



IVO FIXED INCOME (EUR) - UCITS

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An opportunistic access to international corporate debt markets

Launched in April 2015, IVO Fixed income is a specialized UCITS Fund, investing in corporate bonds in which the manager has his strongest risk/return convictions, either because a revaluation on the price is expected or because there is attractive yield for a given amount of risk. Opportunistic exposure to different segments of corporate debt, ranging from Investment Grade to High Yield, and USD-denominated bonds to EUR-denominated bonds. The hedging instruments aim at reducing the currency risk to a maximum of 30% USD exposure. The approach "Good companies/Bad Country" enables us to combine Value and quality in our investments.

Fund performance review

The fund remained stable (-0.01%) in September, outperforming the CEMBI HY+ index (-0.9% in EUR) and the IBOXX Liquid High Yield index (-1.0%), mainly due to portfolio's low duration, some idiosyncratic circumstances and an underweighted exposure to China compared to the index.

Bond markets negatively performed in September, as a result of the rise over 10-year US yield, which closed at 1.5% in September (+20 bps), besides a widening in spreads (from 455 bps to 471 bps). Both the Fed and the ECB have reiterated their intention to slow down the asset purchase program by the end of the year, in addition to Fed committee members anticipations of U.S. rates rising sooner than expected. Three hikes are anticipated by 2023, likewise half of the members expecting the first hike by the end of 2022. During September, US dollar continued to appreciate against the rest of the world's major currencies (+1.7% compared to the DXY index). On the other hand, Equity markets bearishly closed suffering from rising rates partially related to the sharp increase in global energy prices, which boosts fears on persistent inflation, uncertainty on US debt, and potential economic slowdown in China. Brent oil reference continued to increase, even exceeding the \$80 threshold, closing at \$78.5. This was driven by a decreased supply due to Hurricane Ida in the United States and to increased natural gas prices, which triggered a shift in demand towards oil. In China, provincial governments committed to adhere to central government's carbon emission limits, decided to impose power cuts over households and industrial companies, which could slow the economy recovery. These uncertainties regarding tightening monetary policy and rising energy prices are attenuated by central banker's claiming that they will not overreact to inflation, which could prove to be transitory in many sectors.

This month, although moderated compared to equity markets, emerging bond markets are mostly down. Once again, China was the most negative performer this month (-7.2%), due to the difficulties encountered by the giant Evergrande, which defaulted on its payment banks debt deadline and appealed to its grace period for bond debt. The company's default is imminent, raising fears of contagion to the entire sector, and even to the entire Chinese economy, as the sector represents a significant part of it (15% of GDP). Usually, most of emerging countries bond crisis are related to a deterioration of sovereign level financial situation, which indirectly affects private issuers that sometimes benefits from good financial health. On the contrary, this is a well-identified and highly indebted sector crisis, which is affected by a more restrictive regulatory context. In order to maintain certain social peace and protect a sector that remains important for the economy, Chinese state is likely to intervene and look for a solution that allows current projects fulfillment and thus restore client's confidence. That said, under a still uncertain environment that could last several months, and considering transparency and subordination issues specific to the sector, we prefer to remain underexposed despite the attractive spreads. In addition, Chinese state interventionist policy continues and this time the target were the casino operators in Macau (-3.1%), through government potential enforcement of new regulations on the sector, and the uncertainty on licenses renewal that should take place in early 2022. In Indonesia (+0.1%), COVID contamination has considerably dropped, so that government has eased most restrictions and additionally announced loosening over certain financial regulations, which should benefit issuers, especially in real estate sector, which already presented a record performance during the first half of the year. The results of the mid-term legislative primaries in Argentina (+0.0%) put former President Macri's party, Juntos por el Cambio, in a good position for the mid-November elections, a result that bodes well for the 2024 presidential elections, but could also lead to a radicalization of President Fernandez's policies. In Brazil (-1.4%) and Mexico (-0.6%), vaccination is improving, and cases of infection are decreasing. The Central Bank of Brazil increased the key rate by 100 bps, to 6.5%, to fight against inflation. The results of mid-term legislative elections in Argentina (+0.0%), positively positioned former president Macri's party, "Juntos por el Cambio" for mid-November elections, being a promising result for 2024 presidential elections. On the contrary, it could also lead to a radicalization of President Fernandez's policies. In Brazil (-1.4%) and Mexico (-0.6%), vaccination is progressing, while infection cases decrease. Brazil central bank increased its key rate by 100 bps to 6.5% to fight against inflation. Elsewhere in Latin America, Ecuador obtained \$800 million in financing from the IMF, which should reach \$1.5 billion by the end of the year. In Turkey (-0.6%), despite high inflation, the Central Bank diminished its key rates by 100 bps to 18%, negatively affecting the markets in general. Finally, in Ukraine (-1.2%), whose vaccination rate is still slow compared to the rest of Europe, infection cases are again increasing. However, we believe that given the credit profile of the Ukrainian companies in portfolio (low leverage and export-oriented), a potential new epidemic wave should have a limited impact. In Africa, Zambia was visited by the IMF at the end of the month, as part of negotiations to obtain financial support in exchange for reforms.

This month, the main contributor to performance was the oil drilling company **Shelf Drilling**, which signed a new contract, besides benefiting from have already contracted almost its entire fleet for 2022. We reduced some gaining positions, especially in Argentina. We initiated some positions on Indonesian issuers that were indirectly affected by the negative situation in China. We remain defensive to face rising sovereign rates, with a 3.1 duration, and continue to grab opportunities in sectors/countries affected by political, health or regulatory circumstances, likewise looking as well for idiosyncratic issues.

Despite concerns regarding the impact of a potential Chinese economic slowdown, on the global economy and emerging markets, we keep a positive perspective for our asset class and believe it still offers interesting opportunities. First, the corporate high-yield issuers leverage is being significantly reduced this year, returning to 2011 levels of around 2.3x (below the pre-covid level). Second, the accelerated vaccination in emerging countries should support strong corporate performance. Finally, unlike many other asset classes, whether bonds or equities, emerging corporate bond valuations are not "tight" and are even still attractive, both relative to 2017 and if comparing with other current opportunities. Yield spreads (467 bps), which according JP Morgan expectations, should reach around 425 bps by the end of the year, still offering a compression potential. We observe this potential particularly in commodity-related companies, besides some companies affected by mobility restrictions.

	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	Jun.	Jul.	Aug.	Sep.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	YTD
2021	+0,7%	+2,5%	+0,5%	+1,1%	+1,9%	+1,4%	-0,0%	+1,3%	-0,01%	-	-	-	+9,7%
2020	+1,5%	-1,7%	-30,2%	+2,1%	+12,1%	+7,8%	+1,3%	+1,9%	-1,4%	-0,7%	+7,1%	+5,3%	-2,1%
2019	+2,6%	+1,8%	+0,6%	-0,1%	+0,4%	+1,5%	+0,7%	-4,8%	+1,0%	+0,3%	+0,7%	+3,6%	+8,3%
2018	+0,5%	-1,0%	+0,4%	+0,4%	-1,9%	-0,5%	+1,2%	-1,7%	+1,2%	+0,1%	-1,4%	-1,5%	-4,2%
2017	+2,1%	+1,8%	+0,7%	+1,4%	+0,5%	+0,4%	+0,8%	+1,1%	+0,9%	+0,1%	+0,2%	+0,3%	+10,7%
2016	-3,2%	+2,0%	+4,4%	+2,3%	+1,3%	+1,5%	+2,0%	+1,8%	+1,2%	+1,5%	+0,7%	+2,1%	+19,4%
2015	-	-	-	-	+2,9%	-2,1%	-2,8%	-3,2%	-5,2%	+3,9%	+1,5%	-4,3%	-9,2%

KEY FIGURES

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Inception Date	April 24, 2015
NAV as of 30-09-21	133,38
Fund Net Assets	509,3M€

RETURN

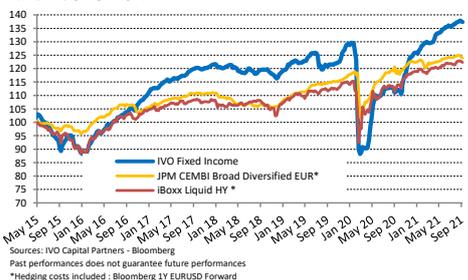
	Bonds part	Fund
Yield to maturity* (EUR)	+14,4%	+13,5%
Yield to worst* (EUR)	+14,0%	+13,1%
Adjusted Yield* (EUR)	+8,7%	+8,1%

*hedging costs included : Bloomberg 1Y EURUSD Forward

FUND PERFORMANCES & RISK

Performance MTD	-0,01%
Performance YTD	+9,7%
Annualized 5 years performance	+5,0%
Annualized 5 years volatility	+11,0%

NAV EVOLUTION



FUND CHARACTERISTICS

ISIN Code (R):	LU1165644672
Bloomberg Ticker:	IVOCAPR LX Equity
Fund Currency:	EUR
Inception Date:	April 24, 2015
Managers:	Roland Vigne and Michael Israel
Structure:	Luxembourg Sicav
Fund Category:	Capitalisation UCITS
Liquidity:	Daily - Valuation: Daily
Investment Horizon:	At least 3 years
Investment Manager:	IVO Capital Partners
Custodian:	Société Générale
Auditor:	Deloitte

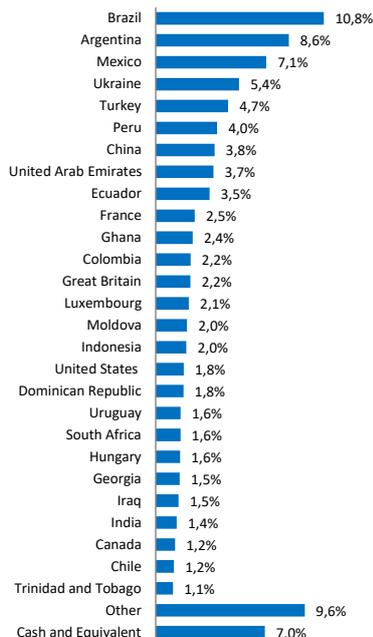
OPERATING PROCEDURES

Minimum Investment:	5 000€
Annual Management Fee:	1,5%
Performance Fee:	15% above EURIBOR 3M + 400 BP
Subscription Fee:	up to 4%
High Water Mark:	Yes

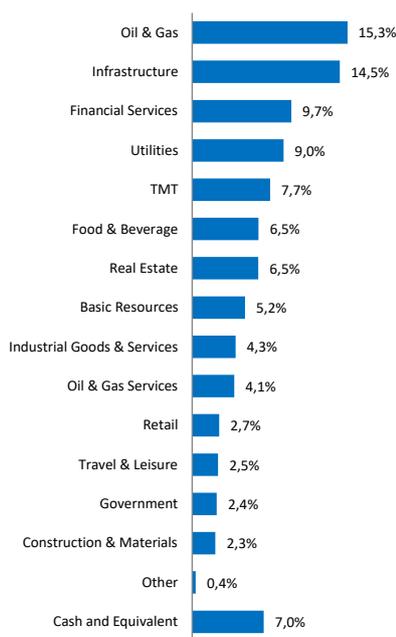
BY PERIOD

1 month	-0,0%
3 months	+1,2%
6 months	+5,7%
12 months	+22,8%
3 years	+12,8%
5 years	+28,4%
ITD	+33,4%

BREAKDOWN BY REGIONS



BREAKDOWN BY SECTORS



PORTFOLIO DATA

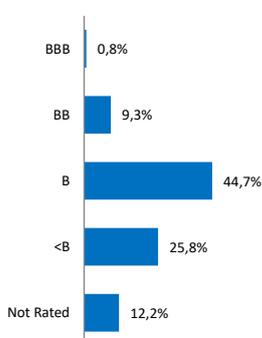
Yield to Maturity* (EUR)	14,4%
Yield to Worst* (EUR)	14,0%
Adjusted Yield* (EUR)	8,7%
USD Exposure	2,1%
Average Running Coupon	8,5%
Number of Issuers	147
Average Maturity	4,7
Average Duration	2,9
Adjusted Duration**	3,1
Average Rating	B+
Average Issued Amount (\$ million)	625
Average Percentage Holding	1,9%

*hedging costs included : Bloomberg 1Y EURUSD Forward

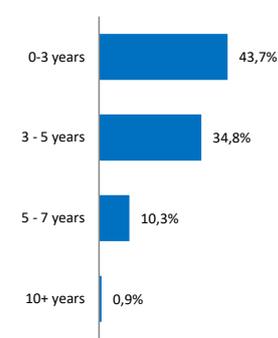
BONDS METRICS (Weighted Average)

Revenue (\$ billions)	4,0
EBITDA (\$ billions)	1,1
Leverage	3,6x

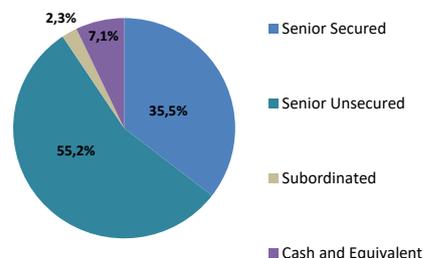
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10 MAIN ISSUERS

ISSUER	CURRENCY	COUNTRY	SECTOR	WEIGHT
INTL AIRPORT FINANCE SA 2033	\$	Ecuador	Infrastructure	3,5%
PERU LNG SRL 2030	\$	Peru	Infrastructure	2,8%
SIXSIGMA NETWORKS MEXICO 2025	\$	Mexico	TMT	2,1%
ARAGVI FINANCE INTL 2026	\$	Moldova	Food & Beverage	2,0%
LIMAK ISKENDERUN 2036	\$	Turkey	Infrastructure	2,0%
PAMPA ENERGIA SA 2029	\$	Argentina	Utilities	1,9%
AES ARGENTINA GENERACION 2024	\$	Argentina	Utilities	1,9%
CASINO GUICHARD PERRACH Perp	€	France	Food & Beverage	1,8%
ANDRADE GUTIER INT SA 2024	\$	Brazil	Construction & Materials	1,7%
OI SA 2025	\$	Brazil	TMT	1,6%

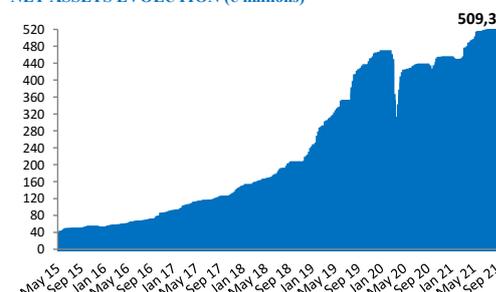
10 largest positions

21,2%

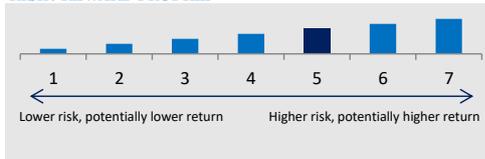
RISK INFORMATION

- Past performance is not a guide to current and future performance.
- The value of your investments and any income from them may fall or rise and you may not get back the full amount you invested.
- The value of debt securities may change significantly depending on the economic and interest rate conditions, as well as the credit worthiness of the issuer. These risks are typically higher in emerging market and below investment grade debt securities.
- In addition, emerging markets may be subject to increased risks, including less developed custody and settlement practices, higher volatility and lower liquidity than non emerging market securities.
- Movements in currency exchange rates can adversely affect the return of your investment. The currency hedging that may be used to minimise the effect of currency fluctuations may not always be successful. Investors may have exposure to currencies other than the currency of their Share Class.
- Find further detailed risk information in the Prospectus' Appendix "facteur de risque".

NET ASSETS EVOLUTION (€ millions)



RISK / REWARD PROFILE



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