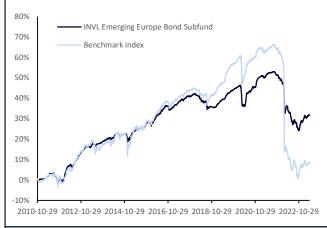


STRATEGY	FACTS	
The objective of the subfund is to ensure balanced growth of the assets of the subfund by investing at least 85 percent of its net assets in the investment units of Class I of the subfund INVL Emerging Europe Bond Fund (hereinafter – the Master Subfund) of the umbrella investment fund 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 Subfund invests up to 100 percent of its assets in government and corporate debt securities in Emerging Europe.  Recommended investment term – minimum 1 - 2 years.	Management company ISIN code Inception date Minimum investment AUM, EUR M Strategy AUM, EUR M Management fee Currency Countries of distribution	INVL Asset Management LTIF00000468 2010-10-29 EUR 0 7,5 334 0,45% EUR Lithuania, Latvia, Denmark, Finland, Norway, Germany

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

## **RESULTS**



	Fund	Benchmark ***
Return YTD	2,6%	2,3%
Return 1Y	-2,1%	-3,2%
Return 3Y	-3,6%	-28,0%
3 year annualized return	-1,2%	-10,4%
5 year annualized return	-1,2%	-5,3%
Volatility (St. deviation)*	2,4%	5,6%
Duration	2,7	
YTM	7,2%	
Sharpe ratio**	0,9	0,1

#### **FUND MANAGER COMMENT**

In April, INVL Emerging Europe bond subfund unit's value increased by 0.5% and slightly outperformed the benchmark index which printed a 0.4% gain. Year-to-date the fund generated 0.4% relative outperformance against the benchmark (2.6% compared to 2.2%) but managed to do that with lower

On both ends of the curve yields have moved minimally over the month. Central bankers both in Europe and the US continue to signal that their fight against inflation is not over yet, so higher interest rates may have to stay in restrictive territory for longer. Nevertheless, markets are expecting rather sharp interest cuts towards the second half of 2023 already (especially in the US), so with less confidence in crisis management capabilities of the central banks seen at the outset of covid, there is still a dislocation between what the central bankers are saying and what the market thinks. Although headline inflation numbers for March were favorable in the US, core inflation proved to be stickier once again with prices climbing 0.4% month-on-month and not dissipating as quickly as wanted.

Both sovereign and corporate bond spreads were rather stable over April as there were no decisions by the FED or ECB. CEE economies were one step ahead in the cycle and seem to have already reached peak interest rate levels - Romania, Poland, Hungary have all kept their policy rates untouched (at 7%, 6.75% and 12.5% respectively). Fund's main positive contributors over the last month were Kernel Holding, PKO Bank, Romania government and PKN Orlen. Nearly all the bond issues experienced a positive monthly return. Over the month, the fund fully sold its holdings in Arcelik and has opened 2 new investment positions - Teva Pharmaceuticals (one of globally leading generic medicine producers at higher than 7% YTM in EUR) and Banca Transilvania bonds (largest commercial bank in Romania issued the bond at close to 9% YTM in EUR). The fund continues to keep somewhat lower duration at around 2.8 years while maintaining YTM after hedge at 7.4% and positioning itself by being exposed towards high quality corporates.

<sup>\*</sup>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.

<sup>\*\*</sup>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:

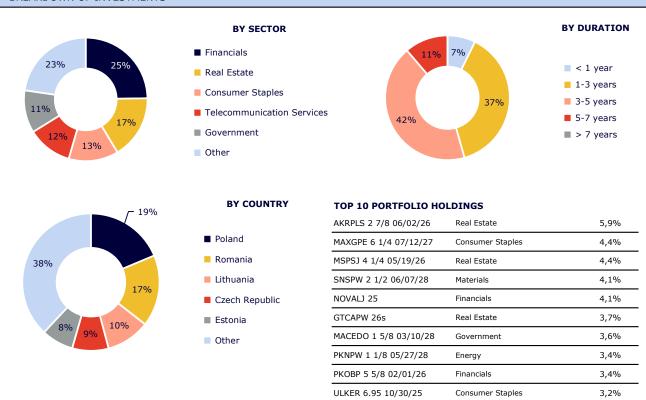
<sup>50%</sup> JP Morgan Euro Emerging Markets Bond Index (EMBI) Global Diversified Europe (JPEFEUR Index)

<sup>40%</sup> Bloomberg Pan-European High Yield (Euro) TR Index (I02501EU Index)

<sup>10%</sup> European Central Bank ESTR OIS Index (OISESTR Index)



## **BREAKDOWN OF INVESTMENTS**



# The Fund does not invest and does not have exposure to Russian and Belarusian bonds

#### **REASONS TO INVEST**

- · Combination of only hard currency (EUR or USD) sovereign and corporate debt ensures attractive yield, while limited credit and duration risk
- Fund maintains average investment grade credit rating. Lower government debt levels Central and Eastern Europe 51%, Eurozone 93% (as of the end of Q3 2022).
- · Active share of over 80% (creating value through off-benchmark picks, participation in primary issues, inefficiencies in the market).
- Historical Sharpe ratio exceeding 0.9 places the fund among the best Emerging Markets bond funds in the world by risk-adjusted returns.

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