

### **Investment Objective**

ALPHA TRUST STRATEGIC BOND FUND is an open-end fund incorporated in Greece. The Fund's objective is to achieve satisfactory returns over the medium/long term by investing in a diversified portfolio of international corporate and government bonds (both investment grade and noninvestment grade).

# 5 years Fund Porformance **Fund Facts** Legal Form **UCITS** Inception Date 1/10/2018 Investment Horizon 3 years + Bond Fund - Global Category 90% LBEATREU Index + Benchmark 10% LP02TREU Index Fund Manager Dimitris Dalipis, CFA (since inception) Fund Size €5,261,912.74 Net Unit Price €105.5986 Class Currency **EUR** Cumulative Performance

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-15%	03/2020	03/2021	03/2022	03/2023	03/202

Subscription Fee	0.00%	
Redemption Fee	0.00%	
Management Fee	max 0.80%	
Performance Fee		_

Up to 20% on any positive difference between the performance of the NAV per unit and the performance of the current benchmark.

current benchmark. It is pointed out that the performance fee will be paid even in case the Fund has negative performance. Any underperformance of the Fund in comparison with the benchmark is recovered before any performance fee is paid. The performance fee is calculated in accordance with ESMA's guidelines on performance fees in UCITS and certain types of AIFs (34-39-992) as they have been applied and incorporated into the supervisory framework of the Hellenic Capital Market Commission from 1.1.2022.

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Depositary

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ISIN Code	GRF000305000
Bloomberg	ALTSBIE GA
Data Source	ALPHA TRUST, Bloomberg
Data as at	29/03/2024

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	YtD	1 Year	3 Years	5 Years	Full Years since inception	3 Years	5 Years	Full Years since inception	
ALPHA TRUST STRATEGIC BOND FUND - I	1.01%	9.38%	0.12%	5.07%	5.07%	0.04%	0.99%	0.99%	
Benchmark	-0.14%	5.27%	-11.07%	-6.15%	-6.15%	-3.84%	-1.26%	-1.26%	

### **Calendar Performance**

Data as at 29/03/2024

	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023
ALPHA TRUST STRATEGIC BOND FUND – I	6.32%	-0.38%	2.06%	-9.51%	8.70%
Benchmark	5.98%	4.05%	-2.82%	-16.52%	7.70%

Statistics			
	1 year	3 years	5 years
Beta	0.28	0.23	0.31
Standard Deviation ALPHA TRUST STRATEGIC BOND FUND – I	1.97%	2.60%	3.55%
Standard Deviation Benchmark	4.74%	5.76%	5.03%
Tracking Error	3.71%	4.96%	4.70%
Information Ratio	1.11	2.26	2.39
Data as at 20/03/2024			

\* Benchmark's History: 90% BLOOMBERG BARCLAYS EUROAGG TOTAL RETURN INDEX VALUE UNHEDGED EUR (LBEATREU) + 10% BLOOMBERG PAN-EUROPEAN HIGH YIEDL INDEX EUR (LP02TREU) since 01/10/2021. LBEATREU up to 30/09/2021.

It is pointed that updated performances of the Fund are available on the company's website in the **Information Material** section, which you refer.

## Risk Indicator



Annualized Performance

The risk indicator assumes you keep the product for 3 years.

Based on KID dated 01/02/2024

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### Portfolio Breakdown

Asset Class Breakdown	
Corporate Bonds	45.95%
Financial	35.25%
Government	17.03%
Cash	1.77%

35.25%
17.03%
10.81%
9.77%
7.81%
7.28%
7.20%
1.78%
1.29%

Portfolio Characteristics	
Yield to maturity <sup>1</sup>	4.74%
Duration (years) <sup>1</sup>	3.94

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Estimation based on Bloomberg Data

Currency Exposure	
EUR	100.00%

Top 10 Holdings	
PUBLIC POWER 30/03/2026	2.91%
ORANGE SA 18/04/2049 (PERP)	2.79%
REP OF ITALY 30/10/2031	2.70%
PIRAEUS FIN HOLDS 17/04/2034	2.67%
PIRAEUS 16/06/2049 PERP	2.60%
TITAN GLOBAL FIN 16/11/2024	2.54%
ALPHA BANK SA 13/02/2030	2.51%
SPANISH GOVT 30/07/2033	2.45%
BANCO SANTANDER 14/01/49 PERP	2.41%
ELECTRICITE DE FRANCE 15/9/20-PERPE	2.37%
% of Top 10 Holdings	25.94%

### **Fund manager's comment**

European bonds posted losses in the first quarter of 2024. Bond markets worldwide were negatively affected by changing expectations of future interest rate cuts by the Federal Reserve and the European Central Bank. The publication in the US especially of higher-than-expected inflation caused the Fed to take a more cautious stance on its future moves and led to a realignment of interest rate expectations in both the US and Europe. This shift has led to an increase in bond yields, particularly for longer maturities. The slope of the yield curve, which reflects interest rates at different durations, steepened as short-term rates remained relatively stable while long-term rates rose significantly.

US and German government bonds had a similar course in the 1st quarter of 2023 with losses of -1% for the former and -1.4% for the latter. Italian counterparts

significantly outperformed all other European government bond markets, closing the quarter with gains of 0.8% on average.

As expected, the Greek market followed the trend, outperforming nevertheless other European markets with smaller losses. Greek bonds are now included in the Bloomberg European bond indices, and this potentially strengthens the demand for them. The Greek bond index (BCEC1T Index) closed the quarter with losses of -0.64% while the corresponding German index (BCEG1T Index) closed with losses of -1.4% The yield difference between Greek and German bonds at 10 years rose to 108 basis points from 104 basis points in the previous quarter.

Corporate bonds had another good quarter, outperforming most government markets. High Yield corporate bonds in EUR gained around 1.5% in the quarter, while their investment grade counterparts also gained close to 0.5% of their value on average. Emerging markets also gained in the 1st quarter with USD bond index up

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Further details and useful information on charges, the performance fee model, if any, and the relevant calculation methodology are included in the section "Investment and Financial Information" and in Annex I "Disclosure of information in accordance with the European Securities and Markets Authority (ESMA) Guidelines No 34-39-992, on performance fees in UCITS and certain types of AIFs" of the prospectuses which are available in electronic form on the company's website https://www.alphatrust.gr.

"Inception Date" means the Mutual Fund launch date, or if any, the relevant share class activation date.

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