

## ARCHEA FUND | Bond Selection

UCITS V



August 2022

# ASSET MANAGEMENT

BELLATRIX

The Fund invests worldwide in securities with fixed or variable interests. It aims to achieve high income and to outperform the benchmark by optimizing the allocation of bonds and leveraging sources of added value.

#### FUND MANAGER'S COMMENTS

For the month of August, the fund decreased -0.04%. After recovering at the end of July and beginning of August, the subordinated debt and general credit markets have come under pressure again over the last three weeks. The threat of an energy crisis in Europe and the firmer stance of central banks have widened spreads to a level close to that of last year. Inflationary pressures (9.1% in August for the Eurozone) and the bleak European economic outlook have contributed to a significant decline in the valuations of hybrid corporate bonds. For these reasons, this category of bonds is the worst performing in developed markets. Against this backdrop, European banks reported strong results in the second quarter. Revenues generally increased and profitability improved as net interest margins expanded. Rising interest rates will boost revenues from bank loan portfolios, which should support profitability in the future. In our fund, we prefer high-coupon AT1 bonds of large European banks with a high potential for coupon upside. Indeed, in our view, high coupons (6-8%) with strong upward revisions (450-600bps) will outperform lower coupon bonds, given the higher interest income and the likelihood of being called. During August, the *Sisal Group 7% 2023* bond was bought back before maturity. We added *Erste Group Bank 6.5% perpetual*, *BBVA 6% perpetual*, *Commerzbank 6.125% perpetual* and *Swiss Life 3.25% 2029* as new positions.

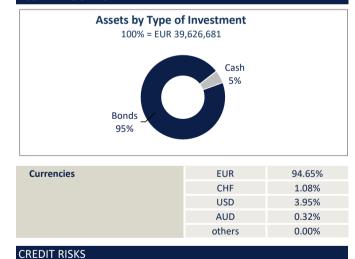
### PERFORMANCE



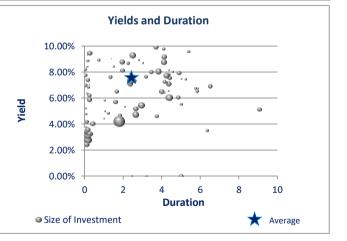
Since 04.01.2013	20.66%	10.39%
YTD	-13.97%	-12.15%
August 22	-0.04%	-4.24%

SUMMARY		
NAV PER 31.08.2022	120.66	
REF CURRENCY / TYPE OF SHARES	EUR / CAPITALISATION	
AUM OF COMPARTMENT (EUR)	39,626,681	
DATE OF INCEPTION	04.01.2013	
ISSUE PRICE	EUR 100	
TYPE / DOMICILE	UCITS V / Luxembourg	
FUND MANAGER	Bellatrix Asset Management SA	
CUSTODIAN BANK	Banque de Luxembourg SA	
REGISTRAR	European Fund Administration	
AUDITOR	PWC	
ISIN	LU0796785466	
TELEKURS	18,893,166	
BLOOMBERG	BAMBOND	
MANAGEMENT FEE	0.85%	
BENCHMARK	QW5A	
DISTRIBUTION COUNTRIES	LU, BE, FR, CH, DK	

#### ASSET ALLOCATION



#### INCOME ANALYSIS



#### **Top 10 Bond Positions**

3.0%

2.0%

2.0%

1.9%

1.8%

1.8%

1.7%

1.7%

1.6%

1.5%

#### Trafigura Group Pte Ltd VAR Sub 19/31.01.Perpetual Investments in Bonds by Rating 100% = EUR 37,655,231 Axa SA VAR Sub 04/29.10.Perpetual AA A BNP Paribas Fortis Conv Fortis 07/19.12.Perp. 0% 10% В Ageasfinlux SA FRN Sen Sub Conv Ageas 02/31.12.Perp. 22% Volkswagen Intl Finance 17/14.06.Perpetual Intesa Sanpaolo SpA FRN Sub 20/27.08.Perpetual RRR British Telecommunications VAR Jun Sub 20/18.08.80 29% Assicurazioni Generali SpA VAR 14/21.11.Perpetual BB AMS AG 0% Conv Sen Reg S 18/05.03.25 39%

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