

Monthly factsheet Marketing material

Data as at 29.04.2022

# Pictet - EUR Short Term Corporate Bonds - HI USD

## At a glance

NAV/share	USD 154.91
Fund size	USD 1 073 mio
Positions	142

## Investment overview

#### **OBJECTIVE**

To increase the value of your investment, through income and investment growth, while seeking to reduce volatility.

## REFERENCE INDEX

Bloomberg Barclays Euro-Aggregate Corporate 1-3 Years A-BBB (EUR), an index that does not take into account environmental, social and governance (ESG) factors. Used for portfolio composition, risk monitoring, performance objective and performance measurement.

## PORTFOLIO ASSETS

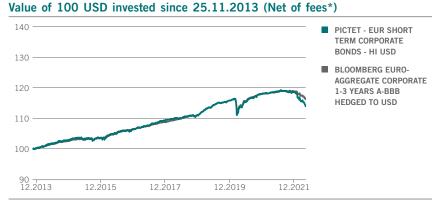
The Compartment mainly invests in short- and medium-term investment grade corporate bonds (whose prices are less sensitive to changes in interest rates), including convertible bonds, that are denominated in euro (EUR), or typically hedged to this currency (meaning investments have little or no exposure to currency risk). The Compartment invests worldwide, including emerging markets, and can invest across any sector. The Compartment may also invest in money market instruments.

## INVESTMENT PROCESS

In actively managing the Compartment, the investment manager uses a combination of market

and issuer analysis to build a diversified portfolio of securities it believes offer the best riskadjusted returns relative to the benchmark. The Compartment's management approach uses strict risk controls. The investment manager considers ESG factors a core element of its strategy by adopting a tilted approach which seeks to increase the weight of securities with low sustainability risks and/or to decrease the weight of securities with high sustainability risks, subject to good governance practices. Activities that adversely affect society or the environment are also avoided. Voting rights are methodically exercised and there may be engagement with companies to positively influence ESG practices. For further information, please refer to our exclusion framework in the Responsible Investment policy\*, SFDR product category Article 8. It methodically exercises voting rights and may engage with issuers in order to positively influence ESG practices. The performance of the Compartment is likely to be somewhat similar to that of the benchmark even though the Investment Manager has discretion to deviate from its securities and weightings.

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Current index: Bloomberg Euro-Aggregate Corporate 1-3 Years A-BBB Hedged to USD valid from 25.11.2013 Source: Pictet Asset Management

# Performance disclosures

The published performance represents past data. Past performance may not be a reliable guide to future performance. There is no guarantee that the same yields will be obtained in the future. The value and income of any of your investments may fluctuate

with market conditions and may lose some or all its value. The fund may be affected by changes in currency exchange rates, which can have an adverse effect on the value or income of the fund.

# Risk category SRRI<sup>1</sup>

Lower risk				Н	igher risk
1 2	3	4	5	6	7
Typically					Typically
lower reward				high	er reward

## General information

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Legal form	Sub-fund of a SICAV
Regulatory status	UCITS
Domicile	Luxembourg
Inception date	25.11.2013
Launch date	25.11.2013
Share class currency	USD
Compartment currency	EUR
Dividend	Accumulated
ISIN	LU0954603568
Bloomberg	PIESHIU LX
Reference index	Bloomberg Euro-Aggregate
	Corporate 1-3 Years A-BBB
	Hedged to USD
Order deadline	T CET 15:00
Billing date	Order date + 1
Settlement date	T+3
(subscription)	
NAV calculation	Daily
Min. investment horizon (y	year(s)) 1
SFDR Classification	Article 8

## Fees

Ongoing charges (OCR) <sup>1</sup>	0.50%
Performance fee (excluded	-
from OCR)	
Management fee (included in OCR)	0.25%
Max. conversion fee <sup>2</sup>	2.00%
Max. subscription fee <sup>2</sup>	5.00%
Max. redemption fee <sup>2</sup>	1.00%

Source: Pictet Asset Management

- 1. Please refer to additional information on page 3.
- Fees in favor of the Distributor and not the Management Company. Actual rates may be less. You can find the actual amount you might pay out from your financial advisor or fund distributor.

## Management team

Jon Mawby, Mathieu Magnin, Charles-Antoine Bory Pictet Asset Management Limited

<sup>\*</sup>Including actual ongoing charges and excluding subscription/redemption fees and taxes borne by the investor

# Performance

## Annualised (%)

	1 YEAR	3 YEARS	5 YEARS	SINCE INC.
Fund	-3.31	0.34	1.33	1.64
Reference index	-1 58	0.93	1 69	1 84

# Cumulative (%)

	YTD	1 MONTH	3 MONTHS	6 MONTHS	1 YEAR	2 YEARS	3 YEARS	5 YEARS	SINCE INC.
Fund	-3.31	-1.02	-2.75	-3.22	-3.31	0.70	1.03	6.85	14.69
Reference index	-1.95	-0.76	-1.77	-1.82	-1.58	1.94	2.80	8.73	16.60

## Calendar Year (%)

	2021	2020	2019	2018	2017	2016	2015	2014	2013	2012
Fund	0.43	1.89	4.37	1.54	2.88	2.67	0.75	2.64	0.14	-
Reference index	0.77	1.86	4.25	2.21	2.11	2.73	1.05	2.48	0.09	-

Source: Pictet Asset Management

Past performance may not be a reliable guide to future performance. All forms of investment involve risk. The value of investments and the income derived from them is not guaranteed and it can fall as well as rise and you may not get back the original amount invested. Please refer to the Risk Considerations on page 3 and to the prospectus for more information

## Portfolio Breakdown

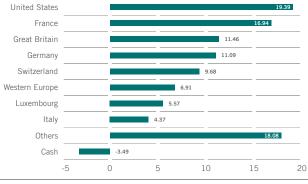
Top 10 Bonds (% of asset)

Cred Agricole Sa 1% 18.09.2025 'Emtn' Sr	2.56
Intesa Sanpaolo 2.125% 26.05.2025 'Emtn' Sr	2.38
Totalenergies Se 3.875% Perpetual 'Emtn' Jr	2.20
Banq Fed Crd Mut 0.01% 07.03.2025 'Emtn' Sr	1.65
Aqua + Inv (Zuri 4.25% 02.10.2043 'Emtn' Sub	1.54
Logicor Fin 2.25% 13.05.2025 'Emtn' Sr	1.51
America Movil Sa 6.375% 06.09.2073 Jr	1.40
Mediobanca Spa 1.125% 15.07.2025 'Emtn' Sr	1.33
General Mills In 0.125% 15.11.2025 Sr	1.32
Allianz Se 2.241% 07.07.2045 Sub	1.32

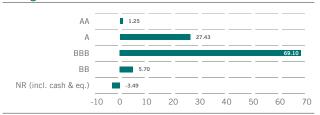
# Maturity profile (% of asset)



# Risk Country (% of asset)



# Ratings breakdown (% of asset)



Source: Pictet Asset Management

# Portfolio characteristics

AS AT END OF APRIL 2022 (OVER 3 YEARS)	
Alpha	-0.63
Beta	1.30
Annualised volatility (%)	2.85
Information Ratio	-0.61
Tracking error (%)	0.83

Source: Pictet Asset Management

Correlation	0.98
Average coupon (%)	1.91
Average bond yield (%)	2.11
Weighted avg. mod. duration (years)	2.48

## Risk considerations

The Share Class is assigned to this risk category because of the price variations resulting from its currency and the nature of the Compartment's investments and strategy. The risk category shown is based on historical data and may not be a reliable indication for the future risk profile of the Share Class. It is not a target or a guarantee and may change over time. The lowest category does not mean a risk-free investment. The Compartment offers no capital guarantee or asset protection measures. The Compartment may be exposed to the following risks which are not adequately captured by the synthetic risk indicator and may negatively impact its value:

- Operational risk: losses resulting from human errors, system failures, incorrect valuation and safekeeping of assets.
- Counterparty risk: losses occur when a counterparty does not honour its obligations related to contracts such as over-the-counter derivatives.
- Financial Derivatives risk: the leverage resulting from derivatives amplifies losses in certain market conditions.
- Credit risk: sudden losses may occur when issuers of debt securities default on their payment obligations.
- Investments in emerging markets are generally more sensitive to risk events, such as changes in the economic, political, fiscal and legal environment, as well as fraud.
- Contingent Convertible ("CoCo") investments may result in losses when regulatory or issuer-motivated triggering events cause a total loss of the investment or a conversion to equity.
- Sustainability risk: ESG related risk events or conditions could cause a material negative impact on the value of the investment if they were to occur.

Further information can be found in the prospectus.

## Glossary

#### Alpha

Alpha shows the percentage performance of a fund above or below that explained by its exposure to the broader market.

## SFDR Classification Article 8

Promote environmental or social characteristics, but do not have sustainability as their primary objective. A tilted or best-in-class approach can be applied.

#### **Average Coupon**

The average coupon shows the price weighted aggregate coupon of instruments in a portfolio.

#### Average Yield

The average yield shows the price weighted or duration weighted aggregate yield of instruments in a portfolio.

## Beta

Beta shows the average extent a fund's return moves relative to the broader market. A fund with a beta above 1 moves on average more than the market and below 1 moves on average less than the market.

## Conversion fee

Fee paid for the transfer of shares of one unit/share class to another unit/share class.

## Correlation

Correlation shows how a fund's return moves in relation to the benchmark. Highly correlated investments tend to move up and down together while this is not true for investments with low correlation.

#### Standard deviation and annualised volatility

Annualised volatility is a risk indicator showing the extent of the price fluctuations of a security or fund unit compared to its average price over a given period. The higher the volatility, the greater the fluctuations.

#### Inception date

The inception date is the date taken into account for the start of performance calculation. It corresponds to the launch date.

## Information ratio

The information ratio is a way of measuring the value added by the portfolio manager relative to a benchmark. It is a measure of the risk-adjusted return of a portfolio and is calculated by dividing the active return (portfolio return minus benchmark return) by the tracking error.

### Launch date

The launch date is the date when the sub-fund was activated in its current legal status.

#### NAV

An acronym of net asset value.

#### Ongoing charges (OCR)

Ongoing charges are based over 12 months of expenses ending the 31 December of the previous year. It is annually updated, but may be adjusted more frequently. Performance fees and portfolio transaction costs are excluded except in the case of an entry/exit charge paid by the Compartment when buying or selling units/shares in another collective investment undertaking. Estimate of future charges is used for funds younger than 12 months.

#### Order deadline

Deadline for remittance of orders to the transfer agent in Luxembourg as set out in the relevant annexes to the prospectus. You may be required to submit your orders to your financial advisor or fund distributor by an earlier cut-off time.

### Rating

The rating is a score awarded by rating agencies reflecting their opinion on the creditworthiness of an issuer

## racking error

Tracking error shows the standard deviation of the active returns (portfolio return minus benchmark return). It measures how close a fund return is to its benchmark return.

## **Duration or Average duration**

Duration is a measure of the sensitivity of fixed-income instruments to changes in interest rates.

# **Management Company**

Pictet Asset Management (Europe)

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