

# Aegon Russia Equity Fund HUF 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:	HU00000707401
Start:	12/04/2008
Currency:	HUF
Total Net Asset Value of the whole Fund:	5,494,807,234 HUF
Net Asset Value of HUF series:	2,166,608,098 HUF
Net Asset Value per unit:	2.157805 HUF

## 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 Magyarország Befektetési Alapkezelő Zrt., CIB Bank Zrt., Codex Tőzsdeügynökség és Értéktár Zrt., Commerzbank Zrt., CONCORDE Értékpapír Zrt., Equilor Befektetési Zrt., Erste Befektetési Zrt., KBC Securities Magyarországi Fióktelepe, OTP Bank Nyrt., Raiffeisen Bank Zrt., Takarékbank Zrt., Unicredit Bank Hungary Zrt.

## NET YIELD PERFORMANCE OF THE SERIES:

Interval	Yield of note	Benchmark yield
From start	8.52 %	9.93 %
2017	-11.80 %	-13.92 %
2016	50.80 %	49.47 %
2015	11.61 %	9.86 %
2014	-32.35 %	-31.22 %
2013	-1.93 %	-1.19 %
2012	4.76 %	7.91 %
2011	-11.05 %	-12.34 %
2010	35.75 %	35.82 %
2009	78.23 %	103.33 %

## NET PERFORMANCE OF THE SERIES

NET ASSET VALUE PER SHARE, 05/01/2017 - 04/30/2018



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.

## MARKET SUMMARY:

At the beginning of April, the US market hit a new low this year, the so-called 3T ("Trade-war, Trump and the sustainability of the Technology sector's pricing") was in the limelight of the investors but overall the US equity market could rise somewhat by the end of the month, while the European equity market managed to increase its value by 5%.

Numerous geopolitical tensions emerged and intensified in the last month. China and America continued to deal with trade war, America has launched a rocket attack in Syria to destroy chemical weapons capacities and the markets have been observed by the possible US termination of the Iranian nuclear agreement as well. In addition, in April, the United States announced new sanctions against Russia after the Americans presumed that the Russians had influenced the outcome of the 2016 election. The sanctions were directed against Russian oligarchs, large corporations and politicians but mostly Oleg Gyeripaszka, billionaire's interests were hit. As a result of the news, the Russian index suffered a drop of more than 10% in one day but investors also sold European stocks with significant Russian exposure. By the end of the month, the Russian market managed to rebound somewhat in accordance with the easing of the sanctions but the Rubel suffered a significant weakening against the Dollar.

In April, the Dollar appreciated against the Euro as well and the EURUSD cross managed to break out from its flat trend channel. The strengthening was explained by the Dollar's significant interest advantage, by the monetary policy divergence and the emerged euro-long positioning. In addition, the US 10-year yield reached a 5-year high and an important psychological level, the 3% thus yielding growth could also boost the US currency.

The oil prices managed to hit a 4-year high in April, after the investors priced the possible US termination of the Iranian nuclear agreement and the OPEC's (Organization of the Petroleum Exporting Countries) oil-mining has fallen to a yearly low.

The Russian market suffered a significant fall in April due to new US sanctions. On the basis of the first rhetoric, American natural and legal persons would have had 1 month to sell their Rusal and EN+ securities and 2 months to completely eliminate their business relationships. In the fund, we did not hold the EN+ equity, which allocation had a relative psychological impact on the performance. In addition, in the middle of the month, after the major fall of the market, we increased our exposure in Novatek, Norilsk Nickel and Aeroflot papers.

## ASSET ALLOCATION OF THE FUND ON 04/30/2018

Asset type	Weight
International equities	97.73 %
Current account	2.35 %
Liabilities	-0.27 %
Receivables	0.21 %
total	100.00 %
Derivative products	0.00 %
Net corrected leverage	100.00 %

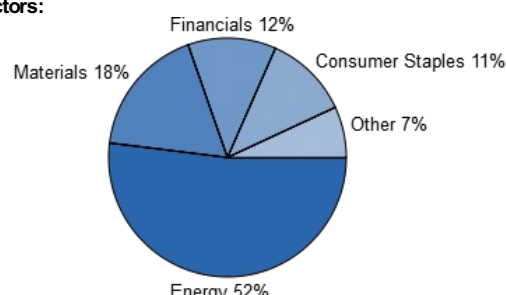
## TOP 5 POSITIONS

TATNEFT GDR új  
LUKOIL GDR NEW  
NOVATEK OAO GDR  
ROSNEFT OIL COMPANY GDR  
NORILSK NICKEL PJSC MMC

## Assets with over 10% weight

TATNEFT GDR új  
LUKOIL GDR NEW

## Stocks by sectors:



## RISK INDICATORS FOR THE LAST 12 MONTHS:

Annualized standard deviation of the fund's weekly yields: 19.75 %

Annualized standard deviation of the benchmark's weekly yields: 19.95 %

## INVESTMENT HORIZON:

Suggested minimum investment period:

☐ 3 months ☐ 6 months ☐ 1 year ☐ 2 years ☐ 3 years ☐ 4 years ☒ 5 years

Risk and Reward Profile:

☐ very low ☐ low ☐ moderate ☐ intermediate ☐ significant ☐ high ☒ very high