

A SUBFUND OF OAKTREE (LUX.) FUNDS

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### **ABOUT OAKTREE**

Founded in 1995, Oaktree is a leading global investment management firm focused on alternative markets. Oaktree manages \$189 billion of assets in contrarian, value-oriented, risk-controlled investment strategies. Oaktree's mission is to deliver superior investment results with risk under control and to conduct our business with the highest integrity.

### **FUND OVERVIEW**

**Fund Base Currency GBP** 

**Total Net Assets (in millions)** 

180.9

**SICAV Strategy Inception Date** 07 June 2016

**Domicile** Luxembourg

**Legal Structure** SICAV

**Morningstar Category** 

EAA Fund USD High Yield Bond

Benchmark Name

ICE BofA Non-Financial Dev. Markets HY Constr. (TR) (USD-H)

### **FUND MANAGERS**

**Sheldon Stone** 

43 Years of Experience

**David Rosenberg** 

19 Years of Experience

**Madelaine Jones** 

23 Years of Experience

**Anthony Shackleton** 

20 Years of Experience

### SHARE CLASS FACTS

**Unit Class** 

RH GBP Acc

**Unit Class Currency** 

**Share Class Inception Date** 

28 April 2023

**ISIN Number** LU2400762170

**Bloomberg Ticker** 

OAHYRGB LX

Valor Number 116862507

**WKN Number** 

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Net Asset Value

107.33

**Minimum Investment** 

Redemptions

Base Management Fee p.a.

### INVESTMENT OBJECTIVE

The Fund seeks to earn an attractive total return through investment in high yield bonds while managing risk and promoting progress toward a low-carbon economy.

## PORTFOLIO COMMENTARY<sup>1</sup>

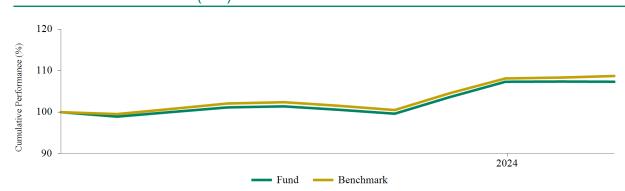
The ICE BofAML Non-Financial Developed Markets High Yield Constrained Index (USD hedged) was up 0.4% for the month, as compared to U.S. investment grade corporate bonds (down 1.4%), the 10-year Treasury (down 2.1%) and the S&P 500 (up 5.3%).

The Global High Yield Carbon Focus portfolio remained broadly diversified by sector and issuer. Roughly 72.2% of the portfolio was allocated to North American high yield bonds, with the balance to European high yield. In terms of industry exposure, Media (9.0%), Telecoms (9.0%) and Basic Industry (8.1%) represented the three largest sectors in the portfolio.

The Fund underperformed its benchmark in February. Some negative attribution resulted from an underweight to the market's highest spread bonds, which outperformed.

The portfolio's WACI was far below that of the benchmark. The gap was most stark in the Energy and Utilities sectors, which had outsized WACIs in the benchmark but far lesser impact on the portfolio.

## HISTORICAL PERFORMANCE (NET)<sup>2</sup>



# CUMULATIVE AND ANNUALISED PERFORMANCE (%)2

	1 Month	3 Months	YTD	1 Year	3 Years (p.a)	5 Years (p.a)	Since Inception (p.a)
Fund (Net)	(0.05)	3.61	0.00	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a
Benchmark	0.34	4.01	0.54	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a

## ANNUAL PERFORMANCE (%)<sup>2</sup>

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	2024	2023	2022	2021	2020	2019
Fund (Net)	0.00	7.33	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a
Benchmark	0.54	8.13	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a

## PORTFOLIO CHARACTERISTICS

		Portfolio	Benchmark
Fund Characteristics	Number of Holdings	316	2,325
	Number of Issuers	208	1,061
	Average Price	93.84	92.12
	Average Coupon	5.51%	5.68%
	Effective Duration	3.31	3.22
	Average Credit Rating (Moody's/S&P)	B1/B+	B1/B+
Yields and Spreads	Current Yield	5.88%	6.19%
	Yield to Worst (YTW)	7.00%	7.64%
	Yield to Maturity (YTM)	7.10%	7.77%
	Option-Adjusted Spread (OAS)	290 bps	357 bps
Risk Analysis	Annualized Volatility (1 year/3 year)	n/a	n/a/n/a
	Information Ratio (1 year/3 year)	n/a	n/a
	Tracking Error (ex post) (1 year/3 year)	n/a	n/a

See Appendix endnotes



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## SECTOR DIVERSIFICATION

	% of Fund
Communication Services	19.21
Consumer Discretionary	17.40
Industrials	15.16
Materials	9.29
Financials	9.26
Information Technology	7.16
Health Care	6.85
Consumer Staples	6.18
Real Estate	6.04
Utilities	3.45

## GEOGRAPHIC DIVERSIFICATION

	% of Fund	Fund vs Benchmark (%)
United States	70.61	1.99
United Kingdom	4.90	(1.35)
Germany	4.55	1.14
France	4.35	(1.70)
Italy	2.59	0.07
Netherlands	2.58	1.09
Luxembourg	2.39	2.30
Canada	2.30	(2.30)
Spain	1.58	(0.79)
Other	4.15	1.75

## CREDIT QUALITY

	% of Fund	Fund vs Benchmark (%)
Baa/BBB	1.64	1.64
Ba/BB	42.74	(9.55)
B/B	49.75	11.95
Less Than B/B	3.57	(6.33)
Not Rated	2.30	2.30
Defaulted	0.00	0.00

### **TOP 10 ISSUERS**

	Industry	% of Fund
Charter Communications Inc	Media	1.73
Summit Materials Inc	Construction Materials	1.38
Virgin Media Inc	Media	1.31
Allied Universal Holdco LLC	Commercial Services & Supplies	1.25
Iron Mountain Inc	Commercial Services & Supplies	1.23
Cloud Software Group Inc	Software	1.22
ADT Inc	Commercial Services & Supplies	1.11
Service Properties Trust	Hotel & Resort REITs	1.02
Compass Diversified Holdings	Financial Services	1.02
QVC Inc	Broadline Retail	1.00
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## TOP 10 OVERWEIGHTS BY ISSUER

	% of Fund	% of Index	% of Relative			
Summit Materials Inc	1.38	0.12	1.26			
Compass Diversified Holdings	1.02	0.00	1.02			
Block Communications Inc	0.94	0.02	0.92			
QVC Inc	1.00	0.10	0.90			
NFP Corp	0.87	0.00	0.87			
Park Hotels & Resorts Inc	0.99	0.14	0.85			
Clearway Energy Inc	0.97	0.13	0.85			
Watco Cos LLC	0.85	0.04	0.81			
Allied Universal Holdco LLC	1.25	0.46	0.79			
Open Text Corp	0.98	0.20	0.78			

## TOP 10 UNDERWEIGHTS BY ISSUER

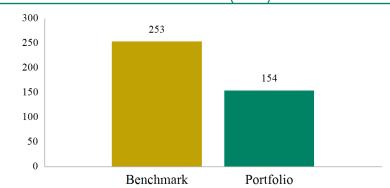
	% of Fund	% of Index	% of Relative
TransDigm Group Inc	0.00	1.24	(1.24)
Venture Global LNG Inc	0.00	0.96	(0.96)
DISH Network Corp	0.00	0.68	(0.68)
Cellnex Telecom SA	0.00	0.63	(0.63)
Carnival Corp	0.29	0.85	(0.56)
American Airlines Group Inc	0.00	0.53	(0.53)
Altice USA Inc	0.40	0.88	(0.49)
Caesars Entertainment Inc	0.00	0.45	(0.45)
Equitrans Midstream Corp	0.00	0.44	(0.44)
Vistra Corn	0.00	0.42	(0.42)



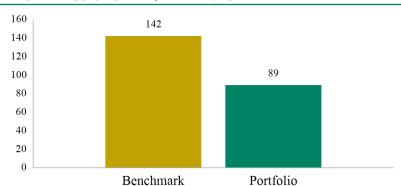
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# WTD. AVERAGE CARBON INTENSITY (WACI)<sup>3</sup>



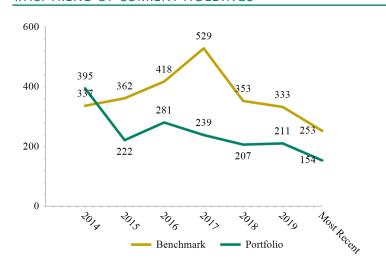
## CARBON EMISSIONS PER \$1MM INVESTED4



## TOP 10 CONTRIBUTORS TO PORTFOLIO EMISSIONS<sup>5</sup>

Company	Sector	Country	Portfolio Weight	Active Weight	WACI Contribution	Contribution to Wtd Ave Carbon Intensity
Big River Steel LLC	Basic Materials	UNITED STATES OF AMERICA	0.45%	0.40%	10	22.76%
Hindalco Industries Ltd	Basic Materials	UNITED STATES OF AMERICA	0.42%	0.19%	7	11.19%
Summit Materials Inc	Industrial	UNITED STATES OF AMERICA	1.38%	1.26%	19	10.30%
O-I Glass Inc	Industrial	UNITED STATES OF AMERICA	0.65%	0.47%	10	9.94%
TransAlta Corp	Utilities	CANADA	0.31%	0.25%	22	7.73%
Ardagh Group SA	Industrial	IRELAND	0.70%	0.40%	5	3.74%
Ardagh Metal Packaging Finance USA LLC / Ardagh Metal Packaging Finance plc	Industrial	UNITED STATES OF AMERICA	0.58%	0.39%	4	3.11%
Albertsons Cos Inc	Consumer, Non-cyclical	UNITED STATES OF AMERICA	0.92%	0.49%	1	2.42%
Electricite de France SA	Utilities	FRANCE	0.78%	0.09%	2	1.96%
Accor SA	Consumer, Cyclical	FRANCE	0.46%	0.38%	4	1.53%
Top 10 Companies			6.64%			74.69%

## WACI TREND OF CURRENT HOLDINGS<sup>6</sup>



## WACI BY SECTOR<sup>7</sup>

Sector	Portfolio	Benchmark	Portfolio vs Benchmark
Basic Materials	21.3	21.6	(0.2)
Communications	5.5	4.8	0.6
Consumer, Cyclical	20.9	42.2	(21.3)
Consumer, Non-cyclical	6.5	8.3	(1.8)
Diversified	0.0	1.0	(1.0)
Energy	0.1	60.7	(60.6)
Financial	9.0	3.4	5.6
Industrial	55.2	21.4	33.8
Technology	0.5	1.0	(0.5)
Utilities	35.4	88.7	(53.3)
Overall	154.3	253.0	(98.7)



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### ENDNOTES

Note: Historical performance indications and financial market scenarios are no guarantee for current or future performance. Not all companies in the Fund's investment universe report carbon data. When reported carbon emissions data is not available, Scope 1 & 2 carbon emissions are estimated using MSCI ESG Research's proprietary carbon estimation model. "WACI" refers to Weighted Average Carbon Intensity.

- References to fund and index performance are stated on a gross basis, before management fees and any expenses. Net performance of the Fund, after management fees and expenses are available on this factsheet.
- Performance indications do not consider commissions levied at subscription and/or redemption but do include the impact of swing pricing procedures implemented by the fund administrator. The fund administrator will implement swing pricing when contributions or redemptions exceed a defined threshold, and this may impact performance as reported at month end
- <sup>3</sup> Data sourced from MSCI. WACI represents exposure to carbon-intensive companies (based on Scope 1 and Scope 2 GHG emissions), expressed in tons CO2e/\$M revenue.
- 4 Total financed carbon emissions (Scope 1 and Scope 2) for every \$10mm invested, expressed in tons CO2e. Unit used is metric tons CO2 as a percentage of Enterprise Value Including Cash. Data sourced from MSCI
- 5 Based on WACI as sourced from MSCI.
- 6 "Most recent' represents combination of 2020 and 2021 data, based on data availability. Data sourced from MSCI
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#### PERFORMANCE DISCLOSURES

The Fund is launched further to a merger by absorption of White Fleet II – OCM Global High Yield Carbon Focus Fund, which was also managed by Oaktree. The performance prior to the merger is based on investment objectives, an investment policy and investment restrictions which are not materially different to those of the Fund. Furthermore, there is continuity in the investment team and no material change in the level of applicable fees. It should be noted, however, that performance prior to the merger was achieved under a context and circumstances that no longer apply.

The benchmark shown for carbon and sustainability metrics is same as that for performance: ICE BofA Non-Financial Dev. Markets HY Constr. (TR) (USD-H).

The Sub-fund is actively managed. While the Sub-fund has a reference benchmark, it is actively managed by implementing Oaktree's investment philosophy and process. Oaktree is aware of the benchmark's composition and characteristics but has an ample degree of freedom to deviate from it.

#### SUSTAINABILITY DISCLOSURES

### EU Sustainable Finance Disclosure Regulation ("SFDR").

The Fund seeks to earn an attractive total return through investment in high yield bonds while managing risk and promoting progress to a low-carbon economy. As such, the Fund is classified as an Article 8 financial product under SFDR.

With the exception of non-core investments for certain specific purposes such as hedging and cash management, every investment will be in an issuer that satisfies at least one of the following criteria:

- · characterized by low-carbon intensity; or
- · characterized by high-carbon intensity, but:
  - o with credible decarbonization plans, or
  - o receptive to engagement; or
- providing solutions that enable the mitigation of climate change.

An issuer is classified by Oaktree as characterized by low or high carbon intensity depending on whether its carbon intensity (or, in the absence of that data, the weighted average carbon intensity ("WACI") of the relevant industry or sub-industry group) is lower or higher than the WACI of the ICE BofA Merrill Lynch Non-Financial Developed Markets High Yield 2% Constrained Index. All carbon intensity data, for this purpose, is calculated based on Scope 1 & 2 GHG emissions per \$1m revenue.

The Fund does not currently commit to alignment with the objectives of the Paris Agreement. It will reassess this if, in the future, reliable and accepted means for measuring and verifying alignment are developed for the high yield asset class. Additionally, Oaktree is not aware of a viable or appropriate Paris-aligned or climate transition benchmark. Accordingly, the designated benchmark is not Paris-aligned. The benchmark is also not aligned to the Fund's sustainable investment objective and, therefore, is not designated as a "reference benchmark" for the purposes of Article 8 of SFDR.

All issuers are also subjected to an environmental, social and governance ("ESG") review, which is intended to ensure they do not significantly harm any environmental or social objectives and they follow good governance practises. Issuers subject to certain ESG shortcomings will be subject to enhanced due diligence and Oaktree expects to engage with them regarding those shortcomings.

Oaktree may rely on one or more third-party data providers to provide carbon intensity figures and other data and information to assist with applying the carbon underwriting criteria and ESG review

### EU Taxonomy Regulation ("Taxonomy")

The Fund is expected to be in scope of the Taxonomy. The rules detailing how to measure whether an economic activity is environmentally sustainable under Article 3 of the Taxonomy are still in flux, and there is a lack of reliable data available to perform the calculations required. Accordingly, the Fund does not commit to make a minimum proportion of investments which are Taxonomy-aligned.

#### Notes to Investors

Any decisions taken by Oaktree regarding classification and the applicable disclosure requirements under SFDR and the Taxonomy are based on a good faith assessment by it and based on information available to it and market practise as discerned by it at the time any such decision is made.

The requirements of SFDR, and in particular the boundaries between the different categories of financial products are not free from doubt and may change over time and, therefore, adjustments to the Fund's classification may be made owing to the uncertainties in the regime. Additionally, the investment process supporting the Fund's investment program requires data from third party sources pertaining to ESG matters. Changes to the Disclosure Regulation or the ability of service providers to supply that data may also drive changes to the Fund's classification. There is, therefore, a risk that the Fund's classification under SFDR may change in the future. Should the classification of the Fund change, this may result in the Fund producing appropriately modified disclosures.

Investors should be aware that SFDR is:

- a disclosure regime and should not be relied on as a product labelling regime or as imposing additional obligations other than disclosure requirements in relation to ESG matters; and
- together with the Taxonomy, subject to ongoing uncertainties and evolution in material regards as underlying rules and guidance is finalised, or is issued, over time.



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Owing to differences in the terminologies used as between SFDR and the Taxonomy, it is possible that an investment that, in Oaktree's opinion, is a sustainable investment under SFDR does not pursue any economic activities that qualify as environmentally sustainable under the Taxonomy.

The Fund's sustainable investment objective, and the incorporation of sustainability considerations in the investment guidelines and process, may compete with the Fund's objective of earning an attractive total return. There is no assurance that the Fund will achieve its dual objectives. See the Prospectus for more information on the Fund's sustainability approach, including its disclosures under SFDR and Taxonomy.

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