

**FUND FACTSHEET** 

# **SEEYOND VOLATILITY STRATEGY**

## **JUNE 2021**

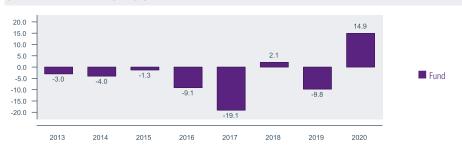
#### **FUND HIGHLIGHTS**

- · Invests primarily in listed instruments which offer direct exposure to volatility.
- · Employs an active approach to volatility indexation by exploiting the behaviour of volatility as an asset class and may offer investors an uncorrelated source of performance.
- Seeks to deliver significant alpha during market shocks while generating long term growth over a full investment cycle.

#### **ILLUSTRATIVE GROWTH OF 10,000 (EUR)**



#### **CALENDAR YEAR RETURNS %**



TOTAL RETURNS	Fund %	Fund with Max.Sales Charges %
1 month	-0.08	-3.07
3 months	-2.21	-5.14
Year to date	-4.60	-7.46
1 year	-6.77	-9.56
3 years	2.90	-0.19
5 years	-24.76	-27.02
Since inception	-28.49	-30.64

Dill Company	1 24 12	100	1
Fund Standard Deviation	6.25	11.19	9.59
Fund Sharpe ratio *	-1.01	0.12	-0.54
RISK MEASURES	1 year	3 years	5 years

Risk free rate: Performance of annualised capitalised Eonia over the period

# Total returns will be available 1 year after inception.

ANNUALISED PERFORMANCE (Month End)	Fund %	Fund with Max.Sales Charges %
3 years	0.96	-0.06
5 years	-5.53	-6.11
Since inception	-3.53	-3.84

ANNUALISED PERFORMANCE	Fund %
(Quarter end)	
3 years	0.96
5 years	-5.53
Since inception	-3.53

Performance figures of Seeyond Equity Volatility Strategies are derived from the historical performance of Seeyond Volatilité

Actions, a fund which merged with Seeyond Equity Volatility Strategies on November 05, 2013.

Actions, a fund which merged with Seeyond Equity Volatility Strategies on November 05, 2013 is based on the historic performance of Seeyond Volatility Strategies on November 05, 2013 is based on the historic performance of Seeyond Volatility Actions, FCP collective investment fund under French law, registered with AMF, the financial market authority, and managed by the same management company using the same investment process. This performance has been adjusted to show the various charges applicable to the fund as accurately as possible.

PERFORMANCE DATA SHOWN REPRESENTS PAST PERFORMANCE AND IS NOT A GUARANTEE OF FUTURE RESULTS. Some recent performance may be lower or higher. As the value of the capital and the returns change over time (notably due to currency fluctuations), the repurchase price of the shares can be higher or lower than their initial price. The performance indicated is based on the NAV (net asset value) of the share class, and is net of all charges applying to the fund but does not account for sale commissions, taxation or paying agent fees, and assumes that dividends if any are reinvested. Taking such fees or commissions into account would lower the returns. The performance of other share classes would be higher or lower based on the differences between the fees and the entry charges. In the periods where certain share classes are not subscribed or not yet created (inactive share classes), performance is calculated based on the actual performance of an active share class of the fund whose characteristics are considered by the management company as being closest to the inactive share class concerned, after adjusting it for the differences between the total expense ratios (TER), and converting any net asset value of the active share class in the currency in which the inactive share class is listed. The performance given for the inactive share class is the result of a calculation provided for information.

Please read the important information given in the additional notes on pages 3 of this document.

Source: Natixis Investment Managers

## **SHARE CLASS: R/A (EUR)**

#### **ABOUT THE FUND**

Investment Objective

Provide a source of excess return de-correlated from equity markets over its recommended minimum period through a dynamic and flexible exposure to equity markets volatility.

Overall Morningstar Rating TM

Morningstar category TM

Alt - Volatility

#### **FUND CHARACTERISTICS**

Legal structure		Sub-fund of a SICAV
Share Class Incer	otion	01/03/2012
Valuation Freque	ncy	Daily
Custodian	CACEIS BANK, I	LUXEMBOURG BRANCH
Currency		EUR
Cut off time		13:30 CET D
AuM		EURm 12.0
Recommended in	vestment period	> 5 years
Investor Type		Retail

#### **AVAILABLE SHARE CLASSES**

Share Class	ISIN	Bloomberg
H-R/A (SGD)	LU1118020335	SYERAHS LX
H-R/A (USD)	LU0935233345	SYERAHU LX
R/A (EUR)	LU0935233261	NVOLACR LX

#### **RISK & REWARD PROFILE**

Lower risk					F	ligher risk
Typically lo	wer reward	S		Турі	cally highe	er rewards
1	2	3	4	5	6	7

The category of the synthetic risk-return indicator is based on historical data. Due to its investment policy, the sub-fund is mainly exposed to the following

- Due to its investigation party periods:
   Capital loss risk
   Equities risk
   Discretionary management risk
   Discretionary management risk
  For more information, please refer to the section detailing specific risks at the end of this document.

SEEYOND

# **Seeyond Volatility Strategy**

# PORTFOLIO ANALYSIS AS OF 30/06/2021

ASSET ALLOCATION	Fund %
Treasury bonds	60.5
Index options	29.0
Money Market Funds	8.5
Cash	2.0
Total	100.0
Off-balance sheet	
Index futures	93.5
Index options	-144.7
Total	-51.1

**SHARE CLASS: R/A (EUR)** 

## **FEES & CODES**

All-in-Fee	1.40%
Max. Sales Charge	3.00%
Max. Redemption Charge	-
Minimum Investment	-
NAV (30/06/2021)	715.08 EUR

#### **MANAGEMENT**

Management Company NATIXIS INVESTMENT MANAGERS INTERNATIONAL

Investment Manager

Seeyond, an affiliate of Natixis Investment Managers, specializes in active quantitative portfolio management. By adding active oversight to disciplined quantitative investment processes, Seeyond's investment strategies seek to optimally reward risk within three core expertise: equity strategies, multi-asset strategies, volatility & overlay strategies. The strategies leverage strong proprietary quantitative skills and long-term market experience.

Headquarters	Paris
Founded	2012

Assets Under Management € 8.9 (Billion) (31/03/2021)

#### Portfolio Managers

Simon Aninat : began investment career in 2005; joined Ostrum AM in 2011; graduated from ENSIMAG.

Joran Chalal: began investment career in 2016; joined Seeyond in 2019; graduated from Paris Dauphine University and holds a Master's degree in Computer Sciences and Mathematics for Finance and a Bachelor's degree from Pierre et Marie Curie University (Paris, France) in Mathematics and Computer Science

Due to active management, portfolio characteristics are subject to change. References to specific securities or industries should not be considered a recommendation



# Calculation of performance during periods of share class inactivity (if applicable)

For periods when certain share classes were unsubscribed or not yet reated (the "inactive share classes"), performance is imputed using the actual performance of the fund's active share class which has been determined by the management company as having the closest characteristics to such inactive share class and adjusting it based on the difference in TERs and, where applicable, converting the net asset value of the active share class into the currency of quotation of the value of the active share class. The quoted performance for such inactive share class is the result of an indicative calculation.

#### Illustrative Growth of 10,000

The graph compares the growth of 10, 000 in a fund with that of an index. The total returns are not adjusted to reflect sales charges or the effects of taxation, but are adjusted to reflect actual ongoing fund expenses, and assume reinvestment of dividends and capital gains. If adjusted, sales charges would reduce the performance quoted. The index is an unmanaged portfolio of specified securities and cannot be invested in directly. The index does not reflect any initial or ongoing expenses. A fund's portfolio may differ significantly from the securities in the index. The index is chosen by the fund manager.

The risk and reward indicator is shown as a scale of 1 to 7 representing the levels of risk and rewards in increasing order that enables you to assess the potential performance of a fund compared to the risk it represents. The general calculation method of this regulatory indicator is based on the annualized past volatility of the fund, calculated from weekly returns over a five-year period. This indicator is monitored regularly and may vary. The SRRI level indicated in this document is the level in force on the date the document was drawn up.

#### **Special Risk Considerations**

The specific risks involved in investing in the Sub-fund are the following risks:

- loss of capital geographic and portfolio concentration
- derivative financial instruments
- counterparty
- equityvolatility
- model
- exchange rate

The Global Exposure Risk is managed using the absolute Value-at-Risk approach (VaR approach). The VaR approach measures the Risk approach (VaR approach). The VaR approach measures the maximum potential loss at a given confidence level (probability level) over a specific time period, under normal market conditions. The absolute VaR for the Sub-fund cannot exceed 20% of its net asset value in a confidence interval of 99% for a 1-month holding period (20 available working days). The Sub-fund's expected level of leverage is 7. However, it is likely to access higher levels of leverage under the following circumstances: i) low market volatility and/or ii) high market liquidity The leverage effect is calculated as the sum of the notionals of the derivatives used. A complete description of these risks is given in the chapter entitled "Main Risks" in the prospectus. This chapter also describes the other risks involved in investing in the Sub-fund.

#### Reference Index

The Sub-Fund is actively managed. The Sub-Fund is not managed with reference to any Reference Index.  $\begin{tabular}{ll} \hline \end{tabular}$ 

#### Portfolio Statistics

Extent of change of a security or stock, fund, market or index over a given period. High volatility is indicative of a significant change in the share price, and therefore the risk associated with the security is high.

Information ratio

Indicator of the outperformance of the manager (with respect to the benchmark), given the additional risk taken by the manager with respect to the same index (fund's tracking error). The higher the value, the better the fund.

Tracking error

Measurement of the relative risk taken by a fund with respect to its benchmark.

Sharpe ratio

Outperformance indicator of a product with respect to a risk-free rate, given the risk accepted (product volatility). The higher the value, the better the fund.

A fund's outperformance relative to its benchmark, expressed as a percentage. It is an indicator of the manager's ability to create value, excluding market effects. Thus, the higher the alpha, the better the fund's performance relative to its benchmark.

Beta Measurement of a fund's sensitivity to market movements (as represented by its benchmark). A beta of over 1 indicates that the fund amplifies movements in its reference market on both the upside and downside. Conversely, a beta of under 1 means that the fund tends to react less than its reference market.

## **Morningstar Rating and Category**

Morningstar Rating and Category
© 2021 Morningstar. All Rights Reserved. The information, data, analyses and opinions ("Information") contained herein (1) include Morningstar's confidential and proprietary information (2) may not be copied or redistributed, (3) do not constitute investment advice (4) are provided solely for informational purposes (5) are not warranted to be complete, accurate or timely and (6) are drawn from fund data published on various dates. The information is provided to you at your own risk. Morningstar is not responsible for any trading decisions, damages or other losses related to the Information or its use. Please damages or other losses related to the Information or its use. Please verify all of the Information before using it and don't make any investment decision except upon the advice of a professional financial adviser. Past performance is no guarantee of future results. The value and income derived from investments can go up or down. The Morningstar rating applies to funds having at least 3 years of history. It takes into account subscription fee, the yield without risk and the standard deviation to calculate for every fund its ratio MRAR (Morningstar Risk Adjust Return). Funds are then classified in decreasing order by MRAR: first 10 per cent receive 5 stars, the following 22,5 % 4 stars, the following 35 % 3 stars, following 22,5 % 2 stars, the last 10 % receive 1 star. Funds are classified within 180 European categories.



Natixis Investment Managers International - a portfolio management company authorized by the Autorité des Marchés Financiers (French Financial Markets Authority - AMF) under no. GP 90-009, and a public limited company (société anonyme) registered in the Paris Trade and Companies Register under no. 329 450 738. Registered office: 43 avenue Pierre Mendès France, 75013 Paris.

Seeyond- Portfolio Management Company - RCS Paris 525 192 720 - 59 AVENUE PIERRE MENDES France 75648 PARIS CEDEX 13 - AMF accreditation no. GP 17000034. Business Corporation with a capital of 4,963,183.00 euros.

The distribution of this document may be limited in some countries. The fund cannot be sold in all jurisdictions; the local supervisory authority may limit the offering and the sale of its shares exclusively to certain types of investors.

The tax treatment for the shares or fund units held, acquired or sold depends on the status or the tax treatment of each investor, and may change. Please contact your financial advisor if you have any questions. Your financial advisor is responsible for ensuring that the offer and the sale of the shares in the fund comply with the governing national laws.

The fund may not be offered or sold in the USA, to citizens or residents of the USA, or in any other country or jurisdiction where it would be unlawful to offer or sell the fund.

This document is provided for information purposes only. The investment processes and themes as well as the portfolio characteristics and interests are valid on the specified date and may be modified. References to a ranking, rating or award are not a guarantee of future performance and fluctuate over time. This document is not a prospectus and does not constitute an offer of shares. The information contained in this document may be updated occasionally and may differ from the information in the earlier or future versions of this document.

For more detailed information about this fund, as well as the charges, expenditure and risks, please contact your financial advisor to obtain, free of charge, a full prospectus, a Key Investor Information Document, a copy of the articles of association, half-yearly and annual reports and/or other documents and translations required in your jurisdiction. To find a financial advisory in your jurisdiction, please contact ClientServicingAM@natixis.com

If the fund is registered in your jurisdiction, these documents

may also be obtained free of charge from the Natixis Investment Managers International offices (www.im.natixis.com) and the payer agents/representatives mentioned herebelow. Please read the prospectus and Key Investor Information carrefully before investing. Germany. CACEIS Bank Deutschland GmbH, Lilienthalallee 34 - 36, D-80939 München, Germany. UK: SOCIÉTÉ GÉNÉRALE LONDON BRANCH, SOCIÉTÉ GÉNÉRALE SECURITIES SERVICES CUSTODY LONDON, 9th Floor Exchange House 12 Primrose Street, EC2A 2EG London. Belgium: CACEIS Belgium SA, Avenue du Port 86 C b320 B-1000 Brussels. France: CACEIS Bank France, 1-3, Place Valhubert 75013 Paris. Italy: STATE STREET Bank S.P.A., Via Ferrante Aporti, 10 20125 Milan ALL FUNDS Bank S.A. Via Santa Margherita 7, 20121 Milano. Luxembourg: CACEIS BANK Luxembourg, 5, allée Scheffer L-2520 Luxembourg. Wetherlands: CACEIS Netherlands N.V., De Ruyterkade 6-i 1013 AA Amsterdam. Singapour: Ostrum Asset Management Asia Limited, One Marina Boulevard #28-00 Singapore 018989; Principal place of business: 1 Robinson Road #20-02 AIA Tower Singapore 048542. Republic of Austria. 481FFEISEN BANK INTERNATIONAL AG, Am Stadtpark 9, A-1030 Vienna, Republic of Austria. Switzerland: RBC Investor Services Bank S.A., Esch-sur-Alzette, Zurich Branch, Badenerstrasse 567, P.O. Box 101, CH-8048 Zurich.

#### **Additional Notes**

The Fund has been recognized under the Securities and Futures Act, Chapter 289 of Singapore, and Natixis Investment Managers Singapore Limited is appointed as its Singapore Representative and agent for service of process. Past performance of the Fund or managers, and any economic and market trends or forecast, are not necessarily indicative of the future or likely performance of the Fund or the manager. The value of investments and the income accruing, if any, may go up or down and investors may lose the full amount invested. Investors investing in funds denominated in non-local currency should be aware of the risk of exchange fluctuations that may cause a loss of principal. Investments in the Fund involve risk, which are fully described in the prospectus. The Fund may use derivatives for hedging and/or investment purposes. The net asset value of the Fund may be subject to volatility as a result of its investment policy and/or use of financial derivative instruments. Investors should consider the Fund's investment objective, risks, charges, expenses and read the prospectus and Product Highlights Sheet carefully and discuss with their financial adviser to determine if the investment is appropriate for them before investing. However if an investor chooses not to seek advice from a financial adviser, he/she should consider whether the product is suitable for him/her. The Prospectus is available for collection from Natixis Investment Managers Singapore Limited at 5 Shenton Way, #22-05 UIC Building, Singapore 068808 or any appointed Singapore distributor. This document is provided by Natixis Investment Managers Singapore Limited (company registration no. 199801044D).

This document is published for information and general circulation only and it does not constitute an offer to anyone or a solicitation by anyone to subscribe for shares of the Fund as it does not have any regard to the specific investment objectives, financial situation and the particular needs of any specific person who may receive this document. Nothing in the document should be construed as advice or a recommendation to buy or sell shares. This advertisement has not been reviewed by the Monetary Authority of Singapore.

