

## Ethos Bonds International A

managed by

## Monthly Report - 30.09.2024

## **Objectives and investment universe**

Asset class	Bonds
Category	International

The fund's strategy consists in combining best practices in financial and extra-financial analysis for the management of a portfolio of international bonds (outside Switzerland). Ethos assigns ESG (environmental, social and governance) ratings to the various issuers in the investment universe and selects those that integrate sustainability principles into their business model. BCV then applies a proven portfolio management process that includes active management of the portfolio's duration and credit risk and a selection of issues with the best return potential.

Class A: open to all investors.

#### **Key Points**

**Fund facts** 

Legal structure

Fund domicile

Fund manager Sustainability Advisor

Custodian bank

Benchmark

Launch date

Base currency

High / Low 2024

Liquidity

Value date

Security number / ISIN

TER as of 30.06.2024

Last distribution (gross)

NAV

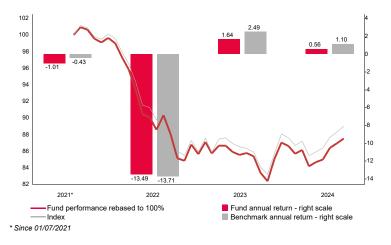
Fund assets (in mios)

Unit Fund Assets (in Mio.)

- Actively managed sub-fund invested in international bonds outside Switzerland
- · Extra-financial assessments according to a best-in-class methodology carried out by Ethos (Ethos ESG Rating) specific to each type of issuer.
- Financial management carried out by BCV's Asset Management division, incorporating active management of risks and selection of securities with high potential

### Performance in CHF (%)

renomance		annualised				
	1 Month	3 M.	YTD	1 Year	3 Years	5 Years
Fund	0.66	2.98	0.56	4.94	-4.20	-
Index	0.82	3.06	1.10	5.88	-3.74	-
Volatility				4.93	5.16	-
Index				4.06	4.56	-
Sharpe Ratio				0.94	-0.93	-
Index				1.05	-0.95	-
Tracking error				0.80	0.97	-



## **Risk and return profile**

#### low risk low yield potential high yield potential 2

Historical data used to calculate the degree of risk to returns on investments

cannot be regarded as reliable indicators for the future risk profile.

The category with the lowest degree of risk cannot be equated to an investment with no risk at all, i.e. risk-free.

There is no capital guarantee or capital protection.

Additional information about risks is available in the fund contract that can be consulted on the www.gerifonds.ch Website.

Incidental subscription/redemption fees (in favour of the fund)

Management, admin. & custody fees

Subscription/redemption deadline

CHF 89.10 CHF 0.15 CHF 78 01 Mutual Fund Switzerland **BCV Asset Management** Ethos Services SA Banque Cantonale Vaudoise Bloomberg Global Aggregate Ex CHF Total Return Index Hedged CHF 01.07.2021 111574620 / CH1115746203 CHF Daily CHF 78.46 / 74.87 0.75% 0.77% CHF 1.00 14:00 Valuation day +2 business days

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PRI Principles for Responsible Investment



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Index

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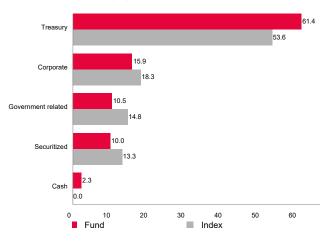
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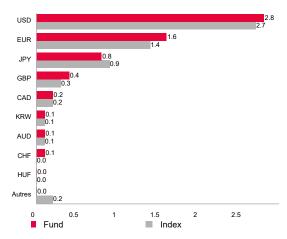
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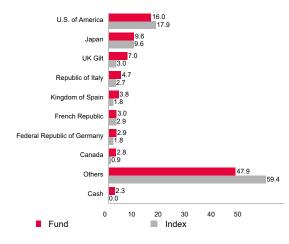
## Sector breakdown (%)



## **Contribution to duration**



## Main issuers (%)



## **Geographical breakdown (%)**

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Fund

10 15 20 25 30 35

**Debtors quality (%)** 

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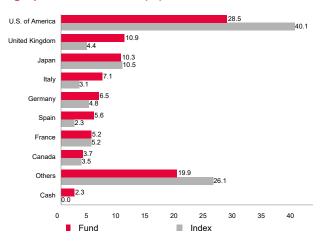
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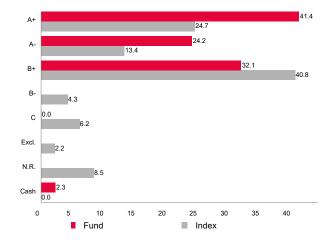
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### ESG Rating breakdown (%)





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Statistics*	Fund	Index	Fund vs Index		Characteristics	Fund	Index
Total return	-12.09%	-10.80%	Tracking error	0.97	Duration (année)	6.16	6.59
Annualised return	-4.20%	-3.74%	Information ratio	-0.49	Rendement (%)	0.44	0.54
Sharpe Ratio	-0.93	-0.95	Beta	1.01	Coupon (%)	2.34	2.89
Positive months	41.67%	38.89%	Correlation	0.98	Spread (pdb)	32	38
Max drawdown	-0.18%	-0.17%			Rating moyen	AA-/A+	AA-/A+
Risk free rate	-0.75%				Nombre de positions	194	29934

\* Over 3 years (or since inception if less than 3 years)

## Monthly performance in CHF (%)

	2020		2021			2022		2023		2024	
	Fund	Benchmark	Fund	Benchmark	Fund	Benchmark	Fund	Benchmark	Fund	Benchmark	
January					-1.77	-1.69	1.72	1.93	-0.48	-0.51	
February					-1.43	-1.38	-1.59	-1.94	-1.07	-1.05	
March					-2.57	-2.31	1.09	1.82	0.53	0.60	
April					-3.16	-2.95	0.00	0.19	-2.28	-1.99	
May					-0.35	-0.28	-0.88	-0.81	0.60	0.53	
June					-1.70	-1.69	-0.40	-0.41	0.36	0.54	
July			0.94	1.14	1.98	2.33	0.26	-0.25	1.66	1.49	
August			-0.30	-0.28	-2.53	-2.94	-0.46	-0.50	0.64	0.73	
September			-1.07	-1.04	-3.30	-3.49	-2.31	-2.11	0.66	0.82	
October			-0.46	-0.33	-0.35	-0.63	-1.23	-1.03			
November			0.55	0.64	2.30	2.13	3.24	2.97			
December			-0.66	-0.55	-1.34	-1.57	2.34	2.76			
Year			-1.01	-0.43	-13.49	-13.71	1.64	2.49	0.56	1.10	

## Extra-financial analysis methodology

### Ethos ESG Rating

The Ethos ESG Rating is the result of a quantitative ESG analysis of the company that positions it in relation to its peers (best-in-class approach), complemented by a gualitative analysis of its products/services and its exposure to major or serious controversies. A wide range of ESG criteria are used for the guantitative analysis, including capital structure, board composition and functioning, remuneration system, business ethics, non-financial reporting, stakeholder relations, environmental strategies.

### **Risk related considerations**

This share class is assigned this risk category due to price fluctuations linked to its currency, investments and the strategy of the Fund. The indicated risk category is based on historical data and may not be a reliable indication of the future risk profile of the Class of Units. The indicated risk category is not a target or a guarantee and may change over time. The lowest risk category is not synonymous with a risk-free investment. The Sub-Fund does not offer any capital guarantee or asset protection measures. The Sub-Fund may be exposed to the following material risks which are not adequately reflected by the synthetic risk indicator, and which may impact on its performance:

- · Operational Risk losses may be caused by human error, systemic failures, incorrect valuation or incorrect custody of assets.
- Counterparty risk losses occur when a counterparty fails to meet its contractual obligations, for example in the case of over-the-counter (OTC) derivatives.
- Financial derivatives risk the leverage effect generated by derivatives amplifies losses in certain market conditions.
- · Liquidity risk it may be difficult to value and/or trade certain assets in markets characterised by low volumes.

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