# Aegon Russia Equity Fund PI series



#### GENERAL INFORMATION

Fund Manager: AEGON Hungary Fund Manager Ltd.
Custodian: Unicredit Bank Hungary Zrt.
Main distributor: AEGON Hungary Fund Manager Ltd.

Benchmark composition: 95% RXUSD Index + 5% US Libor Total Return 1M Index

 ISIN code:
 HU0000713144

 Start:
 12/30/2013

 Currency:
 PLN

Total Net Asset Value of the whole Fund: 5,926,809,911 HUF
Net Asset Value of PI series: 100,374 PLN
Net Asset Value per unit: 1.003741 PLN

# INVESTMENT POLICY OF THE FUND:

The fund aims to share in the yields of the Russian equity market, and to profit from Russia's economic growth through share price gains and dividend income. Given the risk profiles of the equity investments, the fund is classified as a high-risk investment. The fund's portfolio primarily consists of the publicly issued shares of foreign companies. The main investment targets are the stock exchange-traded shares of companies that maintain an active presence in Russia or the former CIS states, or which generate the bulk of their revenues in these countries. When building the fund's portfolio, beyond the minimum statutory requirements, the principles of safety and maximum diversification (the spreading of risk) are observed. The fund management company, exercising all due care, determines the means of utilising the fund's resources on the basis of its own judgement and decisions, while observing the relevant legal provisions and the limitations stipulated in the Fund Documentation and by taking into account the macroeconomic environment of the investment markets, relying primarily on fundamental analysis. When compiling the portfolio, it is shares that determine the nature of the fund, and thus the proportion of shares that may be held in the fund at any given moment may reach the prevailing statutory maximum. The weights, within the portfolio, of shares traded in the Russian market are determined with a view to ensuring that the fund - in line with our expectations with regard to future risks and yields achieves its objective, which is to outperform the benchmark advertised by the fund, over the longer term. The fund records its assets in forint; the fund management company may, at its own discretion, choose to hedge all or a part of its currency risks with forward currency positions, in compliance with the applicable statutory requirements. Under the current legislation the proportion of shares in the portfolio may be up to 100%.

#### DISTRIBUTORS

Aegon Towarzystwo Ubezpieczen na Zycie Spolka

## NET YIELD PERFORMANCE OF THE SERIES:

Interval	Yield of note	Benchmark yield
From start	0.10 %	-1.88 %
2016	58.87 %	55.88 %
2015	13.15 %	10.49 %
2014	-33.33 %	-33.34 %

# NET PERFORMANCE OF THE SERIES



#### ---- Aegon Russia Equity Fund PI series ---- Benchmark

Past performance is no guarantee of future results. This report should not be considered as an offer or investment advisory. The Fund Prospectus contains the detailed conditions of the investment. The distribution costs of the fund purchase can be found at the distributors.

#### INVESTMENT HORIZON:



#### MARKET SUMMARY:

Thanks to the better-than-expected macro data the main US equity indices bounced back after a weak start in August. While the European main equity indices finished slightly below their last month closing price, the BUX reached its absolute peak this month.

The British government seems to be more permissive in case of Brexit and is willing to pay 40 billion Euros to the EU budget, furthermore would accept the European Court's indirect jurisdiction in several cases after leaving the EU. Based on a survey in August, Macron's popularity is decreasing; more than 55 percent of the voters are not satisfied with his performance, while this number was just 43 percent in July.

August was a busy month in the Unites States. Donald Trump announced that an inquiry is started regarding the Chinese violation of intellectual property, the wall will be built on the Mexican border and no agreement will be reached in the NAFTA case (North American Free Trade Agreement). In addition, the president dissolved two advisory boards and dismissed his strategic senior advisor. It is still a question whether political consensus can be achieved in case of the tax reform and the debt limit. According to the minutes of the FED's summit, reduction of the balance sheet is about to start in September, but the decision-makers are still divided in the question of raising interest rate due to the fact that inflation is regarded in different ways. The North-Korean conflict increased in August because of the threat of a rocket attack against Guam; a new rocket was launched that hit the Pacific Ocean flying over Japan. As a result of the increasing geopolitical tension, investors become more risk-averse as a result, the price of gold reached a 10-month peak.

Along with gold, other precious metal's price went up to in August: silver reached its June rate, platinum its March rate and palladium its 2001 rate.

The oil price deteriorated in August due to the higher-than-planned OPEC output, the profit realisation and the lack of the oil demand because of hurricane Harvey.

The Norwegian national Fund is about to raise its weight of the equities, from 60 to 70 percent, becoming one of the most significant market participants of the global equity market.

The fund performed especially well in August, after the underperformance of the Russian market has ended. The fund was dominated by equities, mainly from companies related to internal growth (Sberbank, Globaltrans, X5) and companies in the steel sector related to the Chinese market. Furthermore oil prices stabilized, while the Ruble strengthened this month.

#### ASSET ALLOCATION OF THE FUND ON 08/31/2017

Asset type	Weight
International equities	99.04 %
Current account	1.09 %
Liabilities	-0.37 %
Receivables	0.24 %
total	100,00 %
Derivative products	0.00 %
Net corrected leverage	100.00 %

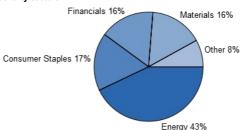
## TOP 5 POSITIONS

SBERBANK-Sponsored GDR MAGNIT OJSC.SPON LUKOIL GDR NEW ROSNEFT OIL COMPANY GDR NORILSK NICKEL PJSC MMC

### Assets with over 10% weight

SBERBANK-Sponsored GDR

Stocks by sectors:



#### RISK INDICATORS FOR THE LAST 12 MONTHS:

Annualized standard deviation of the fund's weekly yields: 18.36% Annualized standard deviation of the benchmark's weekly yields: 18.55%

