegon ASIGURARI DE VIATA SA, Unicredit Bank Hungary Zrt.

SUGGESTED MINIMUM INVESTMENT PERIOD						
3 mths	6 mths	1 yr	2 yr	З yr	4 yr	5 yr

ASSET ALLOCATION OF THE FUND	
Asset	Weight
Government bonds	62.39 %
Corporate bonds	14.42 %
T-bills	9.11 %
Receivables	7.08 %
Market value of open derivative positions	6.09 %
Current account	2.33 %
Liabilities	-1.41 %
Total	100,00 %
Derivative products	10.91 %
Net corrected leverage	100.00 %
Assets with over 10% weight	

There is no such instrument in the portfolio



Lower risk

Higer risk



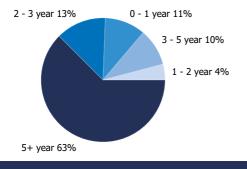
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## NET YIELD PERFORMANCE OF THE SERIES

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Interval	Yield of note	Benchmark yield		
From start	-2.25 %	0.68 %		
2022	-34.14 %			
2021	-6.41 %			
2020	4.40 %			
2019	10.41 %			
2018	-5.82 %			
2017	4.30 %			
2016	0.03 %	-0.15 %		
2015	0.96 %	0.07 %		
2014	1.12 %	0.30 %		
2013	0.20 %	0.24 %		

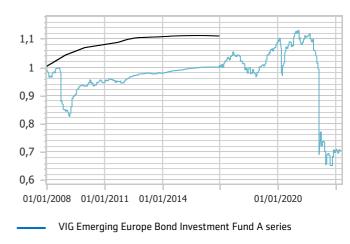
#### Bonds by tenor:

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## NET PERFORMANCE OF THE SERIES

net asset value per share, 12/11/2007 - 04/30/2023



Benchmark

RISK INDICATORS FOR THE LAST 12 MONTHS	
Annualized standard deviation of the fund's weekly yields- based on 1 year	11.16 %
WAM (Weighted Average Maturity)	5.70 years
WAL (Weighted Average Life)	7.12 years

#### **TOP 10 POSITIONS** Counterparty / issuer Maturity Asset Type BTF 0 11/29/23 11/29/2023 zero coupon Francia Állam SOIAZ 6.95 03/18/30 USD State Oil Co of the Azerbaijan Republic 03/18/2030 interest-bearing Republic of Hungary 2029/06/16 5,25% USD Államadósság Kezelő Központ Zrt. interest-bearing 06/16/2029 ROMANI USD 2044/01/22 6,125% Román Állam 01/22/2044 interest-bearing TURKEY 6 03/25/27 interest-bearing Török Állam 03/25/2027 TURKEY 04/14/26 4.25% USD Török Állam interest-bearing 04/14/2026 MHPSA 6.95 04/03/26 MHP Lux S.A. 04/03/2026 interest-bearing Republic of HUNGARY 2041/03/29 7,625% USD Államadósság Kezelő Központ Zrt. interest-bearing 03/29/2041 AZERBJ 3 1/2 09/01/32 Azerbajdzsáni Köztársaság 09/01/2032 interest-bearing UKRAIN 2029/05/21 6.876% USD interest-bearing Ukrán állam 05/21/2029

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