# Aegon International Bond Fund

# GENERAL INFORMATION

Fund Manager: AEGON Hungary Fund Manager Ltd.

Custodian: Citibank Europe plc Magyarországi Fióktelepe

Main distributor AEGON Hungary Fund Manager Ltd.

80% Merrill Lynch Global Government Bond Index II ex-Japan Benchmark composition:

USD (total return) + 20% ZMAX Index

HU0000702477 ISIN code: 04/21/1999 Start: Currency: HUF

Total Net Asset Value of the whole Fund:

1,327,477,992 HUF

Net Asset Value of HUF

series:

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1.913013 HUF Net Asset Value per unit:

The fund aims to create an explicitly defensive investment portfolio for its investors, and typically invests in developed-market government bonds, and related exchange-traded derivative transactions, in the interest of achieving the highest possible return with the assumption of currency risk. The fund primarily aims for a portfolio consisting of the publicly issued bonds of foreign governments and foreign-domiciled companies. When building the fund's portfolio, beyond the minimum statutory requirements, the principles of safety and maximum diversification (the spreading of risk) are observed. Accordingly, when purchasing international securities the fund only selects publicly issued securities that are listed on foreign stock exchanges. The proportion of non-investment-grade securities is maintained at a low level, and if the planned ratio is overstepped due to the downgrading of a given issuer the fund restores it under the conditions stipulated by the relevant legal provisions. The fund management company, exercising all due care, based on its own judgement and decisions, and while observing the relevant legal provisions and the limitations stipulated in the Fund Documentation, determines the means of utilising the fund's resources, and the weights of the various investments within the portfolio, with a view to ensuring that the fund in line with our expectations with regard to future risks and returns - achieves its objective in the long term. In the course of its operation, however, the fund is managed on the premise that when compiling the portfolio, it is bonds that determine the nature of the fund. Accordingly, the proportion of bonds that may be kept in the fund at any given moment may reach the prevailing statutory maximum. When compiling the bond portfolio, taking into account the macroeconomic environment of the investment markets, the aim is to build up a long-term investment portfolio primarily on the basis of fundamental analyses. To ensure liquidity, the fund may purchase Hungarian government securities (primarily discount treasury bills) and MNB bonds; however, in accordance with the current statutory regulations the proportion of foreign bonds in the portfolio may be up to 100%. The fund management company is permitted, at its own discretion, to hedge all or a part of its currency risks with forward currency positions, in compliance with the statutory conditions

## DISTRIBUTORS

Aegon Magyarország Befektetési Alapkezelő Zrt., CIB Bank Zrt., Codex Tőzsdeügynökség és Értéktár Zrt., CONCORDE Értékpapír Zrt., Equilor Befektetési Zrt., Erste Befektetési Zrt., Raiffeisen Bank Zrt., SPB Befektetési Zrt., Takarékbank Zrt, Unicredit Bank Hungary Zrt.

# NET PERFORMANCE OF THE SERIES



#### - Aegon International Bond Fund - Benchmark

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# RISK INDICATORS FOR THE LAST 12 MONTHS:

Annualized standard deviation of the fund's weekly yields:

Annualized standard deviation of the benchmark's weekly yields:  $4.82\,\%$ 

# INVESTMENT HORIZON:



Risk and Reward Profile:

very low

moderate intermediate significant very high

#### MARKET SUMMARY:

October was by and large another positive month. Measures of volatility continued to hover near historical lows. The major central bank meeting (ECB) during the month passed without any surprises despite the taper announcement, while expectations of some tax reform progress in the US appeared to help sentiment at the margin. Some turbulence occurred on the core bond markets in the second part of the month as rumors around the next potential FED chair emerged and the market took that as rather hawkish news. In sovereign bond markets and in contrast to equities, peripheral government bond markets actually outperformed core markets. BTPs (+2.0%) and Spanish Bonds (+0.9%) closed with positive low single digit returns in local currency terms, outperforming the likes of Bunds (+0.6%), Gilts (0.3%) and Treasuries (-0.1%). It's worth noting that bond markets were reasonably choppy during the month, with markets reacting in particular to the various developments around the Fed Chair leadership and Catalonia. We haven't changed the composition of the fund in October.

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# SSET ALLOCATION OF THE FUND ON 10/31/2017

Asset type	Weight
Government bonds	62.72 %
T-bills	18.81 %
Corporate bonds	12.50 %
Current account	13.23 %
Liabilities	-12.13 %
Receivables	4.90 %
total	100,00 %
Derivative products	49.67 %
Net corrected leverage	121.73 %

#### **TOP 5 POSITIONS**

USGB 2042/02 3,125% (Amerikai Egyesült Államok)

USGB 2022/08 1,625% (Amerikai Egyesült Államok)

D180207 (Álamadósság Kezelő Központ Zrt.)

UKGB 2025/03 5% (Egyesült Királyság)

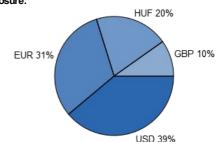
USGB 2031/02 5,375% (Amerikai Egyesült Államok)

# Assets with over 10% weight

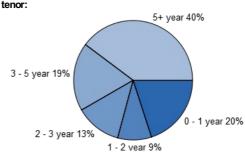
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### Currency exposure:



# Bonds by tenor:



# NET YIELD PERFORMANCE OF TH

Interval	Yield of note	Benchmark yield
From start	3.56 %	4.29 %
2016	1.07 %	2.24 %
2015	3.72 %	4.09 %
2014	21.94 %	22.76 %
2013	-3.51 %	-4.21 %
2012	-2.48 %	-3.23 %
2011	19.06 %	17.60 %
2010	6.45 %	10.65 %
2009	3.56 %	-0.17 %
2008	7.24 %	15.18 %
2007	-0.05 %	-5.61 %

