Investment Managers

Purpose

This document provides you with key information about this investment product. It is not marketing material. The information is required by law to help you understand the nature, risks, costs, potential gains and losses of this product and to help you compare it with other products.

Product

AXA WF Euro Sustainable Bonds A Capitalisation EUR (ISIN LU2013535997)

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This Product is authorised in Luxembourg and in accordance with the UCITS Directive.

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What is this product?

Type

The Product is a share of the Sub-fund "AXA World Funds - Euro Sustainable Bonds" (the Sub-fund) which is part of the SICAV "AXA World Funds" (the "Company").

Term

This product has no maturity date, although it has been created for 99 years and could be liquidated under the conditions led down in the articles of incorporation of the company.

Objectives

Investment Objective

To seek both income and growth of your investment, in EUR, from an actively managed bond portfolio, and to apply an ESG approach.

Investment Policy

The Sub-Fund is actively managed in reference to the FTSE EMEA Euro Broad Investment Grade Bonds benchmark index (the "Benchmark") in order to capture opportunities in the Euro corporate and government bonds market. The Sub-Fund invests at minimum one third of its net assets in the components of the Benchmark. Depending on its investment convictions and after comprehensive macroeconomic and microeconomic analysis of the market, the Investment Manager can take more active positioning in terms of duration (duration measures in numbers of years, the portfolio's sensitivity to interest rate variations), geographical allocation and/or sector or issuer selection compared to the Benchmark. Thus, the deviation from the Benchmark is expected to be significant. However, in certain market conditions (high credit market volatility, turmoil...), the Sub-Fund's positioning on the above indicators may be close to the Benchmark.

The Sub-Fund invests mainly in Investment Grade debt securities that are denominated in EUR. $\label{eq:continuous} % \begin{subarray}{ll} \end{subarray} % \begin{subarray}{ll} \end{$

Specifically, at all times the Sub-Fund invests at least two thirds of net assets in fixed and floating rate transferable debt securities issued by governments, public institutions and companies and are denominated in EUR. On an ancillary basis, the Sub-Fund may be exposed to securities not denominated in EUR and to exchange rate risk.

The Sub-Fund may invest in investment grade and sub-investment grade securities, the latter up to 10% of net assets.

Investment grade securities will be rated at least BBB- by Standard & Poor's or equivalent rating by Moody's or Fitch or if unrated then deemed to be sold by the Investment Manager.

Sub-investment grade securities will be rated between BB+ and B- by Standard & Poor's or equivalent rating by Moody's or Fitch or if unrated then deemed to be sold by the Investment Manager.

In case of downgrade below B- by Standard & Poor's or equivalent rating by Moody's or Fitch or if unrated then deemed to be sold by the Investment Manager, securities will be sold within 6 months. If two different ratings of rating agencies exist, the lower rating will be considered, if more than two different ratings of rating agencies exist, the second highest rating will be considered.

The total assets of the Sub-Fund may be invested in or exposed to callable bonds.

The selection of debt securities is not exclusively and mechanically based on their publicly available credit ratings but also on an internal credit or market risk analysis.

The decision to buy or sell securities is also based on other analysis criteria of the investment manager.

The Sub-Fund may invest up to 5% of net assets in contingent convertible bonds (CoCos).

The Sub-Fund may also invest in money market instruments.

Within the limit of 200% of the Sub-Fund's net assets, the investment strategy may be achieved by direct investments and/or through derivatives, especially by entering into Credit Default Swaps. Derivatives may be used for efficient portfolio

management, hedging and investment purposes.

The Sub-Fund aims to support on the long run SDGs with a focus on both the environmental and social themes. It seeks to achieve its objective by investing a part of its assets in investments whose issuers have undergone an ESG analysis in accordance with AXA IM's sustainable investment framework (Sustainable Finance | SFDR | AXA IM Corporate (axa-im.com)).

Firstly, the Sub-Fund bindingly applies at all times AXA IM's Sectorial Exclusion and ESG Standards Policies (www.axa-im.com/responsible-investing/sectorinvestment-guidelines) and a "Best-in-class" (type of ESG selection consisting in giving priority to the companies best rated from a non-financial viewpoint within their sector of activity, without favouring or excluding one sector relative to the stock market index or customized universe used as a basis for starting) selectivity approach which consists in reducing the investable universe, by excluding issuers, based on a combination of AXA IM's Sectorial Exclusion and ESG Standards policies and their ESG scores, as described in the SFDR annex of the Sub-Fund. Secondly, the investment manager uses a strategy that combines macro-economic, sector and company specific analysis and a rigorous analysis of the companies' business model, management quality, growth prospects, whether the company meets Responsible Investment criteria and risk/return profile. As an example, the ESG criteria may be carbon footprint for the environmental aspect, management of human resources and gender equality for the social aspect, or remuneration policy for the governance aspect.

The ESG data used are based on methodologies relying in part on third party data and in some cases are internally developed, are subjective and may change over time. The lack of harmonised definitions can make ESG criteria heterogeneous. As such, the different strategies using ESG criteria and ESG reporting are difficult to compare with each other. Strategies incorporating ESG criteria and those incorporating sustainable development criteria may use data that appear similar but which should be distinguished because their calculation method may be different. AXA IM's ESG different methodologies described herein may evolve in the future to take into account any improvements in data availability and reliability, or any developments of regulations or other external frameworks or initiatives -among others.

The Sub-Fund is a financial product that promotes environmental and/or social characteristics within the meaning of article 8 of the Regulation (EU) 2019/2088 of 27 November 2019 on sustainability-related disclosures in the financial sector.

Income

For Capitalisation share classes (Cap), the dividend is reinvested.

Investment Horizon

The risk and the reward of the product may vary depending on the expected holding period. We recommend holding this product at least for 3 years.

Processing of subscription and redemption orders

The subscription, conversion or redemption orders must be received by the Registrar and Transfer Agent on any Valuation Day no later than 3 p.m. Luxembourg time. Orders will be processed at the Net Asset Value applicable to such Valuation Day. The investor's attention is drawn to the existence of potential additional processing time due to the possible involvement of intermediaries such as Financial Advisers or distributors.

The Net Asset Value of this Sub-Fund is calculated on a daily basis.

Intended retail Investor

The sub-fund is designed for retail investors who have neither financial expertise nor any specific knowledge to understand the sub-fund but may bear total capital loss. It is suited for clients who seek growth of capital and ESG. Potential investors should have an investment horizon of at least 3 years.

Depositary

State Street Bank International GmbH (Luxembourg Branch)

Further Information

Please refer to the 'Other relevant information' section below.



What are the risks and what could I get in return?

Risk Indicator



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The risk indicator assumes you keep the product for 3 years.

The actual risk can vary significantly if you cash in at an early stage and you may get back less.

The summary risk indicator is a guide to the level of risk of this product compared to other products. It shows how likely it is that the product will lose money because of movements in the markets or because we are not able to pay you.

We have classified this product as 2 out of 7 which is the a low risk class. This rates the potential losses from future performance at a low level, and poor market conditions are very unlikely to impact the return of the product.

Be aware of currency risk. If your local currency is different from the Product currency, you will receive payments in a different currency, so the final return you will get depends on the exchange rate between the two currencies. This risk is not considered in the indicator shown above.

Other risks not included in the SRI can be materially relevant, such as derivatives risk. For further information, please refer to the prospectus.

This product does not include any protection from future market performance so you could lose some or all of your investment.

Performance Scenarios

The figures shown include all the costs of the Product itself, but may not include all the costs that you pay to your advisor or distributor. The figures do not take into account your personal tax situation, which may also affect how much you get back.

What you will get from this product depends on future market performance. Market developments in the future are uncertain and cannot be accurately predicted.

The unfavourable, moderate and favourable scenarios shown are illustrations using the worst, average and best performance of the product and the suitable benchmark over the last 10 years. Markets could develop very differently in the future.

Recommended holding period: Example Investment:		3 years	3 years	
		€10000		
		If you exit after 1 year	If you exit after 3 years	
Scenarios				
Minimum	There is no minimum guaranteed return. You could lose some or all of your investment			
Stress	What you might get back after costs	€7640	€7830	
	Average return each year	-23.60%	-7.83%	
Unfavourable	What you might get back after costs	€8020	€7830	
	Average return each year	-19.80%	-7.83%	
Moderate	What you might get back after costs	€9840	€10280	
	Average return each year	-1.60%	0.92%	
Favourable	What you might get back after costs	€10840	€11530	
	Average return each year	8.40%	4.86%	

The stress scenario shows what you might get back in extreme market circumstances.

Unfavourable scenario: this type of scenario occurred for an investment between 2020 and 2022.

Moderate scenario: this type of scenario occurred for an investment between 2016 and 2019.

Favourable scenario: this type of scenario occurred for an investment 2013 and 2016.

An appropriate benchmark of the Product was used to calculate the performance.

What happens if AXA Funds Management S.A. is unable to pay out?

The product's underlying assets are held separately by the depositary. If we encounter financial difficulties, these assets will not be affected. If the Product suffers a loss due to the depositary default you may lose the whole or part of your investments. There is no compensation or guarantee scheme protecting you from a default of the Product's depositary.

What are the costs?

The person advising on or selling you this product may charge you other costs. If so, this person will provide you with information about these costs and how they affect your investment

Costs over Time

The tables show the amounts that are taken from your investment to cover different types of costs. These amounts depend on how much you invest, how long you hold the product and how well the product does. The amounts shown here are illustrations based on an example investment amount and different possible investment periods.

We have assumed:

- In the first year you would get back the amount that you invested (0 % annual return). For the other holding periods we have assumed the product performs as shown in the moderate scenario.
- EUR 10 000 is invested

	If you exit after 1 year	If you exit after 3 years
Total costs	€415	€671
Annual cost impact (*)	4.2%	2.2% each year



(*) This illustrates how costs reduce your return each year over the holding period. For example it shows that if you exit at the recommended holding period your average return per year is projected to be 3.2 % before costs and 0.9 % after costs.

We may share part of the costs with the person selling you the Product to cover the services they provide to you. They will inform you of the amount when required by the applicable laws.

Composition of Costs

One-off costs upon entry or exit		If you exit after 1 year		
Entry costs	3.0 % of the amount that you pay when you enter the investment. This includes distribution costs of 3.0 % of the amount invested. This is the maximum amount you will pay. The person who sold you the product will inform you of the actual costs.	Up to €300		
Exit costs	We do not charge an exit fee for this Product.	€0		
Ongoing costs taken each year				
Management fees and other administrative or operating costs	, , , , , ,			
Transaction costs	0.2% of the value of your investment per year. This is an estimate of the costs incurred when we buy and sell the underlying investments for the product. The actual amount will vary depending on how much we buy and sell.	€18		
Incidental costs taken under specific conditions				
Performance fees	There is no performance fee for this Product.	€0		

How long should I hold it and can I take money out early?

Recommended holding period: 3 years

This Product has no minimum required holding period, the 3 years has been calculated to be in line with the time frame which the Product may need in order to achieve its investment objectives.

You may sell your investment before the end of the recommended holding period without penalty. The performance or risk of your investment may be negatively impacted. The section "What are the costs?" provides information on the impact of costs over time.

How can I complain?

Complaints shall be addressed to the Complaint Handling Officer with the complainant' details (name, role, contact details, involved account numbers and any other relevant document) to the following address AXA Funds Management S.A. 49, avenue J.F. Kennedy L-1855 Luxembourg Grand Duchy of Luxembourg.

Other relevant information

You can get further information about this Product, including the prospectus, latest annual report, any subsequent half-yearly report and the latest Net Asset Value from the Fund Administrator: State Street Bank International GmbH (MUENCHEN Branch) and from https://www.axa-im.com/fund-centre. They are available free of charge, You can find an explanation of some of the terms used in this document at https://www.axa-im.lu/fund-centre.

You can find information related to the Product past performance on the last 2 years and to previous performance scenario calculations at https://www.axa-im.lu/fund-centre.