

# MONTHLY report - 2022 MAY (made on: 05/31/2022)

### INVESTMENT POLICY OF THE FUND

The Fund aims to achieve a higher return than that of short-term bonds by investing in bonds of low volatility and limited-risk profile issued or guaranteed by certain specified states, quasi-sovereign corporations, national banks or supranational institutions. The Fund invests most of its available assets in low-risk instruments, i.e. bonds issued or guaranteed by the Hungarian state or states with a credit rating at least equal to or better than the latter's latest rating (or by their debt management agencies), quasi-sovereign companies, national banks or supranational institutions. The Fund may hold bank deposits, or cash, and enter into repo and reverse repo transactions. The maximum interest rate risk with respect to the Fund as a whole (i.e. its duration) is 3 years, while the weighted average maturity of the individual securities is a maximum of 10 years. For bonds denominated in currencies other than Hungarian forint, the asset manager seeks to fully hedge the foreign exchange risk, and may only deviate from this at the expense of risky assets (i.e. in the case of foreign exchange under/over-hedging). The Fund uses a small portion of its available assets to purchase risky instruments – domestic and foreign equities, equity indexes, higher risk bonds, foreign exchange, commodity market products and collective investment securities on the spot and futures markets. The Fund may enter into both long and short trades. Based on the approach followed when purchasing risky assets, the Fund is an absolute return fund: it selects investment options with the best possible expected return/risk ratio from the options available to it on the domestic and international money and capital markets. There is no possibility for making individual investor decisions in respect of the Fund.

### MARKET SUMMARY

The Russian-Ukrainian conflict was pushed into the background, and investors are almost exclusively interested in the impact of the war on inflation and growth around the world. Food prices have already risen significantly as both Ukrainian and Russian grain exports have fallen sharply. Energy prices are also at a decade high, but here the price rise is mostly due to refined products. The US Federal Reserve is in a serious dilemma. In May, the biggest retail chains published their quarterly reports, and almost all reported weaker-than-expected results and huge inventory building. This already suggests that the US economy is closer to a recession than most people think, even if the macroeconomic numbers do not yet show it. The Fed is still communicating that we can expect 50 basis point hikes and a large reduction in the bond portfolio in the coming period.

The ECB is in similar situation to the Fed. The impact of the war in Europe is being felt in full force, and the inflationary impact is even higher. Natural gas prices have seen an unprecedented rise, but gasoline prices have also hit a record high. In Germany, annual inflation rose to 8.70%, a 60-year high. The Hungarian central bank continued to raise interest rates in May in response to the high inflation figures. In May, the MNB raised the base rate by 50 basis points to 5.90% and the one-week deposit rate to 6.75%. The EURHUF exchange rate was highly volatile in May due to the Russian-Ukrainian conflict. During the month, the forint weakened from 375 to 397 against the euro. At the moment, higher interest rates are unable to strengthen the Hungarian currency.

During the month, we opened short DAX positions in the fund: partly due to the weakening of the Chinese economy, partly due to the recession fears and partly due to the possible disruption of Russian gas supplies to Europe. The exposure was taken via an ETF, which we did not hedge, meaning that we also took a defensive position (EUR long, HUF short), which turned out to be a good decision. After a substantial HUF weakening, we hedged the EUR exposure at the end of the month. For the time being, we have not materially increased the Fund's interest rate exposure due to the short-term inflation risks, but we plan to do so in the near future.

### **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 + 0.5%
ISIN code:	HU0000705157
Start:	03/19/2007
Currency:	HUF
Net Asset Value of the whole Fund:	388,136,647 HUF
Net Asset Value of A series:	388,136,647 HUF
Net Asset Value per unit:	1.642729 HUF

#### DISTRIBUTORS

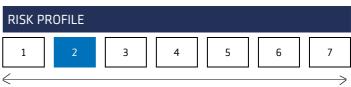
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SUGGESTED MINIMUM INVESTMENT PERIOD						
3 mths	6 mths	1 yr	2 yr	3 yr	4 yr	5 yr

ASSET ALLOCATION OF THE FUND	
Asset	Weight
Government bonds	31.29 %
T-bills	23.49 %
Collective securities	3.06 %
Deposit	41.38 %
Current account	4.19 %
Liabilities	-2.92 %
Market value of open derivative positions	-0.49 %
Total	100,00 %
Derivative products	9.15 %
Net corrected leverage	100.03 %
Assets with over 10% weight	

2022A (Államadósság Kezelő Központ Zrt.)

2025B (Államadósság Kezelő Központ Zrt.)



Lower risk

Higer risk

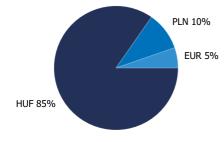


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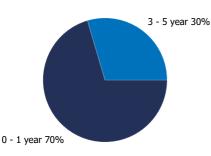
## NET YIELD PERFORMANCE OF THE SERIES

Interval	Yield of note	Benchmark yield	
From start	3.32 %	3.84 %	
2021	-1.17 %	-0.10 %	
2020	0.89 %	0.92 %	
2019	0.50 %	0.74 %	
2018	0.08 %	0.81 %	
2017	0.30 %	0.22 %	
2016	1.14 %	1.22 %	
2015	1.74 %	1.50 %	
2014	3.75 %	3.31 %	
2013	5.80 %	5.71 %	
2012	7.87 %	8.52 %	

#### **Currency exposure:**



Bonds by tenor:



# **TOP 5 POSITIONS**

Asset	Туре	Counterparty / issuer	Maturity
HUF Betét	Betét	OTP Bank	06/02/2022
Magyar Államkötvény 2022A	interest-bearing	Államadósság Kezelő Központ Zrt.	06/24/2022
Magyar Államkötvény 2025/B	interest-bearing	Államadósság Kezelő Központ Zrt.	06/24/2025
D220810	zero coupon	Államadósság Kezelő Központ Zrt.	08/10/2022
POLGB 2026/07/25 2,5%	interest-bearing	Lengyel Állam	07/25/2026

#### 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 distribution locations and on the official website of Aegon Alapkezelő Zrt. | 1085 Budapest, Kálvin tér 12-13. | +36 1 477 4814 | alapkezel@aegon.hu | www.aegonalapkezelo.hu

### NET PERFORMANCE OF THE SERIES

net asset value per share, 06/01/2021 - 05/31/2022



Benchmark

RISK INDICATORS FOR THE LAST 12 MONTHS	
Annualized standard deviation of the fund's weekly yields	1.11 %
Annualized standard deviation of the benchmark's weekly	1.01.0/

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WAM (Weighted Average Maturity)	0.57 years
WAL (Weighted Average Life)	0.61 years