# 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:	100% Msci Russia 10-40 Net TR USD
ISIN code:	HU0000707401
Start:	12/04/2008
Currency:	HUF
Total Net Asset Value of the whole Fund:	6,118,633,201 HUF
Net Asset Value of HUF series:	2,360,043,630 HUF
Net Asset Value per unit:	2.612402 HUF

#### INVESTMENT POLICY OF THE FUND:

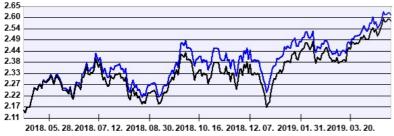
The fund aims to share in the yields of the Russian equity market, and to profit from Russia's economic grow th through share price gains and dividend income. Given the risk profiles of the equity investments, the fund is classified as a high-risk investment. The fund's portfolio primarily consists of 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., OB Bank 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	9.67 %	10.79 %
2018	6.26 %	1.31 %
2017	-11.80 %	-13.91 %
2016	50.80 %	48.83 %
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 05/01/2018 - 04/30/2019



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

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

Annualized standard deviation of the fund's weekly yields:	16.94 %
Annualized standard deviation of the benchmark's weekly yields	: 17.33 %
WAM (Weighted Average Maturity):	0.00 years
WAL (Weighted Average Life):	0.00 years



### MARKET SUMMARY:

Main equity indices started the new guarter with increase thanks to the positive developments surrounding the trade negotiations and the better-than-expected Chinese data. Due to several betterthan-foreseen corporate reports and positive investor sentiment, the S&P 500 and the Nasdaq Composite Index managed to reach a new absolute peak in April. The rise was mainly driven by the positive sentiment, analysts did not significantly improve their earnings forecasts which also means that shares became more expensive. Market participants were already pricing the end of the trade war as all of the news was foreshadowing that the final agreement is coming. This positive mood was broken by Trump at the beginning of May. He announced that tariffs on \$200 billion of Chinese imports will be increased to 25 percent from 10 percent and another \$325 billion in goods will "shortly" be subject to tariffs. The US President's rhetoric caused drop in equity markets; the Chinese A-shares has almost lost 6 percent in one day. Oil prices continued to climb up in April after growth fears eased and the US government was projecting a complete abolition of Iranian oil exports. The growth was once again interrupted by the US President, who called on OPEC countries to increase their production thus the oil began to make a serious correction at the end of the month. However, positive data have been published on the growth of the world's largest economy, the US economy expanded by 3.2 percent in the first quarter of the year, far ahead of the previous 2.2 percent and expected 2.5 percent. This data also supported the strengthening of Dollar which showed a relative strength compared to both developed and emerging market currencies thus the EURUSD broke below the 1.12 level that used to be a resistance. We got also information about the growth of the Chinese economy, the world's secondlargest economy grew by 6.4 percent in the first quarter. Since the expiration of the Brexit deadline to October, we have received a little less impulse on this front, although the British political chaos has not cleared up. In contrast to expectations, no significant progress was made in the negotiation of the bipartisan agreement between Theresa Nay and Jeremy Corbyn. The Russian market outperformed Emerging markets in April and the fund managed to reach better performance than the benchmark index. In the month, we had overweighted positions in the gas and banking sectors and in gold mining companies, while in the steel industry we were underweighted. Unfortunately, gold producers fell along with the price of precious metals thus it detracted somewhat from the monthly performance but our overweighted position in the shares of Gazprom, Novatek and Sberbank contributed positively. We became a little more cautious about the Russian market, although the Russian equities are still attractive from the pricing and earning expectations side but the political tension has risen against Russia. SET ALL OCATION OF THE FUND ON 04/20/2040

	ND ON 04/30/2019	
Asset	type	Weight
International equities		99.21 %
Current account		0.79 %
Receivables		0.12 %
Liabilities		-0.12 %
total		100,00 %
Derivative products		0.00 %
Net corrected leverage		100.00 %
	TOP 5 POSITIONS	
Asset	Type Counterparty / issuer	Maturity
LUKOIL GDR NEW	share LUKOIL (RU)	
SBERBANK-Sponsored GDR	share SBERBANK (RU)	
Gazprom GDR	share Gazprom (RU)	
TATNEFT PAO-SPONSORED ADR	share TATNEFT (RU)	
X5 Retail Group NV-Regs GDR	share X5 Retail Group NV-Regs GDR (RU)	
A	ssets with over 10% weight	
There is no such instrument in th	e portfolio	
Materials 27%	Consumer Staples 10% Other 6% Energy 44%	
INVESTMENT HORIZON:		
Suggested minimum investment period 3 months 6 months 1 year Risk and Reward Profile: very low low moderate	t: 2 years 3 years 4 years 5 yea intermediate significant high very h	

