BCP EMERGING MARKETS FIXED INCOME FUND (USD)

A sub-fund of BCP Expertise Fund



MONTHLY MANAGER COMMENT

EM retail bond funds finally received net inflows during the last week of August after four weeks of outflows. During the Jackson Hole event, US FED Chairman Powell said that the Central Bank could start its tapering in 2021 although it won't be in a hurry to start raising interest rates. This was a sharp contrast to several Fed Bank presidents who voiced their belief during the week that the Fed should be moving faster to contain inflation that is already well above target. The current market consensus relies on the FED comments and the EM bond markets benefited from it. Huarong issue looks to be solved for the moment and it is a good relief for the Chinese Credit and Asian Bond Market. Our BCP EM fund share price is showing a steady growth and low volatility compare to most of its peers with a low Beta (0.18 YTD).

PERFORMANCE

NAV (A-share): USD 94.28 (1) = incl. USD 30.96 of dividend (2013-2019)



(in %)	since launch	1 Mth	YTD	1YR	3YRS	5YRS
BCP EMFI Fd	(1) 30.28	0.88	0.17	4.64	10.05	20.06
Benchmark	34.09	0.20	1.76	2.73	12.18	21.52
EM FI Market	(2) 42.03	0.65	0.04	3.59	21.17	21.35

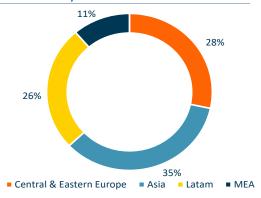
(2) = J.P. Morgan EMBI Global TR Idx

BOND TYPES

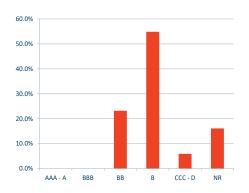
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	in %		in %
Fixed	97.9	At Maturity	32.1
Floating	0.0	Callable	55.8
Variable	2.1	Putable	0.0
Step cpn	0.0	Convertible	0.0
Zero	0.0	Sinkable	0.0
Others	0.0	Others	12.1

DURATION & REGIONAL WEIGHTS

Tranche	in %
0 - 3 years	44.7
3 - 5 years	40.6
5 - 7 years	10.4
more than 7 years	4.4



SECURITIES CREDIT RATING



TOP 10 HOLDINGS

		in %
9.25 PEGASUS 26		6.0
9 ZORLU YE 26		5.6
8.25 INDIKA 25		3.0
7.375 CN HON 23		3.0
5.875 PETKIM 23		2.9
6.8 SUNAC 24		2.7
6.125 DELHI INTER 26		2.4
5.875 EGY 31		2.3
8.375 OIL & GAS 28		2.2
10 FS LUX 25		2.1
	Total	32.1

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FUND STATISTICS

Fund Size (MM)	USD 10.8
Fund Positions	43 bonds
Fund Yield	6.00%
Fund Duration	3.04
Average Coupon	7.30%

FUND IDENTIFIERS & REFERENCES

20154595 47754345
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BCPEMFI SW Equity BCPEMBU SW Equity
USD LIBOR 3M + 2.5%
JP Morgan EMBI GL TR Idx
March 25, 2013

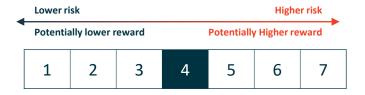
FUND FACTS

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Subscription / Redemption	12:00am Geneva-time) NAV calculation Weekly (every Thursday, closing prices of Wednesday)
Settlement / Trading	T+2 / min. 1 share / no decimals
Trading currency	USD
Dividend frequency	none (accumulating)
EU savings directive	In Scope
Management / Exit fee	max. 2.0% / 0.5% re-invested
Performance fee	10.0% over benchmark

Weekly (every Monday

RISK PROFILE



PERFORMANCE ANALYSIS VS EM MARKET (*)

Alpha	0.02
Beta	0.96
Correlation	0.77
Standard Deviation	6.67
Information Ratio	0.00
Tracking Error	5.62
Sharpe Ratio vs Risk Free 1YR	1.78
(*) = since incention	

FUND'S OBJECTIVE

The Fund's objective is to maximize capital growth over the medium term and to generate income through investments in bonds and other debt securities issued or guaranteed by national or local governments of emerging and / or other issuers domiciled in emerging countries. The Fund may invest to a lesser extent in units of other collective investments schemes, in derivative financial instruments (including warrants), as well as structured products. The use of derivative financial instruments is an integral part of the investment strategy and they are not used solely for hedging purposes. Investments are mainly USD denominated, but to a lesser extent can also be denominated in other currencies, including local currency of emerging countries. To achieve this objective, the investment policy of the Fund is to choose the best possible opportunities in the fixed income universe of emerging markets. The Fund's investment approach can be described as "bottom up" that is to say, the choice of investments will be made according to their fundamental qualities rather than trying to replicate an index and its weights.

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