# Man AHL Trend Alternative

Monthly summary report: 28 March 2024

Reporting Class: DNY H EUR Acc

# **Investment Policy**

#### Investment Objective

The Fund seeks to achieve medium-term capital growth while restricting the associated risks, by trading a diversified portfolio of Investments. The Sub-Fund aims to perform independently of traditional stock and bond investments thereby providing valuable diversification benefits and enhancing the risk/reward profile of a traditional investment portfolio.

#### Type of Assets

In order to achieve its investment objective, the Fund will apply the AHL Diversified programme and invest in futures, options, forward contracts and swaps, transferable securities, including certificates on AHL investment funds pursuing strategies in accordance with the AHL Diversified Programme and/or cash and cash equivalents. The Fund may also enter into total return swaps and contracts for difference, invest in undertakings of collective investments as well as retain amounts in cash and cash equivalents.

#### Monthly return<sup>1</sup>: 5.21%

#### Performance Chart (Since Inception)<sup>1</sup>

Past Performance is not indicative of future performance. Returns may increase or decrease as a result of currency fluctuations.



#### Awards and Ratings<sup>3</sup>



#### Cumulative Performance<sup>1</sup>

	1 Month	3 Months	6 Months	YTD	1 Year	3 Years	5 Years	10 Years	Since Inception
Fund	5.21%	7.43%	3.47%	7.43%	10.42%	7.40%	21.57%	70.71%	52.55%

#### **Benchmark Degree of Freedom**

The Sub-Fund is actively managed; no benchmark is used as a universe for selection or for performance comparison purposes.

Please refer to the Fund's Prospectus /Offering documents for additional details regarding the Investment policy.

# **Fund Risks**

The value of your investment and the income from it may rise as well as fall and you may not get back the amount originally invested. Prior to investing in the Fund investors should carefully consider the risks associated with investing, whether the Fund suits their investment requirements and whether they have sufficient resources to bear any losses which may result from an investment in the Fund. **Investors should only invest if they understand the terms on which the Fund is offered. Investors should consider the risks detailed in the risk glossary and where appropriate seek professional advice before investing.** 

#### YTD return<sup>1</sup>: 7.43%

#### Fund Details (Key Facts)<sup>2</sup>

Inception Date	21 July 2009
Fund Size	USD 998,577,520
Structure	UCITS
Domicile	Luxembourg
Investment Manager	AHL Partners LLP

#### Summary Risk Indicator (SRI)

<b>←</b> Lo	wer Risk			н	igher Ris	k —	
Typically	Lower Rev	vards			Typically	Higher F	Rewards
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	

See Glossary for an explanation of the calculation. Please refer to the KID/KIID for the relevant Risk Indicator in your jurisdiction.

#### **Discrete Performance**<sup>1</sup>

#### Performance Statistics Since Inception<sup>1</sup>

	Mar 2023 -	Mar 2022 -	Mar 2021 -	Mar 2020 -	Mar 2019 -	Annualised	Annualised	Sharpe			Information	Tracking
Year	Mar 2024	Mar 2023	Mar 2022	Mar 2021	Mar 2020	Return	Volatility	<b>Ratio</b> ⁴	Correlation	Beta	Ratio	Error
Fund	10.42%	1.45%	-4.13%	-0.18%	13.40%	2.92%	13.17%	0.20	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a

#### **Drawdown Statistics<sup>5</sup>**

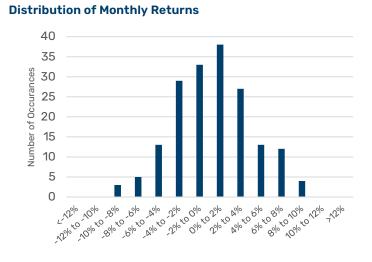
	Max Drawdown	Length of Max Drawdown	Length of Recovery	Duration of Max Drawdown	Number of Total Drawdowns
Fund	-23.08%	35 Months	14 Months	49 Months	8

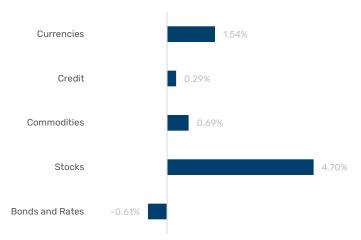
#### Historical Performance<sup>1</sup>

Year	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	Мау	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Fund YTD
2014	-1.48%	1.31%	-1.00%	2.31%	8.81%	3.15%	-1.07%	6.03%	-0.60%	1.74%	7.24%	1.80%	31.38%
2015	7.35%	1.22%	1.48%	-3.99%	-2.11%	-4.76%	2.19%	0.42%	3.27%	-4.78%	1.63%	-5.01%	-3.84%
2016	3.78%	2.83%	0.43%	-4.18%	-3.43%	2.42%	1.71%	-1.50%	-3.28%	-2.56%	0.51%	3.29%	-0.43%
2017	0.92%	2.63%	-1.21%	-0.12%	4.01%	-3.22%	5.13%	1.58%	-4.02%	5.63%	0.62%	-2.02%	9.82%
2018	6.31%	-8.58%	-0.77%	-1.95%	-0.24%	1.28%	-2.67%	3.94%	-5.42%	0.67%	-3.30%	6.87%	-4.91%
2019	-0.98%	-1.63%	8.44%	2.99%	0.56%	3.63%	8.14%	3.25%	-4.12%	-6.46%	1.91%	1.01%	16.84%
2020	-2.20%	-2.20%	7.18%	-3.18%	-2.55%	-2.28%	2.59%	0.35%	-3.49%	-1.96%	1.35%	7.38%	0.20%
2021	-3.98%	2.89%	3.37%	1.63%	2.32%	-1.53%	1.25%	-0.82%	-5.64%	4.72%	-7.57%	-0.32%	-4.39%
2022	-4.11%	0.13%	6.66%	6.98%	-0.87%	2.94%	-4.94%	2.36%	9.40%	-0.06%	-5.56%	-0.66%	11.57%
2023	-0.22%	1.25%	-7.83%	2.50%	2.85%	2.98%	-3.93%	-3.31%	5.82%	2.52%	-7.73%	1.81%	-4.29%
2024	-2.14%	4.35%	5.21%	n/a	7.43%								

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# **Performance Analysis**





**Gross Performance Contribution**<sup>6</sup>

#### Top 5 markets<sup>7</sup>

	MTD	EOM Position
Mexican Peso/US Dollar	0.77%	Long
FTSE Taiwan Index	0.51%	Long
Gold	0.49%	Long
Natural Gas - US	0.44%	Short
FTSE Italia All Share Index	0.35%	Long

#### Bottom 5 Markets<sup>7</sup>

	MTD	EOM Position
EUA Carbon Emissions	-0.23%	Short
Silver	-0.17%	Long
Israeli Shekel/US Dollar	-0.16%	Long
Aluminium	-0.15%	Short
South African Rand/US Dollar	-0.14%	Long

# **Exposure and Risk Analysis**

### **Headline Risk Analysis**

VaR (99%)	2.22%
Expected Shortfall (99%) <sup>9</sup>	2.52%
Leverage <sup>10</sup>	6.73

#### Exposure & VaR<sup>8</sup>

Sector	Long Exposure	Short Exposure	Net exposure	VaR
Bonds and	69.59%	-61.75%	7.83%	0.27%
Rates	07.37/0	-01.75%	7.03%	0.2776
Commodities	44.71%	-15.62%	29.09%	1.11%
Credit	78.11%	0.00%	78.11%	0.14%
Currencies	132.54%	-132.54%	0.00%	1.25%
Stocks	131.24%	-7.17%	124.07%	1.60%

#### **Top 5 Currency Exposure**

	Exposure
USD	109.64%
JPY	-38.95%
CNH	-27.55%
CHF	-26.47%
MXN	23.63%

#### **Equity Sector Net Exposure**

Sector	Exposure
Broad Market Indices	117.55%
Communication Services	-0.15%
Consumer Discretionary	0.52%
Consumer Staples	0.08%
Energy	0.26%
ETFs	1.16%
Financials	2.78%
Health Care	0.01%
Industrials	2.22%
Information Technology	0.32%
Materials	-0.13%
Real Estate	-0.18%
Utilities	-0.37%

# Sovereign Bond Net Exposure

**Commodities Net Exposure** 

Agriculturals

Energies

Metals

	Exposure
G10	9.16%
Non G10	15.47%

#### **Option Positioning by Asset Class**

	Position	Vega <sup>11</sup>
Bonds and Rates	Short vol	-0.00%
Stocks	Short vol	-0.01%
Commodities	Short vol	-0.00%
Currencies	Short vol	-0.01%

#### **Risk Metrics**

Exposure

-0.01%

9.07%

20.02%

	CS01 <sup>12</sup>	DV01 <sup>13</sup>
Bonds and Rates	-0.00%	-0.01%
Credit	-0.04%	-0.00%

#### NAV<sup>14</sup>

Class	NAV	ISIN	Minimum Initial	Minimum Additional	<b>0CF</b> <sup>15</sup>	Performance Fee <sup>16</sup>	Management Fee
DNY H EUR Acc	152.55	LU0424370004	10,000	500	2.76%	20%	2.50%
DN H CHF Acc	113.93	LU0851818665	100,000	500	2.27%	20%	2.00%
DN H EUR Acc	140.06	LU0851818400	100,000	500	2.26%	20%	2.00%
DNK H EUR Acc	136.20	LU1554454246	10,000	500	1.76%	20%	1.50%
DNR H EUR Acc	129.63	LU1777195956	100,000	500	1.76%	20%	1.50%
DNR H GBP Acc	119.42	LU1777196095	100,000	500	1.37%	20%	1.10%
DNY H CHF Acc	135.88	LU0428380470	15,000	500	2.76%	20%	2.50%
DNY H GBP Acc	165.09	LU0428380553	10,000	500	2.76%	20%	2.50%
DNY H SEK Acc	131.69	LU0428381015	100,000	2,000	2.76%	20%	2.50%
DNY H SGD Acc	162.55	LU0436020985	20,000	500	2.76%	20%	2.50%
DNY USD Acc	169.64	LU0428380397	15,000	500	2.76%	20%	2.50%
IN H CHF Acc	129.41	LU0504984252	100,000	1,000	1.72%	20%	1.50%
IN H EUR Acc	165.01	LU0428380124	100,000	1,000	1.72%	20%	1.50%
IN H GBP Асс	143.82	LU0504984419	100,000	1,000	1.72%	20%	1.50%
IN H SEK Acc	147.64	LU0504985499	500,000	5,000	1.70%	20%	1.50%
IN H SGD Acc	110.26	LU0504986034	100,000	1,000	1.72%	20%	1.50%
IN USD Acc	188.23	LU0503879685	100,000	1,000	1.71%	20%	1.50%

Please note, shareclass specific performance can be found at; https://www.man.com/products/9783

#### **Dealing Terms**

Valuation Frequency	Daily
Dealing Frequency	Daily
Subscription	Before 12:00 (Luxembourg) on dealing day
Redemption	Before 12:00 (Luxembourg) on dealing day
Management Company	Waystone Management Co Lux SA /Luxembourg

<sup>2</sup> Fund Size represents the combined AUM of all share-classes in the Portfolio.

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<sup>4</sup> Sharpe ratio is calculated using a risk-free rate in the appropriate currency over the period analysed. Where an investment has underperformed the risk-free rate, the Sharpe ratio will be negative. Because the Sharpe ratio is an absolute measure of risk-adjusted return, negative Sharpe ratios are not shown as they can be misleading.

<sup>5</sup> Please note, if any of the statistics below show N/A then the fund/benchmark is either yet to witness a drawdown or it's max drawdown is ongoing and statistics can not yet be calculated.

<sup>6</sup> The figures are estimated and generated on a fund level and do not take into account the fees/interest/commission charges on any particular account. Differences may also occur due to slippage variation, portfolio changes, FX movements and post execution adjustments. Therefore the sum total of these sector indications will not necessarily equate to the reported performance for the month in question.

<sup>7</sup> The organisations and/or financial instruments mentioned are for reference purposes only. The content of this material should not be construed as a recommendation for their purchase or sale.

<sup>8</sup> Exposure values represent the delta notional value of positions expressed as a percentage of fund capital. Where applicable, fixed income exposures are adjusted to a 10 year bond equivalent. Currency exposure within this table only reflects that of the Currency sector traded by Man AHL and does not include FX hedging or cash management. For credit default swaps, a short position represents buying protection and a long position represents selling protection.

° Expected Shortfall is defined as the average of all losses which are greater than or equal to VaR.

<sup>10</sup> Leverage displayed here is calculated using the sum of gross exposure from each sector traded by the Fund and therefore does not include leverage from FX hedging or cash management and in no way reflects regulatory leverage calculations. Exposure calculations used are the same as detailed in the exposure reference note with exposures netted at the underlying security level.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Please note all performance statistics and charts are based on the lead reporting shareclass. Performance data is shown net of fees with income reinvested, and does not take into account sales and redemption charges where such costs are applicable. Returns are calculated net of management fees and any applicable performance fees. Other share classes may charge higher fees.

<sup>11</sup> The measurement of an option's sensitivity to changes in the volatility of the underlying asset. Vega represents the amount that an option contract's price changes in reaction to a one percent change in the volatility of the underlying asset.

 $^{\rm 12}$  CS01 is the impact on the fund in response to a one basis point increase in credit spreads.

<sup>13</sup> DV01 is the impact on the fund in response to a one basis point increase in interest rates.

<sup>14</sup> The share class in blue in the table is the reporting share class for the Fund and may be closed to new subscriptions.

<sup>15</sup>Ongoing Charges Figure ('OCF'): A variable charge payable over a year, normally based on expenses to the Fund as of the previous accounting year. It excludes Performance Fees (if applicable) but includes the Management Fee.

<sup>16</sup> Performance Fee (up to): The payment made to an Investment Manager if certain performance levels are achieved (often over and above any levels set out in the investment objective) within a set time period.

# **Risk Glossary**

Prior to investing in the Fund investors should carefully consider the risks associated with investing, whether the Fund suits their investment requirements and whether they have sufficient resources to bear any losses which may result from an investment in the Fund. Investors should only invest if they understand the terms on which the Fund is offered. Investors should consider the following risks and where appropriate seek professional advice before investing:

Investment Objective Risk - There is no guarantee that the Fund will achieve its investment objective.

Market Risk - The Fund is subject to normal market fluctuations and the risks associated with investing in international securities markets. Therefore, the value of your investment and the income from it may rise as well as fall and you may not get back the amount originally invested. **Counterparty Risk** - The Fund will be exposed to credit risk on counterparties with which it trades in relation to on-exchange traded instruments such as futures and options and where applicable, 'over-the-counter' ("OTC", "non-exchange") transactions. OTC instruments may also be less liquid and are not afforded the same protections that may apply to participants trading instruments on an organised exchange.

**Currency Risk** - The value of investments designated in another currency may rise and fall due to exchange rate fluctuations. Adverse movements in currency exchange rates may result in a decrease in return and a loss of capital. It may not be possible or practicable to successfully hedge against the currency risk exposure in all circumstances.

Liquidity Risk - The Fund may make investments or hold trading positions in markets that are volatile and which may become illiquid. Timely and cost efficient sale of trading positions can be impaired by decreased trading volume and/or increased price volatility.

**Financial Derivatives Instruments** - The Fund will invest financial derivative instruments ("FDI") (instruments whose prices are dependent on one or more underlying asset) to achieve its investment objective. The use of FDI involves additional risks such as high sensitivity to price movements of the asset on which it is based. The extensive use of FDI may significantly multiply the gains or losses.

Leverage Risk - The Fund's use of FDI may result in increased leverage which may lead to significant losses.

**Emerging Markets** - The Fund may invest a significant proportion of its assets in securities with exposure to emerging markets which involve additional risks relating to matters such as the illiquidity of securities and the potentially volatile nature of markets not typically associated with investing in other more established economies or markets.

**Commodity risk** - The Fund may have exposure to commodities, the value of which can be volatile may carry additional risk. Commodity prices can also be influenced by the prevailing political climate and government stability in commodity producing nations.

**Model and Data Risk** - The Fund's Investment Manager relies on internally derived qualitative and quantitative trading models and algorithms. These quantitative trading models and algorithms may rely on data that is internally derived or provided by a third party. If a model or algorithm or the data consumed by these models or algorithms prove to be incorrect or incomplete, the Fund may be exposed to potential losses. The calculations and output of a models or algorithm can be impacted by unforeseen market disruptions and/or government or regulatory intervention, leading to potential losses.

A complete description of risks is set out in the Fund's prospectus.

### Glossary

Accumulation shares (under investment type) - A type of share where distributions are automatically reinvested and reflected in the value of the shares. Annualised Return - An annualised total return is an average amount of money earned by an investment each year over a given time period. It is calculated to show what an investor would earn over a period of time if the annual return was compounded.

**Annualised Volatility** - Volatility is the rate and extent at which the price of a portfolio, security or index, moves up and down. If the price swing s up and down with large movements, it has high volatility. If the price moves more slowly and to a lesser extent, it has lower volatility. It is used as a measure of the riskiness of an investment. Annualised volatility is an average annual amount of volatility over a given time period.

**Beta** - A measure of how sensitive an investment portfolio is to market movements. The sign of the beta (+/-) indicates whether, on average, the portfolio's returns move in line with (+), or in the opposite direction (-), to the market. The market has a beta of 1. If the portfolio has a beta of less (more) than 1, it means that the security is theoretically less (more) volatile than the market.

Entry Charge - The entry charge shown is a maximum figure and in some cases you might pay less. Please refer to your financial advisor or the distributor for the actual charges.

**Exposure -** This refers to the part of a portfolio that is subject to the price movements of a specific security, sector, market or economic variable. It is typically expressed as a percentage of the total portfolio, e.g. the portfolio has 10% exposure to the mining sector.

Futures - Derivative financial contracts that obligate parties to buy or sell an asset at a predetermined future date and price.

Hedge/hedging - A method of reducing unnecessary or unintended risk.

**Introducing Broker Fee** - The fee is payable to AHL Partners LLP which has been appointed as the Introducing Broker and is responsible for recommending appropriate Brokers to the Fund as well as actively managing these relationships, ensuring appropriate service levels as well as an adequate diversification of Brokers. For full details of fees and expenses which may be incurred by the Fund, including fees payable to members of Man Group, refer to the Fees and Expenses section of the Prospectus or any relevant Prospectus Supplement.

Leverage - When referring to a company, leverage is the level of a company's debt in relation to its assets. A company with significantly more debt than capital is considered to be leveraged. It can also refer to a fund that borrows money or uses derivatives to magnify an investment position.

Long/Short Sector Exposure - Denotes that the Fund is currently positioned to profit from a rise/fall in the underlying sector. **NAV** - The Net Asset Value (NAV) represents the value per share. It is calculated by dividing the total net asset value of the fund (the value of the fund's assets less its liabilities) by the number of shares outstanding.

**Net and gross exposure** - The amount of a portfolio's exposure to the market. Net exposure is calculated by subtracting the amount of the portfolio with short market exposure from the amount of the portfolio that is long. For example, if a portfolio is 100% long and 20% short, its net exposure is 80%. Gross exposure is calculated by combining the absolute value of both long and short positions. For example, if a portfolio is 100% long and 20% short, its gross exposure is 120%.

**Ongoing Charge Figure (OCF)** - The OCF is estimated and based on expenses and may vary from year to year. It includes management fees but excludes performance fees (where applicable) and portfolio transaction costs, except in the case of an entry/exit charge paid by the F und when buying or selling units in another sub-fund. The charges you pay are used to pay the costs of running the Fund, including the costs of marketing and distributing it. These charges reduce the potential growth of your investment.

Options - Financial contracts that offer the right, but not the obligation, to buy or sell an asset at a given price on or before a given date in the future. Performance Contribution - To the extent to which asset classes have contributed, either positively or negatively, to the fund's performance.

Performance Fee - The payment made to an Investment Manager if certain performance levels are achieved (often over and above any levels set out in the investment objective) within a set time period. Please refer to the fund's prospectus for a complete description.

Qualitative trading models - Analysis that uses subjective judgment based on unquantifiable information, such as management expertise, industry cycles, strength of research and development.

Quantitative trading models - Trading strategies based on quantitative analysis, which rely on mathematical computations and number crunching to identify trading opportunities

Redemption Fee - This is the maximum that might be taken out of your money before the proceeds of your investment are paid out.

**Share Class -** Type of fund shares held by investors in a fund (share classes differ by levels of charge and/or by other features such as hedging against currency risk). Each has a different level of charges and minimum investment.

Sharpe Ratio - The Sharpe Ratio is a measure for calculating risk-adjusted return, and has become the industry standard for such calculations. The Sharpe Ratio is the average return earned in excess of the risk-free rate per unit of volatility or total risk. The higher the ratio the better, with a number greater than 1 usually considered good, a number greater than 2 considered very good and a ratio of 3 or higher considered excellent. As it is an absolute measure of risk-adjusted return, negative Sharpe Ratios can be misleading and are therefore shown as N/A.

Sovereign bond - Specific debt instrument issued by a government.

Systematic trend-following algorithms - Trend-following strategies use a systematic process, whereby algorithmic models seek to identify price trends in markets, with the expectation that upward trending markets may continue to rally and downward trending markets may continue to decline.

**UCITS -** Stands for Undertakings for Collective Investments in Transferable Securities. This is the European regulatory framework for an investment vehicle that can be marketed across the European Union and is designed to enhance protections for Retail Investors. **Volatility -** The amount and frequency with which an investment fluctuates in value.

YTD - Year-to-date.

# **Important information**

The Fund is a sub-fund of Man Umbrella SICAV, domiciled in Luxembourg and registered with the Commission de Surveillance du Secteur Financier. Full details of the Fund's objectives, investment policy and risks are located in the Prospectus which is with the Key Investor Information Document (KIID) / Key Investor Document (KID) and the Report and Accounts of the UCITS are accessible free of charge from the local information/paying agent, from authorised distributors and from <a href="http://www.man.com/documents">www.man.com/documents</a>. The KIID/KID is available in English and in an official language of the jurisdictions in which the Fund is registered for public sale. The Prospectus, the Reports and Accounts of the UCITS can be obtained in English. In Switzerland, the Prospectus is also available in German.

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The Fund typically carries a risk of high volatility.

More than 35% of the Fund's total holdings in bonds may be issued by or guaranteed by:

- EU member state, by its local authorities, by any other OECD member state, or by any public international body of which one or more EU member states are members. For more information please refer to the prospectus.

The value of an investment and any income derived from it can go down as well as up and investors may not get back their original amount

invested. Alternative investments can involve significant additional risks.

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