

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

AZ Bond - Frontier Markets Debt
a sub-fund of AZ Fund 1
A-AZ FUND USD (ACC) (ISIN: LU2458359572)

This product is authorised in Luxembourg.

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What is this product?

Type: The Fund is a mutual investment fund qualifying as an undertaking for collective investment in transferable securities (UCITS) established under Luxembourg law.

Term: This product has no specific maturity date.

Azimut Investments S.A. is entitled to terminate the contract unilaterally.

Azimut Investments S.A. may terminate the contract unilaterally inter alia in case of liquidation or merger of the Sub-fund. Please refer to the prospectus for additional information on early termination circumstances.

Objectives

The Sub-fund is Feeder of the “AZ Fund 3 - AZ Bond - Frontier Markets Debt” Sub-fund (the Master). The Feeder shall permanently invest at least 85% of its assets in the MASTER (USD) class of said Master. The objective, investment policy and risk profile of the Feeder and the Master are similar.

The Master's investment objective is to achieve long-term capital growth by actively investing, directly and/or indirectly (through debt securities classed as “Global Depository Notes” (GDN)), at least 60% of its net assets in a diversified portfolio of debt securities issued by governments, supranational institutions and governmental authorities of frontier market countries.

The securities in which the Master invests are traded on both local frontier markets (provided that they are classified as regulated markets) and international regulated markets.

Frontier market issuers are generally rated as sub-investment grade by rating agencies. Less frequently, they are graded as distressed, i.e. CCC+ (or the alphanumeric equivalent) or lower. Consequently, the Master may invest up to 100% of its net assets in debt securities with a sub-investment grade rating, up to 20% of its net assets in distressed securities (including defaulted securities) and up to 15% of its net assets in defaulted securities.

The Master may also invest up to 10% of its net assets in debt securities and money market instruments issued by governments, supranational institutions or governmental authorities of emerging countries that are not classified as frontier market countries.

The Master's prospectus provides that, in exceptionally unfavourable market conditions (such as the 9/11 attacks or the collapse of Lehman Brothers in 2008), on a temporary basis and for as long as is strictly necessary, the Sub-fund may invest up to 100% of its net assets in cash, bank deposits and/or money market instruments, if justified by the interests of investors.

The Sub-fund uses the main derivative financial instruments for investment purposes in order to implement its investment policy and/or for hedging purposes. The Sub-fund aims to keep overall risk below 100% calculated according to the commitment method.

The Sub-fund is actively managed. The 3-month Libor USD + 2.5% is solely used for the purpose of calculating the fulcrum adjustment.

The Sub-fund qualifies as Article 6 of SFDR Regulation.

You may request the redemption of your units on a daily basis.

Dividends are not intended to be distributed. Any income derived from the product is reinvested.

Intended retail investor: The Sub-fund is intended to be marketed to professional investors and retail investors who are able and willing to invest in an emerging market fixed-income-focused Sub-fund, with a high risk grading and to get a return over 7 years.

Additional product information

Product depositary: BNP Paribas, Luxembourg Branch

Further information about the product, copies of the prospectus, the latest annual report, any subsequent half-yearly report and the latest prices of units can be obtained free of charge in English at www.azimutinvestments.com or at the registered office of Azimut Investments S.A.. Further information about the Master Fund, copies of the prospectus, Key Information Document, periodic reports and accounts can be obtained free of charge in English in both electronic and paper copy at www.azimutinvestments.com or at the registered office of Azimut Investments S.A..

This Key Information Document describes a sub-fund of a Fund. The prospectus and the periodic reports are prepared for the entire Fund named at the beginning of the Key Information Document.

The assets and liabilities of the compartment are segregated by law from the assets and liabilities of the other compartments. The Depositary, BNP Paribas, Luxembourg Branch, is in charge to ensure that each compartment is segregated and independent from any other compartment.

Exchange of units: You have the right to exchange your units in this sub-fund into units of another sub-fund of the Fund. For further information about how to exercise that right, you can refer to the prospectus of the Fund.

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

Risk indicator



Lower Risk

Higher Risk



The risk indicator assumes you keep the product for 7 years.

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 we are not able to pay you.

We have classified this product as 4 out of 7, which is a medium risk class. This classification rates the potential losses from future performance at a medium level, and poor market conditions could impact our capacity to pay you.

Be aware of currency risk. The currency of this product may be different from that of your country. As you may receive payments in the currency of this product and not that of your country, the final return you will get will depend on the exchange rate between these two currencies. This risk is not considered in the indicator shown above.

Other risks materially relevant to the product not included in the summary risk indicator: concentration risk, emerging market risk, currency risk, risks associated with equities.

This product does not include any protection from future market performance so you could lose some or all of your investment.

If we are not able to pay you what is owed, you could lose your entire investment.

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 benchmark over the last 12 years. Markets could develop very differently in the future.

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

Recommended holding period: 7 years		If you exit after 1 year		If you exit after 7 years	
Example investment: USD 10,000					
Scenarios					
Minimum		There is no minimum guaranteed return. You could lose some or all of your investment.			
Stress	<i>What you might get back after costs</i> Average return each year	2,890 USD -71.1%	5,000 USD -9.4%		
Unfavourable	<i>What you might get back after costs</i> Average return each year	7,370 USD -26.3%	8,060 USD(*) -3.0%		
Moderate	<i>What you might get back after costs</i> Average return each year	9,860 USD -1.4 %	10,370 USD(*) 0.5%		
Favourable	<i>What you might get back after costs</i> Average return each year	11,020 USD 10.2%	11,580 USD(*) 2.1%		

(*) The unfavourable scenario occurred for an investment (in reference to benchmark: 100% J.P. Morgan EMBI Global Total Return Index) between September 2016 and September 2023. The moderate scenario occurred for an investment (in reference to benchmark: 100% J.P. Morgan EMBI Global Total Return Index) between September 2012 and September 2019. The favourable scenario occurred for an investment (in reference to benchmark: 100% J.P. Morgan EMBI Global Total Return Index) between August 2013 and August 2020.

What happens if Azimut Investments S.A. is unable to pay out?

The assets of the product are held in safekeeping by BNP Paribas, Luxembourg Branch (the "Depositary"). In the event of the insolvency of Azimut Investments S.A. (the "Management Company"), the product's assets in the safekeeping of the Depositary will not be affected. However, in the event of the Depositary's insolvency, or someone acting on its behalf, the product may suffer a financial loss. This risk is mitigated to a certain extent by the fact the Depositary is required by law and regulation to segregate its own assets from the assets of the product. The Depositary will also be liable to the product and the investors for any loss arising from, among other things, its negligence, fraud or intentional failure properly to fulfill its obligations (subject to certain limitations).

There is no investor compensation or guarantee scheme in the case of default of the Management Company or the Depositary.

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.

Cost 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.

	If you exit after 1 year	If you exit after 7 years
Total costs	519 USD	2,482 USD
Annual cost impact (*)	5.2%	3.5% each year

(*) 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 4.0% before costs and 0.5% after costs.

We may share part of the costs with the person selling you the product to cover the services they provide to you. They will inform you of the amount.

These figures include the maximum distribution fee that the person selling you the product may charge (1.0% of amount invested / 100 USD). This person will inform you of the actual distribution fee.

Composition of costs

One-off costs upon entry or exit		If you exit after 1 year
Entry costs	2.0 % of the amount you pay in when entering this investment.	Up to 200 USD
Exit costs	We do not charge an exit fee for this product.	None
Ongoing costs taken each year		
Management fees and other administrative or operating costs	3.2 % of the value of your investment per year. This figure is based on expenses for the year ending December 2023. This figure may vary from year to year.	316 USD
Transaction costs	0.0 % 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.	5 USD
Incidental costs taken under specific conditions		
Performance fees	The management fee is increased or reduced on a straight-line basis by a variable management fee, up to a maximum of 20% of the amount of the management fee, based on the difference between the performance of the class and the performance of the 3M Libor USD + 2,5% over the same performance period (so-called "fulcrum" variable management fee). As the share class does not have enough historical information, the aggregated cost estimation is based on estimates. -0.0% of the value of your investment per year. The actual amount will vary depending on how well your investment performs. The aggregated cost estimation above includes the average over the last 5 years. In some cases, a performance fee may be levied even when the performance of the product is negative.	-2 USD

The class A-AZ FUND USD (ACC) may be available for multi-year plan investment (not available in Luxembourg). In case of multi-year plan investment the entry fee is up to 3%. More information and the costs on the multi-year plan investment are available in the Prospectus and the Subscription Modulo/Annex to the Subscription Modulo.

For conversions from this Sub-fund to any other Sub-fund of the Fund, a fee of 25 Euro shall be applied.

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

Recommended holding period: 7 years

The recommended holding period has been defined by taking into account the expected composition of the Sub-fund's portfolio, as well as long-term averages of return and risk for relevant asset classes and markets.

You may request the redemption of your units on a daily basis. You may receive less than expected if you cash in earlier than the recommended holding period. The recommended holding period is an estimate and must not be taken as a guarantee or an indication of future performance, return or risk levels.

Holders of units may request redemption at any time. Redemption will be performed by the Custodian within five bank business days following calculation of the applicable net asset value.

How can I complain?

Should you wish to complain about the product, the conduct of Azimut Investments S.A. or the person advising on or selling the product, details of our complaints handling process are available at www.azimutinvestments.com/policies-and-documents. In addition, you can submit your complaints at our Registered Office, 2A Rue Eugene Ruppert - L2453 Luxembourg or via e-mail at complaints@azimutinvestments.com.

Other relevant information

Additional information on the product, including the prospectus, the latest financial statements and unit prices, is available free of charge at www.azimutinvestments.com or from the Management Company's registered office: Azimut Investments S.A., 2a Rue Eugene Ruppert L-2453 Luxembourg.

Information about past performance of the product is made available at https://docs.azimutinvestments.com/kpp/KPP_ISIN-LU2458359572_en.pdf. This product has not yet recorded a full year in terms of performance.

Previous monthly performance scenario calculations of the product are made available at https://docs.azimutinvestments.com/kms/KMS_ISIN-LU2458359572_en.pdf.