

GENERALI INVESTMENTS SICAV

CONVERTIBLE BOND - BX

30 July 2021



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KEY DATA

MANAGEMENT COMPANY	Generali Investments Luxembourg S.A.
INVESTMENT MANAGER	Generali Investments Partners S.p.A Società di gestione del risparmio
FUND MANAGER	Eric DOMERGUE
BENCHMARK	100% EXANE EUROZONE CONVERTIBLE BOND (TR)
FUND TYPE	Sicav
DOMICILE	Luxembourg
SUB-FUND LAUNCH DATE	02/02/2004
SHARE CLASS LAUNCH DATE	29/01/2009
FIRST NAV DATE AFTER DORMANT PERIOD	19/08/2013
CURRENCY	Euro
CUSTODIAN BANK	BNP Paribas Securities Services Luxembourg
ISIN	LU0183829034
BLOOMBERG CODE	GENCBAB LX
VALUATION	
AUM	186.38 M EUR
NAV PER SHARE	127.46 EUR
HIGHEST NAV OVER THE LAST 12 MONTHS	128.28 EUR
LOWEST NAV OVER THE LAST 12 MONTHS	116.49 EUR
FEES	
SUBSCRIPTION FEE	max. 5%
MANAGEMENT FEE	0.6000%
CONVERSION FEE	max. 5%
REDEMPTION FEE	max. 1%
PERFORMANCE FEE	n.a.
ONGOING CHARGES	0.7500%

CATEGORY AND RISK PROFILE

CATEGORY	Fixed Income
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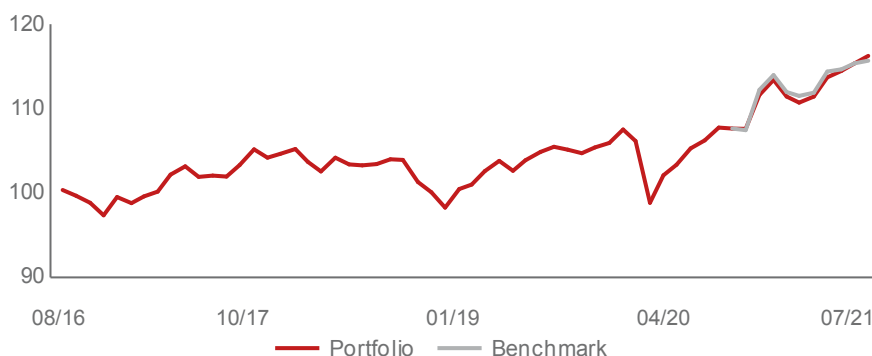
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
Lower risk						Higher risk
Potentially lower rewards						Potentially higher rewards

The risk and reward category shown is not guaranteed to remain unchanged and the categorisation of the sub fund may shift over time. For more information about risk, please see the KIID and Prospectus.

INVESTMENT OBJECTIVE AND POLICY

The objective of the Fund is to preserve the invested capital and maximize the total investment return through an exposure to convertible bonds or other financial derivative instruments and equity related securities. The global net position of the Sub-fund will create a net long bias on average over time. The Fund mainly invests in convertible bonds, exchangeable bonds, mandatory convertible bonds and options and securities denominated in Euro. It may also invest on an ancillary basis in other bonds having an underlying exposure to equities, in participating shares and warrants and in short term money market instruments. Investments in equities or following the conversion will be less than 10% of the net asset. The Fund may also invest into "Rule 144A" and/or Regulation S securities, which in accordance with US Law are not registered with the US Securities and Exchange Commission (SEC). The Fund may use standardized credit default swaps ("CDS") and the total obligation may not exceed 25% of the net asset. The Fund may use financial instruments and derivatives for hedging for efficient portfolio management and for investment purposes.

PERFORMANCE ANALYSIS AT 30 JULY 2021



	1M	YTD	1YR	3YR	5YR	3YR P.A.	5YR P.A.
Portfolio	0.75	2.53	9.42	12.37	16.45	3.96	3.09
Benchmark	0.29	1.52	-	-	-	-	-
Excess return	0.46	1.01	-	-	-	-	-

	SI	SI P.A.	2020	2019	2018	2017	2016
Portfolio	27.46	3.10	7.02	7.73	-6.04	5.12	-1.14
Benchmark	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Excess return	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

	07/21-07/20	07/20-07/19	07/19-07/18	07/18-07/17	07/17-07/16
Portfolio	9.42	1.27	1.41	1.30	2.30
Benchmark	-	-	-	-	-
Excess return	-	-	-	-	-

KEY FEATURES

- Enhanced portfolio diversification to optimise asset allocation.
- Exposure to a multi-component underlying asset class. Convertible bonds parameters (Equity, Credit, Interest Rates, Volatility and Prospectus clauses) give us the possibility to exploit arbitrage opportunities.

Past performance is not a guide to future performance and may be misleading. The performances are shown net of fees and expenses over the relevant period. All performance figures reflect the reinvestment of dividends and do not take into account the commissions and costs incurred on the issue and redemption of shares/parts. Please see the important information at the end of this document. Investing in the fund/sub-fund involves risks including the possible loss of capital. Please read the KIIDs and the prospectus to find out about these risks. Legal information concerning the fund/sub-fund are available on the website: www.generali-investment.com

FUND MANAGER'S COMMENTS

In July, global equities were positive with the MSCI World up 1.8%, the S&P500 was up by 2.4% and the Euro Stoxx 50 up by 0.8%. The S&P500 outperformed the Nasdaq, which this month grew by 1.2%.

In the fixed income space, there has been a sharp decrease in benchmark yields, with the US 10-year yield falling by 20 bps to 1.24% and the 10-year Bund by 26 bps to -0.46. Non-core spreads have slightly increased, with the BTP-Bund spread up by 6 bps, reaching 109 and the Bonos-Bund spread by 10 bps to 73. The US IG credit spread increased by 5 bps to 91 and the HY credit spread was up by 22 bps to 326. In Europe, the Investment Grade (IG) credit spread didn't move, and the High Yield (HY) credit spread increased by 10 bps.

EMEA convertibles posted positive returns in July. As a reference, the Exane Eurozone Index performed +0.29%. Again, the positive performance was achieved by a good support from underlying equities thanks to a good start of the reporting season. However, the path to normalcy of many economies has been disrupted by a global surge in coronavirus cases caused by the highly contagious Delta Variant. As a result, Europe's Travel & Leisure sector has been volatile.

Portfolio activity

In July turnover was limited. We took some profit on top performers such as Sika 0.15% 2025. We did not participate at any primary placement.

Outlook

We retain a positive risk stance, but we scale down our equity overweight. Credit remains a good carry trade, but tight spread will cap total returns. Low volatility is likely to remain in IG because of the strong focus of the ECB on financing conditions. We reiterate a negative stance on duration after the strong rally of July.

We will plan to focus on balanced profiles, as delta/optionality will mitigate duration risk. On the other hand, long dated and low delta bonds are the most fragile in case of further core rates increase.

Convertible bonds offer asymmetric exposure to equities with the benefit of enhanced downside protection.

HOLDINGS & TRANSACTIONS

TOP 10 FIXED INCOME

HOLDING	SECTOR	RATING	GROSS %
ELEC DE FRANCE 0 09/14/24	Utilities	A-	3.98%
SAFRAN SA 0.875 05/15/27	Industrials	BBB+	3.02%
DEUTSCHE POST AG 0.05 06/30/25	Industrials	BBB+	2.63%
AMADEUS IT GROUP 1.5 04/09/25	Information Technology	BBB-	2.54%
SIKA AG 0.15 06/05/25	Materials	A-	2.53%
IBERDROLA INTL 0 11/11/22	Utilities	BBB+	2.38%
SELENA 0 06/25/25	Financials	NR	2.27%
DEUTSCHE WOHNEN 0.325 07/26/24	Real Estate	A-	2.15%
CELLNEX TELECOM 1.5 01/16/26	Communication Services	BB+	2.13%
LEG IMMOBILIEN 0.4 06/30/28	Real Estate	BBB+	2.03%
Total Top 10 (%)			25.67%
Total Top 20 (%)			43.62%

TOP 3 SALES OVER THE LAST MONTH

DEUTSCHE WOHNEN 0.325 07/26/24
DEUTSCHE WOHNEN 0.6 01/05/26
SIKA AG 0.15 06/05/25

TOP 3 PURCHASES OVER THE LAST MONTH

DEUTSCHE WOHNEN 0.325 07/26/24
DEUTSCHE POST AG 0.05 06/30/25
ADIDAS AG 0.05 09/12/23

RATIOS

PERFORMANCE AND RISK ANALYSIS - SYNTHESIS

	1YR	3YR	5YR	SI
Standard Deviation Ptf	6.47	6.51	5.73	5.61
Standard Deviation Bmk	-	-	-	-
Tracking Error	-	-	-	-
Alpha	-	-	-	-
Beta	-	-	-	-
R-squared	-	-	-	-
Information Ratio	-	-	-	-
Sharpe Ratio	1.47	0.65	0.60	0.57
Treynor Ratio	-	-	-	-
Sortino Ratio	2.77	0.93	0.87	0.86

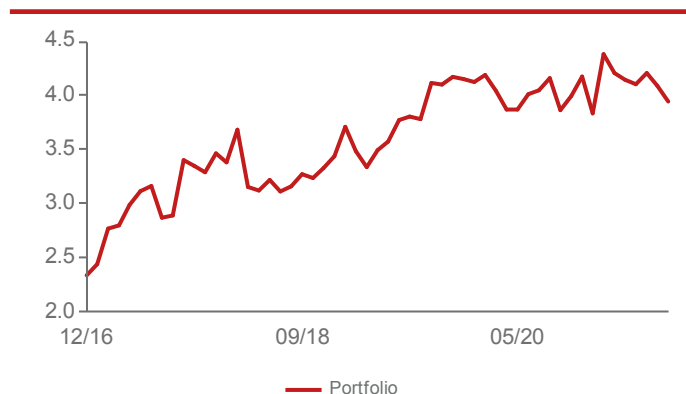
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	SINCE INCEPTION
Maximum drawdown (%)	-10.8
Peak to trough drawdown (dates)	Feb 20 - Mar 20
Length (in days)	28
Recovery Period (in days)	210
Worst Month	March 2020
Lowest Return	-6.9
Best Month	January 2015
Highest Return	4.2

FINANCIAL RATIO - FIXED INCOME

	FUND	BENCHMARK
Z-Spread	255.83	245.48
DTS (Duration Times Spread)	465.59	525.93
Average Rating (2nd best)	BBB-	BBB
Modified Duration	3.95	4.28
Effective Duration	1.81	2.14
Average Time to Maturity	3.68	-
Yield to Maturity	3.73	3.26
Current Yield	0.38	-
Average Coupon	0.45	-

MODIFIED DURATION EVOLUTION



BREAKDOWNS

■ Fund ■ Benchmark ■ Relative

COUNTRY	NET	RELATIVE
France	29.1% 29.0%	0.1%
Germany	20.3% 29.8%	-9.5%
Spain	11.2% 10.7%	0.5%
United Kingdom	7.9% 8.4%	-0.5%
Saudi Arabia	5.1% 5.4%	-0.3%
Italy	4.3% 7.4%	-3.1%
United States	2.6% 2.4%	0.2%
Others	9.0% 6.9%	2.1%
Cash	10.6%	

RATINGS (2ND BEST)	NET	RELATIVE
AA	0.6%	0.6%
A	17.1% 20.1%	-3.1%
BBB	31.9% 34.2%	-2.3%
BB	20.9% 22.6%	-1.7%
CCC	1.5%	-1.5%
NR	19.0% 20.5%	-1.5%
Not Available	1.0%	-1.0%
Cash	10.6%	

SECTOR	NET	RELATIVE
Consumer Discretionary	17.7% 22.5%	-4.8%
Information Technology	12.4% 13.6%	-1.2%
Industrials	11.5% 15.3%	-3.7%
Financials	9.5% 5.2%	4.3%
Utilities	8.1% 8.5%	-0.3%
Real Estate	8.0% 10.8%	-2.7%
Materials	7.8% 7.0%	0.8%
Others	14.4% 17.2%	-2.8%
Cash	10.6%	

MATURITY	NET	RELATIVE
0-1Y	2.2% 4.2%	-2.0%
1-3Y	16.6% 20.6%	-4.0%
3-5Y	40.6% 48.1%	-7.4%
5-10Y	28.8% 25.2%	3.5%
10-20Y	1.0% 1.9%	-0.9%
Not Available	0.2%	0.2%
Cash	10.6%	

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DEALING DETAILS

CUT OFF TIME	T at 1 pm (T being the dealing day)
SETTLEMENT	T+3
VALUATION	Daily
NAV CALCULATION	Day +1
NAV PUBLICATION	Day +1

Important Information

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