

encor Encor Funda Clone Sub-fund of EnCor Eupda Clone

ISIN: CZ0008043106 | FUND CURRENCY: CZK

FOR DATE: **30.11.2022**

FUND PERFORMANCE

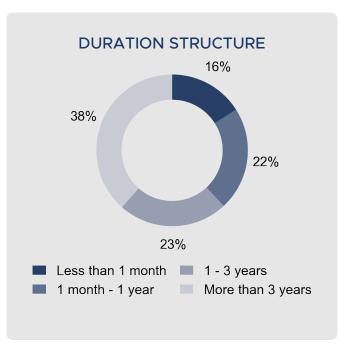


Investment share value: 1.1436 Kč

Time period	1M	ЗМ	6М	12M	Since inc. p.a.
Performance	1.03 %	1.84 %	2.73 %	3.30 %	2.97 %







You may find the fund annual report for year 2021 here.



MARKET UPDATE



November saw a rally in international credit markets, which led to a solid performance in both the Emerging Market and Czech bond arenas. A perception that inflation rates, though still very high, have stopped rising in G10 countries helped investor sentiment. Predictions of further interest rate rises from major Central Banks, such as the US Fed and the ECB, are largely priced into government bonds already. Fears over global economic growth for 2023 are now centre stage. Fixed income assets have in the past performed well during periods of slowing economic growth and faltering inflation.

Price pressures remain elevated in the Czech Republic, but the CNB has kept policy interest rates flat at 7.0% since June. November's consumer price inflation data release came in higher than expectations, at 16.2% year-on-year, compared to 15.1% in October. We do not expect the CNB to move interest rates at its final meeting of the year on 21 December: the CNB's expectations are for easing price pressures in H1 2023.

Mark Robinson, Member of the Investment Committee

PORTFOLIO UPDATE



The Fund gained +1.03% in November. Positive price returns from our bond holdings and the portfolio's interest income contributed to the performance. We retained our fully-hedged interest rate swap positions against any further rises in CZK and EUR bond yields. These positions seek to dampen down future periods of volatile pricing. We continued in November to diversify the portfolio into higher-quality names: we bought into the 3-year maturity new issue of Ceska Sporitelna and purchased 5-year maturity bonds of rail operator Ceske Drahy. One of our Erste Bank positions matured with full repayment, while we trimmed our positions in power conglomerate EPH and gaming operator Sazka Group. These transactions raised the forward-looking gross running yield of the portfolio to 8.8%. The portfolio remains relatively liquid, in anticipation of further purchase opportunities in the marketplace.

Lubor Žalman, Founder of the fund

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