

ANIMA Hybrid Bond – Class I

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What are Hybrid Bonds?

Corporate Hybrid Bonds are subordinated debt instruments which have some characteristics of debt and some of equity.



Investment Strategy

Investment decision are taken with a **discretionary, mainly fundamental and bottom-up** process



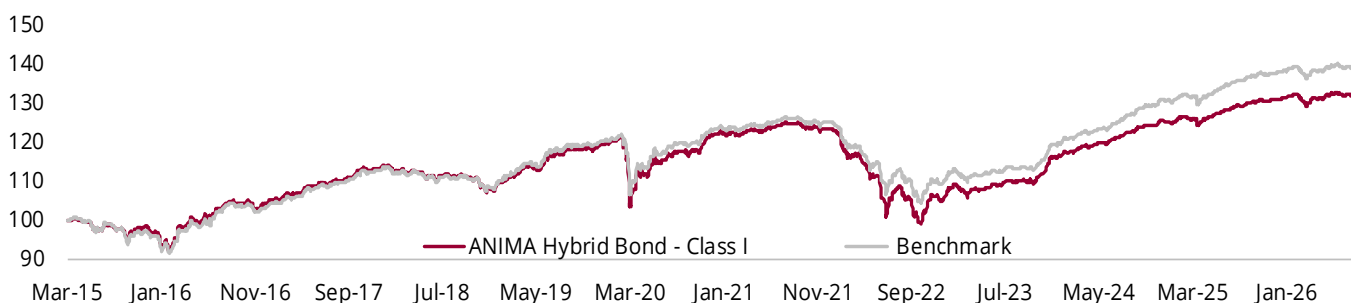
Universe & Benchmark

The Fund invests in **Global Non-Financial Hybrid Bonds**.

Benchmark: 75% ICE BofA Global Hybrid Non-Financial Corporate + 15% ICE BofA Global Hybrid Non-Financial High Yield + 10% Bloomberg Euro Treasury Bill



Historical Net Performance



Fund Facts

Asset Class	Global Hybrid Bond
Fund's Inception	23 March 2015
PM's Inception	31 August 2020
Fund Base Currency	EUR
Fund Size (EUR mln)	547
Benchmark	75% ICE BofA Global Hybrid No-Fin Corp 15% ICE BofA Global Hybrid No- Fin HY 10% JP Morgan Euro Cash 1M
Domicile	Ireland
Fund Type	UCITS
ISIN	IE00BVRZB019
Bloomberg Ticker	AAHB1EU ID EQUITY
Distribution Policy	Accumulation
SFDR	Art. 6
Max Initial Charge	Up to 3%
Exit Fee	None
Ongoing Charges	0.71%
Management Fee	0.60%
Performance Fee	20% o/perf vs Bmk
Settlement	T+4
Liquidity	Daily
Minimum Initial Inv.	EUR 100,000

Portfolio Manager(s)

Francesco Ceccherini	Lead PM
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Historical Data & Statistics

Historical Performances	Fund	Benchmark
1M	0,1%	0,2%
3M	-0,2%	-0,1%
6M	-0,1%	-0,2%
1Y	2,1%	2,5%
3Y (Annualized)	6,3%	7,1%
5Y (Annualized)	1,2%	2,0%

Statistics - Last 3Y Ann.	Fund	Benchmark
Volatility	1,8%	1,9%
Return/Volatility	3,4	3,8
TEV	0,5%	-
Beta	1,0	-
Information Ratio	-1,8	-

Calendar Years	Fund	Benchmark
YTD	0,7%	0,9%
2025	4,5%	5,5%
2024	7,9%	9,4%
2023	10,7%	9,4%
2022	-15,1%	-12,6%
2021	1,2%	1,4%
2020	2,0%	2,4%

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Monthly Fund Manager's comment

In August, the fund delivered a positive absolute return and a flat relative performance, against a market backdrop that remained complex and highly sensitive to geopolitical developments. Investor sentiment was primarily influenced by renewed tensions in the Middle East and persistent inflation concerns.

During the month, the yield on the 10-year German Bund increased by approximately 10 basis points, while the U.S. 10-year Treasury yield remained broadly unchanged. Credit spreads tightened modestly, with the iTraxx Crossover index narrowing by approximately 10 basis points over the month. The rise in sovereign yields was largely driven by the continuation of geopolitical tensions following the escalation of the conflict involving the United States and Iran, which contributed to higher energy prices and increased concerns around the potential impact on inflation. At the same time, the corporate earnings season was broadly supportive, with the majority of companies reporting results above analyst expectations, providing some resilience to risky assets.

A key market event during the month was the Jackson Hole Economic Symposium, where Fed Chair Kevin Warsh delivered a notably hawkish speech due to inflation concerns. Market expectations currently imply approximately two and half 25 bps rate hike by the Federal Reserve over the next twelve months. In the euro area, the outlook remains more tilted to rate hikes, with markets pricing roughly three additional 25 bps increase over the same period.

In this context, we remained highly selective on primary markets deals, focusing only on the ones offering attractive new issue premiums. The portfolio maintained a cautious stance toward U.S. and Canadian issuers, with a preference for short-dated, high-quality names that offer a more favorable risk/return profile compared to longer-term hybrids. The portfolio retains a good cash cushion, providing flexibility to add risk selectively if spreads widen or attractive new issues come to market.

At the end of August, the fund maintained a tactical underweight to U.S. issuers and was market-weight on Canadian names. Overall, exposure to U.S. and Canadian issuers represented around 30% of the benchmark. Duration remains slightly underweight relative to the benchmark and almost stable compared to the previous month. The slightly underweight position of duration primarily reflects the reduced exposure to U.S. credit. The portfolio's absolute duration stood at 3.28 years.

Corporate bonds accounted for 96% of the portfolio at month-end, slightly increased compared to previous month. Our allocations remain tilted toward counter-cyclical sectors. Utilities represent 39% of the NAV, followed by energy at 20% of the NAV and communications sectors at 11% of the NAV.

Monthly Exposure Report

Characteristics	Fund	Benchmark
Yield to Maturity	6,3%	5,7%
Yield to Call	5,6%	7,1%
Duration	3,4	3,7
Average Rating	BBB-	BBB-
Number of Holdings	193	383
Top 5 Holdings	9,0%	4,5%
Top 10 Holdings	16,6%	7,8%
Top 15 Holdings	22,8%	10,8%
Percentage of Cash	3,1%	0,3%
Rating ESG	AA	-

Rating	Fund	Benchmark	Delta
AAA	0,0%	10,0%	
AA+	3,4%	0,0%	
A+	1,2%	0,0%	
A	0,2%	1,5%	
A-	3,3%	4,8%	
BBB+	4,3%	4,2%	
BBB	8,5%	12,1%	
BBB-	39,2%	45,4%	
BB+	28,5%	14,1%	
BB	10,7%	5,9%	
BB-	0,2%	0,8%	

Maturity	Fund	Benchmark	Delta
0 - 1Y	10,5%	12,2%	
1 - 3Y	32,9%	23,5%	
3 - 5Y	36,2%	37,3%	
5 - 7Y	20,4%	22,1%	
7 - 10Y	0,3%	3,7%	
> 10Y	0,0%	0,9%	

Currency	Fund	Benchmark
EUR	99,7%	100,0%
USD	0,2%	0,0%
GBP	0,1%	0,0%

Sector	Fund	Benchmark	Delta
Utility	36,4%	42,9%	
Energy	22,4%	17,9%	
Telecommunications	11,3%	10,2%	
Automotive	9,5%	5,2%	
Consumer Goods	5,5%	3,0%	
Sovereign	4,6%	0,0%	
Healthcare	4,1%	2,1%	
Technology & Electronics	2,0%	0,4%	
RealEstate	1,9%	2,4%	
Transportation	1,4%	2,3%	
Others	1,1%	13,2%	

Geographical	Fund	Benchmark	Delta
United States	19,4%	28,8%	
Italy	14,9%	8,0%	
Germany	14,8%	10,0%	
United Kingdom	14,4%	7,7%	
France	12,2%	11,4%	
Canada	8,7%	5,0%	
Spain	6,5%	5,6%	
Netherlands	3,2%	1,9%	
Australia	1,5%	0,1%	
Denmark	1,4%	1,1%	
Others	3,3%	20,1%	

Top 5 Issuers	Fund
VOLKSWAGEN INTL FIN NV	6,8%
Enel SpA	5,9%
Eni SpA	4,4%
Enbridge Inc	4,3%
BP Capital Markets PLC	4,3%

Data as of 31/08/2026

Risk Indicator



The historical data used to calculate the synthetic risk indicator cannot provide a reliable indication about the future risk profile of the Fund.

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