

#### Data as of 03/31/2024

This Sub-Fund is managed by Eurizon Capital S.A.

NAV (in EUR) 315.05 Fund Size (in EUR) **Number of Holdings** 2.224 mil 70 Morningstar Rating ™ **Fund Manager** Andrea Giannotta Morningstar Rating ™ referred to 02/29/2024 **Class Unit Inception Date** 11/29/1988

# **Investment / Performance Objectives & policy**

The fund mainly invests in government bonds denominated in euro. The fund generally favours direct investment but may at times invest through derivatives

Specifically, the fund normally invests at least 80% of total net assets in debt and debt-related instruments, including money market instruments, denominated in EUR. The credit rating and duration of securities are usually consistent with those of the benchmark.

The fund may invest in the following asset classes up to the percentages of total net assets indicated: - corporate debt instruments: 20%

The fund does not invest in asset-backed securities or contingent convertible bonds (coco bonds), but may be indirectly exposed to them (maximum 10% of total net assets).

The fund may use derivatives for reducing risks (hedging) and costs, and to gain additional investment exposure.

For more information read the Prospectus or Key Information Document (KID).

#### **Benchmark**

JPM Emu Government Bond Index 3-5 years

**Performance and NAV Evolution\*** 

#### **Cumulative and Annualized Performance NAV Evolution since launch** Unit Benchmark Unit Benchmark 250 Cumulative **Annualized** 200 YTD -0.83% -0.70% 1M 0.60% 0.64% 150 3M -0.83% -0.70% 1Y 2.67% 3.16% 100 **3**Y -7 69% -6 49% -2 64% -2 22% 50 **5**Y -6.62% -4 54% -1 36% -0.92% 03-2024 Unit Benchmark Since Launch **Annual Performance (Calendar Year) Fund Statistics** 6M 1Y **3Y** 5Y Since Launch Unit **Benchmark Annualized Volatility Unit** 3.54% 3.71% 4.22% 3.49% 2023 4.95% 5.37% **Annualized Volatility Benchmark** 3.70% 4.21% 3.49% 2022 -10.29% -9.91% 3.54% 2021 -1.67% -1.21% **Tracking Error Volatility** 0.03% 0.03% 0.05% 0.06% 2020 0.94% 1.35% **Sharpe Ratio** 0 99 -0 11 -0.83 -0.49

2019

1 45%

Prividend reinvested / Dividend distributed (depending on the case).

Reference period: YTD (year to date) from 01/01/2024 to the date of this reporting. The returns calculations do not take into account taxes applicable to an average professional client in his or her country of residence. When the currency presented differs from yours, there is a currency risk that may result in a decrease in value.

# **Risk and Reward Profile**

Information Ratio

Beta



-20.05

1.00

-15.17

1.00

-8.54

1.00

-7.90

1.00

The risk indicator assumes you keep the product for 4 years

The summary risk indicator is a guide to the level of risk of this product compared to other products. It shows how likely it is that the product will lose money because of movements in the markets or because we

We have classified this product as 2 out of 7, which is a lower risk class.

This rates the potential losses from future performance at a low level, and poor market conditions are very unlikely to impact the capacity to pay you.

For any further details on investment risks, please refer in particular to the Risks section of the Fund's Prospectus.

1.96%

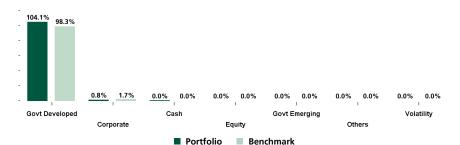
<sup>\*</sup>Past performance and/or of relevant benchmark if applicable is not guarantee of future performance. The performances are net of ongoing charges and performance fees and exclude any entry and exit fees.



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## **Portfolio Information**

# Asset Breakdown\*



<sup>\*</sup>The Corporate asset class may include issues by local agencies or authorities that are equivalent to Corporate instruments issued in terms of creditworthiness. The Developed Governments asset class may include derivative financial instruments on interbank rates.

Derivatives	Weight
Currency	-
Equity	=
Interest rate	4.90%

#### Top 10 Holdings (excluding cash)

	Weight	Sector	Duration	Rating S&P
FRTR 2 3/4 02/25/29	4.17%	Government	4.52	AA
FRTR 0 3/4 02/25/28	4.13%	Government	3.75	AA
FRTR 0 3/4 05/25/28	4.09%	Government 3.96		AA
FRTR 2 3/4 10/25/27	4.01%	Government	3.31	AA
OBL 2.2 04/13/28	3.90%	Government	3.71	AAA
OBL 2.4 10/19/28	3.58%	Government	4.19	AAA
FRTR 1 05/25/27	3.52%	Government	3.00	AA
FRTR 0 3/4 11/25/28	3.40%	Government	4.45	AA
SPGB 5,15% 10/28	3.07%	Government	4.02	А
BTPS 3.8 08/01/28	3.05%	Government	3.89	BBB

**Duration Evolution** 

	Portfolio
10-2023	3.88
11-2023	3.92
12-2023	3.85
01-2024	3.84
02-2024	3.89
03-2024	3.86

## **Sector Allocation**

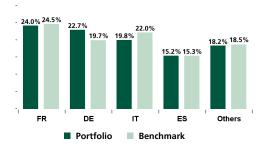
Portfolio
104.09%
-
-
0.00%
-
-
0.79%
-
-

#### **Portfolio Characteristics**

	Portfolio
Weighted Average Coupon	1.79%
Current Yield	1.79%
Average Rating	A+
Yield to Worst*	2.69%

The portfolio Yield to Worst refers only to the component of fixed income and is calculated as a weighted average of returns of the single bond instruments, where the weighting takes place with respect to the value of the individual instrument. Returns hold account of the operating probabilities of the optional components possibly present in the bonds.

# **Duration Contribution by Country**



#### Contribution to Duration by Maturity

	% Contrib.
0-1	0.12%
1-3	3.37%
3-5	93.52%
5-7	2.98%
7-10	0.01%
>10	-
Total	100.00%

#### Allocation by S&P Rating / Maturity\*

	0-1	1-3	3-5	5-7	7-10	>10	Total
AAA	-	4.79%	23.17%	1.86%	-	-	29.81%
AA	-	0.54%	35.15%	-	-	-	35.69%
Α	-	0.45%	17.18%	0.49%	-	-	18.12%
BBB	0.93%	0.11%	19.50%	0.04%	0.01%	-	20.58%
ВВ	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
В	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Below B	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total	0.93%	5.89%	95.00%	2.39%	0.01%	-	

<sup>\*</sup>Instruments without ratings are excluded from the calculation.

# Geographical Breakdown by Issuer



The sum of the weights represents the total bond exposure, including derivative instruments.

Allocation subject to change. Reference in this document to specific securities should not be construed as recommendation to buy or sell these securities.



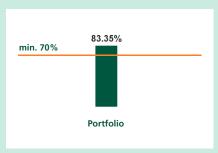
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## Sustainability characteristics

#### Sovereign ESG integration

Sovereign ESG integration involves processes for selecting government issuers using specific indicators provided by the "Sustainable Development Report", which assesses each country's progress in achieving the 17 "Sustainable Development Goals" or "SDGs" promoted by the United Nations and also considers the potentially negative impacts regarding the achievement of these goals; the main negative environmental and social impacts on government issuers are also monitored. At least 70% of the fund's assets must be invested in such issuers.

#### Percentage of assets in government issuers meeting the screening criteria



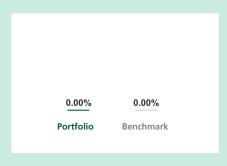
# SFDR Category Article 8

The fund is qualified pursuant to Article 8 of Regulation (EU) 2019/2088; see the Sustainability Report for more details.

#### Percentage of issuers involved in controversial sectors

0.00% 0.00% **Portfolio** Benchmark

#### Percentage of critical issuers



Values other than zero may be due to (i) discontinued issuers, in the best interest of participants and in accordance with current legislation, (ii) issuers for which an engagement activity is in progress or (iii) indirect exposures.

Source: Internal processing of data provided by MSCI ESG Research

Survey period: 12-month rolling average

#### **Appendix**

#### Percentage of issuers involved in controversial sectors

Issuers operating in sectors deemed controversial (not "socially responsible"), to which restrictions or exclusions apply with respect to the entirety of the individual assets under management, are companies (i) that have a clear direct involvement in the manufacture of unconventional weapons; (ii) at least 25% of whose turnover is generated from thermal coal mining or power generation activities; (iii) at least 10% of whose turnover is generated from the exploitation of oil sands.

More specifically, unconventional weapons are understood as: anti-personnel mines; cluster bombs; nuclear weapons\*; impoverished uranium; biological weapons; chemical weapons; stealth cluster bombs;

blinding lasers; incendiary weapons; white phosphorus.

These provisions do not apply to the activities permitted by the following treaties and/or conventions:

- The Ottawa Treaty (1997) which prohibits the use, stockpiling, production and transfer of anti-personnel mines; the Convention on Cluster Munitions (2008) which prohibits the use, stockpiling, production and transfer of cluster bombs;
- The Chemical Weapons Convention (1997) which prohibits the use, stockpiling, production and transfer of chemical weapons;
   The Biological Weapons Convention (1975) which prohibits the use, stockpiling, production and transfer of biological weapons;

- Regulation (EU) 2018/1542 concerning restrictive measures against the proliferation and use of chemical weapons;
These exclusions are also intended to comply with the requirements established by Law no. 220 of 9 December 2021 on measures to counter the financing of companies producing antipersonnel mines, cluster bombs and submunitions. \*With regard to exclusions on nuclear weapons, issuers based in states that have adhered to the "Nuclear Non-Proliferation Treaty" stipulated on 1 July 1968 are not considered.

#### Percentage of critical issuers

"Critical" issuers are those companies having a higher exposure to environmental, social and corporate governance risks, i.e. which have a lower ESG sustainability rating level (equal to "CCC" assigned by the specialized info-provider) in the equity and bond investment category and for which an escalation process has been activated, or is being assessed, which determines restrictions and/or exclusions with respect to the entirety of the individual assets under management ("ESG Binding screening").

#### Percentage of issuers selected on the basis of positive and negative criteria

The weighting of issuers that comply with the specific positive and negative selection criteria identified by the Product, i.e. (i) issuers of green/sustainable bonds and (ii) companies publicly engaged in the energy transition process, particularly through the progressive reduction in Scope 1 and Scope 2 emissions to reach climate neutrality by 2050 ("Net Zero" goal).

#### Percentage of assets in government issuers meeting the screening criteria

The weight of government issuers that meet the selection criteria defined on the basis of the indicators of the "Sustainable Development Report" and Regulation (EU) 2019/2088 to monitor the principal adverse impacts relating to government issuers.

# Percentage of assets in ESG or sustainable investment type UCIs

This is understood as assets of UCITS that promote environmental and/or social characteristics pursuant to Article 8 of Regulation 2019/2088 or which pursue sustainable investment objectives pursuant to Article 9 of said Regulation.

#### Carbon footprint

The value represents tonnes of carbon dioxide (direct - Scope 1 and indirect - Scope 2) of the investee companies in relation to their turnover.

Weighting (i) of issuers with net positive alignment with at least 1 of the United Nations' 17 Sustainable Development Goals (SDG) and no misalignment with any of the SDGs and (ii) of green, social and sustainability bonds.



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## **Investment Manager Commentary**

#### **Performance and Investment Choices**

The 3-5 years Euro Area Government Bonds gained 0.64% in March

During the month took place the ECB meeting with the council that decided to keep policy rates unchanged for the fourth consecutive meeting.

The ECB has revised downwards its inflation forecasts, which are expected to return to the 2% target as early as 2025, while "core" inflation is expected to reach this target the following year, in 2026; aligning with the market expectations of a likely cut in June.

As for economic activity, in further recovery, the German IFO index for March increases by over 2 points, from 85.7 to 87.8, surpassing expectations of 86. This rise, bringing the index to its highest level since last June, is mainly attributed to the expectations component (rising from 84.4 to 87.5, well above the expected 84.7).

Analyzing the 5-year maturity segment yields decrease both in the core/semi-core and the periphery. German 5-yrs yield decrease by almost 11 bps and France by 8 bps. Belgium showed a similar behavior with a decrease of almost 10 bps. In the periphery, in the 5-yrs space, Italy overperformed compared to the rest with a decrease in yields of almost 14 bps and Spain decreased by roughly 13 bps.

Throughout the month from a tactical standpoint, we implemented some trades exploiting market volatility in German futures. Specifically focus on Germany we decided to position the fund in steepening on the 2–5-year segment.

Overall, slightly long duration exposures versus benchmark remained concentrated on the German and Spanish papers.

The performance of the fund was in line with the one posted by the benchmark

Source: Eurizon Capital S.A., the Investment Manager of the Sub-Fund.

This commentary constitutes opinions that are subject to change. Past performance is no guarantee of future performance.

Fund Overview	
Legal Status	Fonds Commun de Placement (FCP)/UCITS
Home jurisdiction of the Fund	Luxemburg
ISIN Code	LU0012017942
Class Unit Inception Date	11/29/1988
Valuation	Daily
Bloomberg Code	SPIFEMT LX
Entry costs	Max 1.50%
Exit costs	-
Management fees and other administrative or operating costs	0.49% (of which management commission constitutes 0.35%)
Transaction costs	0.07%
Performance fees	-
Minimum amount	50,000 EUR
Taxes	The tax treatment depends on the individual circumstances of each investor and may be subject to change in the future. Please refer to your financial and tax advisor.
Management Company	Eurizon Capital S.A.
Investment Manager of the Sub-Fund	Eurizon Capital S.A.
Category	EUR GOVERNMENT BOND

The Sub-Fund is not an Index-tracking UCITS and then does not intend to passively replicate, track or leverage the performance of a Benchmark through synthetic or physical replication.

The fund is qualified pursuant to Article 8 of Regulation (EU) 2019/2088; see the Sustainability Report for more details.



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