NAV: 109.59 EUR

# **UBAM - Absolute Return Fixed Income**

#### Monthly Institutional Factsheet | 28.02.2025

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### Performance & key metrics

PERFORMANCE					
	Fund <sup>1</sup>	Index A <sup>2</sup>	Index B <sup>3</sup>		
February 2025	1.39%	0.21%	1.08%		
YTD	2.31%	0.47%	1.32%		
1Y	2.53%	3.58%	4.23%		
3Y	5.45%	7.78%	-3.49%		
5Y	4.61%	6.73%	-7.13%		
10Y	8.30%	5.06%	2.05%		
Since inception*	9.59%	5.08%	4.93%		
2024	0.30%	3.80%	1.54%		
2023	6.73%	3.28%	4.67%		
2022	-5.81%	-0.03%	-13.02%		



ISIN : LU1088686941 (IPC - Share EUR)

\*Inception date : 30.10.2014

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#### **KEY METRICS**

	Fund		Fund
Modified duration, in years	6.9	Size, in M EUR	84.2
Credit spread duration, in years	2.3	Volatility (260 days), in %	3.3
Yield in EUR, in %	4.6	Number of holdings (bond portfolio)	75
Yield (USD hedged share class), in %	6.6	Top 10 holdings (bond portfolio), %	26.9
Average rating	A-	Average coupon, in %	2.7
Average spread, in bps	56		

Source: Bloomberg Finance L.P., UBP; data as at 28.02.2025

<sup>1</sup> Based on IPC-Share class (LU1088686941, UGCIPCE LX), net of fees. The name UBAM – Global Credit Opportunities was changed to UBAM - Absolute Return Fixed Income as of 22.05.2018. <sup>2</sup> The index is Ester, given for information and comparison purposes only. The euro unsecured overnight borrowing cost from euro area banks transitioned from Eonia to Ester as of 1st January 2022. Eonia methodology was modified to become Ester.

<sup>3</sup>Bloomberg Global Aggregate Index Hedged EUR: LEGATREH index. Index given for comparative and illustrative purpose only.

## Portfolio Breakdown

<ul> <li>REGION</li> </ul>				CURRENCY				
	Weight	Weighted Modified Duration	Weighted Credit Spread Duration		Weight after hedging	Weight before hedging	Weighted Modified Duration	Weighted Credit Spread Duration
North America	86.7%	3.0	0.8	EUR	90.4%	52.4%	1.9	1.1
Europe	72.1%	2.7	1.4	USD	0.4%	25.2%	3.3	1.2
Latin America	9.2%	0.4	0.0	JPY	0.0%	9.7%	0.8	0.0
Asia	10.6%	0.8	0.0	GBP	0.0%	3.2%	0.3	0.0
Others	3.4%	0.0	0.0	CHF	0.0%	0.0%	0.0	0.0
Cash	4.6%	0.0	0.0	AUD	0.0%	0.0%	0.0	0.0
Derivative offset	-86.6%	0.0	0.0	Others	9.2%	9.5%	0.6	0.0
Total	100.0%	6.9	2.3	Total	100.0%	100.0%	6.9	2.3

Source: UBP; data as at 28.02.2025

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\* rebased at 100 Source: UBP: data as at 28.02.2025

Source: UBP; data as at 28.02.2025

#### SECTOR

	Weight	Weighted Modified Duration	Weighted Credit Spread Duration
Governments	100.0%	6.3	0.8
Agencies	0.0%	0.0	0.0
Banks Senior	32.2%	0.1	0.2
Banks Tierl	0.0%	0.0	0.0
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Additional Tier 1	1.7%	0.1	0.1
Insurance Senior	0.2%	0.0	0.0
Insurance Sub	0.0%	0.0	0.0
Autos	0.0%	0.0	0.0
Consumer	7.8%	0.0	0.0
Industrials	5.0%	0.0	0.0
Tmt	0.5%	0.0	0.0
Utilities	4.8%	0.0	0.0
Hybrids	0.0%	0.0	0.0
Indices IG	0.0%	0.0	0.0
Indices HY	21.6%	0.0	0.9
Other	8.1%	0.5	0.3
Cash	4.6%	0.0	0.0
Derivative offset	-86.6%	0.0	0.0
Total	100.0%	6.9	2.3

<ul> <li>RATING</li> </ul>	Weight	Weighted Modified Duration	Weighted Credit Spread Duration
AAA	68.3%	4.2	0.0
AA	12.4%	0.2	0.1
A	36.8%	0.9	0.1
BBB	36.9%	1.5	1.1
HY	27.6%	0.2	0.9
Cash	4.6%	0.0	0.0
Derivative offset	-86.6%	0.0	0.0
Total	100.0%	6.9	2.3

Source: UBP; data as at 28.02.2025

### Top 10 Issuers / Positions

Name	Weight	Average Maturity	Weighted Credit Spread Duration
CDX High Yield	18.9%	4.8	0.7
Germany	11.6%	8.1	0.0
Japan Treasury bonds	9.4%	9.2	0.0
UBAM - Strategic Income	8.1%	5.2	0.3
Mexico Government	4.9%	6.2	0.0
United Kingdom	3.2%	10.1	0.0
Brazil Government	3.1%	3.8	0.0
iTraxx Xover	2.7%	4.8	0.1
Citigroup	2.4%	0.2	0.0
Societe Generale	2.2%	0.1	0.0
Total	66.5%		1.2

Weighted

Source: UBP; data as at 28.02.2025

### **Performance Attribution\***

Period	Total return before fees	Duration	FX	Credit Bonds	Credit Index	Other
MTD	122	115	6	3	-2	0
YTD	192	125	32	14	19	2

Source: UBP; data as at 28.02.2025, excess return over the Index A \*in bps

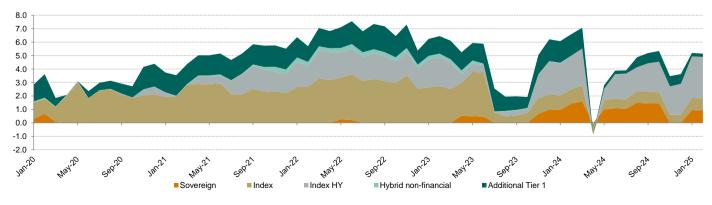
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### **Historical Analysis**

### PORTFOLIO DATA

	Feb-25	Jan-25	Dec-24	Nov-24	Oct-24	Sep-24	Aug-24
Yield in EUR, in %	4.6	4.7	4.8	4.5	4.8	5.1	5.5
Yield (USD hedged share class), in %	6.6	6.5	6.5	6.2	6.4	6.6	7.1
Credit spread duration	2.3	2.3	1.3	1.3	2.6	2.6	2.6
Average rating	A-	A-	A-	A-	A-	A-	А

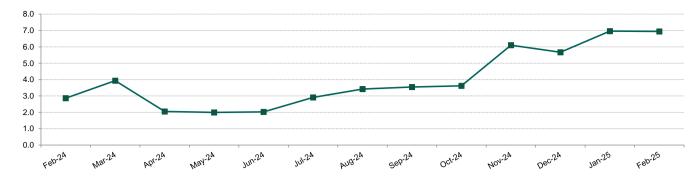
#### **CREDIT EXPOSURE IN RASD\*** •



Source: UBP; data as at 28.02.2025

\* RASD. Risk Adjusted Spread Duration: a measure of the credit exposure of a position relative to the overall credit exposure of the portfolio

#### INTEREST RATE DURATION EXPOSURE \*



Source: UBP; data as at 28.02.2025 \* In modified duration

### **ESG Section**

	Fund	
ESG Quality Score	6.9	
Environmental	6.9	
Social	5.4	
Governance	6.4	
ESG Rating	Α	

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	Fund	
Weight Average Carbon Intensity*	63.3	
Weighted Average Carbon Intensity Coverage	53.4%	
Weight Average GHG Intensity**	268.6	
Weighted Average GHG Intensity Coverage	34.0%	

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\*\*(tons CO2e/\$M GDP) - Sovereign issuers

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#### • ESG Rating

The ESG Rating is derived from ESG Quality Score. The score is mapped to a seven-letter scale: best (AAA) to worst (CCC). The ESG Quality Score is mapped to a Letter Rating as follows: [8.6,10] -> AAA; [7.1, 8.6] -> AA; [5.7, 7.1] -> A; [4.3, 5.7] -> BBB; [2.9, 4.3] -> BB; [1.4, 2.9] -> B, [0; 1.4] -> CCC.

#### ESG Quality Score

The ESG Quality Score represents either the ESG Ratings Final Industry-Adjusted Score or Government Adjusted ESG Score of the issuer. ESG Ratings indicate how well an issuer manages its most material ESG risks relative to sector peers. Government Ratings indicates overall environmental, social, and governance (ESG) performance of a region. While the three underlying scores (Environmental, Social, Governance) are absolute scores, the ESG Quality Score is relative to industry/regional peers and thus cannot be easily deducted from the three underlying scores.

#### Environmental Score

The ESG Environmental Score represents either the Intangible Value Assessment (IVA) Environmental Pillar Score or Government Rating Environmental Pillar Score of the issuer. The score indicates how well an issuer manages its environmental issues. Score ranges from 0-10. The Environmental Pillar Score represents the weighted average of all Key Issues that fall under the Environment Pillar.

#### Social Score

The ESG Social Score represents either the Intangible Value Assessment (IVA) Social Pillar Score or Government Rating Social Pillar Score of the issuer. The score indicates how well an issuer manages its social issues. Score ranges from 0-10. The Social Pillar Score represents the weighted average of all Key Issues that fall under the Social Pillar.

#### Governance Score

The ESG Governance Score represents either the Intangible Value Assessment (IVA) Governance Pillar Score or Government Rating Governance Pillar Score of the issuer. The score indicates how well an issuer manages its governance issues. Score ranges from 0-10. The Governance Pillar Score represents the weighted average of all Key Issues that fall under the Governance Pillar.

### **General Information**

Name	UBAM - Absolute Return Fixed Income	Applicable Management fee <sup>1</sup>	AC EUR: 0.75% IC EUR: 0.40% UC EUR: 0.40%	APC EUR: 0.50% IPC EUR: 0.30% UPC EUR: 0.30%
Legal form	Sub-fund of UBAM, Luxembourg Domiciled SICAV, UCITS	Performance fee <sup>1</sup>	20% above Euro Short Term (applicable only to P-shares)	· · · ·
Base Currency	EUR	Registered Countries <sup>2</sup>	AT, CH, DE, ES, FI, FR, IT, I	LU, NL, SE, UK, SG,
Currency Hedged Share Classes	AUD, CHF, GBP, SEK, USD	ISIN	AC EUR: LU1315123684 IC EUR: LU1315124732 UC EUR: LU1315125895	APC EUR: LU1088683765 IPC EUR: LU1088686941 UPC EUR: LU1088689457
Cut-off time	13:00 (LU time)	Bloomberg Ticker	APC EUR: UGCAPCE LX IPC EUR: UGCIPCE LX	010 2011 20100003437
Inception date	30/10/2014	Investment Manager	Union Bancaire Privée, UBP	SA
Minimum Investment	None	Depositary Bank	BNP Paribas S.A. Luxembou	irg Branch
Liquidity	Daily	Administrator	CACEIS Bank, Luxembourg	Branch

1 Main share classes mentioned. Other share classes are available. I: Institutional share class. U: RDR compliant share class. C: Capitalisation share class. P: Performance-fee share class

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