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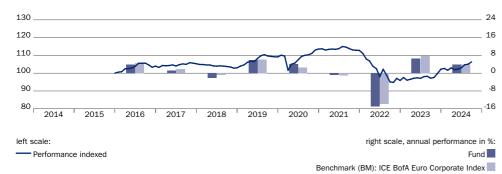
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#### **Fund Portrait**

The JSS Sustainable Bond - EUR Corporates aims to deliver a steady yield while maintaining a balanced risk diversification and optimal liquidity. To achieve this, the sub-fund invests globally, exclusively in debt instruments denominated in Euros and issued by companies that contribute to the creation of a sustainable economy. It will also systematically integrate financially-material ESG aspects throughout the entire investment process, in order to avoid controversial exposures, mitigate ESG risks and harness opportunities, while aiming to achieve an above-average ESG profile. In addition, the sub-fund can also invest in equities acquired through conversion or exercise of options, as well as hold liquidity. The Sub-Fund is actively managed without replicating any benchmark. However, the Sub-Fund is managed with reference to ICE BofA Euro Corporate Index (the "Benchmark").

#### Net Performance (in EUR) as of 30.09.2024



	1 Month	3 Months	YTD	1 year	3 years p.a.	5 years p.a. 10	years p.a.
Fund	1.24%	3.24%	3.97%	9.42%	-2.25%	-0.61%	n.a.
BM	1.22%	3.26%	3.82%	9.58%	-1.40%	-0.53%	n.a.

	2023	2022	2021	2020	2019	Since Inception
Fund	6.66%	-14.98%	-0.71%	4.05%	5.97%	6.01%
BM	8.02%	-13.94%	-1.03%	2.50%	6.15%	9.30%

Past performance does not guarantee future returns. The performance shown does not take account of any commissions and costs charged when subscribing and redeeming units.

#### **Top Ten Holdings**

1.375% DB Finance GmbH 28.03.31	1.70%
4.900% Unipolsai 23.05.34	1.42%
3.500% Lonza Finance 04.09.34	1.37%
0.875% GN Store Nord 25.11.24	1.36%
2.375% VR Group Plc 30.05.29	1.24%

4.375% Swiss Life	1.20%
6.364% HSBC HLDG 16.11.32	1.03%
9.500% ProCredit Hld AG 25.07.34	0.98%
3.250% Unilev FI 15.02.32	0.95%
3.375% Novo Nordisk 21.05.34	0.94%

Top 10 positions: 12.19%

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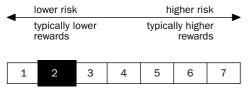
## **Allocation by Debtor Categories**

48.93%	Financials
36.19%	Non-Financials
9.46%	States, Prov., Municip.
3.11%	Utilities
2.11%	Cash
0.19%	Covered Bonds

# Maturity Structure of Bonds

17.56%	1-3
30.65%	3-5
18.56%	5-7
15.71%	7-10
3.20%	10-15
2.26%	15< Years

#### Risk and reward profile



The risk and reward category shown is based on historical data and can not be used as a reliable indicator of the future risk profile of the fund. The classification of the fund may change over time and is not a guarantee.

# Fund Overview Net asset value per share Fund size in millions

Investment company J. Safra Sarasin Fund Management (Luxembourg) S.A.

Depositary CACEIS Investor Service

Bank S.A., Luxembourg

Portfolio management AM Bond,
Bank J. Safra Sarasin Ltd, Basel
Portfolio manager Michail Gasparis

Domicile of fund Luxembourg ISIN code LU0950591718 Swiss Sec.-No. 21 801 953 Bloomberg SARSCEA LX Launch date Share class 10 December 2015 Launch date Sub-Fund 2 September 1992 End of fiscal year lune Ongoing charges\* 0.81% 0.50% Management fee Reference currency EUR Dividend payment none (reinvesting) max. 3.00% Sales fee Exit charge 0.0% Legal structure SICAV Benchmark (BM) ICE BofA Euro Corporate Index

\*The costs of managing the sub-fund are calculated quarterly in arrears and may vary. Detailed information on these costs and any additional costs can be found in the Sales Prospectus / KID.

### Settlement Details

SFDR classification

Subscriptions/Redemptions	daily
Notice Period subs/reds	n.a.
Settlement subs / reds	T+2 / T+2
Order cut-off (CET)	12:00
Swing Pricing	yes
Min. Initial Investment	n.a.

Statistical Ratios	Fund	Benchmark
Volatility	6.38%	6.54%
Beta	0.96	n.a.
Sharpe Ratio	-0.73	-0.58
Information Ratio	-0.78	n.a.
Tracking Error	1.08%	n.a.

The statistical ratios are calculated on the basis of the previous months (36 months, basis EUR). Risk-free interest rate: 2.40%

## **Bonds Portfolio Ratios**

Average Rating	BBB+
Ø-Life	4.99
Yield to Maturity	3.77%
Modified Duration	4.20



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#### Review

In an environment of widening credit spreads, the fund had positive contributions from our underweight in consumer cyclicals. Exposure to subordinated debt from issuers like Ageas and Fidelidade also supported performance, as both bonds enjoyed substantial positive returns.

#### Outlook

We remain underweight in the automotive sector as we think that the selloff might go further. As soon as consumer spending and sentiment in China improves, well diversified suppliers might recover faster than traditional manufacturers like Volkswagen, BMW or Mercedes.



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