

# HUGAU GESTION MONTHLY LETTER

NOVEMBER 2024 - N°19



La liquidité au cœur des attentions ?

Mardi 3 décembre 2024 Hôtel Potocki, Paris





## ☐ SAVE THE DATE: Your next meetings with Hugau Gestion

- December 03: AGEFI National Investors' Day Salon 1: 12:50 Catherine Huguel "Attractiveness and expectations of money market funds in cash management".
- ☐ Read the interview with our consultant strategist (in French):

<u>Catherine Huguel (Hugau Gestion) : «Jerome Powell vaterminer le travail» - L'Agefi</u>

### AN EVENTFUL NOVEMBER

On **November 05**, **Hugau Gestion** organized a luncheon conference on the theme "**Decarbonizing bond portfolios: how to maintain a controlled return in 2025**". The event was also **an opportunity to celebrate the first anniversary of the Hugau Gestion Score Carbonne 2028 mandate, which posted a +9.5% gain with -76% carbon emissions, in partnership with <b>Axylia**, a consulting firm that helps economic players build responsible solutions.

**Hugau Gestion** was present at the **FNAF Forum** on **November 13**. ". A forum for reflection, training and discussions the Forum National des Associations & Fondations (FNAF) is a not-to-bemissed event for the social economy sector". We were able to meet with organizations and foundations to present our dedicated offer: **Hugau Gestion Score Carbone 2028 bond mandate**.

Our teams were also present at **the AFTE days** on **November 25** and **26** for exclusive discussions during this annual meeting of corporate treasurers and financiers. "*The entire treasury ecosystem came together over two days*".

December 03: National Investors' Day dedicated to institutional investors, an AGEFI event. Catherine Huguel, our Consultant Strategist, will be present for an in-depth interview hosted by Jean-Loup Thiébaut, CFA - L'AGEFI on Tuesday December 03 at 12:50 pm: "Attractiveness and expectations of money market funds in cash management".

#### 2025 ANNUAL PERFORMANCE TARGETS

(based on current fund performance)

HUGAU MONETERME - FR0013267663 : €STR +35 pbs

HUGAU OBLI 1-3 - FR0010613521: +4%

HUGAU OBLI 3-5 - FR0010731513 : +4,5 / 4.75%

HUGAU OBLI 2028 - FR001400KCR8: +6%

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# FOCUS ON HUGAU OBLI 1-3

In 2022, against a backdrop of sharply rising sovereign interest rates on the 2/5-year maturities, Hugau Gestion defended the fund's performance in a difficult environment by hedging the portfolio and reducing asset duration. As a result, the fund's net asset value fell by 3.42% (versus -4.82% for its benchmark).

In 2023, the fund took full advantage of its current yield, falling bond interest rates and narrowing credit spreads. Over the year, the NAV rose by 6.79% versus 3.40% for its benchmark index.

The fund benefits from a portfolio of good quality companies whose financial structures have been improved by sharply reduced debt servicing in recent years, thanks to negative interest rates. 90% of its assets are made up of investment-grade bonds rated BBB- or higher. The lull in credit spreads, following the explosion in 2022, helped the portfolio's performance in 2023, and this will prevail for the rest of 2024 as well. Companies are selected by Hugau Gestion on the basis of our in-house credit research and analysis, and our own internal rating procedure. For diversification purposes, this may sometimes include at the margin companies that are not covered by the rating agencies (Moody's, S&P and Fitch Ratings).

Since the beginning of the year, the fund has once again benefited from its comfortable current yield of close to 5%, stable key interest rates at 4% over the first 9 months and now a downward trend in interest rates.

As at 11/29/2024, the flat-acquired performance was +5.32%, compared with a Benchmark performance of +3.16% over the period.

With German 2-year yields currently at 1.90%, and the sensitivity of the HUGAU OBLI 1-3 portfolio having gradually risen over the past few weeks, the expected performance over the next 12 months is around +4% flat.





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# PERFORMANCE OF OUR MUTUAL FUNDS

As of 11/29/2024

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#### FLAT CUMULATIVE PERFORMANCE

	% 1 M	% 3 M	% YTD	% 6M	% 1 Y	% 3 Y
HUGAU MONETERME - I FR0013267663	0,26%	0,91%	3,73%	1,92%	4,12%	7,35%
<b>HUGAU OBLI 1-3 - I</b> FR0010613521	0,47%	1,61%	5,32%	3,38%	6,25%	9,14%
HUGAU OBLI 3-5 - C FR0010731513	0,46%	1,63%	5,81%	3,89%	6,84%	9,39%
HUGAU PATRIMOINE FR0010027862	2,14%	2,21%	8,21%	2,62%	9,55%	10,77%
HUGAU RENDEMENT RESPONSABLE - C FR0010401075	1,91%	-0,36%	4,79%	-3,00%	7,45%	15,77%
HUGAU ACTIONS MONDE FR0011653773	6,42%	8,26%	22,61%	9,60%	25,41%	34,58%
<b>HUGAU 12M</b> FR0011201896	0,27%	1,27%	4,79%	3,01%	5,20%	10,10%
HUGAU OBLI 2028 - C FR001400KCR8 (*) Start date 10/16/2023	0,38%	1,91%	8,14%	4,88%	12,16%	(*)

For more information on our investment strategy or ou funds: contact us





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