

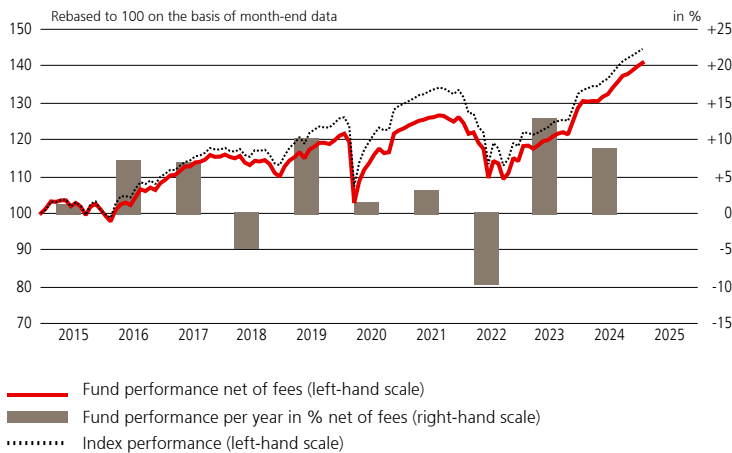
# UBS Euro High Yield Bond Fund EUR

## Performance **Review**

UBS (Lux) Bond Fund - Euro High Yield (EUR) P-acc



### Performance (basis EUR, net of fees)<sup>1</sup>



**Past performance is not a reliable indicator of future results.**

### Performance in % (net of fees)<sup>1</sup>

in %	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025 YTD <sup>2</sup>	Jan. 2025	5 years Ø p.a. 5 years
Fund (EUR)	2.94	-9.48	12.67	8.80	0.67	0.67	15.85
Benchmark <sup>3</sup>	3.35	-11.47	12.01	8.61	0.60	0.60	14.76

The performance shown does not take account of any commissions, entry or exit charges.

<sup>1</sup> These figures refer to the past. **If the currency of a financial product, financial service or its costs is different from your reference currency, the return and/or costs can increase or decrease as a result of currency fluctuations.** Source for all data and chart (if not indicated otherwise): UBS Asset Management.

<sup>2</sup> YTD: year-to-date (since beginning of the year)

<sup>3</sup> Reference Index in currency of share class (without costs)

**EUR high yield posted another strong total return despite the ongoing rates volatility.**

#### Monthly performance

In January the fund performed positively with 0.7%. The year started with a number of issuers coming to the market with a focus on refinancings (over 90%). We also witnessed a string of rising stars in January accounting for approximately EUR 5bn, highlighting the positive fundamental backdrop at the higher-quality end of the market. This also supported the market from a technical perspective as the universe shrunk.

#### YTD performance

YTD as of the end of January, the fund has delivered a positive performance of 0.7%. Please refer to the section above.

#### Performance contributors

The main positive contributor was issue selection within banking, driven by the off-benchmark allocation to AT1. Other positive contributions mainly came from issue selection within services, telecoms, technology and gaming.

#### Performance detractors

While our overweight in homebuilders & real estate contributed positively, it was not enough to offset the negative contribution from issue selection. Issue selection within food & drug retail was also a drag on performance, driven by the French retailer Auchan, a company about which we remain cautious.

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## Credit quality (%)

	Fund	Deviation from index
BB	39.33	-31.2
B	42.90	+20.4
NR	2.06	+2.1
BBB- and higher	8.49	+8.5
CCC and lower	4.60	-1.8
Cash and Equivalents	2.62	+2.2

## Categories of borrowers (%)

Sectors	Fund	Deviation from index
Industrials	67.03	-10.8
Financials	25.69	+11.8
Cash & Equivalents	2.62	+2.2
Utility	2.34	-5.5
Others	2.32	+2.3

## 10 largest positions (%)<sup>1</sup>

	Fund
CPI Property Group SA	2.4
Teva Pharmaceutical Finance Netherlands II BV	2.3
Nidda Healthcare Holding GmbH	2.2
Heimstaden Bostad AB	1.6
Pinnacle Bidco PLC	1.5
United Group BV	1.4
Aroundtown Finance Sarl	1.4
Telecom Italia SpA/Milano	1.3
Raiffeisen Bank International AG	1.2
Summer BC Holdco B SARL	1.1

<sup>1</sup> This is not a recommendation to buy or sell any security

## Current investment strategy

We increased our overweight to homebuilders & real estate as we bought a new issue from MPT Operating Partnership as well as buying Samhallsbygg, and also to insurance as we bought Aegon perpetuals. We also increased our underweight in utilities as we reduced our allocations to EDF and Enel, though we also bought Orsted perpetuals. Finally, we reduced the extent of our underweight to services and technology as we added to existing issuers and participated in new issues.

## Risks

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