

# LO Funds – Euro Responsible Corporate Fundamental N

## **Fact Sheet (marketing document)**

Fundamental Fixed Income ● Fixed Income 31 January 2021

#### **FUND FACTS**

Domicile/Legal structure	Luxembourg/SICAV
Legal Status	UCITS
Fund inception date	8 February 1999
Currency of Fund Currency of share class	EUR EUR
Fund manager	Y. Zufferey, L. Leigh, A. Parker
Net assets (all classes) Liquidity (sub./red.)	EUR 85.10 million Daily, 12:00
Swinging Single Pricing	Yes
Min. investment	CHF 1'000'000 or eq
Management fee Distribution fee FROC TER max (30 September 20)	0.45% 0.00% 0.22% 20) 0.67%

## RISK AND REWARD PROFILE

1	2	3	4	5	6	7
Low						High

CODES	Class A
ISIN	LU0210004429
Bloomberg	LOIMEUI LX
NAV	EUR 21.27

#### **RATINGS**

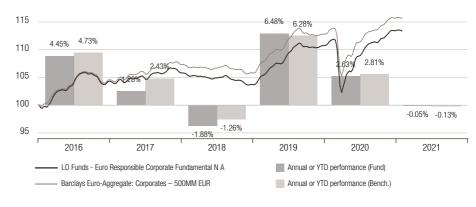
Morningstar Rating	****
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#### HIGHLIGHTS

LO Funds - Euro Responsible Corporate Fundamental is a long only corporate bond fund launched in July 2011. The Fund is actively managed in reference to the Bloomberg Barclays Euro-Aggregate Corporates 500MM which used to define the initial investment universe for individual security selection, as well as for performance and internal risk indicators comparison.

The Fund invests mainly in EUR denominated bonds applying a best-in-class approach to Sustainable investing. It seeks to achieve higher risk-adjusted returns than traditional investment grade indices. The investment approach is two-fold: a disciplined analysis which differs from a traditional market-cap approach by allocating to sectors and companies based on fundamental criteria including extra financial data (i.e. ESG, carbon intensity and controversies); and a forward-looking credit analysis aiming to further mitigate the credit default risk and identify bottom-up opportunities taking into account financial and extra-financial information. Risk management is performed by fund managers at a portfolio level, alongside independent teams who oversee investment risks and operational risks.

#### NET PERFORMANCE AND ANNUAL PERFORMANCE IN EUR Dec 31, 2015 - Jan 31, 2021



Cumulative

Value of investments is variable and can go down as well as up.

	Oumulative					
NET PERFORMANCE IN EUR	Fund	Bench.				
YTD	-0.05%	-0.13%				
1 month	-0.05%	-0.13%				
3 months	1.26%	1.06%				
1 year	1.43%	1.50%				
3 years	7.50%	8.04%				
5 years	13.29%	14.90%				
Total return (since 08.02.1999)	112.75%	144.99%				

Fund	Bench.
-	-
-	-
-	-
-	-
2.43%	2.60%
2.52%	2.80%
3.48%	4.15%

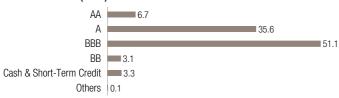
Annualized

<b>STATISTICS</b> 31.01.2016 - 31.01.2021	Fund	Bench.
Annualised volatility	4.58%	4.29%
Sharpe ratio	0.64	0.75
Max. drawdown	-8.01%	-7.43%
Correlation		0.993
Tracking error		0.60%

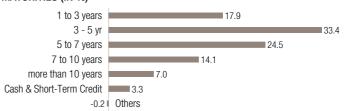
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Average coupon	1.44%
Average rating	A-/BBB+
Modified duration	5.26
field to worst	0.33%
field to maturity	0.36%
Number of positions	432
Number of issuers	256
Option adjusted spread (OAS)	101



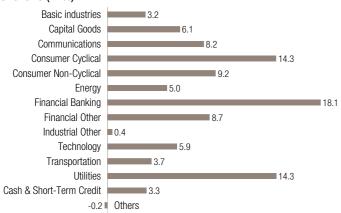
## **CREDIT RATINGS (IN %)**



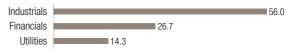
## MATURITIES (IN %)



### SECTORS (IN %)



## **CORPORATE SECTORS (IN %)**



## **REGIONS (IN %)**



MONTHLY RETURNS	20	16	20	17	20	18	20	19	20	20	20	21
IN %	Fund	Bench.										
January	0.1	0.6	-0.6	-0.6	-0.3	-0.3	0.9	1.1	1.1	1.2	-0.1	-0.1
February	0.3	0.5	1.1	1.2	-0.0	-0.0	0.6	0.7	-0.3	-0.4		
March	1.8	1.4	-0.5	-0.4	-0.2	-0.1	1.4	1.4	-7.7	-6.9		
April	0.5	0.3	0.4	0.5	-0.0	0.0	0.8	0.7	3.6	3.8		
May	0.2	0.3	0.2	0.4	-0.3	-0.3	-0.1	-0.2	0.4	0.2		
June	1.0	1.0	-0.5	-0.6	-0.0	-0.0	1.5	1.6	1.6	1.3		
July	1.8	1.7	0.8	0.8	0.1	0.3	1.4	1.4	1.7	1.5		
August	0.2	0.2	0.5	0.5	0.1	0.0	0.7	0.6	0.5	0.2		
September	-0.0	-0.1	-0.2	-0.2	-0.5	-0.3	-0.6	-0.8	0.1	0.3		
October	-0.8	-0.7	1.1	1.1	-0.2	-0.2	-0.1	-0.2	0.8	0.8		
November	-1.1	-1.1	-0.2	-0.2	-0.7	-0.7	-0.1	-0.3	1.1	1.0		
December	0.6	0.6	-0.7	-0.3	0.1	0.2	0.1	-0.0	0.2	0.2		
Year	4.4	4.7	1.3	2.4	-1.9	-1.3	6.5	6.3	2.6	2.8	-0.1	-0.1



#### PARTICULAR RISKS

The following risks may be materially relevant but may not always be adequately captured by the synthetic risk indicator and may cause additional loss:

- Credit risk: A significant level of investment in debt securities or risky securities implies that the risk of, or actual, default may have a material impact on performance. The likelihood of this depends on the credit-worthiness of the issuers.
- Liquidity risk: Where a significant level of investment is made in financial instruments that may under certain circumstances have a relatively low level of liquidity, there is a

material risk that the fund will not be able to transact at advantageous times or prices. This could reduce the fund's returns.

- Model Risk: Models may be misspecified, badly implemented or may become inoperative when significant changes take place in the financial markets or in the organization. Such a model could unduly influence portfolio management and expose to losses.

For more details about risk, see appendix B "Risk Factors" of the prospectus.

#### GLOSSARY

Credit Ratings: The credit ratings breakdown mentioned for convertible funds is a blend of ratings performed internally as well as ratings provided by external sources.

Risk and Reward Profile: This indicator (SRRI) represents the annualized historical volatility of the Sub-Fund over a 5-year period. Where there are less than 5 years worth of data, missing returns are simulated using an appropriate benchmark. The SRRI may change over time and should not be used as an indicator of future risk or returns. Even the lowest risk classification does not imply that the Sub-Fund is risk-free or that capital is necessarily guaranteed or protected.

**Total Expense Ratio (TER):** The total fees involved in managing and operating a fund. The TER included the annual management fee and other charges, for example legal, admin, and audit costs (source: annual audited reports or semi annual non audited reports). The Total Expense Ratio (TER) is calculated twice per year and is subject to change between calculation dates.

**Volatility:** A statistical measure of the fluctuations of a security's price. It can also be used to describe fluctuations in a particular market. High volatility is an indication of higher risk. **Sharpe Ratio:** A measure of risk-adjusted performance. The higher the ratio, the better riskadjusted performance has been.

**Drawdown:** A draw down is usually quoted as the percentage between the peak and trough of an investment during a specific period. It can help to compare an investment's possible reward to its risk.

**Correlation:** Correlation is a measure of how securities or asset classes move in relation to each other. Highly correlated investments tend to move up and down together while investments with low correlation tend to perform in different ways in different market conditions, providing investors with diversification benefits. Correlation is measured between 1 (perfect correlation) and -1 (perfect opposite correlation). A correlation coefficient of 0 suggests there is no correlation.

Tracking Error: A measure of how closely an investment portfolio follows the index against

which it is benchmarked

**Bond Floor:** The lowest value that convertible bonds can fall to, given the present value of the remaining future cash flows and principal repayment. The bond floor is the value at which the convertible option becomes worthless because the underlying stock price has fallen substantially below the conversion value.

**Delta:** The ratio comparing the change in the price of the underlying asset to the corresponding change in the price of a derivative.

**Premium:** If a fixed-income security (bond) is purchased at a premium, existing interest rates are lower than the coupon rate. Investors pay a premium for an investment that will return an amount greater than existing interest rates.

Yield to Maturity: The rate of return anticipated on a bond if it is held until the maturity date.

Coupon: The interest rate stated on a bond when it's issued.

**Modified Duration:** This formula is used to determine the effect that a 100-basis-point (1%) change in interest rates will have on the price of a bond.

Average Duration: The average modified duration of the portfolio expressed in years. Expected Loss: Annual average expected loss to the portfolio expressed in percent. Attachment Point: The modelled probability of a negative portfolio return in any given year. FROC (Fixed Rate of Operational Costs): The Operational Costs cover expenses directly incurred by the Company ("Direct Costs") and those resulting from the activities carried out by the Management Company on behalf of the Company ("Fund Servicing Costs"). Swinging Single Pricing (SSP): SSP is an adjustment to the NAV per share in consideration of subscription and redemption activity on a dealing day. For more information, please refer to Section 15.1 "Net Asset Value Determination" of the Sub-Fund Prospectus, which can be found at www.loim.com.

have an adverse effect on price and income. All performance figures reflect the

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