INVL EMERGING EUROPE BOND SUBFUND

November 2024

TRATEGY	FACTS

The objective of the subfund is to ensure balanced growth of the assets of the subfund by investing at least 85 percent of its net assets in the investment units of Class I of the fund INVL Emerging Europe Bond Fund (hereinafter – the Master Fund) of the umbrella investment fund INVL Fund intended for institutional investors established in the Grand Duchy of Luxembourg. This way, the subfund will operate as a feeder subfund. In its turn, the Master Fund invests up to 100 percent of its assets in government and corporate debt securities in Emerging Europe.

Management company SB Asset Management
ISIN code LTIF00000468

ISIN code LTIF0000046
Inception date 2010-10-29

Minimum investment EUR 0

 AUM, EUR M
 6.7

 Strategy AUM, EUR M
 284

Management fee 0.45%

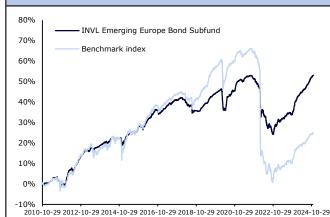
Currency EUR

Countries of distribution Lithuania, Latvia, Denmark, Finland,

Norway, Germany

For more information on the fund (prospectus, benchmark, results) please click on the link below: https://www.sb.lt/en/private/investing/investment-funds/invl-emerging-europe-bond-subfund

RESULTS



	Fund	senchmark ***
Return YTD	9.0%	6.8%
Return 1Y	12.1%	10.1%
Return 3Y	2.1%	-22.7%
3 year annualized return	0.7%	-8.2%
5 year annualized return	1.1%	-4.5%
Volatility (St. deviation)*	2.3%	5.3%
Duration	3.4	
YTM	4.6%	
Sharpe ratio**	1.4	0.3

FUND MANAGER COMMENT

November was a positive month for INVL Emerging Europe Bond subfund which performed in line with the benchmark, both returning 0.6%. Moreover, the fund does have a superior year to date return compared to the wider market (9.0% vs 6.8% respectively).

After spiking by around 0.5% in October, 10-year US government yields remained largely unchanged in November, as investors awaited for more tangible signs of policy shifts from the newly elected US president. In Euro area, with inflation hovering around the European Central Bank's target of 2 percent, risk-free rates continued to turn downwards. In Central Eastern Europe the most significant news came from Romania, where a relatively unknown far-right candidate Calin Georgescu amassed the largest number of voters (~23%) in the first round of presidential elections. While the result was very surprising (early polls estimated for Georgescu not to proceed to the 2nd round of elections), the current expectation is for pro-EU population to unite against Georgescu (in the first round votes were very split between several pro-EU candidates) and vote in favour of a pro-Western liberal candidate Elena Lasconi. In December, Romania's Constitutional Court ordered a re-run of first round due to suspected third party interference.

During the month the fund added one new position to its portfolio – bonds of Romanian CEC Bank. The company is owned by the Romanian government, has strong capitalisation level and conservative leverage metrics, while it issued the bond at an attractive 5.625% yield to maturity. Moreover, we switched to newly issued bonds of Moldavian Trans-Oil. The old notes were tendered at 100.5 price, while the new issue was priced at 11.5% yield, thus solving the company's refinancing needs while offering an attractive yield to investors. Profit was also taken in senior preferred bonds of Luminor (2027 and 2028 issues) as the yield for the issues fell significantly below 4%. Overall, the fund maintains lower interest rate sensitivity than the benchmark (3.4 and 4.0 duration respectively) while having higher yield to maturity (4.6% vs 4.3% respectively).

40% Bloomberg Pan-European High Yield (Euro) TR Index (I02501EU Index)

10% European Central Bank ESTR OIS Index (OISESTR Index)

^{*}Standard deviation is used to measure risk. Standard deviation is an indicator that measures how strongly fund's daily return deviates from its mean. The lower the standard deviation the lower the fund's risk. The standard deviation value corresponds to the period shown in the historical returns graph.

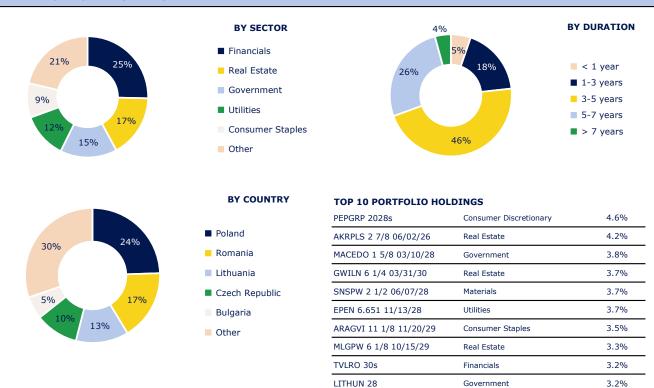
^{**}Sharpe ratio measures the performance of an investment compared to a risk-free asset, after adjusting for its risk. The greater a portfolio's Sharpe ratio, the better its risk-adjusted performance. Sharpe ratio value corresponds to the period shown in the historical returns graph.

***Benchmark index (since 30 November 2023):

^{50%} Bloomberg Pan Euro EM: Europe Total Return Index Unhedged EUR (I04339EU Index)



BREAKDOWN OF INVESTMENTS



REASONS TO INVEST

The Fund does not have exposure to Russian and Belarusian bonds

- Combination of only hard currency (EUR or USD) sovereign and corporate debt ensures attractive yield, while limited credit and duration risk provides for low volatility.
- Fund maintains average investment grade credit rating. Lower government debt levels Central and Eastern Europe 53%, Eurozone 90% (as of the end of Q3 2023).
- Active share of over 80% (creating value through off-benchmark picks, participation in primary issues, inefficiencies in the market).
- Historical Sharpe ratio exceeding 1 places the fund among the best Emerging Europe bond funds in the world by risk-adjusted returns.

COMPANY	CONTACT
SB Asset Management is the investment management company of Šiaulių bankas group. The team of experienced investment managers is one of the largest and most capable in the Baltic States and has been managing clients' assets since 2003. Investment managers make investment decisions on behalf of more than EUR 1.5 billion of clients assets. Investment managers are guided by the principles of long-term investing and fundamental investment analysis while specializing in Central and Eastern European equity and bond markets. The team flexibly take advantage of investment opportunities that arise in the markets. The managers' expertise is proven by consistently high ratings in international fund rankings.	SB Asset Management Gyneju 14, 01109 Vilnius, Lithuania +370 37 301 337 info@sb.lt http://www.sb.lt

Performance presented in the factsheet represents only fund's past performance results, which is no guarantee for future results. Investment return and principal value will fluctuate, so your investments may have a gain or loss. Current today's performance may be higher or lower than that quoted in the factsheet. The Management Company does not guarantee fund's performance results or ensure profit against loss. Please visit www.sb.lt for most recent month-end performance.

Before investing, please consider the funds' investment objectives, risks, and fees applied. To obtain more information about the fund, please visit www.sb.lt, where you can find fund's key facts, NAV's, Rules, Prospectus and KIID which contain this and other important information.

All funds presented in the factsheet has benchmark. Benchmark indexes and their composition is selected to more accurately reflect the fund's investment strategy, defined in fund Rules and Prospectus.

All information and review of funds' past performance results cannot be considered as personal recommendation to invest in investment funds, managed by SB Asset Management. Any information presented herein cannot be part or included in any transaction or agreement whatsoever. While this review was prepared and concluded based on the content of reliable sources, SB Asset Management is not responsible for any inaccuracies or changes in such information, including losses that may occur when investments are made based on information presented herein.

Breakdown of top holdings and investment characteristics is based on a look-through approach using feeder fund's investment into master fund.