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# Credit Suisse (Lux) Commodity Index Plus USD Fund **Class UBH CHF**

# Investment policy

The aim of the fund is to achieve positive total return relative to the performance of the Bloomberg Commodity Index before fees and expenses by investing in various derivatives. The fund also endeavors to achieve enhancement through actively managing the derivatives. Its low correlation with traditional asset classes makes the fund an ideal portfolio diversification instrument. Furthermore, it offers good protection from inflation risks in the event of a rise in commodity prices.

Repositioning as of 29.09.2017

#### Fund facts

ISIN number

Bloomberg ticker

Net Asset Value

Fund manager	Christop	her Burton, Scott Ikuss
Fund manager since	<b>;</b> 07	.11.2005, 18.01.2023
Location		New York, New York
Management	Credit Su	isse Fund Management
company		S.A.
Fund domicile		Luxembourg
Fund currency		USD
Close of financial ye	ar	31. Mar
Total net assets (in	millions)	251,95
Inception date		27.02.2015
Management fee p.a	a. <sup>2)</sup>	1,05%
Ongoing charge <sup>2)</sup>		1,27%
Benchmark (BM)		
Bloomberg Comm	odity (TR)	(CHF-Hgd Daily Mod.)
Unit class		Category UBH
		(capital growth)
Unit class currency		CHF

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90.63

# Net performance in CHF (rebased to 100) and yearly performance

Past performance does not predict future returns. Neither simulated nor historical performance is a reliable indicator for current or future performance.



Mod.)

(Benchmark)

## Net performance in CHF

	1 month	3 months	YTD	1 year	3 years	5 years
Fund	-5,25	-8,28	-5,84	-8,09	45,40	12,77
Benchmark	-5,02	-8,49	-5,84	-7,90	45,36	14,43

29.92

29,83

18.79

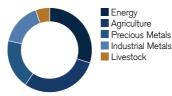
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# Fund statistics

	3 years	5 years
Annualised volatility in %	17,62	15,63
Information ratio	0,01	-0,24
Tracking Error (Ex post)	1,21	1,23
Beta	0,95	0,96

## Commodity Sectors in %



Top collateral holdings in %				
Position	Coupon %	Maturity		

			assets
US Treasury	4,664	31.10.23	21,78
US Treasury	4,554	30.04.24	21,75
US Treasury	4,614	31.01.24	14,25
US Treasury	4,658	31.07.23	11,09
US Treasury		10.08.23	6,22
Freddie Mac	5,125	27.01.25	3,94
US Treasury	4,000	15.02.26	3,51
Treasury Bill	4,125	31.01.25	2,74
US Treasury	4,769	31.10.24	2,58
Bill			
Freddie Mac	0,250	26.06.23	2,10
Total			89,96

as % of

The fund's risk and reward profile shows the variations in value an investment in this fund would have undergone over the past five years, whereby simulated performance data is used in the case of missing history. The fund's risk rating may change in the future. Please note, higher possible gains generally also mean higher possible losses. The lowest risk category does not mean that the fund is risk free.
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fluctuations

Asset Allocation presented on this page may change over time.

# Market commentary

#### Outlook for the market

Increases in US interest rates and a strong US Dollar have recently been a headwind for commodity prices. For the near-term, market expectations for US Federal Reserve policies may continue to be a leading catalyst for commodity price moves, whether due to direct effects of interest rate moves or overall direction of the US economy. In particular, a continued strong economy may support petroleum and industrial metals prices. Seasonally, weather often has reduced impact during this time of year compared to prior months, although for certain crops, such as Soybeans, weather may continue to drive near-term volatility.

#### Month in review

Commodities fell during the month of February. Industrial Metals posted the largest losses, with all constituents exhibiting negative performance. This was a reversal from the prior month when Industrial Metals was the top-performing sector. Nickel fell on weak physical premiums amid concerns surrounding Chinese demand, and reports of a series of fraudulent nickel transactions in physical, non-exchange trading which impacted a major trading firm. Within the Energy sector, the largest detractors in February were from petroleum products, led by Ultra-Low Sulfur Diesel. Warmer-than-expected US weather reduced demand expectations of ULS Diesel for heating purposes. Meanwhile, Silver weakened as a stronger US Dollar decreased demand for the metal as an alternative store of value. In Agriculture, Corn was down after the US Department of Agriculture (USDA) released higher-than-expected projections for 2023 planted acres of corn, increasing supply expectations in the US. Live Cattle gained after the USDA reported a 3% year-on-year drop in the size of the U.S. cattle herd, indicating potentially tight supplies.

Industrial Metals was the worst-performing sector in February. Zinc fell following inventory builds in China and news that one of the halted zinc smelters in Europe was slated to restart, increasing supply projections. Precious Metals also declined as higher-than-expected inflation data in the US drove interest rate expectations higher, increasing the opportunity cost for holding Gold. Similarly in Energy, strong US employment data and other indications of continued inflation increased expectations of higher interest rates, which could also potentially slow economic growth and reduce transportation fuel demand; these factors led to a decline for the sector in February. Agriculture fell with wheat lower as ample cheap exports from Russia reduced export demand for US grains. In addition, beneficial weather in the US Great Plains improved yield and supply expectations for the current winter wheat crop. Livestock was the only sector to gain in February, rising due to positive performance from Live Cattle. Brazil, the world's largest beef exporter, is investigating at least one suspected case of mad cow disease, which could lead to an increase in US beef export demand expectations.

#### Potential risks

The Fund's risk and reward profile does not reflect the risk inherent in future circumstances that differ from what the Fund has experienced in the recent past. This includes the following events which are rare but can have a large impact.

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