

# Key Information Document

UBAM - EM Responsible Corporate Bond (the "Fund")

Class: UD USD - ISIN: LU1668161067



## 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

Name: UBAM - EM Responsible Corporate Bond UD USD

Product manufacturer: UBP Asset Management (Europe) S.A.

ISIN: LU1668161067

Website: [www.ubp.com](http://www.ubp.com)

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The Commission de Surveillance du Secteur Financier (CSSF) in Luxembourg is the competent authority of the product manufacturer and of the Fund.

This KID is accurate as at 1<sup>st</sup> January 2023.

## What is this product?

### TYPE OF PRODUCT

The Fund is a sub-fund of UBAM, an Undertaking for Collective Investment in Transferable Securities (UCITS) incorporated as a variable capital investment company (SICAV) under the laws of Luxembourg.

### TERM

The Fund is established for an unlimited duration. However the Board of Directors of the Fund may decide on its pure and simple liquidation if its net assets represent less than EUR 10 million (or equivalent value in another currency) or if the economic and/or political environment was to change or for any economic and financial reasons for which the Board of Directors considers that it is in the general best interests of shareholders to liquidate the Fund.

### OBJECTIVES

The Fund seeks to grow capital and generate income by investing primarily in Emerging countries corporate bonds.

The Fund is actively managed and invests in bonds with a minimum rating of B- (S&P or Fitch), B3 (Moody's) or an equivalent rating by another rating agency. As an exception to this rule, the Fund may invest up to 15% of its net assets in products/issuers with a lower rating and up to 15% in non-rated products/issuers.

The Fund invests mainly in currencies of OECD countries.

The currency risk against USD will be largely hedged.

The investment strategy relies on credit and macroeconomic assessment, Environmental, Social and Governance (ESG) analysis as well as on relative value.

The sustainable objectives of the Fund are to provide:

- a lower carbon footprint than its investment universe, as measured by the JP Morgan Corporate EMBI Diversified Index ("the Benchmark")
- a higher ESG Quality Score than its Benchmark as measured using the MSCI ESG research.

The investment process includes a first phase of investment universe filtering and a second phase of ESG bottom-up research.

The first phase consists in selecting issuers with sound ESG quality and avoids controversial business activities as well as companies in breach of international norms (norms-based screening).

Selected issuers have to carry an ESG rating from MSCI ESG research with a minimum of BB. As an exception of this rule, up to 10% of the net assets can be invested in non-rated bonds.

The second phase integrates ESG considerations into the issuers' qualitative credit assessment conducted by the Investment Manager. This analysis relies on different sources of information and data as well as external ESG data and scoring providers.

The ESG analysis covers at least 90% of the Fund's portfolio.

The Fund uses the Benchmark for performance objective. The Benchmark is not representative of the risk profile of the Fund and the performance of the Fund is likely to be significantly different from that of the Benchmark because the Investment Manager has significant discretion to deviate from its securities and weighting.

The Benchmark is not aligned with the environmental and/or social characteristics promoted by the Fund.

The Fund may invest its net assets up to:

- 100% in High yield
- 100% in Emerging countries. *This exposure can be increased up to 120% through derivatives*
- 20% in Contingent Convertible bonds (CoCos).

High yield bonds are issued by entities whose activity is more sensitive to the economic cycle and pay higher interest. The return on such securities, in the same way as their level of risk, is therefore higher than traditional bond products.

The Fund's base currency is USD.

Any income received by the Fund is distributed (distribution share class).

### INTENDED RETAIL INVESTORS

The Fund is suitable for retail investors with average knowledge of the underlying financial instruments and some financial industry experience. The Fund is compatible with investors who may bear capital losses and who do not need capital guarantee. The Fund is compatible with clients who wish to hold their investment over 3 years.

### OTHER INFORMATION

The depositary is BNP Paribas S.A., Luxembourg Branch.

The registrar and transfer agent is Caceis Bank, Luxembourg Branch.

Further information about the Fund (including the prospectus, latest annual and semi-annual reports, latest NAVs) are available free of charge on [www.ubp.com](http://www.ubp.com) or by making a written request to the registered office of the product manufacturer.

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

### Risk indicator



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

The risk can be significantly different 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 the Fund is not able to pay you.

### 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 a suitable proxy over the last 10 years. Markets could develop very differently in the future.

Recommended holding period: Example investment:		3 years USD 10'000		
		If you exit after 1 year	If you exit after 3 years	
<b>Scenarios</b>				
Minimum	There is no minimum guaranteed return. You could lose some or all of your investment.			
Stress scenario	What you might get back after costs	USD 7'150	USD 7'220	
	Average return each year	-28.5%	-8.3%	
Unfavourable scenario	What you might get back after costs	USD 8'230	USD 8'230	This type of scenario occurred for an investment in the product between June 2021 and June 2022.
	Average return each year	-17.7%	-6.3%	
Moderate scenario	What you might get back after costs	USD 10'090	USD 10'970	This type of scenario occurred for an investment in the proxy then the product between September 2015 and September 2018.
	Average return each year	0.9%	3.1%	
Favourable scenario	What you might get back after costs	USD 10'850	USD 11'670	This type of scenario occurred for an investment in the product between August 2018 and August 2021.
	Average return each year	8.5%	5.3%	

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

## What happens if the product is unable to pay out?

There is no guarantee in place against the default of the Fund and you could lose your capital if this happens.

The Fund's assets are held with BNP Paribas S.A., Luxembourg Branch and are segregated from the assets of other sub-funds of the SICAV. The assets of the Fund cannot be used to pay the debts of other sub-funds.

## 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.
- USD 10'000 is invested

Investment of USD 10'000	If you exit after 1 year	If you exit after 3 years
Total costs	USD 449	USD 837
Annual cost impact (*)	4.5%	2.6%

(\*) 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 5.7% before costs and 3.1% after costs.

## Composition of costs

One-off costs upon entry or exit		If you exit after 1 year
Entry costs	Up to 3.00% of the amount you pay in when entering this Investment.	Up to USD 300
Exit costs	There is no exit fee for this product.	USD 0
Ongoing costs taken each year		
Management fees and other administrative or operating costs	1.23% of the value of your investment per year. This is an estimate based on actual costs over the last year.	USD 123
Transaction costs	0.26% 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.	USD 26
Incidental costs taken under specific conditions		
Performance fees	There is no performance fee for this product.	USD 0

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

### Recommended Holding Period (RHP): 3 years.

The RHP was chosen to provide a consistent return less dependent on market fluctuations.

The Net Asset Value (NAV) is daily except if it is not a full bank business day in Luxembourg or in the United States (each a Business Day). The NAV is calculated the following full bank business day in Luxembourg (Calculation Day). Redemptions are possible on each NAV date. All redemption requests must be received in good order by the registrar and transfer agent prior to 13:00 (Luxembourg time) one (1) full bank business day in Luxembourg prior to the Calculation Day. Redemption proceeds shall be paid within two (2) Business Days following the Calculation Day.

Details of the closing days are available here: <https://www.ubp.com/en/our-offices/ubp-asset-management-europe-sa>.

## How can I complain?

Complaints can be sent in written form by e-mail ([LuxUBPAMcompliance@ubp.com](mailto:LuxUBPAMcompliance@ubp.com)) or to the following address of the product manufacturer at: UBP Asset Management (Europe) S.A., 287-289, route d'Arlon, L-1150 Luxembourg, Luxembourg.

## Other relevant information

Further information about the Fund (including the prospectus, latest annual and semi-annual reports, latest NAVs) are available free of charge on [www.ubp.com](http://www.ubp.com) or by making a written request to the registered office of the product manufacturer.

The past performance over last 4 years and the latest performance scenarios are available on website [https://download.alphaomega.lu/perfscenario\\_LU1668161067\\_CH\\_en.pdf](https://download.alphaomega.lu/perfscenario_LU1668161067_CH_en.pdf).

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