

# Muzinich Americayield Fund

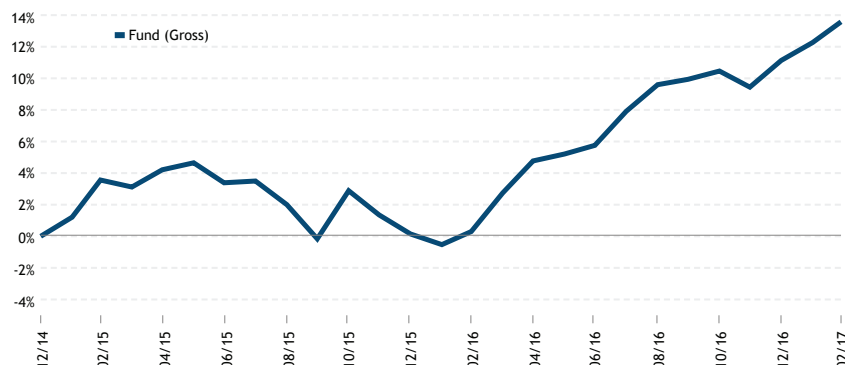
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## Performance



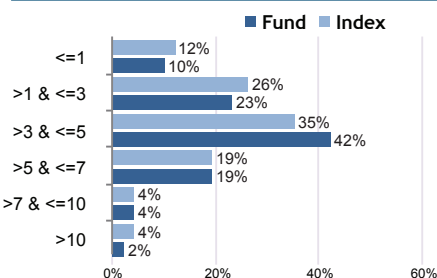
	1 Mth	3 Mths	1 Yr	3 Yrs	5 Yrs	Since Inception
Fund (Gross)	1.17	3.78	13.24	-	-	5.90
Reference Index	1.22	4.14	18.57	-	-	6.39

The Fund (Gross) returns represent the Gross returns of the Hedged USD Accumulation H class, which is the longest running unit class in the base currency of the Fund, shown on this factsheet. All data over 12 months is annualised. Past performance is not an indication of future returns.

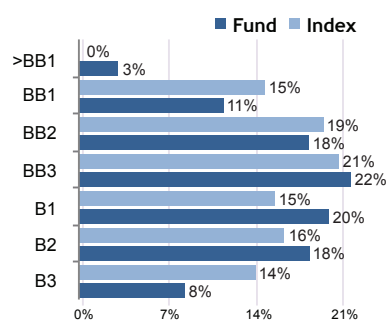
## 10 Largest Fund Holdings by Issuer %

Csc Holdings Llc	1.89
Sprint Corp	1.85
Hca Inc	1.67
Cco Hldgs Llc/cap Corp	1.57
Dish Dbs Corp	1.38
Sabine Pass Liquefaction	1.34
T-mobile Usa Inc	1.26
Standard Industries Inc	1.13
Centurylink Inc	1.09
Altice Financing Sa	0.98

## Duration Distribution\*



## Credit Breakdown %†



## Sector Breakdown % - Top 10 Fund Sectors

Sector	Fund	Index
Energy	13.30	15.47
Cable/Satellite TV	9.64	8.01
Telecommunications	9.26	11.80
Healthcare	7.92	8.24
Services	6.43	4.42
Utilities	5.08	3.04
Metals/Mining	5.00	5.07
Chemicals	3.67	2.33
Diversified Media	3.62	1.74
Technology	3.55	6.91

## Risk Measures

	3 yrs	5 yrs	Since Inception
Volatility (%)	-	-	-
Sharpe Ratio	-	-	-
Max Drawdown (%)	-	-	-

## Geographic Diversification %\*

	Fund	Index
USA	85.63	82.09
Western Europe	6.69	8.97
Canada	4.79	5.80
European Peripheral	1.72	1.95
Other (Australia, Japan)	0.59	1.15
Latin America	0.58	0.04

## Investment Objective

The Fund seeks to generate attractive returns and protect capital.

## Fund Description

The Fund targets a diverse portfolio, primarily in high yield (sub investment grade) bonds issued in US Dollars by North American companies.

There is no guarantee that targets will be met. Please see the Key Fund Risks on page 3.

## Reference Index†

BofA ML US High Yield Cash Pay BB/B Rated ex. Financial Constr. Index (JC4N)

## Fund Management's Comment

For a detailed monthly commentary please refer to the Muzinich Fund's Monthly Commentary at [www.muzinich.com/funds](http://www.muzinich.com/funds)

## Fund Facts

Fund Net Assets	\$ 2337.38 mn
Fund Currency	USD
Launch Date	14. May. 1998
Distribution	November / May
Dealing	Daily
Settlement	Dealing Day + 3
Cut-off Time for Purchase/Sale	16:00 (Irish Time)
Domicile	Irish domiciled UCITS
Fees	Up to 1% for Subscription / Redemption
Administrator	State Street Fund Services (Ireland) Ltd.

† Reference Index is for comparative purposes only.

\* Securities portfolio only, excludes cash.

‡ Ratings shown reflect a blend of Moody's, Fitch and S&P, but may not reflect the ratings regime used for the account's official guideline-compliance calculations.

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## Share Class Details

Fund Class	NAV	ISIN	Valor	Min. Invest.	Inception	Admin Fee	Mgmt Fee	OCF	Countries of Registration
Hedged USD Accumulation H	111.79	IE00B96N0Q18	22848718	\$ 5 mn	9 Dec 2014	-	0.65%	0.75%	CH,NL,UK,IE,SG,AT
Hedged EUR Income H	92.58	IE00B96GTH48	22848723	€ 5 mn	12 Jun 2014	-	0.65%	0.75%	CH,NL,UK,IE,SG,DK,AT
Hedged EUR Accumulation H	106.92	IE00B96LYN04		€ 5 mn	10 May 2016	-	0.65%	0.75%	IE,UK,CH,IT,SG

## Share Class NET Performance %\*\*

Fund Class	1 Mth	3 Mths	1 Yr	3 Yrs	5 Yrs	Since Inception	Year to Date	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016
Hedged USD Accumulation H	1.10	3.59	12.42	-	-	5.15	2.07	-	-	-	-1.01	10.17
Hedged EUR Income H	1.03	3.13	10.80	-	-	2.26	1.78	-	-	-	-1.33	8.80
Hedged EUR Accumulation H	1.02	3.13	-	-	-	6.92	1.78	-	-	-	-	-

\*\*All data over 12 months is annualised. NET performance is net of all Fund Manager and Administrative Charges as well as of all expenses. Net performance does not reflect the deduction of individual subscription fees which can be up to 1%. The average subscription fee levied by Muzinich during the Fund's history was 0%.

## Fund Information

Average Credit Rating*	BB3
Average Coupon (%)*	6.25
Yield to Worst (%)*	4.92
Yield to Maturity (%)*	5.33
Average Maturity (years)*	6.64
Duration to Worst*	3.88
Cash Position (%)	2.68
No. of Sectors*	32
No. of Issuers / Issues	230 / 346
% of Top 10 Issuers	14.16

\* Securities portfolio only, excludes cash.

All data as of 28/02/2017. All calculations in Fund Information are based on internal Muzinich & Co. calculations.

## Administrative Notes

The current Muzinich Funds Prospectus is available at [www.muzinich.com](http://www.muzinich.com), and at [www.fundinfo.com](http://www.fundinfo.com).

## Key Fund Risks

**Credit Risk:** Risk that issuers of bonds held in the Fund may default on their obligations or have their credit rating downgraded, possibly resulting in a temporary or permanent decrease in the value of those bonds. Most bonds in this Fund are rated below investment grade.

**Liquidity Risk:** Risk that the Fund may face difficulties in purchasing or selling its assets, although it endeavors to invest in liquid securities.

**Interest Rate Risk:** Risk that fixed-rate bonds held in the Fund may fall in price with an increase in the prevailing level of interest rates in the economy. This risk usually decreases for bonds of lower rating and shorter duration-to-worst.

**Currency Risk:** Risk that the Fund may invest in multiple currencies or may have investors subscribe in multiple currencies which may fluctuate in value relative to each other. Additionally, the risk that this unit class may be exposed to currencies other than the one in which the unit class is denominated. Although the Manager endeavors to protect the Fund against currency risk, such hedging, achieved through derivative instruments (see "Derivative Risk" below), is at the Manager's discretion and it may not be possible or practical to protect the Fund or individual unit classes against all currency risk.

**Derivative Risk:** Risk that the Fund may use derivative instruments to protect against perceived risks as described under the other headings in this section. Derivative instruments may rise or fall in price or may be subject to risk of non-payment or non-delivery by a counterparty. There is no guarantee that derivatives will provide the anticipated protection.

**Operational Risk:** Risk that operational processes, including those relating to the safekeeping of assets, may fail, resulting in losses.

Additional information about these and other risks may be found in the prospectus and supplement for the Fund, both of which are available at [www.muzinich.com](http://www.muzinich.com).

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