



## Fund summary

The Fair Oaks Dynamic Credit Fund (the "Fund") offers global access to senior secured corporate loans through investments in Collateralised Loan Obligations ("CLOs"). The Fund is actively managed with a strong emphasis on bottom-up fundamental credit analysis. The Fund primarily seeks exposure to investment-grade rated CLO securities on a long-only basis and with no leverage used at fund level.

## Commentary

The Fund total return was +0.4%<sup>1</sup> (M EUR share class\*) in January compared to a +1.1% return for the J.P. Morgan CLOIE USD BBB Index and a -0.9% return for the EUR BBB Corporate Index<sup>2</sup>.

Increasing concerns about the magnitude of potential future interest rate increases pushed the yield of BBB rated European corporate bonds up by 30 bp to 0.65%<sup>2</sup> while the gross yield to expected call and maturity of the Fund's portfolio was stable (4.7% and 4.5% respectively) and the yield for BB rated European loans was unchanged (3.2%)<sup>4</sup>.

The trailing 12-month loan default rate remained unchanged in the US and Europe in January, at 0.29% and 0.62%<sup>3</sup> respectively. The distressed ratio (loans trading below 80c, a potential indicator of the direction of future defaults) increased from 0.99% to 1.45% in the US and from 0.57% to 0.86%<sup>4</sup> in Europe.

New issue CLO volumes in January fell significantly when compared with January 2021 (\$4.9 billion worth of new issues in the US, compared with \$9.2 billion in January 2021 and no issuance in Europe, compared to €1 billion in January 2021)<sup>4</sup>.

We believe that the combination of the factors described above have the potential to support the Fund's performance in 2022:

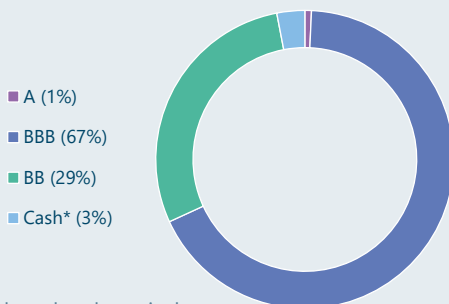
- The number of expected Fed rate hikes over the next 12 months has increased from 1 in October 2021 to over 5 in at the end of January. Similarly, the market now expects over 4 rate increases in the Eurozone before the end of 2022. As a result, investor demand for floating rate assets has increased significantly in 2022 with the highest monthly inflows into US loan funds since 2012 and investor interest in CLO notes increasing<sup>5</sup>.
- Defaults are expected to continue to be low and concentrated on idiosyncratic situations, more likely to impact high-yield and cross-over indices than rated CLO notes, given the diversity of the underlying CLO portfolios and the benefits of the subordination provided by CLO equity and lower rated CLO tranches<sup>5</sup>.
- CLO new issue supply in 2022 could be significantly below 2021's, generating a demand-supply imbalance given increasing demand for floating rate assets.

We believe that the performance of FODC in 2022 will continue to benefit from its primarily investment grade portfolio, strong relative value (4.7% yield to maturity, compared to 0.6% for BBB corporate bonds or 3.2% for BB rated leveraged loans), ongoing investor interest for floating rate assets, potential reduction in CLO new issue supply and liquid UCITS structure.

## Top 5 positions<sup>10</sup>

Deal name	Rating (M/S/F)	CLO manager	% of NAV
MDPKE 17X D	Baa3/NR/BBB	CSAM	3.2%
ARESE 9X D	Baa2/BBB/NR	Ares Management	2.4%
EGLXY 2018-6X D	Baa2/BBB/NR	PineBridge Investments	2.1%
TIKEH 2015-1X DRR	Baa3/NR/BBB-	Tikehau Capital Europe	2.1%
TIKEH 6X D	Baa3/NR/BBB-	Tikehau Capital Europe	1.8%

## Rating breakdown<sup>10,11</sup>



\*\*Cash and cash equivalents

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## Fund facts

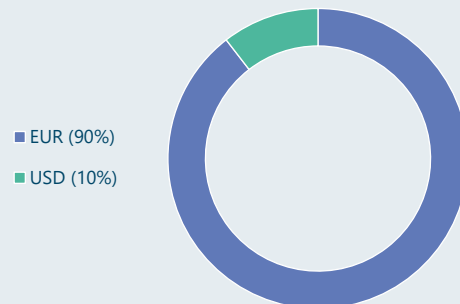
Data as of 31-Jan-22

Legal structure	Luxembourg SICAV-Alpha UCITS SICAV
Domicile	Luxembourg
Launch date	13-Sep-16
Fund size	€555.8m
Dealing	Weekly (Wednesdays)
Valuations	Daily non-dealing and weekly dealing NAVs
Target gross return <sup>9</sup>	Euribor + 5% p.a. (see share class KIIDS for TER details)
Base currency	EUR
Investment manager	Fair Oaks Capital Limited ("Fair Oaks")
Management company	Waystone Management Company S.A.
Administrator / custodian	RBC Investor Services Bank S.A.
Auditor	Deloitte Audit Sàrl

## Portfolio metrics

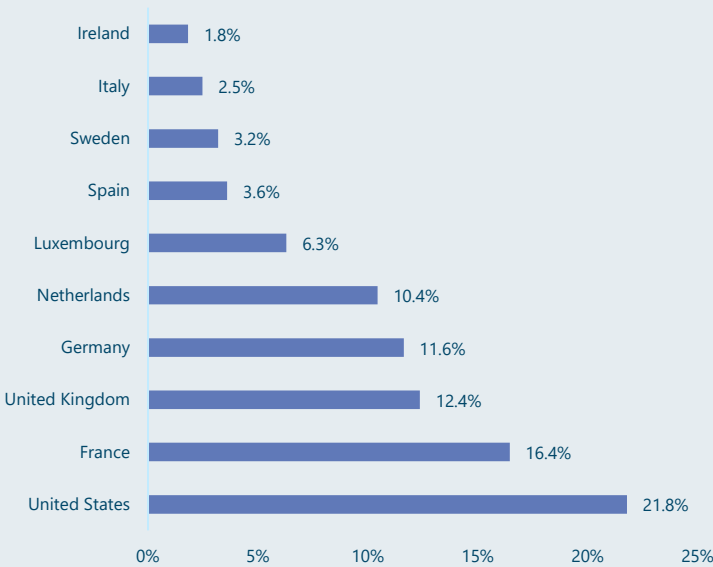
Number of positions:	106
Yield to maturity <sup>6</sup> : (based on expected average life of 6.4 years)	+4.5%
Yield to expected call <sup>6</sup> : (based on expected average life of 2.9 years)	+4.7%
Floating rate:	100%
CLOs with ESG Investment Criteria <sup>7</sup> :	40%

## Currency breakdown<sup>10,11</sup>

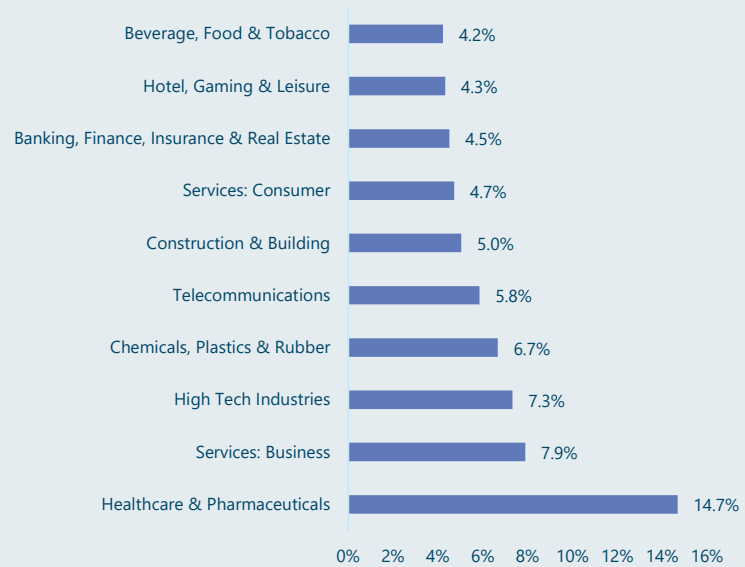




Look-through geographic breakdown (top 10)<sup>8</sup>



Look-through industry diversification (top 10)<sup>8,12</sup>



Monthly performance<sup>13</sup>

													2016	ITD
													+0.25%	+0.25%
<b>Jan-17</b>	<b>Feb-17</b>	<b>Mar-17</b>	<b>Apr-17</b>	<b>May-17</b>	<b>Jun-17</b>	<b>Jul-17</b>	<b>Aug-17</b>	<b>Sep-17</b>	<b>Oct-17</b>	<b>Nov-17</b>	<b>Dec-17</b>	<b>2017</b>	<b>ITD</b>	
+1.06%	+0.31%	+1.28%	+0.03%	+0.34%	+0.26%	+0.36%	+0.54%	+0.35%	+0.55%	+0.52%	+0.15%	+5.89%	+6.15%	
<b>Jan-18</b>	<b>Feb-18</b>	<b>Mar-18</b>	<b>Apr-18</b>	<b>May-18</b>	<b>Jun-18</b>	<b>Jul-18</b>	<b>Aug-18</b>	<b>Sep-18</b>	<b>Oct-18</b>	<b>Nov-18</b>	<b>Dec-18</b>	<b>2018</b>	<b>ITD</b>	
+0.38%	+0.25%	+0.16%	-0.24%	+0.24%	-0.13%	+0.06%	+0.31%	0.00%	+0.12%	-0.51%	-3.07%	-2.46%	+3.54%	
<b>Jan-19</b>	<b>Feb-19</b>	<b>Mar-19</b>	<b>Apr-19</b>	<b>May-19</b>	<b>Jun-19</b>	<b>Jul-19</b>	<b>Aug-19</b>	<b>Sep-19</b>	<b>Oct-19</b>	<b>Nov-19</b>	<b>Dec-19</b>	<b>2019</b>	<b>ITD</b>	
+1.55%	-0.07%	+1.29%	+0.93%	+0.74%	-0.32%	0.45%	-0.06%	+0.17%	-0.80%	+0.47%	+0.72%	+5.17%	+8.89%	
<b>Jan-20</b>	<b>Feb-20</b>	<b>Mar-20</b>	<b>Apr-20</b>	<b>May-20</b>	<b>Jun-20</b>	<b>Jul-20</b>	<b>Aug-20</b>	<b>Sep-20</b>	<b>Oct-20</b>	<b>Nov-20</b>	<b>Dec-20</b>	<b>2020</b>	<b>ITD</b>	
+1.92%	-1.13%	-27.19%	+6.44%	+16.06%	+4.29%	-1.27%	+2.31%	+0.75%	+0.21%	+3.49%	+0.78%	+0.53%	+9.46%	
<b>Jan-21</b>	<b>Feb-21</b>	<b>Mar-21</b>	<b>Apr-21</b>	<b>May-21</b>	<b>Jun-21</b>	<b>Jul-21</b>	<b>Aug-21</b>	<b>Sep-21</b>	<b>Oct-21</b>	<b>Nov-21</b>	<b>Dec-21</b>	<b>2021</b>	<b>ITD</b>	
+0.95%	-0.15%	-0.03%	+0.67%	+0.37%	+0.38%	+0.49%	+0.15%	+0.06%	+0.40%	+0.17%	+0.10%	+3.63%	+13.44%	
<b>Jan-22</b>												<b>2022</b>	<b>ITD</b>	
+0.37%												+0.37%	+13.86%	

Maximum weekly return:	+9.51%	% Positive or unchanged weeks:	+72.96%
Largest weekly drawdown:	-15.16%	Average weekly return (positive or unchanged weeks):	+0.35%
		Average weekly return (negative weeks):	-0.72%

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## Share class performance<sup>14</sup>

	LAUNCH DATE	ISIN	BLOOMBERG TICKER	NAV (31-Jan-22)	TOTAL RETURN MONTHLY	TOTAL RETURN 2022 YTD	ANNUALISED RETURN (SINCE CLASS LAUNCH)	ANNUALISED DAILY VOLATILITY (SINCE CLASS LAUNCH)
Class M EUR	Oct-16	LU1344623373	FODCFME	1,138.59	+0.37%	+0.37%	<b>+2.47%</b>	<b>9.23%</b>
Class E EUR	Sep-16	LU1344621674	FODCFEE	1,119.55	+0.36%	+0.36%	<b>+2.13%</b>	<b>9.20%</b>
Class L EUR	Nov-18	LU1344622219	FODCFLE	1,046.62	+0.34%	+0.34%	<b>+1.45%</b>	<b>11.94%</b>
Class A EUR	Aug-17	LU1344614893	FODCFAE	1,060.78	+0.31%	+0.31%	<b>+1.33%</b>	<b>10.04%</b>
Class N EUR	Dec-16	LU1539542248	FODCFNE	948.89	+0.36%	+0.36%	<b>+2.22%</b>	<b>9.43%</b>
Class O EUR	Mar-17	LU1570265261	FODCFOE	965.34	+0.34%	+0.34%	<b>+1.73%</b>	<b>9.68%</b>
Class R EUR	Dec-19	LU1892529196	FODCFRE	1,019.43	+0.26%	+0.26%	<b>+0.90%</b>	<b>14.49%</b>
Class R2 EUR	-	LU1892529519	-	-	-	-	-	-
Class S EUR	Sep-19	LU1892528388	FODCFSE	1,036.05	+0.34%	+0.34%	<b>+1.53%</b>	<b>13.86%</b>
Class S2 EUR	-	LU1892528628	-	-	-	-	-	-
Class E GBP	Sep-16	LU1344621831	FODCFEG	1,152.49	+0.42%	+0.42%	<b>+2.68%</b>	<b>9.28%</b>
Class E2 GBP	Jun-17	LU1628743905	FODCE2G	975.86	+0.42%	+0.42%	<b>+2.31%</b>	<b>9.99%</b>
Class L GBP	Nov-19	LU1344622482	FODCFLG	1,049.89	+0.40%	+0.40%	<b>+2.22%</b>	<b>14.34%</b>
Class L2 GBP	Sep-17	LU1683328667	FODCL2G	968.34	+0.40%	+0.40%	<b>+1.99%</b>	<b>10.25%</b>
Class A GBP	Dec-17	LU1344615270	FODCFAG	1,064.50	+0.37%	+0.37%	<b>+1.52%</b>	<b>10.58%</b>
Class T GBP	Jul-21	LU2349357983	FODCF TG	1,015.05	-	-	-	-
Class E USD	Sep-16	LU1344621757	FODCFEU	1,237.88	+0.41%	+0.41%	<b>+4.06%</b>	<b>9.22%</b>
Class L USD	Feb-20	LU1344622300	FODCF LU	1,035.89	+0.40%	+0.40%	<b>+1.79%</b>	<b>14.22%</b>
Class A USD	Aug-19	LU1344615197	FODCF AU	1,070.05	+0.36%	+0.36%	<b>+2.76%</b>	<b>13.46%</b>
Class R USD	Dec-19	LU1892529279	FODCF RU	1,045.90	+0.31%	+0.31%	<b>+2.12%</b>	<b>14.52%</b>
Class R2 USD	-	LU1892529600	-	-	-	-	-	-
Class S USD	Dec-19	LU1892528461	FODCF SU	1,067.81	+0.39%	+0.39%	<b>+3.08%</b>	<b>14.43%</b>
Class S2 USD	-	LU1892528891	-	-	-	-	-	-
Class E CHF	Sep-16	LU1344621914	FODCF EC	1,086.84	+0.32%	+0.32%	<b>+1.57%</b>	<b>9.21%</b>
Class A CHF	Feb-20	LU1344615353	FODCF AC	1,003.58	+0.27%	+0.27%	<b>+0.18%</b>	<b>14.22%</b>
Class R CHF	Dec-19	LU1892529436	FODCF RC	1,010.31	+0.22%	+0.22%	<b>+0.48%</b>	<b>14.52%</b>
Class R2 CHF	-	LU1892529782	-	-	-	-	-	-
Class S CHF	Dec-19	LU1892528545	FODCF SC	1,031.00	+0.30%	+0.30%	<b>+1.44%</b>	<b>14.52%</b>
Class S2 CHF	-	LU1892528974	-	-	-	-	-	-
Class D ILS	May-17	LU1577731786	FODCF DS	5,347.40	+0.28%	+0.28%	<b>+1.44%</b>	<b>9.94%</b>
Class Q SEK	Oct-18	LU1886619987	FODCF QS	10,429.74	+0.37%	+0.37%	<b>+1.30%</b>	<b>11.89%</b>

## Footnotes

- (1) Fair Oaks' data. Performance is of M EUR and is net of fees. The M Share Class is the earliest share class with the longest track record (M GBP shares launched Sep-16 and M EUR shares launched in Oct-16) and is no longer available for new investment.
- (2) Source: JP Morgan
- (3) Source: S&P Global Market Intelligence. Euro and US loan index lagging 12-month loan default rate based on Principal Amount.
- (4) Source: S&P Global Market Intelligence.
- (5) Source: Bloomberg
- (6) Source: Intex. Weighted average yield of portfolio, before Fund fees expenses and currency hedging. Call is assumed one year after the end of each CLO's reinvestment period. Note the expected call timing might be unrealistic for some shorter-dated notes in the current market environment.
- (7) The proportion of the fund's investments which include ESG-focused investment criteria is being reported as per Article 8 of EU Regulation 2019/2088 on sustainability-related disclosures in the financial services sector ("SFDR").
- (8) Based on the par value of loans to issuers in the underlying bank loan portfolios. This analysis excludes recent purchases that have not settled in the reporting month. Source: Intex. Data as of 31-Jan-22.
- (9) Target gross return is before Fund expenses and management fees. Share class KIIDs including TERs are available on Management Company's MDO website (<http://www.mdo-manco.com/en/fund-documents>).
- (10) Based on the current valuation of the assets in the Fund's base currency at month-end.
- (11) Due to rounding errors, the percentages may not sum to 100%. Currency breakdown of CLO investments excludes cash balance.
- (12) Based on Moody's classification of the loan issuers. This analysis excludes recent purchases that have not settled in the reporting month. Data as of 31-Jan-22.
- (13) Fair Oaks' data. Performance is from the launch of M EUR and is net of fees. The M Share Class is the earliest share class with the longest track record (M GBP shares launched Sep-16 and M EUR shares launched in Oct-16) and is no longer available for new investment.
- (14) NAVs calculated net of fees. Share classes R2 and S2 have not launched as of the reporting month.

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