



#### Past performance does not predict future results.

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# Impax Global High Yield Fund

The Impax Global High Yield Fund is a core, global high yield fund incorporating sustainability analysis into credit research and selection.

The Fund celebrates 10 years of delivering compelling relative outperformance<sup>2</sup> vs. its benchmark and peers.<sup>3</sup>

The Impax Global High Yield Fund is actively managed by a highly experienced credit team with a strong track record of delivering excess returns since Fund inception in 2015. Senior Portfolio Managers Klaus Blaabjerg and Peter Dabros have an average of 25 years of credit experience and have worked together since 2012. The experienced team focuses on relative value and default risk, combined with a robust risk management and portfolio construction process. The Fund is actively managed with reference to, but not constrained by a benchmark.

Overall Morningstar Rating™ as at 31 May 2025⁴							
Category: Global High Yield Bond - EUR Hedged		Share class X EUR Acc  ★★★★	Out of 653 funds				
Ratings	3-year	***	Out of 653 funds				
	5-year	****	Out of 545 funds				
	10-year	****	Out of 289 funds				
Total return percentile rankings	3-year	11	Out of 653 funds				
	5-year	5	Out of 545 funds				
	10-year	2	Out of 289 funds				

Figures refer to the past and that past performance is not a reliable indicator of future results.

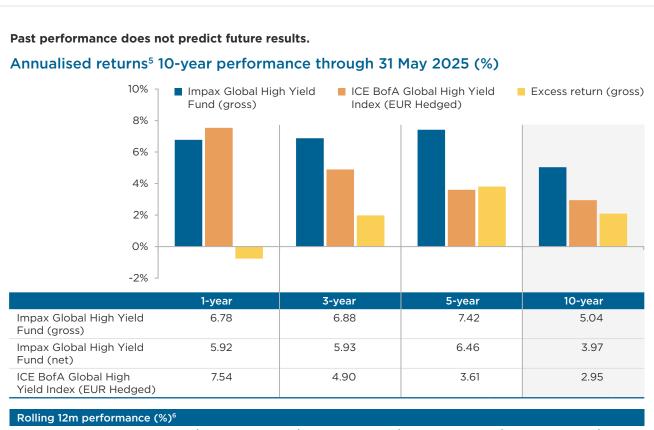
- 1 "Professional and institutional investor" within the meaning of the EU Directive 2014/65/EU on markets in financial instruments (MiFID II) and the UK Financial Conduct Authority COBS 3.5; "Qualified investor" as defined by CISA, Switzerland.
- 2 Please refer to the annualised fund and the benchmark (ICE BofA Global High Yield Index (EUR Hedged)) returns on page 2 of this document.
- 3 Peers defined by Morningstar category: Global High Yield EUR Hedged Bond.

The Morningstar Ratings<sup>™</sup> shown are as at 31 May 2025. The Morningstar Rating for funds, or "star rating", is a purely quantitative, backward-looking measure of a fund's past performance, measured from one to five stars, with one star the lowest rating, and five stars the highest rating. The Morningstar Rating methodology rates funds within the same Morningstar Category based on an enhanced Morningstar Risk-Adjusted Return measure. The Morningstar category of Global High Yield − EUR Hedged Bond is defined as: funds that invest principally in sub-investment grade securities with a credit quality equivalent to BB, or lower. They invest globally across the currency spectrum and normally hedge their currency exposure back into EUR. For more information on the Morningstar star ratings, please refer to the Morningstar star ratings methodology at the end of this document.



### The Impax Global High Yield Fund has outperformed across the changing credit environments of the past decade

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Rolling 12m performance (%	) <sup>6</sup>				
	5/2024 - 5/2025	5/2023 - 5/2024	5/2022 - 5/2023	5/2021 - 5/2022	5/2020 - 5/2021
Impax Global High Yield Fund (gross)	6.78	15.14	-0.69	-5.16	23.52
Impax Global High Yield Fund (net)	5.92	14.07	-1.62	-6.03	22.43
ICE BofA Global High Yield Index (EUR Hedged)	7.54	9.97	-2.39	-9.19	13.93
	5/2019 - 5/2020	5/2018 - 5/2019	5/2017 - 5/2018	5/2016 - 5/2017	5/2015 - 5/2016
Impax Global High Yield Fund (gross)	-5.20	0.94	3.37	21.53	-4.95
Impax Global High Yield Fund (net)	-6.21	-0.13	2.19	20.04	-6.09
ICE BofA Global High Yield Index (EUR Hedged)	-1.73	2.80	-0.13	11.61	-0.49

- Figures refer to the past and that past performance is not a reliable indicator of future results. Performance shown is gross, if net performance was used, returns would be lower. For the Fund's full performance history, please refer to the tables above. Returns one year and longer are annualized. Gross = Performance before deducting administrative fees of the investment company, other administrative fees and asset manager fees. For performance in currencies other than share class base currency, data converted using WM Reuters FX rates. Fund inception date: March 2015; first full month of performance history since inception: April 2015. ICE BofA Global High Yield (HW00 EUR Hedged) - tracks the performance of USD, CAD, GBP and EUR denominated below investment grade corporate debt publicly issued in the major domestic or eurobond markets. Source: Impax, ICE, Bloomberg and Absalon Capital. Performance shown is for Absalon Global High Yield Fund share class I which was merged into the Impax Global High Yield Fund on 12 July 2024. Please refer to the end of this document for Impax merger details. As at 31 May 2025.
- Figures refer to the past and that past performance is not a reliable indicator of future results. Source: Bloomberg as at 31 May 2025. For performance in currencies other than share class base currency, data converted using WM Reuters FX rates. Performance is shown both gross and net of ongoing charges and portfolio costs, with net-income reinvested. Inception date: May 2015. Performance shown is for Absalon Global High Yield Fund share class I which was merged into the Impax Global High Yield Fund on 12 July 2024. Please refer to the end of this document for Impax merger details. As at 31 May 2025.

## The Impax Global High Yield Fund offers investors:



### Credit expertise

A team of experienced<sup>7</sup> professionals evaluate each investment to ensure it meets our high standards for credit quality and risk management.



### Robust process

Disciplined and repeatable investment process combines rigorous research, quantitative analysis and qualitative insights, to ensure consistency and reliability in our investment decisions.



### **Authentic** global approach

A true global approach enables a larger opportunity set and seeks to capture diversified sources of alpha.



### Differentiated capabilities

An active and dynamic portfolio with a focus on relative value, security selection and managing default risk.



### Risk aware portfolio

Risk management is embedded in every part of the investment process, while underperformers are reduced to limit risk.



### Sustainability risk focus

Impax's Sustainability Framework for Fixed Income<sup>8</sup> helps to identify and manage sustainability risks across a broad range of sectors, enhancing credit research and improving the potential for excess returns.

Impax's Fixed Income Portfolio Management & Research team members average 22 years of experience. In house, proprietary tool used to manage sustainability risks and improve overall credit profiles.

## The Impax Global High Yield Fund leverages a multi-disciplinary Fixed Income platform

### Our objective

We seek to outperform the benchmark over a market cycle9 by actively selecting fundamentally attractive high yield securities offering compelling relative value.

We proactively manage risks by combining fundamental research with an assessment of sustainability risks and opportunities.

### Our approach



Draw upon an experienced cross-sector investment team and a disciplined investment process.



Intense focus on security selection and relative value with individual credits researched by Impax's Global Credit Research platform.



Identify and manage sustainability risks by using Impax's Sustainability Framework for Fixed Income.<sup>10</sup>

## Key facts

Available share classes	GBP, EUR, USD, CHF, NOK (hedged and unhedged) AMC: <sup>11</sup> 0.40%-1.20% depending on class
Inception date <sup>12</sup>	March 2015
Liquidity	Daily
Vehicle	UCITS (Dublin)
Asset class	Global High Yield
Process	Active bottom-up, fundamental research driven credit selection with full sustainability analysis integration
Benchmark <sup>13</sup>	ICE BofA Global High Yield Index (EUR Hedged)
Portfolio managers	Klaus Blaabjerg, Peter Dabros
SFDR classification <sup>14</sup>	Article 8

## Portfolio managers



Klaus Blaabjerg Senior Portfolio Manager Read biography



**Peter Dabros** Senior Portfolio Manager Read biography

- Market cycle defined here as three to five years.
- 10 In house, proprietary tool used to manage sustainability risks and improve overall credit profiles.
- An annual management charge (AMC), or management fee, is a fee charged by investment funds for managing and operating the fund.
- 12 The Absalon Global High Yield Fund ("The Absalon Fund") was launched 4 March 2015. On 12 July 2024, the Absalon Fund was merged into the newly-established Impax Global High Yield Fund ("the Impax Fund"), in a UCITS cross-border merger, following regulatory and shareholder approval. Any information and data that is pre-merger relates to the Absalon I share class, and any post-merger is illustrative of the performance of the Absalon I share class from launch up to the merger date, combined with the performance of the Impax X share class from the merger date onwards. N.B. the Annual Management Charge is the same (0.65%) for Absalon I share class and Impax X share class.
- 13 The Fund is actively managed with reference to, but not constrained by a benchmark
- 14 For European investors only: For the purposes of the Sustainable Finance Disclosure Regulation (EU) 2019/2088, products aligned to this strategy have been classified Article 8.

## Impax Global High Yield Fund risk and reward profile

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Lower risk Higher risk

The risk and reward indicator is calculated on the basis of the share class volatility (the ups and downs in its value) over the prior 5 year period.

In addition to the above, the risk and reward indicator:

- is based on historical data and may not be a reliable indication for the future;
- the Fund is in category 5 because of the mediumhigh range and frequency of price movements of the underlying investments the Fund invests in;
- the category is not guaranteed and may change over time; and
- the risk categorisation of the Fund may shift over time.

The lowest category does not mean that a share class is risk free. Your initial investment is not guaranteed.

# Please refer to risks (a) to (m) in the 'Key risks' section on page 6 of this document.

An extended discussion of the risks associated with an investment in the Fund is set out in the Prospectus under 'The Company – General Risk Factors', as well as the Fund Supplement.

<u>Please visit the Fund's webpage</u> for further information on sustainability-related aspects of this Fund under section 'Sustainability-related disclosures'.





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#### Specific fund risks

- a. Market risk: The Fund's investments are subject to market fluctuations, so they can fall as well as rise in value.
- Currency risk: The Fund's underlying currency is EURO. Fluctuation in exchange rates may reduce investment gains or income, and increase losses, for both, the Fund's investments in currencies other than EURO and/or for your own investments in non-EURO share classes. Currency-hedged share classes seek to limit currency risk by reducing the effect of exchange rate fluctuations between the share class currency and any currency exposures within the Fund.
- Derivative risk: The primary risks associated with the use of derivatives are (i) failure to predict accurately the direction of the market movements and (ii) market risks, for example, lack of liquidity or lack of correlation between the change in the value of the underlying asset and that of the value of the Fund's derivatives.
- Liquidity risk: Substantial selling by shareholders may necessitate the Investment Manager having to sell investments, incurring losses that would otherwise not have arisen.
- Sustainability risk: Sustainability risks are environmental, social and governance events or conditions whose occurrence could have an actual or potential material negative impact on the value of the Fund and all known types of risk of the Fund.

#### **General risks**

- Cross liability between funds: The Company is established as a segregated portfolio company. As a matter of Irish law, the assets of one Fund will not be available to satisfy the liabilities of another. However, the Company is a single legal entity which may operate or have assets held on its behalf or be subject to claims in other jurisdictions which may not necessarily recognise such segregation. There is no guarantee that the courts of any jurisdiction outside Ireland will respect the limitations on liability associated with segregated portfolio companies nor is there any guarantee that the creditors of one Fund will not seek to enforce such Fund's obligations against another Fund.
- Expenses charged to capital: Shareholders should note that all or part of expenses may be charged to the capital of a Fund in order to enhance distribution levels. This will have the effect of lowering the capital value of an investment in a Fund.
- Substantial repurchases: Substantial repurchases by Shareholders may necessitate liquidation of investments. It is possible that losses may be incurred due to such liquidations that might otherwise not have arisen.
- i. Temporary suspension: Investors are reminded that in certain circumstances their right to redeem or convert Shares may be temporarily suspended.
- Dependence on the principals of the Investment Manager: The principals of the Investment Manager have authority j. to control the investment management of the Company. If, for any reason, the Investment Manager were to lose the services of these individuals, the Company might be adversely affected.
- Performance fee: Any Performance Fee paid to the Investment Manager may create an incentive for the Investment Manager to cause a Fund to make investments that are riskier or more speculative than would be the case if there was no Performance Fee in place.
- Political or regulatory risks: The value of a Fund's assets may be affected by uncertainties such as international political developments, changes in government policies, changes in taxation, restrictions in foreign investment and currency repatriation, currency fluctuations and other developments in the laws and regulations of countries in which investments may be made.
- m. Controlling shareholder: There is no restriction on the percentage of the Company's Shares that may be owned by one person or a number of connected persons. It is possible, therefore, that one person, including a person or entity related to the Manager or the Investment Manager, may obtain control of the Company or of a Fund.



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#### Important information (continued)

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