# **Key Investor Information**

This document provides you with key investor information about this fund. It is not marketing material. The information is required by law to help you understand the nature and the risks of investing in this fund. You are advised to read it so you can make an informed decision about whether to invest

# SG IS Fund - EURO HIGH YIELD

#### A sub-fund of SG IS Fund

#### Class Institutional EUR (IE) - LU0979136503

SG IS Fund is authorised in Luxembourg and is submitted to the supervision of the Luxembourg financial authority, Commission de Surveillance du Secteur Financier (CSSF).

Management company: Société Générale Investment Solutions (Europe)

# **Objectives and Investment Policy**

#### **Objectives**

The Sub-Fund seeks to achieve performance through investments in diversified portfolio of debt instruments on issuers with a strong ESG (Environmental Social and Governance) profile, principally denominated in Euro. The Sub-Fund aims at meeting the long-term challenges of sustainable development while delivering financial performance by the combination of financial and extra-financial criteria, integrating ESG criteria.

The Sub-Fund will invest in a diversified portfolio consisting primarily of high yield debt securities issued by governments, corporations or public institutions, mainly denominated in Euro. High Yield encompasses bonds rated BB+ and below by Standard & Poor's or equivalent to BB+ and below in the opinion of the investment manager.

The Sub-Fund may invest in securities rated at least B- at the time of their investment and in securities which are not rated if they are considered to be equivalent in risk to at least a B- rated company in the opinion of the investment manager at the time of investment.

If the rating on a security held by the Sub-Fund declines (including below a B-), or if the security goes into default, the Sub-Fund will consider such matters in its evaluation of the merits of retaining the security in its portfolio, but will not be obligated to dispose of the security as long as it does not exceed 10% of the Sub-Fund's net assets.

The average rating of the portfolio will be maintained above B-

The Sub-Fund will actively manage duration and yield curve, as well as securities selection and diversification. The Sub-Fund will also seek to minimize the average default risk of the portfolio based on an analysis of the various risk factors inherent in bonds

The portfolio construction specifically aims at on a best effort basis:- Maximizing the overall ESG rating by selecting best in class issuers taking into consideration the risk return approach and the overall strategy of the fixed income committee, - Favoring issuers with improving ESG rating

The Sub-Fund will try to optimize it overall carbon footprint by monitoring its overall CO2 carbon emission. The overall sustainable impact of the Sub-Fund can be improved by the use of Green Bonds

# Sustainable investment policy

The Sub-Fund promotes environmental and/or social characteristics within the meaning article 8 of the Regulation (EU) 2019/2088 of 27 November 2019 on sustainability-related disclosures in the financial

- sector. The initial investment universe is composed of securities included in the following indices:

  ICE BofA Euro High Yield Index, which represents Euro denominated High Yield bonds;
- ICE BofA US High Yield Index, which represents US dollar denominated High Yield bonds: ICE BofA Contingent Capital Index, which represents Additional Tier 1 bonds;
- ICE BofA Euro Corporate Index, which represents Euro denominated Corporate Investment Grade

The Investment Manager addresses ESG factors throughout the investment process, including research, company engagement and portfolio construction. The IM incorporates i) an exclusion policy completed

by ii) an ESG Integration policy. This two-fold SRI approach will lead to exclude at least 20% of the initial investment universe

#### i) Exclusion policy

In accordance with the Management Company's investment policy, the Sub-Fund excludes of the investment universe companies that have significantly and repeatedly transgressed one of the 10 United Nations Global Compact principles, or having controversial activities such as thermal coal, chemical weapons etc., or being involved in one or more recent very severe controversies under the MSCI nomenclature (red flag)

With regards to the portfolio construction, the portfolio management team employs norms and valuebased exclusions as well. Examples of the exclusions (but not limited to them) are controversial weapons, gambling, adult entertainment, tobacco and thermal coal which is driven by revenue thresholds.

### ii) ESG Integration policy

The Sub-Fund follows a Best-in-Class approach by investing in issuers whose ESG rating is greater than or equal to BB (leading and average rating) on a scale of AAA to CCC (CCC being the worst) according to the MSCI ESG rating system

For issuers not covered by MSCI, the Sub-Fund employs an in-house ESG process, based on negative/ exclusion, ESG criteria screening/ranking and norm-based screening.

#### Benchmark

The Sub-Fund is actively managed with reference to the following composite benchmark composed of ICE BofA Euro High Yield Index, ICE BofA US High Yield Index, ICE BofA Contingent Capital Index, ICE BofA Euro Corporate Index. The benchmark is used as a universe from which to select securities.

The benchmark is not intended to be consistent with the sustainable investment objective of the Sub-Fund, which the Investment Manager aims to achieve by applying the sustainable investment process described above

#### **Sub-Fund Currency**

The Class IF is an accumulation unit in FUR

#### Recommendation

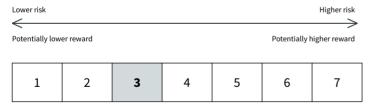
The recommended investment period in this Sub-Fund is 3 years.

#### Net asset value calculation frequency

Daily, any full working day in Luxembourg when the banks are opened for business. The investor has the possibility to obtain the reimbursement of his/her shares on request one Luxembourg Business Day before the Valuation Day before 5 p.m.

The shares are capitalized. In consequence, unless specifically decided otherwise, no dividends are distributed to the shareholders

# **Risk and Reward Profile**



The investment process begins with the defining of a risk budget, in terms of volatility in order to remain compliant with the risk profile of the Sub-Fund.

#### Why is this share class in this category?

The Sub-Fund is at present situated at the level 4 of the synthetic indicator of risk, due to investment in a variety of high-quality and medium-quality issuers, the majority of which will be intermediate term high yield corporate bonds.

Historical data, such as are used in calculating the synthetic indicator, may not be reliable indication of the future risk profile of the Sub-Fund.

The risk and reward category shown is not guaranteed to remain unchanged and that the categorisation of the Sub-Fund may shift over time. The lowest category does not mean a risk-free investment

Investments may be subject to market fluctuations and the price and value of investments and the income derived from them can go down as well as up. Your capital may be at risk and you may not get back the amount you invest.

The Sub-Fund can be also exposed to the following risks which are not adequately taken into account by the indicators of risk above:

#### Counterparty Risk

Refers to the likelihood that an opposite party in a transaction will not fulfill their contractual obligations, such as the payment of principal or the other side of a trade.

#### **Liquidity Risk**

The markets in which the Fund invests might become less liquid meaning that the Fund is unable to deal at the most beneficial time and price.

The issuer of a security in which the Fund has invested is unable to meet payments of principal or interest resulting in a loss for the Fund.

### **Operational Risk**

Refers to a failure or delay in the system, processes and controls of the fund or its service providers which could lead to losses for the fund.

Refers to the possibility for an investor to experience losses due to the overall performance of the

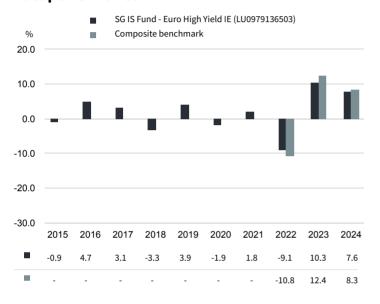


# **Key Investor Information**

# Charges

One-off charges taken before or after you invest	
Entry charges	5.00%
Exit charges	None
Charges taken from the fund over a year	
Ongoing charges	0.86%
Charges taken from the fund under certain specific conditions	
Performance Fee	None

# **Past performance**



The charges are used to pay the costs of running the Sub-Fund, including the costs of marketing and distributing the Sub-Fund. These charges reduce the potential growth of the investment.

The entry and exit charges shown are maximum figures. In some cases, you might pay less. You can find out the actual entry and exit charges from your financial adviser or distributor. The entry charges are deducted before your capital is invested.

The ongoing charges do not include:

- the performance-related fees,
- the expenses of intermediation, except the entry/exit charges paid by the UCITS when it buys or sells shares of another UCITS.

For each exercise, the annual report of the UCITS will give the exact amount of the incurred expenses and the present document will be updated.

You can obtain further information about these charges, in the "fees and expenses" section of the prospectus which is available at the registered office of SG IS Fund, 11, avenue Emile Reuter L-2420 Luxembourg.

Historical data, such as is used in calculating the performances, may not be reliable indication of the future performance of the Sub-Fund. The performances are calculated fees included in EUR.

SG IS Fund - Euro High Yield IE has been created in 2013.

The investment strategy changed in 2022. The Sub-Fund did not have a benchmark prior to this date.

# **Practical information**

### Depositary

Société Générale Luxembourg

## **Further information**

Prospective investors may obtain, free of charge, on request, a copy of the Prospectus and of the Key Investor Information relating to the Sub-Fund(s) in which they invest, the annual and semi-annual financial reports of SG IS Fund and the Articles of Incorporation at the registered office of SG IS Fund, of the Management Company or of the Depositary Bank.

The details of the up-to-date remuneration policy, including a description of how remuneration and benefits are calculated are available on the following website: <a href="https://investmentsolutions.societegenerale.lu">https://investmentsolutions.societegenerale.lu</a>. A paper copy of this up-to-date remuneration policy will be made available free of charge upon request.

## Net asset value publication

The Net Asset Value per share of each class within each Sub-Fund is made public at the registered office of the Company and of the Management Company and is available daily at the office of the Depositary and on the following website: <a href="https://investmentsolutions.societegenerale.lu">https://investmentsolutions.societegenerale.lu</a>. Subscription, redemption or conversion requests should be addressed to the Registrar Agent at Société Générale Luxembourg (operational center: 8-10 Porte de France – L-4360 Esch-sur-Alzette).

## Switching between Sub-Fund

A Shareholder may be entitled, under certain conditions, to switch, free of charge, from one Sub-Fund to another or from one Class to another within the same Sub-Fund on any Valuation Day, by conversion of Shares of one Sub-Fund into the corresponding Shares of any Class of the other Sub-Fund. The conversion of Classes into other Classes is subject to certain restrictions, due to the specific features of the relevant Classes. For more details about how to switch Sub-Funds, please refer to the Prospectus.

#### Tax legislation

The Sub-Fund is subject to the tax laws and regulations of Luxembourg. Depending on your own country of residence, this might have an impact on your investment. For further details you should consult a tax adviser.

### Responsibility

Société Générale Investment Solutions (Europe) may be held liable solely on the basis of any statement contained is this document that is misleading, inaccurate or inconsistent with the relevant parts of the prospectus for the Fund.