



# AB European Income Portfolio

## Strategy

Seeks to maximize current income while seeking preservation of capital by:

- Maintaining a diversified portfolio of investment-grade and non-investment-grade fixed-income securities issued by European companies and governments, with flexibility to invest in some non-European issuers
- Investing predominantly in Euro or European currency-denominated securities
- Dynamically balancing higher-yielding Euro fixed-income assets with lower risk government bonds to generate yield from diverse sources
- Employing a multi-sector approach in search of the best opportunities

## Profile

The Portfolio will suit higher-risk-tolerant investors seeking the income potential of fixed-income investment.

- **Fund Inception:** 26/02/1999
- **Domicile:** Luxembourg
- **Fiscal Year End:** 31-August
- **Subscription/Redemption:** Daily
- **Net Assets:** €1.173,90 million
- **Total # of Holdings:** 350
- **Order Placement Cutoff Time:** 4PM US ET; 6PM CET for Currency-Hedged share classes
- **Base Currency:** Euro
- **Reporting Currencies:** US Dollar
- **Currency-Hedged Share Classes:** Swiss Franc, US Dollar
- **Benchmark:** Bloomberg Euro Aggregate Bond Index<sup>1</sup>
- **Fund Type:** FCP

## Portfolio Management & Experience

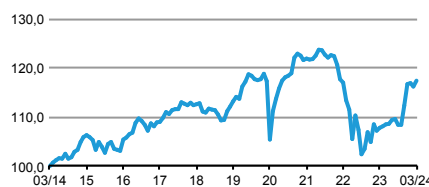
- **Scott DiMaggio, CFA:** 31 years
- **Gershon Distenfeld, CFA:** 27 years
- **Jamie Harding:** 11 years
- **John Taylor:** 25 years

## Risk Profile



The risk indicator assumes you keep your investment in the Portfolio for 5 years. This is the recommended holding period for this Portfolio. You may not be able to sell your shares easily or you may have to sell at a price that significantly impacts on how much you get back. The summary risk indicator (SRI) is a guide to the level of risk of this Portfolio compared to other investment funds. It shows how likely it is that the Portfolio will lose money because of movements in the markets.

## Growth of EUR 10,000



## Past performance does not guarantee future results.

The performance shown is net of ongoing charges and assumes an investment of EUR10,000 at inception of the share class, on which an investor may pay a sales charge of up to 5%. If this charge were deducted from the initial investment, an investor would need to pay EUR10,527 in order to achieve an investment of EUR10,000. For investors, other personal securities portfolio costs (e.g., custody fees), if applicable may further reduce performance.

## Complete 12 Month Returns %

Class	04/14 03/15	04/15 03/16	04/16 03/17	04/17 03/18	04/18 03/19	04/19 03/20	04/20 03/21	04/21 03/22	04/22 03/23	04/23 03/24
A EUR	6,23	-0,58	3,29	3,27	0,65	-6,94	15,65	-3,99	-7,91	8,96
<b>A2 EUR</b>	<b>6,26</b>	<b>-0,74</b>	<b>3,39</b>	<b>3,28</b>	<b>0,55</b>	<b>-6,86</b>	<b>15,62</b>	<b>-4,03</b>	<b>-7,83</b>	<b>8,91</b>
A2 USD H	-	-0,20	4,94	5,53	3,51	-3,97	16,95	-3,23	-5,08	10,92
AR EUR	-	-0,71	3,40	3,23	0,56	-6,80	15,55	-4,04	-7,85	8,90
AT EUR	6,22	-0,75	3,40	3,26	0,65	-6,94	15,64	-3,99	-7,91	8,96
<b>Benchmark</b>	<b>11,19</b>	<b>0,68</b>	<b>-0,56</b>	<b>2,37</b>	<b>2,18</b>	<b>2,23</b>	<b>3,24</b>	<b>-6,33</b>	<b>-10,61</b>	<b>4,65</b>

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## Performance % (Returns Are Annualized For Periods Longer Than One Year)

Class	1 Month	YTD	1 Year	3 Years	5 Years	10 Years	Since Inception
A EUR	1,17	0,61	8,96	-1,24	0,73	1,63	3,04
<b>A2 EUR</b>	<b>1,11</b>	<b>0,62</b>	<b>8,91</b>	<b>-1,24</b>	<b>0,74</b>	<b>1,62</b>	<b>3,01</b>
A2 USD H	1,22	0,96	10,92	0,63	2,73	-	3,13
AR EUR	1,04	0,57	8,90	-1,25	0,73	-	1,24
AT EUR	1,00	0,61	8,96	-1,24	0,72	1,62	3,59
<b>Benchmark</b>	<b>1,09</b>	<b>-0,33</b>	<b>4,65</b>	<b>-4,31</b>	<b>-1,55</b>	<b>0,74</b>	<b>3,18<sup>a</sup></b>

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## Calendar Year Performance %

Class	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023
A EUR	7,45	4,44	-0,37	-14,35	11,34
<b>A2 EUR</b>	<b>7,55</b>	<b>4,41</b>	<b>-0,41</b>	<b>-14,29</b>	<b>11,29</b>
A2 USD H	10,61	6,45	0,41	-12,07	13,67
AR EUR	7,48	4,44	-0,42	-14,27	11,31
AT EUR	7,45	4,44	-0,37	-14,20	11,14
<b>Benchmark</b>	<b>5,98</b>	<b>4,05</b>	<b>-2,85</b>	<b>-17,17</b>	<b>7,19</b>

Past performance does not guarantee future results. The value of investments and the income from them will vary. Your capital is at risk. Performance data are provided in the share class currency, and include the change in net asset value and the reinvestment of any distributions paid on Portfolio shares for the period shown. Performance data are net of management fees, but do not reflect sales charges or the effect of taxes. Returns for other share classes will vary due to different charges and expenses.

Source: AllianceBernstein (AB).

## NOTES

**'The Portfolio uses the Benchmark shown for comparison purposes only. The Portfolio is actively managed and the Investment Manager is not constrained by its Benchmark when implementing the Portfolio's investment strategy.** The Bloomberg Euro Aggregate Bond Index contains fixed-rate, investment-grade Euro-denominated securities regardless of domicile of the issuer from industrial, utility and financial issuers only. An investor cannot invest directly in an index, and their results are not indicative of the performance for any specific investment, including an AB fund. Indices do not include sales charges or operating expenses associated with an investment in a mutual fund, which would reduce total returns.

Share Class Information

Class	ISIN	Bloomberg	Valoren	Inception	Dist. Yield <sup>2</sup>	Dividend <sup>3</sup>	Net Asset Value <sup>4</sup>
A EUR	LU0095025721	ACMEIA:LX	0514382	26/02/1999	3,79	0,02	5,92
<b>A2 EUR</b>	<b>LU0095024591</b>	<b>ACMEIRI:LX</b>	<b>0665869</b>	<b>26/02/1999</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>21,03</b>
A2 USD H	LU1113143496	AEIA2UH:LX	27021125	30/01/2015	-	-	19,90
AR EUR	LU1165977643	ABEIPAR:LX	27249967	19/02/2015	-	0,55	10,66
AT EUR	LU0173638916	ACMEIAT:LX	1727878	09/10/2003	3,79	0,02	5,92

NOTES

<sup>2</sup>Yields are calculated based on the latest available distribution rate per share for a particular class. The yield is not guaranteed and will fluctuate.

<sup>3</sup>For distributing classes, a Portfolio may pay dividends from gross income (before reduction for fees and expenses), realized and unrealized gains, and capital attributable to the relevant class. Investors should note that distributions in excess of net income (gross income less fees and expenses) may represent a return of the investor's original investment amount and as such may result in a decrease in the net asset value per unit for the relevant class. Distributions out of capital may be taxed as income in certain jurisdictions.

<sup>4</sup>Net asset value is denominated in the share class currency.

Fees & Charges

Class	Max Entry Charge %*	Exit Charge	Ongoing Charge %**	Performance Fee
A EUR	5,00	none	1,38	none
<b>A2 EUR</b>	<b>5,00</b>	<b>none</b>	<b>1,38</b>	<b>none</b>
A2 USD H	5,00	none	1,38	none
AR EUR	5,00	none	1,38	none
AT EUR	5,00	none	1,38	none

Ongoing charges include fees and certain expenses of the Portfolio as of the most recent KID, and may be subject to a cap which is reflected above if applicable. Full details of the charges are available in the Portfolio's prospectus. \*This is the maximum figure; the entry charge may be less than this. \*\*Ongoing Charge include management fees and other administrative or operating costs. This is an estimate based on actual costs over the last year.

Holdings & Allocations

Top Ten Holdings	%
Bundesrepublik Deutschland 6.25%, 01/04/30	8,44
United Kingdom Gilt 4.625%, 01/31/34	3,21
Italy Buoni Poliennali Del Tesoro 6.00%, 05/01/31	2,50
Spain Government Bond 5.15%, 10/31/44	1,32
Republic of Austria Govt Bond 2.90%, 02/20/33	1,25
Goldman Sachs Group 7.125%, 08/07/25	1,17
Bundesrepublik Deutschland 4.75%, 07/04/34	1,14
ASR Nederland NV 3.375%, 05/02/49	1,09
CNP Assurances SACA 4.75%, 06/27/28	0,99
Allianz SE 4.252%, 07/05/52	0,99
<b>Total</b>	<b>22,10</b>

**Source: AllianceBernstein (AB).** Portfolio holdings and weightings are subject to change.

†The highest of S&P, Moody's, Fitch, or other nationally recognized statistic rating organizations (NRSROs). Not rated securities are those rated by another NRSRO and/or AB. Credit quality is a measure of the creditworthiness and risk of a bond or portfolio, based on the issuer's financial condition. AAA is highest and D is lowest. Ratings may not accurately reflect credit risk and are subject to change.

Top Sectors	%
Corporates - Non-Investment Grade	35,83
Corporates - Investment Grade	30,45
DM Government Agencies	18,62
Covered Bonds	6,31
Cash & Cash Equivalents	2,37
<b>Currency Allocation</b>	<b>%</b>
Euro	100,25
Other	-0,25

Portfolio Statistics

Effective Duration	5,82 Yrs.
Average Credit Quality	BBB
Yield to Worst %	4,10

Country Allocation	%
United Kingdom	20,58
Germany	17,64
France	12,62
United States	12,39
Italy	9,37
Spain	7,94
Netherlands	4,87
Luxembourg	2,65
Austria	2,30
Other	9,64

Credit Quality†	%
AAA	18,06
AA	6,06
A	10,83
BBB	23,10
BB	25,18
B	14,31
CCC & Below	1,61
Other	0,85

**Investment Risks To Consider** These and other risks are described in the Portfolio's prospectus.

**Investment in the Portfolio entails certain risks.** Investment returns and principal value of the Portfolio will fluctuate so that an investor's shares, when redeemed, may be worth more or less than their original cost. Some of the principal risks of investing in the Portfolio include:

**Emerging-Markets Risk:** Where the Portfolio invests in emerging markets, these assets are generally smaller and more sensitive to economic and political factors, and may be less easily traded, which could cause a loss to the Portfolio.

**Liquidity Risk:** The risk that arises when adverse market conditions affect the ability to sell assets when necessary. Reduced liquidity may have a negative impact on the price of the assets.

**Focused Portfolio Risk:** Investing in a limited number of issuers, industries, sectors or countries may subject the Portfolio to greater volatility than one invested in a larger or more diverse array of securities.

**Portfolio Turnover Risk:** A portfolio may be actively managed and turnover may, in response to market conditions, exceed 100%. A higher rate of portfolio turnover increases brokerage and other expenses. High portfolio turnover may also result in the realization of substantial net short-term capital gains, which may be taxable when distributed.

**Derivatives Risk:** The Portfolio may include financial derivative instruments. These may be used to obtain, increase or reduce exposure to underlying assets and may create gearing; their use may result in greater fluctuations of the net asset value.

**OTC Derivatives Counterparty Risk:** Transactions in over-the-counter (OTC) derivatives markets may have generally less governmental regulation and supervision than transactions entered into on organized exchanges. These will be subject to the risk that its direct counterparty will not perform its obligations and that the Portfolio will sustain losses.

**Structured Investments Risk:** These types of instruments are potentially more volatile and carry greater market risks than traditional debt instruments, depending on the structure. Changes in a benchmark may be magnified by the terms of the structured instrument and have an even more dramatic and substantial effect upon its value. These instruments may be less liquid and more difficult to price than less complex instruments.

**Fixed-Income Securities Risk:** The value of these investments will change in response to fluctuations in interest rates and currency exchange rates, as well as changes in the credit quality of the issuer. Also, medium, lower and unrated securities may be subject to wider fluctuations in yield and market values than higher-rated securities.

**Lower-Rated and Unrated Instruments Risk:** These securities are subject to a greater risk of loss of capital and interest, and are usually less liquid and more volatile. Some investments may be in high-yielding fixed-income securities, so the risk of depreciation and capital losses may be unavoidable.

**Sovereign Debt Obligations Risk:** The risk that government-issued debt obligations will be exposed to direct or indirect consequences of political, social and economic changes in various countries. Political changes or the economic status of a country may impact the willingness or ability of a government to honour its payment obligations.

**Corporate Debt Obligations Risk:** The risk that a particular issuer may not fulfill its payment and other obligations. In addition, an issuer may experience adverse changes to its financial position or a decrease in its credit rating resulting in increased debt obligation price volatility and negative liquidity. There may also be a higher risk of default.

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**Past performance does not guarantee future results.** The actual return achieved by investors in other currencies may increase or decrease as a result of currency fluctuations. Currency-hedged share classes use hedging techniques in an attempt to reduce—but not eliminate—fluctuations between the investor's holdings in a particular currency-hedged share class denominated in the investor's investing currency and the Portfolio's base currency. The goal is to deliver returns that track the Portfolio's base currency returns more closely.

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