## **Emerging Market Corporate Debt Fund**

CHF I2 Accumulating Class 29 January 2016

#### **FUND OBJECTIVE**

To increase the value of your shares through a combination of growth and income from investments in corporate bonds (debt securities) issued in emerging market countries.

Investments will primarily be in hard currency but up to one third of the portfolio may be denominated in local currencies. Investments will primarily be in corporate bonds but up to one third of the portfolio may be in government bonds.

Investments may be made in investment grade, high yield or unrated debt securities. Investment grade refers to sovereign and corporate issuers with a higher credit rating.

#### **MANAGEMENT TEAM**

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#### **Gorky Urquieta**

Co-Head of Emerging Markets Debt

#### Jennifer Gorgoll

Portfolio Manager

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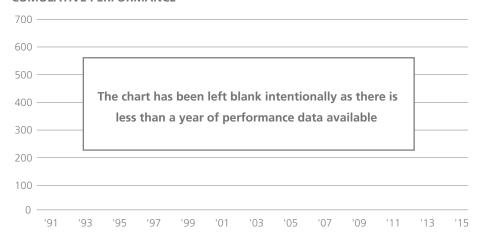
Portfolio Manager

#### **FUND FACTS**

Inception Date	25 March 2015
Base Currency (Fund)	USD
Base Currency (Share)	CHF
Fund AUM (USD Mn)	90.66
NAV (class ccy)	9.54
Domicile	Ireland
Listing	Ireland
Vehicle	UCITS
Valuation	Daily
Settlement (subscription)	T+3
Trading Deadline	15:00 (Dublin time)
Regulator	Central Bank of Ireland
Management Fee	0.64%
TER	0.94%
Initial Sales Charge (Max)	0.00%
Bloomberg	NEMCI2A ID
ISIN	IE00BLDYJP35
Morningstar Category™	Global Emerging Markets Corporate Bond

JPM CEMBI Diversified

#### CUMULATIVE PERFORMANCE



CUMULATIVE (%) <sup>1</sup>	1m	3m	YTD	1y	3у	5у	SI
Fund	-0.83	-3.34	-0.83	-	-	-	-4.60
Benchmark	-0.29	-2.35	-0.29	-	-	-	-1.75

ANNUALISED (%) <sup>1</sup>	1y	3у	5у	SI
Fund	-	-	-	-
Benchmark	-	-	-	-

CALENDAR (%) <sup>2</sup>	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016
Fund	-	-	-	-	-	-0.83
Benchmark	-	-	-	-	-	-0.29

<sup>1</sup>Performance from 25 March 2015 to latest month end. YTD - Year to Date, SI - Since Inception.

<sup>2</sup>Performance for the current calendar year is the year to date performance up to the reporting month end.

Fund performance is representative of CHF I2 Accumulating Class and is net of fees. **Past performance is not indicative of future results.** 

#### TOP 10 ISSUERS % (MV)

	Fund	Bmrk
CEMEX FINANCE LLC	2.85	0.32
ISRAEL ELECTRIC CORPORATION LTD	2.02	1.20
ARGENTINA, REPUBLIC OF (GOVERNMENT)	1.90	0.00
OVERSEA-CHINESE BANKING CORPORATION LIMITED	1.81	1.06
MARFRIG OVERSEAS LTD	1.68	0.09
BBVA BANCOMER SA INSTITUCION DE BANCA MULTIPLE GRUPO	1.50	0.34
FINANCIERO		
UNITED OVERSEAS BANK LTD	1.46	0.68
UNIFIN FINANCIERA SA DE CV	1.43	0.00
SB CAPITAL SA	1.42	0.60
MILLICOM INTERNATIONAL CELLULAR S.A.	1.41	0.25

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#### **CHARACTERISTICS** Fund **Bmrk** Time to Maturity (years) 7.71 8.08 Weighted Average Yield to Maturity (%) 6.39 6.03 Weighted Average Current Yield (%) 6.17 5.65 Effective Duration (years) 5.26 5.32 450 OAS (bps) 476 S&P Rating BBB-BBB-Number of Securities 469 181

# Fund Bmrk Financials 28.90 31.68 Technology, Media and 12.01 16.05 Telecommunications Oil & Gas 11.50 13.08 Utilities 8.91 9.11

**SECTOR ALLOCATIONS % (MV)** 

Oil & Gas	11.50	13.08
Utilities	8.91	9.11
Real Estate	7.88	5.33
Industrial	6.44	6.05
Consumer	6.17	7.54
Cash Equivalents (%)	3.63	0.00
Sovereign	3.27	0.00
Metals & Mining	2.70	5.63
Diversified	2.56	2.64

# Transport 1.95 0.24 Pulp & Paper 1.51 1.05 Infrastructure 1.36 1.61 Quasi Sovereign 1.21 0.00

#### TOP 10 COUNTRIES BY ACTIVE SPREAD DURATION CONTRIBUTION (YEARS)

	Fund	Bmrk
Mexico	0.68	0.41
China	0.65	0.48
Brazil	0.43	0.30
Argentina	0.16	0.06
Colombia	0.34	0.24
Indonesia	0.13	0.05
Jamaica	0.10	0.06
Guatemala	0.07	0.03
India	0.31	0.27
Peru	0.13	0.09

#### **CREDIT QUALITY % (MV)**

	Fund	Bmrk
AAA or Above	0.00	0.30
AA	1.77	3.90
А	10.91	18.60
BBB	38.64	42.30
BB	28.88	19.10
В	8.28	8.60
CCC	1.71	3.30
С	0.45	0.10
Not rated	5.74	3.90
Cash Equivalents (%)	3.63	0.00

Barclays generic quality rating based on the conservative average of Moody's, S&P, and Fitch. If Moody's, S&P and Fitch all provide a credit rating, the rating is the median of the three agency ratings. If only two agencies provide ratings, the rating is the more conservative rating. If only one agency provides a rating, then the rating reflects that agency's rating.

#### **TOP 10 COUNTRY ALLOCATIONS % (MV)**

	Fund	Bmrk
Mexico	12.17	5.73
China	12.05	9.68
Brazil	8.39	5.81
Russia	6.77	6.25
Colombia	6.48	3.92
Hong Kong	5.75	5.78
India	5.05	5.59
Chile	4.43	4.72
Turkey	4.31	4.81
Singapore	3.82	4.76

#### **DURATION DISTRIBUTION % (MV)**

		Fund	Bmrk
Less than 1 year	r	4.09	0.08
1 - 3 years		11.41	10.23
3 - 5 years		33.51	42.43
5 - 7 years		26.45	30.15
7 - 10 years		16.44	11.83
10 - 15 years		7.22	3.96
15 - 20 years		0.88	1.32

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#### **12 SHARE CLASS DATA**

Share Class	Currency	Inception Date	ISIN	Bloomberg	Valoren	Minimum Investment
CHF I2 Accumulating Class	CHF	25-03-2015	IE00BLDYJP35	NEMCI2A ID	27424756	2,500,000
EUR I2 Accumulating Class	EUR	25-03-2015	IE00B984JS72	NEMEI2A ID	27424757	2,500,000
GBP I2 Accumulating Class	GBP	19-03-2015	IE00B984L812	NEMGI2A ID	27424753	2,500,000
USD I2 Accumulating Class	USD	25-03-2015	IE00B984N180	NEMUI2A ID	27424760	2,500,000

Some share classes listed are subject to restrictions: please refer to the Fund's prospectus for further details.

#### RISK CONSIDERATIONS

Economies in Emerging Markets are generally less well regulated and may be adversely affected by trade barriers, exchange controls, protectionist measures and political / social instability. There is a risk of volatility due to lower liquidity and the availability of reliable information.

Debt securities of Emerging Market Countries may be subject to greater risk of loss of principal and interest than debt securities issued by obligors in developed countries and may be considered to be predominantly speculative with respect to the issuer's capacity to pay interest and repay principal.

Investors who subscribe in a currency other than the base currency of the Fund are exposed to currency risk. Fluctuations in these exchange rates may affect the return on investment.

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