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# AB GLOBAL HIGH YIELD PORTFOLIO

## STRATEGY

Seeks to produce high current income as well as overall total return by:

- + Applying a global, multi-sector approach to bond investment
- + Investing mainly in higher yielding, lower-rated (below Investment Grade) securities of issuers located throughout the world, including developed and emerging market countries
- + Investing in both US dollar and non-US dollar denominated securities

## PROFILE

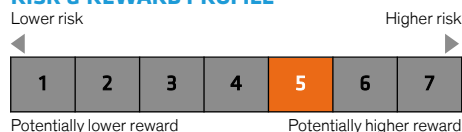
The Portfolio will suit higher-risk-tolerant investors seeking the income potential of fixed-income investment.

- + **Fund Inception:** 22/09/1997
- + **Domicile:** Luxembourg
- + **Fiscal Year End:** 31-August
- + **Subscription/Redemption:** Daily
- + **Net Assets:** \$20.337,35 million
- + **Total # of Holdings:** 2.428
- + **Order Placement Cutoff Time:** 4PM US ET; 6PM CET for Currency-Hedged share classes
- + **Base Currency:** US Dollar
- + **Reporting Currencies:** Euro
- + **Currency-Hedged Share Classes:** Australian Dollar, Canadian Dollar, Euro, Singapore Dollar, Swiss Franc
- + **Benchmark:** Bloomberg Barclays Global High Yield Index (USD hedged)<sup>1</sup>
- + **Fund Type:** FCP I

## PORTFOLIO MANAGEMENT & EXPERIENCE

- + **Gershon Distenfeld, CFA:** 24 years
- + **Shamaila Khan:** 25 years
- + **Fahd Malik:** 14 years
- + **Matthew S. Sheridan, CFA:** 24 years

## RISK & REWARD PROFILE



This synthetic risk and reward indicator (SRRI) scale rating indicates how the Portfolio may perform and the risk of losing some or all of your capital. The SRRI is from the most recent KIID, available from our website, and may be subject to change.

## GROWTH OF USD 10,000



## COMPLETE 12 MONTH RETURNS %

	04/16	04/17	04/18	04/19	04/20
Class	03/17	03/18	03/19	03/20	03/21
A USD	14,30	3,63	0,03	-13,17	25,24
A2 CHF H	12,03	0,88	-3,24	-16,28	23,21
<b>A2 USD</b>	<b>14,37</b>	<b>3,63</b>	<b>0,00</b>	<b>-13,10</b>	<b>25,15</b>
A2 EUR H	12,48	1,22	-2,88	-16,05	23,42
AR EUR H	12,49	1,28	-2,94	-16,06	23,41
AT USD	14,41	3,63	0,00	-13,08	25,12
AT EUR H	12,61	1,25	-2,90	-16,02	23,39
<b>Benchmark</b>	<b>15,07</b>	<b>4,51</b>	<b>4,54</b>	<b>-9,22</b>	<b>23,44</b>

**Past performance does not guarantee future results.** The performance shown above is net of ongoing charges and assumes an investment of USD 10,000 at inception of the share class, on which an investor may pay a sales charge of up to 5%. If this charge were deducted from the initial investment, an investor would need to pay USD 10,527 in order to achieve an investment of USD 10,000. For investors, other personal securities portfolio costs (e.g., custody fees), if applicable may further reduce performance.

## PERFORMANCE % (RETURNS ARE ANNUALIZED FOR PERIODS LONGER THAN ONE YEAR)

Class	1 Month	YTD	1 Year	3 Years	5 Years	10 Years	Since Inception
A USD	-0,50	-0,45	25,24	2,84	5,20	4,30	5,43
A2 CHF H	-0,62	-0,80	23,21	-0,06	2,44	-	1,10
<b>A2 USD</b>	<b>-0,48</b>	<b>-0,53</b>	<b>25,15</b>	<b>2,84</b>	<b>5,21</b>	<b>4,30</b>	<b>7,24</b>
A2 EUR H	-0,62	-0,74	23,42	0,21	2,76	2,97	4,30
AR EUR H	-0,53	-0,71	23,41	0,18	2,75	-	1,58
AT USD	-0,51	-0,46	25,12	2,84	5,22	4,30	8,10
AT EUR H	-0,60	-0,78	23,39	0,20	2,78	2,93	4,26
<b>Benchmark</b>	<b>-0,32</b>	<b>-0,22</b>	<b>23,44</b>	<b>5,42</b>	<b>7,10</b>	<b>6,57</b>	<b>8,38<sup>^</sup></b>

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## CALENDAR YEAR PERFORMANCE %

Class	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020
A USD	14,02	7,34	-5,42	13,28	1,89
A2 CHF H	11,85	4,71	-8,58	9,65	-0,55
<b>A2 USD</b>	<b>13,94</b>	<b>7,30</b>	<b>-5,50</b>	<b>13,43</b>	<b>1,87</b>
A2 EUR H	12,24	5,08	-8,19	10,13	-0,57
AR EUR H	12,29	5,09	-8,19	10,00	-0,52
AT USD	13,83	7,38	-5,50	13,38	1,87
AT EUR H	12,31	5,15	-8,23	10,15	-0,55
<b>Benchmark</b>	<b>15,60</b>	<b>8,42</b>	<b>-2,72</b>	<b>13,34</b>	<b>5,73</b>

**Past performance does not guarantee future results.** The value of investments and the income from them will vary. Your capital is at risk. Performance data are provided in the share class currency, and include the change in net asset value and the reinvestment of any distributions paid on Portfolio shares for the period shown. Performance data are net of management fees, but do not reflect sales charges or the effect of taxes. Returns for other share classes will vary due to different charges and expenses.

**Source: AllianceBernstein (AB).**

## NOTES

**'The Portfolio uses the Benchmark shown for comparison purposes only. The Portfolio is actively managed and the Investment Manager is not constrained by its Benchmark when implementing the Portfolio's investment strategy.** Bloomberg Barclays Global High Yield Index (USD hedged) provides a broad-based measure of the global high-yield fixed income market. An investor cannot invest directly in an index, and their results are not indicative of the performance for any specific investment, including an AB fund. Indices do not include sales charges or operating expenses associated with an investment in a mutual fund, which would reduce total returns.

## SHARE CLASS INFORMATION

Class	ISIN	Bloomberg	Inception	Dist. Yield <sup>2</sup>	Dividend <sup>3</sup>	Net Asset Value <sup>4</sup>
A USD	LU0081336892	ACMHYAI:LX	22/09/1997	6,68	0,02	3,77
A2 CHF H	LU1165978617	ABGAZCH:LX	05/03/2015	-	-	16,03
<b>A2 USD</b>	<b>LU0102830865</b>	<b>ACMHYA2:LX</b>	<b>14/03/2002</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>16,77</b>
A2 EUR H	LU0448068782	ACA2EUH:LX	15/12/2009	-	-	24,14
AR EUR H	LU1165978534	ABGHAEH:LX	19/02/2015	-	0,95	11,17
AT USD	LU0156897901	ACGHYAT:LX	26/09/2002	6,72	0,02	3,73
AT EUR H	LU0448041581	ACATEUH:LX	15/12/2009	5,92	0,06	12,77

## NOTES

<sup>2</sup>Yields are calculated based on the latest available distribution rate per share for a particular class. The yield is not guaranteed and will fluctuate.

<sup>3</sup>For distributing classes, a Portfolio may pay dividends from gross income (before reduction for fees and expenses), realized and unrealized gains, and capital attributable to the relevant class. Investors should note that distributions in excess of net income (gross income less fees and expenses) may represent a return of the investor's original investment amount and as such may result in a decrease in the net asset value per unit for the relevant class. Distributions out of capital may be taxed as income in certain jurisdictions.

<sup>4</sup>Net asset value is denominated in the share class currency.

## FEES &amp; CHARGES

Class	Max Entry Charge %*	Exit Charge	Ongoing Charge %	Performance Fee
A USD	5,00	none	1,59	none
A2 CHF H	5,00	none	1,59	none
<b>A2 USD</b>	<b>5,00</b>	<b>none</b>	<b>1,59</b>	<b>none</b>
A2 EUR H	5,00	none	1,59	none
AR EUR H	5,00	none	1,59	none
AT USD	5,00	none	1,59	none
AT EUR H	5,00	none	1,59	none

Ongoing charges include fees and certain expenses of the Portfolio as of the most recent KIID, and may be subject to a cap which is reflected above if applicable. Full details of the charges are available in the Portfolio's prospectus. \*This is the maximum figure; the entry charge may be less than this.

## HOLDINGS &amp; ALLOCATIONS

Top 10 Credit and Emerging Market Securities	%
Brazil Notas do Tesouro Nacl 10.00%, 1/01/23 - 1/01/25	2,65
Republic of South Africa Govt Bond 7.75%, 2/28/23	0,93
Ukraine Govt Intl Bond 7.75%, 9/01/23 - 9/01/27	0,75
Mexican Bonos 8.00%, 9/05/24	0,74
Republic of South Africa Govt Bond 8.00%, 1/31/30	0,70
Argentine Govt Intl Bond 0.125%, 7/09/30 - 7/09/41	0,70
Mexican Bonos 7.50%, 6/03/27	0,59
Republic of South Africa Govt Intl Bond 5.75%, 9/30/49	0,54
UBS Group 7.00%, 1/31/24 - 2/19/25	0,46
Colombian TES 5.75%, 11/03/27	0,44
<b>Total</b>	<b>8,50</b>

**Source: AllianceBernstein (AB).** Portfolio holdings and weightings are subject to change.

†The highest of S&P, Moody's and Fitch. Not rated securities are those rated by another nationally recognized statistic rating organization and/or AB. Credit quality is a measure of the creditworthiness and risk of a bond or portfolio, based on the issuer's financial condition. AAA is highest and D is lowest. Ratings may not accurately reflect credit risk and are subject to change.

Sector Allocation†	%
High Yield	46,85
Emerging Markets - Hard Currency	12,68
Treasuries	9,89
Corporates - Investment Grade	7,73
Emerging Markets - Local	6,48
Currency	
CMOS	5,51
Commercial Mortgage-Backed	4,66
Securities	
Preferred Stock	2,47
Emerging Markets - Quasi-Sovereigns	2,34
Other	1,39

Currency Allocation	%
US Dollar	99,52
Egyptian Pound	0,66
Russian Rouble	0,49
Dominican Peso	0,19
Nigerian Naira	0,07
Other	-0,93

## PORTFOLIO STATISTICS

Average Duration (years)	4,35
Average Credit Quality	BB
Yield to Worst %	6,06

Country Allocation	%
United States	55,91
Brazil	4,94
Mexico	3,14
South Africa	3,12
United Kingdom	2,92
Luxembourg	2,81
Canada	2,05
Egypt	1,37
Colombia	1,24
Other	22,50

Credit Quality†	%
AAA	8,21
AA	0,28
A	0,47
BBB	16,50
BB	30,40
B	25,34
CCC & Below	12,41
Not Rated	5,96
Short-Term Investments	0,43

**INVESTMENT RISKS TO CONSIDER** These and other risks are described in the Portfolio's prospectus.

**Investment in the Portfolio entails certain risks.** Investment returns and principal value of the Portfolio will fluctuate so that an investor's shares, when redeemed, may be worth more or less than their original cost. Some of the principal risks of investing in the Portfolio include:

**Emerging-Markets Risk:** Where the Portfolio invests in emerging markets, these assets are generally smaller and more sensitive to economic and political factors, and may be less easily traded, which could cause a loss to the Portfolio.

**Liquidity Risk:** The risk that arises when adverse market conditions affect the ability to sell assets when necessary. Reduced liquidity may have a negative impact on the price of the assets.

**Portfolio Turnover Risk:** A portfolio may be actively managed and turnover may, in response to market conditions, exceed 100%. A higher rate of portfolio turnover increases brokerage and other expenses. High portfolio turnover may also result in the realization of substantial net short-term capital gains, which may be taxable when distributed.

**Derivatives Risk:** The Portfolio may include financial derivative instruments. These may be used to obtain, increase or reduce exposure to underlying assets and may create gearing; their use may result in greater fluctuations of the net asset value.

**OTC Derivatives Counterparty Risk:** Transactions in over-the-counter (OTC) derivatives markets may have generally less governmental regulation and supervision than transactions entered into on organized exchanges. These will be subject to the risk that its direct counterparty will not perform its obligations and that the Portfolio will sustain losses.

**Structured Investments Risk:** These types of instruments are potentially more volatile and carry greater market risks than traditional debt instruments, depending on the structure. Changes in a benchmark may be magnified by the terms of the structured instrument and have an even more dramatic and substantial effect upon its value. These instruments may be less liquid and more difficult to price than less complex instruments.

**Fixed-Income Securities Risk:** The value of these investments will change in response to fluctuations in interest rates and currency exchange rates, as well as changes in the credit quality of the issuer. Also, medium, lower and unrated securities may be subject to wider fluctuations in yield and market values than higher-rated securities.

**Lower-Rated and Unrated Instruments Risk:** These securities are subject to a greater risk of loss of capital and interest, and are usually less liquid and more volatile. Some investments may be in high-yielding fixed-income securities, so the risk of depreciation and capital losses may be unavoidable.

**Sovereign Debt Obligations Risk:** The risk that government-issued debt obligations will be exposed to direct or indirect consequences of political, social and economic changes in various countries. Political changes or the economic status of a country may impact the willingness or ability of a government to honour its payment obligations.

**Corporate Debt Obligations Risk:** The risk that a particular issuer may not fulfill its payment and other obligations. In addition, an issuer may experience adverse changes to its financial position or a decrease in its credit rating resulting in increased debt obligation price volatility and negative liquidity. There may also be a higher risk of default.

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**Past performance does not guarantee future results.** The actual return achieved by investors in other currencies may increase or decrease as a result of currency fluctuations. Currency-hedged share classes use hedging techniques in an attempt to reduce—but not eliminate—fluctuations between the investor's holdings in a particular currency-hedged share class denominated in the investor's investing currency and the Portfolio's base currency. The goal is to deliver returns that track the Portfolio's base currency returns more closely.

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