

Investment Strategy

YCAP Tactical Investment is a multi-asset fund seeking more attractive risk-adjusted returns than international equity and bond markets.*

In order to achieve this objective, the investment management team uses proprietary models that attempt to estimate market risk and derive an appropriate asset allocation.

*since 1 September 2021

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Monthly commentary

In addition to President Trump's inauguration, January was marked by relatively good macroeconomic data on both sides of the Atlantic, and by the launch of the DeepSeek AI, which shook up the technology sector by making available an open-source model that consumes much less energy than current standards. On the macroeconomic front, US core inflation for December came in below expectations, while Q4 GDP showed consumption to be still very robust. In Europe, the PMI surveys supported optimism, with a stronger-than-expected rebound in the manufacturing index and a modest fall in the services index.

Equity markets rose around the world (MSCI World TR in USD: $\pm 3.6\%$), with European markets outperforming markedly (Euro Stoxx 50 TR: $\pm 8.1\%$) on hopes that the forthcoming trade conflict with the United States would be less intense than initially feared. US markets underperformed (S&P 500: $\pm 2.8\%$; Nasdaq 100: $\pm 2.8\%$) due to the impact of DeepSeek's release on some of the indices' heavyweights, with Nvidia at the forefront ($\pm 10.6\%$) over the period). Another symptom of this was that the information technology sector was the only one to fall over the period (MSCI World Information Technology TR in USD: $\pm 1.5\%$), while communications services posted the biggest gain ($\pm 1.5\%$).

Interest rates, on the other hand, showed contrasting trends. In the United States, reassuring inflation figures enabled yields to fall slightly (10-year: -3 bp; 2-year: -4 bp), while they rose in Europe (Germany 10-year: +9 bp; Germany 2-year: +4 bp) despite stable inflation data and a speech by C. Lagarde deemed rather accommodative. Overall, the Bloomberg Global Aggregate Developed Markets €h index rose by +0.2% over the month.

Against this backdrop, the YCAP Tactical Investment fund gained +0.8% and underperformed its performance indicator* (+1.2%) due to the unfavourable timing in the evolution of its equity exposure and a negative selection effect on European equities. Over the period, average equity exposure was 52% (compared with 59% in December) and average interest-rate sensitivity was 3.2 (compared with 2.6 in December).

*Composite index: 50% MSCI World ESG Leaders EUR hedged + 50% Barclays Global Aggregate Developed Markets EUR hedged, daily rebalancing.

YCAP Tactical Investment fund's net performance (class C EUR)

The chart and performance & risk table will be completed at the end of the first full calendar year following the launch of the share class, i.e. at the end of July 2025.

			Performances						
Share class		Inception date	January	YTD	1 year	5 years (ann.)	Inception (ann.)		
C EUR LU2053090044		26 Jul 2024	-	-	-	-	-		

Ex-post risk indicators (since inception)							
Volatility	VaR 20d, 99%	Maximum Drawdown	Sharpe Ratio				
-	-	-	-				

	Monthly Performances (Class C EUR)												
	Jan Feb Mar Apr May Jun Jul Aug Sep Oct Nov Dec Yea r										Year		
2024							+0.7%(1)	+1.3%	+1.2%	-1.8%	+3.0%	-1.8%	+2.4%
2025	+0.8%												+0.8%

(1): Performance between 26/07/2024 and 31/07/2024. Past performance is no indicator of future performance. The fund offers no capital preservation. Sources: HOMA CAPITAL; Bloomberg.

Ex-ante risk indicators (1 year)

	Volatility	Monthly VaR 99%	Modified Duration	Equity Beta	
YCAP Tactical Investment	9.2%	-6.0%	3.2	0.59	
50/50 Composite*	6.4%	-4.7%	3.2	0.52	

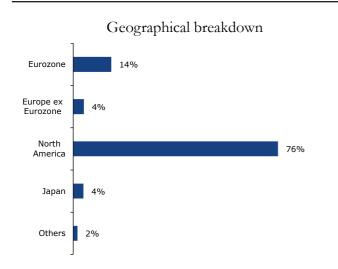
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Allocation by asset class

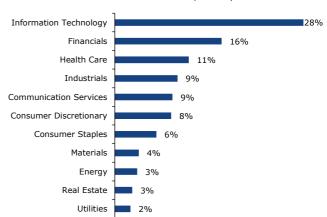
	31 Dec 24	31 Jan 25
Global Equities	49.7%	62.6%
Global Bonds	53.0%	61.2%
Currencies vs. USD	-5.2%	3.9%

Sources: HOMA CAPITAL; Bloomberg

Equity carve out details (rebased)

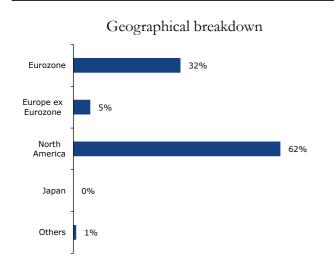


Sector breakdown (GICS)

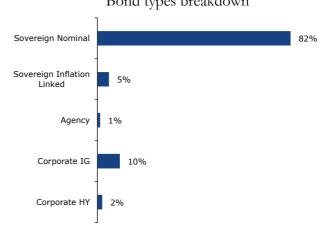


Sources: HOMA CAPITAL; Bloomberg.

Bond carve out details (rebased)



Bond types breakdown



Sources: HOMA CAPITAL; Bloomberg

Characteristics of the share class

Class identifier	Bloomberg ticker	Minimum subscription	Management fees	Performance fees	Fund Total Assets	Order reception	Settlement	Legal status	Custodian
C EUR	YCEUTEC LX	€ 100	2.00%	None	26 M€	12 a.m. at the latest, on each applicable valuation date	2 business days after the corresponding valuation date	UCITS V - Luxembourg	BNP Paribas Securities Services



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