# Seeyond Volatility Alternative Income (I/C)

## **Investment Objective**

The management objective of the sub-fund is, over the recommended minimum investment period of five (5) years, to seek to capture the risk premium linked to the volatility of the international equity markets

Risk & Reward profile Lower risk Higher risk

Typically lower rewards

1 2 3 4 5 6 7 The sub-fund is ranked 5 on the Summary Risk Indicator (SRI) scale, which is a guide to the level of risk of this product compared to other products.

Typically higher rewards

Due to its investment policy, the sub-fund is mainly exposed to the following risks: loss of capital, equity securities, volatility, model, exchange rates, geographic and portfolio concentration, counterparty, liquidity,

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### Risk/return profile

ISIN: LU2373384218 // Bloomberg: NAHBGIA LX // Target volatility: 8% to 10% (for indicative purposes)\*

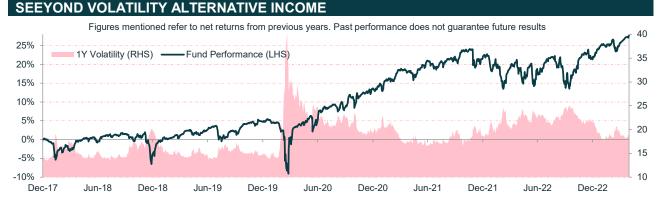
	1 M	3 M	6 M	YtD	12 M	3 Y	5 Y	Inception
Performance ***	1.54%	1.91%	7.66%	4.86%	7.34%	22.74%	27.92%	27.68%
Return (ann.)	-	-	-	-	7.36%	7.09%	5.05%	4.69%
Volatility	-	-	-	-	8.90%	7.78%	8.60%	8.51%
Sharpe ratio	-	-	-	-	0.72	0.92	0.69	0.66

#### Commentary

April was suspiciously calm in markets, mainly due to reasonable earnings, post-SVB liquidity infusion, no geopolitical escalation, no Fed meeting and technical support in the form of a systematic bid as volatility drifted lower. Indeed, as volatility decreases, volatility target and risk parity strategies have to buy risky assets, creating an uptrend, triggering CTA buying in a self-fulfilling phenomenon.

Earnings seasons are also known to reduce volatility at the index level as there is more dispersion between stocks as they release their results. Over the month, the VIX decreased from 18.7 to 15.8, returning around the lows of 2021.

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Allocation & Risk **	Last	1M Ago	3M Ago	Average	Min	Max	25% Percentile	75% Percentile
Directional Allocation	64%	73%	64%	42%	15%	100%	20%	62%
Carry Allocation	36%	27%	36%	58%	0%	85%	38%	80%
Intensity	1.01	1.03	1.07	1.05	1.00	1.43	1.00	1.08
Directional Risk	8%	21%	18%	16%	-17%	70%	7%	23%
Carry Risk	-0.7%	-0.8%	-0.8%	-1.1%	-1.6%	-0.2%	-1.4%	-0.8%
Aggregated Risk	-0.5%	-0.8%	-0.7%	-0.8%	-1.8%	-0.1%	-0.9%	-0.7%
Performance	1 M	3 M	6 M	YtD	12 M	3 Y	5 Y	Inception
Fund	1.54%	1.91%	7.66%	4.86%	7.34%	22.74%	27.92%	27.68%
MSCI World Hdg Eur	1.47%	2.08%	8.37%	8.49%	1.01%	39.70%	40.13%	38.69%
Ratio	1.04	0.92	0.91	0.57	7.28	0.57	0.70	0.72

\* Can be modified at any time by asset manager, \*\* Directional, Carry and Intensity refer to the Quant model allocation. Directional Risk means Delta risk, Carry Risk means rtVega risk and Aggregated Risk means adjustedVega risk, all smoothed over a 21 days average, \*\*\* net of fees Source : Ostrum AM. The investment process has changed several times since its inception on 4 November 2013, the last change occurred in December 2017. To obtain more details on performance prior to December 2017, please contact Natixis Investment Managers client service at ClientServicingAM@natixis.com

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/ega	28/04/23	31/03/23	31/01/23	31/10/22	30/12/22
Total .	-0.59%	-0.46%	-0.56%	-0.85%	-1.30%
S&P500	-0.10%	-0.07%	-0.18%	-0.47%	-0.65%
Stoxx50	-0.07%	-0.10%	-0.10%	-0.05%	-0.29%
Footsie100	-0.14%	-0.09%	-0.12%	-0.11%	-0.14%
likkei225	-0.13%	-0.08%	-0.10%	-0.10%	-0.16%
Hang Seng	-0.15%	-0.12%	-0.07%	-0.12%	-0.05%

Total	1.54%	1.91%	7.66%	4.86%
S&P500	0.84%	1.16%	4.57%	2.72%
EStoxx50	0.47%	0.35%	1.14%	1.09%
Footsie100	0.09%	0.07%	0.68%	0.28%
Nikkei225	0.14%	0.41%	0.45%	0.72%
Hang Seng	-0.01%	-0.09%	0.82%	0.06%

Beta (Vega x Vol move)	1M	3M	6M	YtD
Total	0.25%	-0.18%	4.12%	2.28%
S&P500	0.09%	0.03%	2.33%	1.33%
EStoxx50	0.00%	-0.12%	0.43%	0.26%
Footsie100	0.01%	-0.13%	0.30%	0.13%
Nikkei225	0.00%	0.00%	0.40%	0.22%
Hang Seng	0.15%	0.04%	0.65%	0.34%

Alpha (Active Mgnt + Carry)	1M	3M	6M	YtD
Total	1.29%	2.08%	3.54%	2.58%
S&P500	0.75%	1.13%	2.24%	1.38%
EStoxx50	0.47%	0.47%	0.71%	0.82%
Footsie100	0.08%	0.20%	0.38%	0.15%
Nikkei225	0.14%	0.41%	0.04%	0.50%
Hang Seng	-0.16%	-0.13%	0.17%	-0.28%

Average Vega	1M	3M	6M	YtD
Total	-0.49%	-0.68%	-0.80%	-0.72%
S&P500	-0.13%	-0.27%	-0.41%	-0.30%
EStoxx50	-0.09%	-0.11%	-0.11%	-0.11%
Footsie100	-0.07%	-0.09%	-0.09%	-0.09%
Nikkei225	-0.08%	-0.10%	-0.12%	-0.11%
Hang Seng	-0.11%	-0.11%	-0.08%	-0.10%

Volatility Move (of the 1Y ATM implied volatility)	1M	3M	6M	YtD
Weighted Average (50% 20% 15% 10% 5%)	-0.41	0.36	-4.91	-3.25
S&P500	-0.64	-0.12	-5.70	-4.38
EStoxx50	-0.04	1.12	-4.00	-2.40
Footsie100	-0.09	1.39	-3.25	-1.39
Nikkei225	-0.05	-0.02	-3.52	-1.94
Hang Seng	-1.30	-0.34	-8.45	-3.55

\*\*\*\* net of fees. Vega here means beta to 1Y ATM Volatility Source : Ostrum AM. Figures mentioned refer to previous years. Past performance does not guarantee future results. ATM stands for At The Money

Management company	Natixis Investment Managers International				
Delegated Management company	Ostrum AM				
Custodian	Caceis Bank				
Legal form	Sub-fund of the Luxembourg-domiciled Natixis AM Funds SIC				
UCITS/AIF Fund inception date	UCITS July 7, 2022				
Performance start date	29 December 2017				
Recommended investment horizon	5 years				
ISIN Reference currency Income allocation All-In Fees (p.a.) Minimum initial subscription Minimum holding	I share LU2373384218 EUR Accumulation 0.7% EUR 50 000 One share	R Share LU2373384648 EUR Accumulation 1.4% None None None			
Maximum subscription fee including taxes (1)	None				
Maximum redemption fee including taxes	None				
Performance fee including taxes (with High Water Mark)	None				
Minimum share fraction Net Asset Value calculation Cut-off time	One ten-thousandth Every business day in France D 1.30pm (Luxembourg time)				

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