



Algebris Macro Credit Fund (UCITS)

I EUR (Accumulating)

December 2019

Terms	
Size (€):	529m
Fund Inception:	19 July 2016
Fund Domicile:	Ireland
Fund Base Currency:	EUR
Dealing Frequency:	Daily
ISIN:	IE00BYT35D51
Management Fee:	0.9%
Incentive Fee:	15%

Fund Objective

The Algebris Macro Credit Fund aims to generate attractive risk-adjusted returns across sovereign, bank and corporate debt globally, hedging macro risks and optimising diversification and liquidity.

The Fund adopts a multi-strategy, flexible approach, and has the ability to take long and short positions, employ prudent leverage and use derivatives where appropriate.

Risk Profile

Lower Risk	Higher Risk
Typically lower rewards	Typically higher rewards

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Note: The synthetic risk and reward indicator (SRRI) is based on the historical data and may not be a reliable indication for the future. It is calculated using the volatility of the Fund's weekly performance over a five-year period. A score of 4 means the Fund's historic volatility is between 5% and 10%.

Portfolio Characteristics		
	Bond Portfolio	Total Portfolio
Yield to Maturity	5.2%	4.8%
Yield to Call	4.9%	4.5%
Rates duration	2.8 yrs	3.4 yrs
Spread duration	2.7 yrs	1.1 yrs
Average Rating	BB	BBB-
No. of Issuers	54	71/72*

Note: Position ratings are calculated using an internal model. Bond Portfolio includes long single bond positions held in cash bonds and total return swaps, and excludes cash equivalent government debt (e.g. U.S. T-Bills). Total Portfolio includes bonds, interest rate futures, interest rate swaps, interest rate options (beta-adjusted for duration calculation) and credit default derivatives. *Includes equities.
Source: FIS, Bloomberg LP, Algebris (UK) Limited

Performance Analytics	
Return Since Inception	14.9%
Annualised Return	4.3%
Annualised Volatility	6.0%
Sharpe Ratio	0.8
2019 Annual Distribution	3.7%

Note: Figures are based on returns for the I EUR (Accumulating) share class, net of management fees, incentive fees and operating expenses and excluding ADL (Anti-Dilution Levy – currently 15bps). The actual price at which an investor subscribes or redeems shares depends on the ADL applied on the relevant dealing day. Further information is contained in the Prospectus. Past performance is not a guarantee of future results.
Annual Distribution refers to the equivalent distributing share class (Id EUR).
Share class inception date: 22 September 2016
Source: HSBC Securities Services (Ireland) DAC, Morningstar

Performance History (Net) % - I EUR (Accumulating)													
	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Year
2016									-0.29	2.05	-0.16	0.50	2.10
2017	2.27	-2.10	1.26	2.13	0.26	-2.03	0.97	0.14	-0.40	3.18	0.06	1.70	7.56
2018	2.80	-3.22	-0.37	0.40	-3.99	-1.65	0.16	-0.96	0.22	-2.88	-4.12	-0.22	-13.19
2019	4.02	0.86	0.86	1.67	-2.37	5.98	2.37	1.53	2.53	0.37	0.03	1.23	20.55

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Top 5 Strategies				Top 5 Countries			
Rank	Strategy	% of AuM	% of VaR	Rank	Country	% of AuM	% of VaR
1	Rates Linear Derivatives	34%	8%	1	Mexico	13%	2%
2	EM Sovereign Local-FX	16%	14%	2	Greece	11%	5%
3	Additional Tier 1	13%	29%	3	Italy	9%	31%
4	DM HY Corporate Credit	10%	3%	4	Spain	7%	11%
5	Fin. Credit (Non AT1)	7%	22%	5	Ukraine	6%	19%

% of AuM: cash instrument exposures correspond to market value; derivatives exposures are delta adjusted; CDS exposures correspond to notional plus present value. VaR Assumptions: 99% confidence interval, 1-month holding period, Monte Carlo simulations assuming a fat-tailed return distribution. Source: FIS, Algebris (UK) Limited

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Commentary

What happened in December: The fund returned between 1.2% and 1.6% across the different share classes (compared to SPX 3.0%, SX5E 1.2%, EUR BAML HY Index 1.1%, US BAML HY Index 2.1%, EM bonds 2.4%). Over the course of December, we continued to buy optionality for an improvement in macro data in assets with upside, like local emerging market debt and equities, while taking profits on the tightest credits in our portfolio. In credit, market valuations look expensive, close to record highs – although there are still selective special situations in banks (Monte Paschi), sovereigns (Ukraine, Egypt) and corporates (Enquest, Hema, Aldesa) which may benefit from a repricing due to positive idiosyncratic factors. The monthly performance was driven by:

- Credit: 166bps, with 184bps from cash credit and -18bps from CDS
- Equity: 40bps
- Rates: -61bps
- FX: 5bps

What we are doing now: Our 2019 performance was in the range of 20-25% with a sharpe ratio of 4-5x, depending on currency and share classes, compared to an average -6% from active credit funds, as reported by HSBC. Around 40-50% of the gains came from alpha trades, i.e. specific events we managed to capture, and the rest from good performance in the underlying asset classes. In 2020, this performance beta will likely be lower, as we start the year with already tight valuations. However, we think the macro environment will provide good opportunities for alpha. In the last decade, central banks were the only game in town, promoting kick-the-can economics with relatively little reforms. Electorates around the world are demanding change: we think the next decade will be less about monetary policy dominance and more about fiscal policy and government intervention ([The Silver Bullet](#) | [The Daring Twenties](#)). This means a world with a less synchronised economic cycle, more idiosyncratic events and ultimately more alpha that can be captured by good observers of the macro-political space. We think 2020 will see an L-shaped recovery and continued geo-political risks between the US and China as well as in the Middle East. The first quarter of the year may see a continuation of the risk-on optimism from late 2019. We prefer capturing this risk-on shift via options, as fundamentals remain fragile. The bulk of our upside optionality is still expressed via EM local currencies as well as non-US equity options. Conversely, we continue to de-risk and to buy protection in our credit book using hedges across Europe and US. We remain long rates as a hedge to the portfolio, however our duration is much lower than last year, as we see limited ammunition from central banks in case of a growth slowdown.

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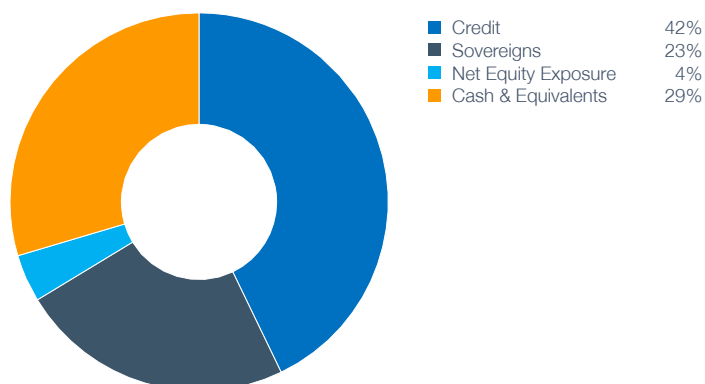
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Performance since Fund Inception



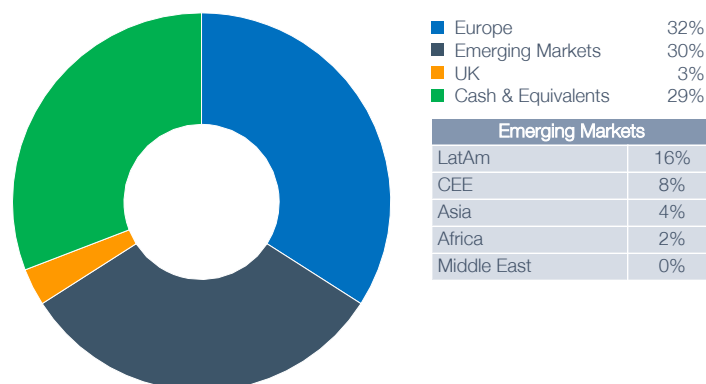
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Asset Allocation (Cash Portfolio)



Exposure as a % of AUM. Credit and Sovereigns include long single bond positions held in cash bonds and total return swaps. Net Equity Exposure includes derivative instruments. Source: FIS, Bloomberg LP, Algebris (UK) Limited

Allocation by Geography (Bond Portfolio)



Exposure as a % of AUM. Includes long single bond positions held in cash bonds and total return swaps. Source: FIS, Bloomberg LP, Algebris (UK) Limited

Sector Breakdown (Bond Portfolio)

Sector	%
Sovereigns	23.0%
Developed Markets Investment Grade Sovereigns	1.4%
Developed Markets High Yield Sovereigns	0.8%
Emerging Markets Sovereigns	20.8%
Corporates	20.0%
Oil & Gas	10.4%
Telecommunications	2.0%
Others	7.7%
Financials	22.1%
Banks	20.4%
Others	1.7%

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Top 10 Holdings by Issuer (Bond Portfolio)

Issuer	%
Petroleos Mexicanos	7.2%
Mexican Government (100% fx-hedged)	5.7%
Ukrainian Republic	5.0%
UniCredit	4.7%
Indonesian Government	3.9%
CaixaBank	2.6%
Banca Monte Dei Paschi di Siena	2.5%
Banco Comercial Portugues	2.4%
Crystal Almond (Wind Hellas)	1.9%
Egyptian Government	1.9%

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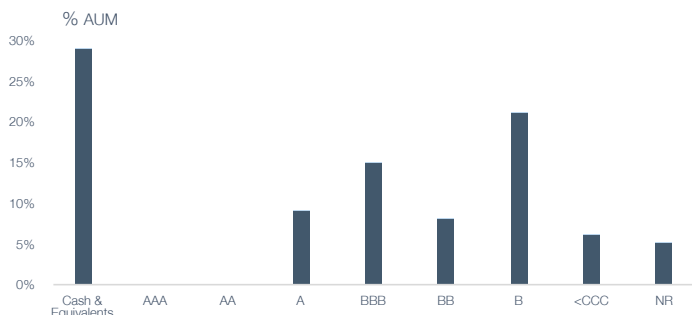


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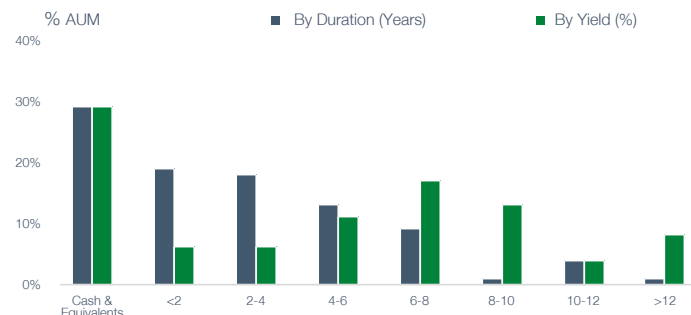
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Ratings Distribution (Bond Portfolio)



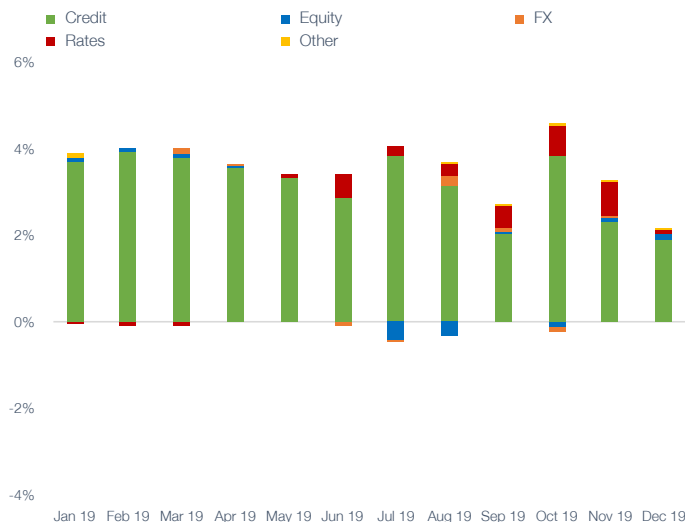
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Yield and Duration Distribution (Bond Portfolio)



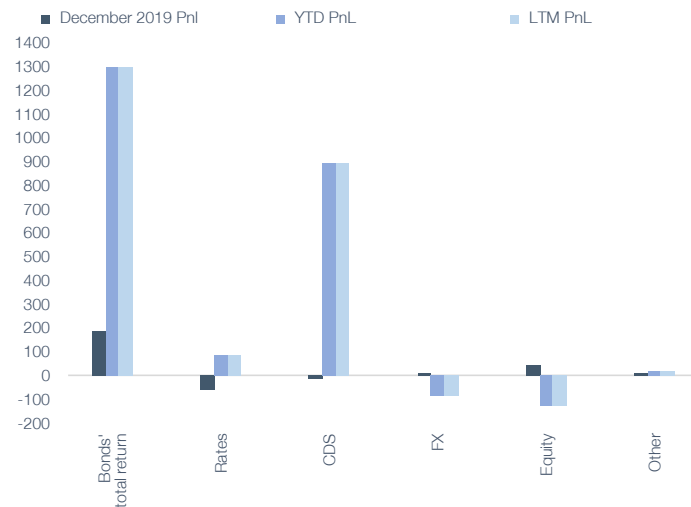
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1-Month VaR - Contribution by Strategy (Last 12 Months)



VaR Assumptions: 99% confidence interval, 1-month holding period, Monte Carlo simulations assuming a fat-tailed return distribution. FX includes FX hedging forwards. Source: Statpro (until 30.06.2019), FIS (from 01.07.2019), Algebris (UK) Limited

PnL by Strategy (Last 12 Months)



PnL as % of average AUM during the period, in bps. Gross of fees and expenses. LTM – Last Twelve Months. Past performance is not a guarantee of future results. Source: Bloomberg LP, Algebris (UK) Limited.

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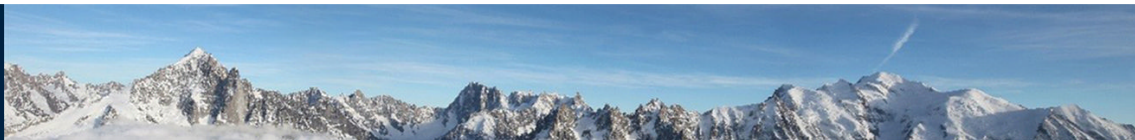
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Share Classes			Identifiers	
Class	Currency	Minimum Initial Investment	ISIN	BBG ticker
I	EUR	€500,000	IE00BYT35D51	SLVBTE ID
	GBP	GBP equivalent of €500,000	IE00BYT35N59	SLVBTI ID
	USD	USD equivalent of €500,000	IE00BYT35S05	SLVBTIU ID
	CHF	CHF equivalent of €500,000	IE00BYT35Q80	SLVBTIC ID
	SGD	SGD equivalent of €500,000	IE00BYT35V34	SLVBTIS ID
	JPY	JPY equivalent of €500,000	IE00BD71VP87	ALGMCIJ ID
Id	EUR	€500,000	IE00BYT35F75	SLVBIDE ID
	GBP	GBP equivalent of €500,000	IE00BYT35P73	SLVBIDG ID
	USD	USD equivalent of €500,000	IE00BYT35T12	SLVBIDU ID
	CHF	CHF equivalent of €500,000	IE00BYT35R97	SLVBIDC ID
	SGD	SGD equivalent of €500,000	IE00BYT35W41	SLVBIDS ID
	JPY	JPY equivalent of €500,000	IE00BD71VQ94	ALMCIDJ ID
R	EUR	€10,000	IE00BYT35X57	SLVBTRE ID
	GBP	GBP equivalent of €10,000	IE00BYT35Z71	SLVBTRG ID
	USD	USD equivalent of €10,000	IE00BYT37C84	SLVBTRU ID
	CHF	CHF equivalent of €10,000	IE00BYT36101	SLVBTRC ID
	SGD	SGD equivalent of €10,000	IE00BYT3MH83	SLVBTRS ID
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