

# JB BF Absolute Return-CHF

Share class C / Currency CHF

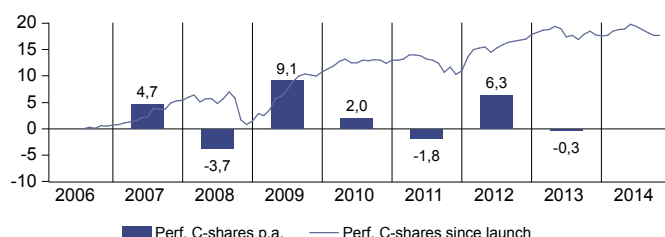
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## Investment focus and suitability

The fund invests worldwide in bonds of the most various maturities, credit ratings, countries and currencies, as well as in derivative financial instruments in accordance with the absolute return approach. The fund allows investors to delegate investment decisions to experienced specialists. The investment aim is to achieve positive returns, irrespective of market performance.

Fund classification	Bond Funds: Absolute / Total Return						
Investment risk	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
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## Performance in %



in %	YTD	1M	3M	6M	1Y	3Y p.a.	5Y p.a.	10Y p.a.	since launch p.a.
Fund	0.04	0.03	-0.91	-1.05	-0.72	1.77	1.32	n.a.	1.99
BM	0.01	0.00	0.00	0.01	0.02	0.04	0.10	n.a.	0.82
Rolling perf.	31.10.2013 - 31.10.2014	31.10.2012 - 31.10.2013	31.10.2011 - 31.10.2012	31.10.2010 - 31.10.2011	31.10.2009 - 31.10.2010				
Fund	-0.72	1.51	4.59	-1.14	2.47				
BM	0.02	0.02	0.08	0.16	0.21				

Past performance is not an indicator of current or future trends. The performance values refer to the net asset value and are calculated without the commission and costs incurred on issue, redemption or swapping (e.g. transaction and custody costs of the investor).

## Statistics

Average maturity in years	6.52	Modified Duration	-2.13
Yield to Maturity (nominal) (%)	3.42		

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## Base data

<b>NAV per share</b>	<b>CHF 117,69</b>
Total fund assets	CHF 8'080,50 m
Base currency	EUR
Available currencies	CHF, EUR, GBP, USD
Currency hedging	hedged against base currency
Share class	C (accumulation)
Security code ISIN	LU0261941057
Security code CH	2648051
Invest. Manager	GAM International Management Ltd.
Fund Management Company	Swiss & Global Asset Management (Luxembourg) S.A.
Legal structure	SICAV under Luxembourg law
Date activated	31.07.2006
Domicile	Luxembourg
Benchmark	ICE LIBOR CHF 3 Months
Total expense ratio	1.26%
Management Fee	0.55% + Perf. Fee <sup>1</sup>
Commission	Issue: max. 3.00% Redemption: max. 2.00% <sup>2</sup>
EU Savings tax	no distribution on redemption: yes
Registered in	AE AT CH CY DE EE ES FI FR GB IE IT LI LT LU LV NL NO PT SE

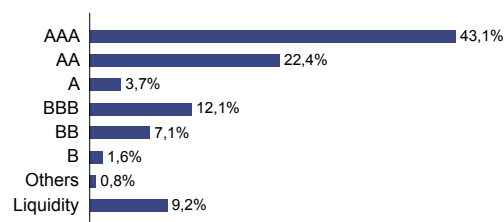
<sup>1</sup> Performance Fee: 10% of the outperformance vs. Benchmark (= Hurdle Rate); incl. High Watermark

<sup>2</sup> Only if no issuing commission was charged.

## Largest positions

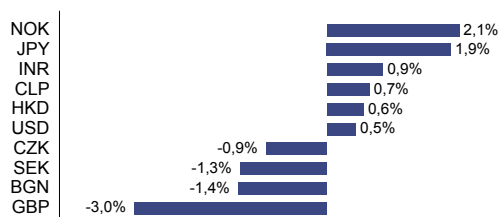
Security	Interest rate	Country	%
US Treasury Bonds	1,250%	US	4,62
Italy	3,000%	IT	2,94
US Treasury Bonds	1,500%	US	2,81
Germany	0,000%	DE	2,73
US Treasury Bonds	1,875%	US	2,57
Total			15,67

## Structure by rating



The rating breakdown is primarily based on the lower rating of Moody's or S&P; thereafter, a cascade system with additional ratings applies.

## Active currency risk Top 5 / Bottom 5



Derivative financial instruments are taken into account with their exposure in the fund structures. The sum of the structures may deviate from 100% if the fund is invested in these instruments.

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#### Comments

##### Market review

A very volatile month. Huge swings in UST not justified by data news. Similar swings in FX - Yen up, then down more; NOK and RUB still weak with oil. ZAR yields dipped; PIIGS did not. Most credit spreads moved wider yet non-European equities ended up. Brazilian election concluded; markets sanguine.

##### Performance contribution and portfolio changes

Intermediate UST's helpfully rallied more than, say, Italy futures. Long Yen at start was closed / reversed. Equity puts helped limit convertibles downside to mid-month, then lightened as market bounced. FX swings useful given long options stance. Steeper yield curves sub 5 year profitable then trimmed. The BRL helpfully behaved better than market consensus.

##### Outlook and strategy

Japan trumps Fed's QE move: ECB next? \$ is very popular but still rises. Bonds remain expensive to history and health.

#### Opportunities

The fund invests in a broadly diversified bond universe and seeks various opportunities for returns.

The fund gives investors easy access to the emerging markets. Many of these countries may offer attractive potential returns in various asset classes.

A highly qualified and experienced management actively manages the fund on the basis of a fundamental valuation approach. The objective is to identify the potential investments that, in the Investment manager's opinion, are most attractive and to generate interesting and profitable opportunities for investors.

The fund aims to generate long-term positive (absolute) returns in both rising and falling financial markets, coupled with risk diversification. The fund invests broadly across various bond categories, currencies and countries, in accordance with its flexible investment strategy.

#### Risks

The fund invests in bonds, which may be subject to significant fluctuations in value. Bonds are subject to issuer risk, credit risk and interest rate risk.

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