**HUF** series



# MONTHLY report - 2022 FEBRUARY (made on: 02/28/2022)

## INVESTMENT POLICY OF THE FUND

The objective of the investment fund is to make the Polish bond market accessible to the investors, and to function as a relatively stable, medium-risk investment form bringing steady real yields to our Clients on middle term already, without having to tie down their money for a fixed period of time. The Fund mainly invests in Polish government securities issued in zloty, however, the portfolio manager has some room to complement the portfolio with other bond-type investments. Our goal is to achieve the highest yield while taking the lowest risk. To make investment decisions we use the tools of both fundamental and technical analysis, and we take into consideration the investor sentiment on the markets at all times. The portfolio manager seeks out potential investment opportunities based on the macro-economical expectations, the expected yield curve, the return expected on the curve and the market volatility, and selects investments that are considered to be safe and bring relatively high yields in exchange for the risks taken. The Fund strives for complete exchange risk coverage of foreign currency exposure for the target currency.

## MARKET SUMMARY

In February, yields continued to rise in the Polish bond market. At the beginning of the month, the rate hike cycle continued, in line with the market expectations central bank increased the base rate by 50 basis points to 2.75%. The yield curve flattened during the month. Compared to the beginning of the month, yields were up 24 basis points on the 3-year maturity, 17 basis points on the 5-year maturity and only 4 basis points on the 10-year maturity. Inflation was 9.2% year-on-year in January, which was below the market expectations of 9.4%. The figure already partly reflects the impact of the anti-inflationary measures introduced from January. However, this was the highest inflation rate since November of 2000. Due to the Anti-Inflation Shield 2.0 headline inflation could have been on a declining path from February, but the invasion of Ukraine on 24 February causes further upside risks to price increases. Poland's economy grew by 7,3% year-on-year in Q4. A Bloomberg poll in February forecasts growth of 6% in Q1 and 4.6% in Q2 of 2022. The Purchasing Managers' Index slightly increased to 54.7 points in February from 54.5 points in January. Industrial production rose 19.2% in the first month of the year, significantly beating market expectations. As for public finances, the state generated a deficit of PLN 22 291.7 million in the first month, bringing the 12-month rolling budget deficit to 0.4% of GDP.

Our Ukrainian bonds exposure, which was ~8% of our fund, which we did not sell, detracted a lot from our performance. Based on thorough analyses, lot of in house calls dedicated to the Ukrainian/Russian conflict, our team decided to invest into Ukrainian assets into our funds, as we expected a peaceful solution for the conflict, the emergence of an open total war between Russia and Ukraine had previously seemed completely irrational to us, valuation of Ukrainian bonds became very attractive, we had a high conviction call supporting the investment idea. Despite the utmost caution, we underestimated the potential risk.

## **GENERAL INFORMATION**

Fund Manager:	AEGON Hungary Fund Manager Ltd.
Custodian:	Unicredit Bank Hungary Zrt.
Main distributor:	AEGON Hungary Fund Manager Ltd.
Benchmark composition:	100% TBSP Index
ISIN code:	HU0000705256
Start:	05/11/2007
Currency:	HUF
Net Asset Value of the whole Fund:	13,695,068,980 HUF
Net Asset Value of HUF series:	351,022,545 HUF
Net Asset Value per unit:	1.571722 HUF

## DISTRIBUTORS

Aegon Magyarország Befektetési Alapkezelő Zrt., CIB Bank Zrt., Commerzbank Zrt., CONCORDE Értékpapír Zrt., Equilor Befektetési Zrt, Erste Befektetési Zrt., Raiffeisen Bank Zrt., Unicredit Bank Hungary Zrt.

SUGGESTED MINIMUM INVESTMENT PERIOD						
3 mths	6 mths	1 yr	2 yr	3 yr	4 yr	5 yr

## ASSET ALLOCATION OF THE FUND

Asset	Weight
Government bonds	57.38 %
Corporate bonds	40.28 %
Current account	2.73 %
Liabilities	-0.22 %
Receivables	0.08 %
Market value of open derivative positions	-0.24 %
Total	100,00 %
Derivative products	14.85 %
Net corrected leverage	105.87 %
Assets with over 10% weight	
POLGB 2025/07/25 3,25% (Lengyel Állam)	

POLGB 2026/07/25 2,5% (Lengyel Állam)

POLGB 2026/10/25 0.25% (Lengvel Állam)

BGOSK 07/03/25 1.25% (Bank Gospodarstwa Krajowego)

RISK P	ROFILE					
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Lower risk

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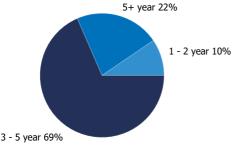


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## NET YIELD PERFORMANCE OF THE SERIES

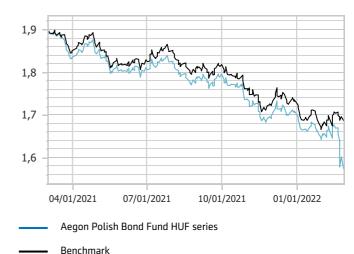
NET YIELD PERFORMANCE OF THE SERIES				
Interval	Yield of note	Benchmark yield		
From start	3.10 %	5.91 %		
2021	-9.83 %	-8.59 %		
2020	7.66 %	8.75 %		
2019	6.92 %	7.79 %		
2018	4.20 %	5.33 %		
2017	9.53 %	10.82 %		
2016	-4.68 %	-4.08 %		
2015	-0.35 %	1.10 %		
2014	11.85 %	12.94 %		
2013	-0.50 %	2.13 %		
2012	12.10 %	15.01 %		

### Bonds by tenor:



## NET PERFORMANCE OF THE SERIES

net asset value per share, 03/01/2021 - 02/28/2022



RISK INDICATORS FOR THE LAST 12 MONTHSAnnualized standard deviation of the fund's weekly yields6.38 %Annualized standard deviation of the benchmark's weekly<br/>yields6.69 %WAM (Weighted Average Maturity)4.03 yearsWAL (Weighted Average Life)4.60 years

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#### Counterparty / issuer Maturity Asset Type POLGB 2025/07/25 3,25% interest-bearing Lengyel Állam 07/25/2025 POLGB 2026/07/25 2,5% Lengyel Állam 07/25/2026 interest-bearing POLGB 2026/10/25 0,25% interest-bearing Lengyel Állam 10/25/2026 BGOSK 07/03/25 1.25% Bank Gospodarstwa Krajowego interest-bearing 07/03/2025 BGOSK 2030/06/05 2,125% Bank Gospodarstwa Krajowego 06/05/2030 interest-bearing

### Legal declaration

The recent document qualifies as Portfolio Report according to the Kbftv. requirements. It contains the following elements based on the last net asset value of the reporting month: presentation of the assets of the fund regarding asset type of portfolio investment and regarding other categories detailed in its investment policy; list of assets (issuers) representing more than 10% of the portfolio; net asset value of the fund, including the cumulated and the calculated value per unit share. Investors are kindly advised, that past performance of the fund does not guarantee future performance. The returns presented are to be considered without applicable taxes, distribution fees and commissions, fees related to account keeping and other costs in relation with holding an investment fund unit. Information presented in the Portfolio Report are for information purposes only, not intended to serve as investment advice, or any other offer. Investors are kindly advised to carefully read the Key Investors Document and Prospectus of the fund, in order to understand the risks of investing into the fund, and to be able to make an informed investor decision. The referred documents are available at the distribution locations and on the official website of Aegon Alapkezelő Zrt. [1085 Budapest, Kalivin tér 12-13.] +36 1477 4814 ] alapkezel@aegon.lnu | www.aegonalapkezelö.hu