Aegon Alfa Total Return Investment Fund **USD** series



GENERAL INFORMATION

Fund Manager: AEGON Hungary Fund Manager Ltd. Custodian:

Unicredit Bank Hungary Zrt.

Main distributor: AEGON Hungary Fund Manager Ltd.

Benchmark composition: 100% RMAX Index ISIN code: HU0000715990 Start: 03/17/2016 Currency: USD

Total Net Asset Value of the whole Fund: 83.047.023.725 HUF Net Asset Value of USD series: 9.040.791 USD

1.046270 USD

INVESTMENT POLICY OF THE FUND:

Net Asset Value per unit:

The aim of the fund is to achieve a substantial yield for investors by taking high risks and making active use of derivative positions. The fund is decidedly high-risk, particularly due to the derivative positions it takes. The fund is willing to buy or sell all available investment instruments - domestic and foreign bonds, equities and other securities, indeces and currencies - provided it sees the opportunity to make substantial gains. In this respect the fund belongs in the category of opportunistic funds that pursue a multi-strategy investment approach. Within the multi-strategy approach pursued by the fund, 'global macro', 'long-short equity, 'convertible bond arbitrage' and 'managed futures'-type transactions dominate. In terms of asset class, the fund's investments can be divided into three main groups: it takes on extra risk in the bond, currency and equity markets, and in these markets it is prepared to take up both long and short positions within the maximum limits permitted by law, which currently allow double leverage for funds of this type. In its investment decision- aking fund assesses fundamental, pricina. behaviouralpsychological factors. The fund management company, exercising all due care, based on its own judgement and decisions, nd 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. To ensure liquidity the fund aims to hold government securities issued by the State Debt Management Centre (ÁKK) on behalf of the State of Hungary

DISTRIBUTORS

Aegon Magyarország Befektetési Alapkezelő Zrt., Budapest Hitel-és Fejlesztési Bank Zrt., CIB Bank Zrt., CONCORDE Értékpapír Zrt., Equilor Befektetési Zrt, Erste Befektetési Zrt., Raiffeisen Bank Zrt., Unicredit Bank Hungary Zrt.

NET YIELD PERFORMANCE OF THE SERIES: Benchmark yield Interval Yield of note From start 1.80 %

0.60 % 2017 3.93 % 0.20 % NET PERFORMANCE OF THE SERIES

NET ASSET VALUE PER SHARE, 10/01/2017 - 09/30/2018 1.0679 1.0655 1.0631 1.0607 1.0583 1.0559 1.0535 1.0511 1.0487 1.0463 1.0439 2017.10.31. 2017.12.28. 2018.02.23. 2018.04.25. 2018.06.25. 2018.08.21.

Aegon Alfa Total Return Investment Fund USD series Benchmark

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MARKET SUMMARY:

In September, major equity indices did not show any significant change, emerging markets performed similarly to their developed counterparts but Japan proved to be an outperformer. In the beginning of the month, the sentiment around the trade war became better thanks to the news about the new negotiation between China and America but in the middle of the month. Donald Trump hit China with tariffs on another \$200 billion worth of Chinese goods with 10% duty, that will increase to 25% at the start of 2019. In response to that, China has cancelled all trade negotiations with America thus the trade war tensions continued to increase in September.

September was also rich in central bank pulses. The Bank of England and the European Central Bank have not changed the monetary policy conditions as expected but the Turkish central bank has raised its key interest rate to 24% in a dramatic bid from 17.5% to control inflation and prevent a currency crisis. Following the decision, the Turkish lira started to rise and the Turkish equities closed the month in the black. The Federal Reserve has raised USshort term interest rate by 25 basis points to 2-2.25 per cent and further strengthened the chance of another tightening in December, the market gives 85% probability for the next interest rate hike this year.

Until end of September, Italian assets could rise and the Italian yield spreads fell which caused rise in the banking sector. However, by the end of the month the Italy's coalition government agreed on a 2019 deficit at 2.4 percent of GDP compared to the EU's preferred level of less than 2 percent, which caused a significant drop in the Italian risky assets while the Italian 10 year government bond hit 3.4 per cent with almost a 20% increase.

In September the oil could also increase its price, the oil market is currently characterised by constriction of the supply-side: in addition to the expected impact of Iranian sanctions, US oil reserves have significantly fallen while the hurricane Florence has also supported the price of the black gold.

In September, we slightly increased the risk of the fund with the closing of the short emerging market positions. We still hold the long European banking sector exposure and we started to buy selectively some IT equities, moreover we increased our exposure in the Hungarian equity market.

ASSET ALLOCATION OF THE FUND ON 09/30/2018

Asset type	Weight
Government bonds	43.26 %
Corporate bonds	23.23 %
Hungarian equities	12.99 %
T-bills	10.62 %
International equities	7.25 %
Collective securities	1.89 %
Mortgage debentures	0.71 %
Liabilities	-3.81 %
Current account	2.58 %
Market value of open derivative positions	0.71 %
Receivables	0.58 %
total	100,00 %
Derivative products	46.51 %
Net corrected leverage	101.82 %

TOP 3 POSITIONS

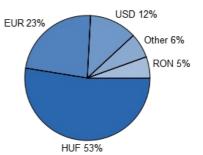
2021A (Államadósság Kezelő Központ Zrt.) 2021C (Államadósság Kezelő Központ Zrt.)

MFB 2020/10 6,25% USD (Magyar Fejlesztési Bank Zrt.)

Assets with over 10% weight

There is no such instrument in the portfolio

Currency exposure:



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: 0.19 %

