

October 2022

### INVESTMENT APPROACH

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 October, the fund rose by +1.60%. In addition to raising rates by 75 basis points to 2% as planned, the ECB is planning further increases in the future. However, instead of raising interest rates "in future meetings", as previously suggested, it changed its statement to a "meeting by meeting" approach. In the meantime, there is no quantitative tightening yet, as the ECB will continue to reinvest the full proceeds of its asset purchases for an extended period. While the market has forecast a further 75bp hike for the next meeting, the latest statements point to a smaller 50bp hike in December. Adjustments to the forecasts are expected in December at the earliest and an actual reduction in the second quarter or later. After all, the ECB has essentially doubled its rate to the highest level since 2008. In October we had some positive news: Nyrstar paid 5% on the nominal of the *Nyrstar 0% 2026* bond. After the fall of *Credit Suisse VAR perpetual*, it climbed from 63% to 76% by the end of the month. After the interest rate rally, the legacy bonds set higher coupons. Following the ECB's 75 bp increase, the 3M Euribor rate is currently 1.7% and the new coupons on our Ageas and Fortis bonds will be at least 3% and 3.5% respectively. We also see a recovery in *AXA 3.20% perpetual* and *Aegon 4.1% perpetual*. Aegon has also released constructive news and both CMS bonds have risen by 5%. During October, the *Banca Popolare dell'Alto Adige 5.625% 2027* bond was redeemed and *Groupama 6.375% perpetual* was bought back before its maturity.

#### **PERFORMANCE** 145 140 135 130 125 120 115 110 105 100 95 2013 2014 2015 2016 2017 2018 2019 2020 2021 2022 Bond Selection Benchmark

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Since 04.01.2013	18.16%	6.74%
YTD	-15.75%	-15.05%
October 22	1.60%	0.13%

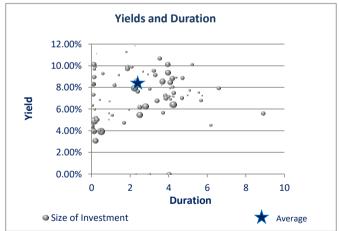
#### **SUMMARY** NAV PER 31.10.2022 118.16 REF CURRENCY / TYPE OF SHARES **EUR / CAPITALISATION** 38,096,405 AUM OF COMPARTMENT (EUR) 04.01.2013 DATE OF INCEPTION **ISSUE PRICE EUR 100** TYPE / DOMICILE UCITS V / Luxembourg Bellatrix Asset Management SA **FUND MANAGER CUSTODIAN BANK** Banque de Luxembourg 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**



Currencies	EUR	94.60%
	CHF	0.98%
	USD	4.11%
	AUD	0.31%
	others	0.00%

# INCOME ANALYSIS



### **CREDIT RISKS**



## **Top 10 Bond Positions**

3.1%
2.1%
2.0%
2.0%
1.9%
1.8%
1.8%
1.8%
1.6%
1.5%

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