# **Key Investor Information**

This document provides you with key investor information about this fund. It is not marketing material. The information is required by law to help you understand the nature and the risks of investing in this fund. You are advised to read it so you can make an informed decision about whether to invest.

# SEB Sustainable High Yield Fund – a sub-fund of SEB High Yield

#### Class D (EUR) (LU0120526693)

Management Company: SEB Investment Management AB, part of the SEB Group.

#### **Objectives and Investment Policy**

SEB Sustainable High Yield Fund aims to create long-term capital growth taking into account the risk level of the fund as well as specific sustainability criteria. This actively managed fund focuses on fixed-income securities from issuers in the US and Europe.

The main categories of financial instruments are corporate bonds, government bonds and other debt instruments. The fund invests primarily in bonds issued by companies with lower credit ratings: non-investment grade or high yield bonds. Bonds classified as high yield bonds have a credit rating varying from BB+ to D on Standard & Poor's scale or the equivalent, where D has the highest risk. The fund does not invest in high yield bonds with a lower credit rating than C on Standard & Poor's scale or the equivalent. The fund manager performs both a sustainability and a credit risk assessment prior to investing. The fund applies positive as well as negative screening. The positive screening aims to identify sustainable companies, where environmental, social and governance ("ESG") factors are evaluated before investments are made. The fund focuses on investing in companies that enable it to maintain a high average ESG score in the portfolio and to avoid companies with the lowest ESG scores. Negative screening involves excluding companies that breach

## **Risk and Reward Profile**

Lower risk					Higher risk	
Potentially lower reward				Ро	tentially hig	ther reward
1	2	3	4	5	6	7

The risk and reward indicator illustrates the relationship between risk and the expected return for the fund. The higher the fund is positioned on this scale, the greater the possible reward, but also the greater risk of losing money. Category 1 does not mean that the investment is risk free.

The risk category is calculated using historical data or simulated historical performance when actual historical data is insufficient. Past performance may not be a reliable indicator of the fund's future risk and reward profile.

This fund is in category 3. This means that the risk for value changes in the fund is low. This category may change over time.

The risk in the fund is primarily due to a lower credit rating of the fund's investments. Additionally, since the fund invests in high yield bonds (bonds with lower credit ratings) this indicates a higher liquidity risk. The fund may not be suitable in a low yield, low volatility investment environment.

international norms regarding labour legislation, anti-corruption, the environment and human rights. The fund does not invest in companies that produce or sell controversial weapons, participate in the development of nuclear weapon programmes or produce nuclear weapons. The fund follows specific exclusion criteria regarding companies whose business activities involve weapons, tobacco, cannabis for non-medical use, alcohol, commercial gambling and pornography. Additionally, the fund does not invest in companies that extract coal, gas or oil.

Derivatives may be used to achieve investment objectives or for hedging. Derivatives are a type of financial instrument, the value of which is derived from underlying financial instruments.

The fund follows the management company's sustainability policy when making investments. Our sustainability policy is available on https://sebgroup.lu/policies

Generally, investors can buy or sell units of the fund on any bank business day in Luxembourg except 24 and 31 December. The unit class is distributing.

Recommendation: this fund may not be appropriate for investors who plan to withdraw their money within 3 year(s).

The following risks are not fully reflected in the above classification but still influence the fund's value:

**Credit risk** - the fund invests directly or indirectly in bonds or other fixed income related instruments. If an issuer of a bond fails to pay the interest and principal amount on time, the bond could lose up to its entire value.

**Counterparty risk** - if a counterparty does not fulfill its obligations to the fund (e.g. not paying an agreed amount or not delivering securities as agreed).

**Interest rate risk** - debt instruments may be subject to price fluctuations due to interest rates changes. When interest rates rise, bond values usually decline. When interest rates decline, bond values usually rise.

**Liquidity risk** - some of the assets of the fund may become difficult to sell at a certain time and for a reasonable price.

**Operational risk** - the risk of loss resulting from e.g. system breakdowns, human errors or from external events.

**Currency risk** - the fund invests in securities that are issued in currencies other than the base currency of the fund. As a result the fund is subject to currency risk, which arises from changes in the exchange rates.

**Derivatives risk** - the fund may use derivatives, these are financial instruments whose value depends on the value of an underlying asset. Small price changes in the underlying asset can result in large price changes of the derivative.



## Charges

One-off charges taken before or after you invest	
Entry charge	1.00%
Exit charge	0.00%

(entry charge) or before the proceeds of your investment are paid out (exit charge).

Charges taken from the fund over a year		
Ongoing charges	0.96%	

Charges taken from the fund under certain specific conditions					
Performance fee	0.00%				
Calculation: 12% of the returns above the fund's prev	0 1				

it at the same time is above the fixed percentage rate of 5% per year. The performance fee is calculated daily.

#### **Past Performance**



## **Practical Information**

The fund's depositary is Skandinaviska Enskilda Banken AB (publ), Luxembourg Branch.

You can obtain the prospectus, latest annual and semi-annual reports in the language of this document as well as information on how to subscribe units, on any minimum investment amount and on the latest prices free of charge from www.sebgroup.lu.

The fund is subject to the specific tax legislation of Luxembourg and this may have an impact on your personal tax situation. SEB Investment Management AB may be held liable solely on the basis of any statement contained in this document that is misleading, inaccurate or inconsistent with the relevant parts of the prospectus of the fund.

This key investor information document describes one unit class of a sub-fund of SEB High Yield, while the prospectus, latest annual and semi-annual report are prepared for the entire SEB High Yield.

For the other unit classes of SEB Sustainable High Yield Fund you can obtain the prospectus, latest annual and semi-annual reports in the language of this document as well as information on how to subscribe units and on the latest prices free of charge from www.sebgroup.lu.

You can convert units of the fund/class into units of another subfund/class of SEB High Yield. More detailed information can be found in the section regarding conversion of units in the fund's prospectus, available at www.sebgroup.lu. The entry and exit charges shown are maximum figures. In some cases you might pay less - more information can be obtained from your financial adviser or distributor. Ongoing charges are used to pay the costs of running the fund, including the costs of marketing and distribution.

The ongoing charges figure is an estimate based on the projected costs for the fund. The figure is estimated because the costs for the fund or unit class have changed since the last reference period. The figure may vary from year to year. Transaction costs and performance fees are not included in ongoing charges. The fund's annual report describes the exact charges.

All charges reduce the potential growth of your investment. More information on charges, including information on how the performance fee is calculated can be found in the section regarding costs in the fund's prospectus, available at www.sebgroup.lu.

> The fund was launched in 2000. The unit class was launched in 2000. For the calculation of past performance all charges and fees are included, except any entry and exit charges you may have paid when buying or selling units of the fund. The past performance is calculated in EUR.

The past performance of the fund is no guarantee for future performance.

Assets and liabilities of each sub-fund of the SEB High Yield are segregated by law, therefore, only the profit or loss of the SEB Sustainable High Yield Fund has an impact on your investment.

A paper copy of the detailed and up-to-date remuneration policy of the Management Company, including a description of how remuneration and benefits are calculated, the identity of persons responsible for awarding the remuneration and benefits, is available free of charge at its registered office and on https://sebgroup.lu/policies

This fund is authorised in Luxembourg and regulated by the Commission de Surveillance du Secteur Financier. SEB Investment Management AB is authorised in Sweden and regulated by Finansinspektionen.

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