

# LO Funds – Emerging Local Currency Bond Fundamental

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

Emerging Fixed Income ● Fixed Income 31 January 2021

#### **FUND FACTS**

Domicile/Legal structur	re Luxembourg/SICAV
Legal Status	UCITS
Fund inception date	12 January 2010
Currency of Fund Currency of share class	USD EUR Unhedged
Fund manager	Y. Zufferey, V. Megard, N. Hoogewijs, A. Kayisire, L. Leigh
Net assets (all classes)	EUR 162.10 million
Liquidity (sub./red.)	Daily, 15:00
Swinging Single Pricing	y Yes
Min. investment	EUR 3'000
Management fee	0.66%
Distribution fee	0.00%
FROC	0.25%
TER max (30 September	er 2020) 0.91%

### **RISK AND REWARD PROFILE**

1	2	3	4	5	6	7
Low						High

CODES	Class A	Class D			
ISIN	LU0866418790	LU0866418873			
Bloomberg	LELCMAE LX	LELCMDE LX			
NAV	FUR 12 77	FLIR 8 29			

#### FISCAL INFORMATION

Last dividend paid (30.11.2020)	EUR 0.35
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### **RATINGS**

Morningstar Rating	****
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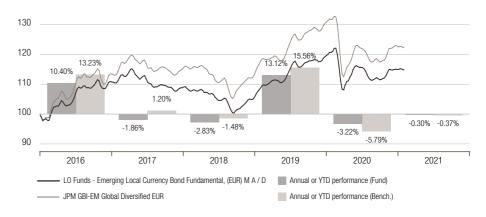
#### HIGHLIGHTS

LO Funds – Emerging Local Currency Bond Fundamental Fundamental is a long only emerging local bond fund launched in January 2010.

The Fund is actively managed. The JPMorgan GBI-EM Global Diversified is used for performance and internal risk indicators comparison.

The Fund invests in emerging market sovereign fixed income instruments denominated in local currency applying a best-in-class approach to Sustainable investing. It seeks to achieve higher risk-adjusted returns to widely used market-cap indices over the long term. The investment approach is two-fold: a disciplined analysis which differs from a traditional market-cap approach by allocating to countries based on macroeconomic indicators including extra financial data (i.e. ESG); and a fundamental sovereign analysis aiming to further mitigate countries' default and investability risks as well as identify potential 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



Change of investment strategy on 9 December 2014 when the active overlay was removed by a pure fundamentally-weighted strategy. Value of investments is variable and can go down as well as up.

	Cumulative				
NET PERFORMANCE IN EUR	Fund	Bench.			
YTD	-0.30%	-0.37%			
1 month	-0.30%	-0.37%			
3 months	2.07%	3.54%			
1 year	-4.03%	-6.12%			
3 years	6.49%	6.11%			
5 years	14.72%	21.55%			
Total return (since 25.01.2010)	27.73%	53.60%			

<b>STATISTICS</b> 31.01.2016 - 31.01.2021	Fund	Bench.
Annualised volatility	6.87%	9.09%
Sharpe ratio	0.47	0.48
Max. drawdown	-11.32%	-13.26%
Correlation		0.951
Tracking error		3.33%

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Fund	Bench.	
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2.11%	1.99%	
2.77%	3.96%	
2.24%	3.96%	

Annualized

	Fund
Average coupon	5.53%
Average maturity	7.83
Average rating	BBB+
Modified duration	5.71
Yield to maturity	4.10%
Non Government Bonds	0.00%
Risk	2.58%



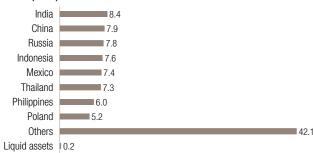
## **CREDIT RATINGS (IN %)**



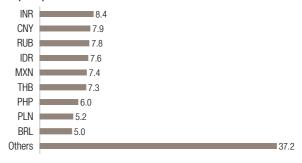
## MATURITIES (IN %)



## **COUNTRIES (IN %)**



## **CURRENCIES (IN %)**



MONTHLY RETURNS	2016		2017		20	2018		2019		2020		2021	
IN %	Fund	Bench.											
January	0.2	0.7	-0.3	-0.2	-0.4	0.7	3.5	5.1	0.5	-0.0	-0.3	-0.4	
February	0.5	1.0	2.4	3.5	0.9	1.1	0.4	-0.3	-1.4	-2.6			
March	2.2	4.0	1.5	1.6	-0.2	0.2	1.3	0.1	-8.2	-11.0			
April	1.3	2.1	-1.0	-0.6	-1.1	-1.2	0.2	0.0	2.1	4.1			
May	-1.0	-2.7	-1.5	-1.3	-0.4	-1.6	0.5	0.9	4.6	3.6			
June	4.2	6.1	-0.9	-1.0	-2.6	-2.9	2.3	3.2	-0.5	-0.5			
July	0.4	-0.1	-1.8	-1.3	0.9	1.7	3.4	3.2	-2.7	-2.2			
August	0.8	0.4	0.8	0.9	-3.5	-5.6	-1.7	-1.6	-1.2	-1.4			
September	0.4	1.1	-0.1	0.2	0.6	2.8	1.4	2.0	0.2	-0.1			
October	1.8	1.7	-0.5	-1.4	0.2	0.5	-0.0	0.6	1.4	1.1			
November	-2.2	-3.9	-1.3	-0.7	3.1	2.9	-0.3	-0.7	1.6	2.7			
December	1.5	2.5	0.9	1.3	-0.1	0.3	1.5	2.3	0.7	1.2			
Year	10.4	13.2	-1.9	1.2	-2.8	-1.5	13.1	15.6	-3.2	-5.8	-0.3	-0.4	



#### 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.
- Emerging market risk: Significant investment in emerging markets may expose to difficulties when buying and selling investments. Emerging markets are also more likely to

experience political uncertainty and investments held in these countries may not have the same protection as those held in more developed countries.

- 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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