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# PRODUCT KEY FACTS

AB FCP I

Global High Yield Portfolio

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AllianceBernstein (Luxembourg) S.à r.l.

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## Quick facts

<b>Management Company:</b>	AllianceBernstein (Luxembourg) S.à r.l.		
<b>Investment Manager:</b>	AllianceBernstein L.P. (internal delegation, U.S. Delaware)		
<b>Depositary:</b>	Brown Brothers Harriman (Luxembourg) S.C.A.		
<b>Dealing frequency:</b>	Daily		
<b>Base currency:</b>	U.S. Dollar		
<b>Dividend policy:</b>	<p>(i) For Classes A, B and C Shares: Aims to declare daily and pay monthly or be reinvested as elected by investor*</p> <p>(ii) For Classes AT, AA, BT, CT, IT, IA and WT Shares (and corresponding H Shares): Aims to declare and pay monthly or be reinvested as elected by investor*</p> <p>*Dividends may be paid out of capital or effectively out of capital and reduce the Portfolio's net asset value</p> <p>(iii) For Classes A2, B2, C2, I2 and S1# Shares (and corresponding H Shares): None</p>		
<b>Financial year end of this Portfolio:</b>	31 August		
<b>Ongoing charges over a fiscal year:</b>	Classes A2, AT and AA (and corresponding H Shares) <sup>□</sup> and A Shares		Class A2 EUR H Shares
	1.62% <sup>†</sup>		1.61% <sup>†</sup>
	Classes B and BT Shares		Class B2 Shares
	2.62% <sup>†</sup>		2.61% <sup>†</sup>
	Class BT AUD H Shares	Classes C2 (and corresponding H Shares) <sup>□</sup> , C and CT Shares	Class C2 EUR Shares
	2.59% <sup>†</sup>	2.12% <sup>†</sup>	2.11% <sup>†</sup>
	Classes I2 and IT (and corresponding H Shares) <sup>□</sup> and IA AUD H Shares	Classes I2 AUD H, IT EUR H and IT RMB H Shares	Class I2 EUR H Shares
	1.12% <sup>†</sup>	1.11% <sup>†</sup>	1.13% <sup>†</sup>
Classes I2 RMB H and IT NZD H Shares	Class S1# Shares	Class WT Shares	
1.12% <sup>^</sup>	0.94% <sup>†</sup>	0.95% <sup>†</sup>	
<b>Min. investment*:</b>	<b>Initial</b>	<b>Additional</b>	
Classes A, A2, AT, AA, B*, B2*, BT*, C, C2 and CT Shares (and corresponding H Shares)	USD2,000   EUR2,000   HKD15,000 AUD2,000   SGD3,000   CAD2,000 GBP2,000   NZD3,000   ZAR20,000 RMB10,000	USD750   EUR750   HKD5,000 AUD750   SGD1,000   CAD750 GBP750   NZD1,000   ZAR7,000 RMB3,750	
Classes I2, IT, IA and WT Shares (and corresponding H Shares)	USD1 million   EUR1 million AUD1 million   HKD8 million SGD1.5 million   CAD1 million GBP500,000   NZD1.5 million RMB5 million	None	



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Class S1 <sup>#</sup> Shares	USD25 million	None
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<sup>□</sup> Unless otherwise specified.

<sup>#</sup> Class S1 Shares are reserved for institutional investors.

<sup>†</sup> The ongoing charges figure is based on expenses for the year ended 31 August 2023. This figure may vary from year to year. The ongoing charges figure is an annual figure calculated by adding the applicable charges and payments deducted from the assets of the Portfolio and then dividing by the Portfolio's average net asset value for the fiscal year attributable to the relevant share class.

<sup>^</sup> The ongoing charges figure is an estimated figure and is based on the ongoing charges figures for the relevant share classes. Please also refer to note <sup>†</sup> above applicable to the ongoing charges figures for the relevant share classes.

\* Different minimum, additional and maximum investment limits may apply to different classes of shares denominated in different currencies. Investors should refer to the offering document of the Fund for details.

• Classes B, B2 and BT Shares (and corresponding H Shares) are no longer open for subscription by new and existing investors. However, investors may request the exchange of their holdings of Classes B, B2 and BT Shares (and corresponding H Shares) for the same share class of another AB-sponsored Luxembourg-domiciled UCITS fund authorized in Hong Kong for retail distribution or otherwise available through an AB authorized dealer in Hong Kong.

## What is this product?

The Global High Yield Portfolio (the "Portfolio") is a portfolio of AB FCP I (the "Fund"), a mutual investment fund domiciled in Luxembourg and its home regulator is Commission de Surveillance du Secteur Financier.

## Objectives and Investment Strategy

### Objectives

The investment objective of the Portfolio is to produce high current income as well as overall total return by investing primarily in a portfolio of high-yielding debt securities of issuers located throughout the world, including U.S. issuers and issuers in emerging-market countries.

### Strategy

The Portfolio invests primarily and at any time at least two-thirds of its net asset value in high yielding bonds of issuers located throughout the world, including U.S. issuers and issuers in emerging-market countries. The Portfolio intends to allocate assets among high-yield non-Investment Grade (as defined in the Prospectus of the Fund to mean fixed-income securities rated Baa (including Baa1, Baa2 and Baa3) or higher by Moody's or BBB (including BBB+ and BBB-) or higher by S&P, or the equivalent thereof by at least one internationally recognized statistical ratings organization) corporate bonds in the U.S., non-Investment Grade debt securities of issuers located in emerging-market countries as well as sovereign debt issued by emerging market countries. It may invest in Investment Grade securities if such securities possess desirable yield and/or total return characteristics. The Portfolio will not invest more than 20% of its net asset value in one country except for U.S. issuers. Holdings may include debt-securities with a range of maturities, from short- to long-term bonds. The Portfolio anticipates that a substantial portion of its assets may be denominated in currencies other than the US Dollar.

The Portfolio may invest less than 30% of its net asset value in debt instruments with loss-absorption features as defined by the SFC, including, but not limited to, contingent convertible securities, other Tier 1 and Tier 2 capital instruments and senior non-preferred debts. These instruments may be subject to contingent write-down or contingent conversion to ordinary shares on the occurrence of trigger events.

The Investment Manager does not expect to utilize bank borrowing in implementing the Portfolio's investment strategy.

The Portfolio may use financial derivative instruments and efficient portfolio management techniques for hedging, risk management, efficient portfolio management, managing duration and volatility, obtaining currency exposure and as an alternative to investing directly in the underlying instruments. Efficient portfolio management and hedging techniques may include use of exchange-traded and OTC derivative instruments, including swaps, options, futures and currency transactions.

Under exceptional circumstances (e.g. market crash or major crisis), the Portfolio may be invested temporarily up to 100% of net asset value in liquid assets such as bank deposits, certificate of deposits, commercial paper and treasury bills for cash flow management.

### Use of derivatives / Investment in derivatives

The Portfolio's net derivative exposure may be up to 50% of the Portfolio's net asset value.



## What are the key risks?

*Investment involves risks. Please refer to the offering document for details including the risk factors.*

### 1. General Investment Risk

The Portfolio's investment may fall in value due to any of the key risk factors below and therefore your investment in the Portfolio may suffer losses. There is no guarantee of the repayment of principal.

### 2. Debt Securities Risk

- Credit / Counterparty Risk

The Portfolio is exposed to the credit/default risk of issuers of the debt securities that the Portfolio may invest in.

- Interest Rates Risk

The Portfolio invests in debt securities where its value will generally vary inversely with changes in interest rates and may affect the net asset value of the Portfolio. As interest rates rise, debt securities prices generally fall and vice versa. Prices of longer-term securities tend to rise and fall more than short-term securities.

- Volatility and Liquidity Risk

The debt securities in emerging markets that are less developed may be subject to higher volatility and lower liquidity compared to more developed markets. The prices of securities traded in such markets may be subject to fluctuations. The bid and offer spreads of the price of such securities may be large and the Portfolio may incur significant trading costs.

- Downgrading Risk

The Portfolio will invest in debt securities (including bonds). An issuer of such debt securities may experience an adverse change in its financial condition which may in turn result in a downgrading in the credit rating to such issuer and debt securities issued by such issuer. Credit ratings of debt securities reflect the issuer's ability to make timely payments of interest or principal—the lower the rating, the higher the risk of default. The adverse change in financial condition or decrease in credit rating(s) of issuer and debt securities may result in increased volatility in, and adverse impact on, the price of the relevant debt security and negatively affect liquidity, making any such debt security more difficult to sell. The value of the Portfolio may be adversely affected. The Investment Manager may not be able to dispose the debt securities that are being downgraded.

- Risk Associated with Debt Securities Rated Below Investment Grade or Unrated

The Portfolio will invest in high yield, high risk debt securities (including bonds) that are rated in the lower rating categories (i.e. below Investment Grade) or which are unrated. Debt securities below Investment Grade and unrated are considered to be subject to higher volatility and greater risk of loss of principal and interest than higher-rated securities and are considered to be predominantly speculative with respect to the issuer's capacity to pay interest and repay principal, which may in any case decline during sustained periods of deteriorating economic conditions or rising interest rates. The market for lower-rated securities may be thinner and less active than that for higher-rated securities, which can adversely affect the prices at which these securities can be sold. As a result the Portfolio, and thus the investors of the Portfolio, may suffer losses.

- Sovereign Debt Risk

The Portfolio will be exposed to the direct or indirect consequences of political, social and economic changes in various countries by investing in the bonds issued or guaranteed by governmental entities. In adverse situations, these political, social and economic changes in a particular country may affect a particular government's ability or willingness to make or provide for timely payments of its debt obligations or may request the Portfolio to participate in restructuring such debts. The Portfolio may suffer significant losses when there is a default of sovereign debt issuers.

- Valuation Risk

Valuation of the Portfolio's investments may involve uncertainties and judgmental determinations. If such valuation turns out to be incorrect, this may affect the net asset value calculation of the Portfolio.

- Credit Rating Risk

Credit ratings assigned by rating agencies are subject to limitations and do not guarantee the creditworthiness of the security and/or issuer at all times.

**3. Illiquid Assets Risk**

The difficulty of purchasing or selling a security at an advantageous time or price may have a negative impact on the Portfolio's performance.

**4. Emerging Markets Risk**

The Portfolio will invest in emerging markets, which are subject to higher risks (for example, liquidity risk, currency risk, political risk, regulatory risk, economic risk, legal and taxation risk, settlement risk and custody risk) and higher volatility than developed markets. Fluctuations in currency exchange rates may negatively affect the value of an investment or reduce returns - these risks are magnified in emerging markets.

**5. Concentration Risk**

The Portfolio's investments are concentrated in high-yielding debt securities. The value of the Portfolio may be more volatile than that of a fund having a more diverse portfolio of investments. The value of the Portfolio may be more susceptible to adverse economic, political, policy, foreign exchange, liquidity, tax, legal or regulatory event affecting the market.

**6. Currency Risk**

Underlying investments may be denominated in one or more currencies different from the Portfolio's base currency. Also, a class of shares may be designated in a currency other than the base currency of the Portfolio. This means changes in exchange rate controls, currency movements in such underlying investments and fluctuations in the exchange rates between these currencies and the base currency may significantly and unfavorably affect the net asset value of the Portfolio's shares.

RMB is currently not freely convertible and is subject to exchange controls and restrictions which, under exceptional circumstances, may cause a delay in payment of redemptions and/or dividend payments in RMB. Although offshore RMB (CNH) and onshore RMB (CNY) are the same currency, they trade at different rates. Any divergence between CNH and CNY may adversely impact investors.

**7. Management Risk**

The Portfolio may be subject to management risk because it is an actively managed investment fund. The Investment Manager will apply its investment techniques and risk analyzes in making investment decisions for the Portfolio, but there can be no guarantee that its decisions will produce the desired results.

**8. Risks Associated with Payment of Dividends out of Capital**

The Management Company has the sole and absolute discretion to amend the dividend policy, subject to the SFC's prior approval (if required) and by giving no less than one month's prior notice to investors. Dividend yield is not indicative of return of the Portfolio. Dividends may be paid from capital or effectively out of the capital of the Portfolio at the discretion of the Management Company, which may amount to a partial return or withdrawal of an investor's original investment or from any capital gains attributable to that original investment, and result in an immediate decrease of the net asset value per Share. The distribution amount and net asset value of the currency hedged share classes may be adversely affected by differences in the interest rates of the reference currency of the currency hedged share classes and the Portfolio's base currency, resulting in an increase in the amount of distribution that is paid out of capital and hence a greater erosion of capital than other non-hedged share classes.

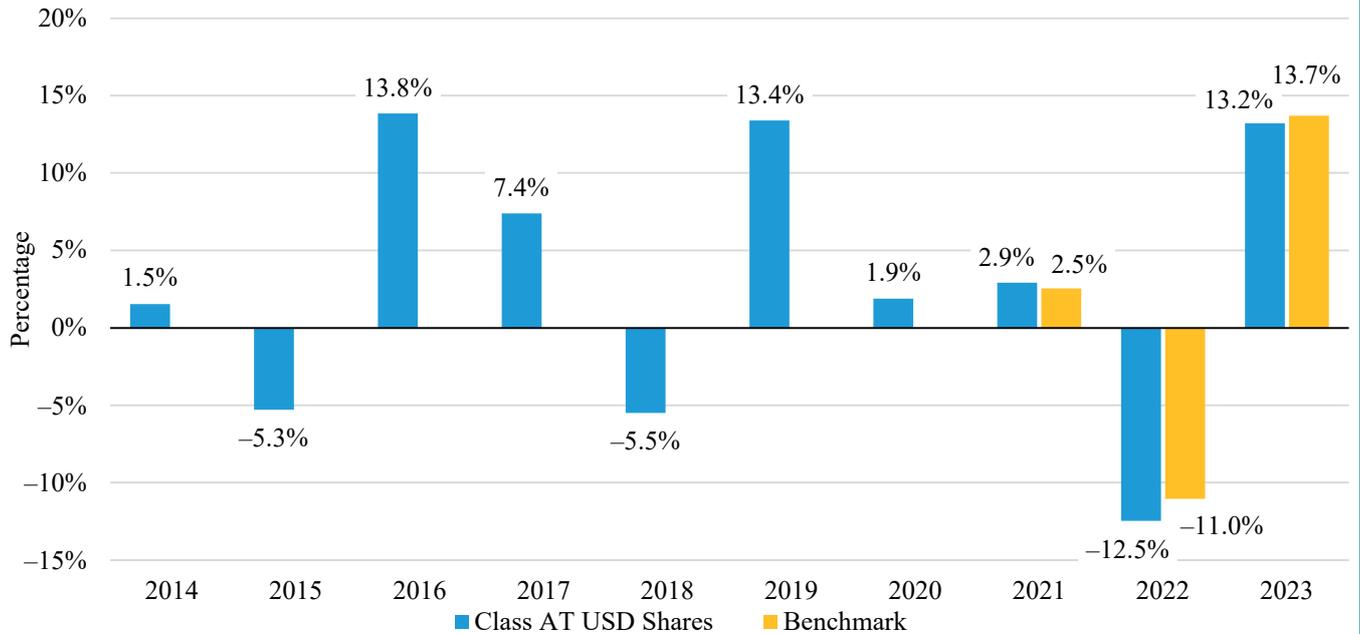
**9. Risk in Investing in Financial Derivative Instruments**

Risks in investing with financial derivative instruments include counterparty / credit risk, liquidity risk, valuation risk, volatility risk and over-the-counter transaction risk. The leverage element / component of a financial derivative instrument can result in a loss significantly greater than the amount invested in the financial derivative instrument by the Portfolio. Exposure to financial derivative instrument may lead to a high risk of significant loss by the Portfolio.



### How has the Portfolio performed?

The bar chart below shows the past performance of Class AT USD Shares, which has been designated as the representative share class by the Management Company as it is a focus share class made available to Hong Kong investors.



Portfolio launch year: 1997

Class AT USD Shares launch year: 2002

- Past performance information is not indicative of future performance. Investors may not get back the full amount invested.
- The computation basis of the performance is based on the calendar year end, NAV-to-NAV, with dividend reinvested.
- These figures show by how much Class AT USD Shares have increased or decreased in value during the calendar year being shown.
- Performance data has been calculated in USD including ongoing charges and excluding any subscription fee and redemption fee you might have to pay.
- With effect from 4 May 2020, the benchmark of the Portfolio is Bloomberg Global High Yield Index (USD Hedged).

### Is there any guarantee?

This Portfolio does not have any guarantees. You may not get back the amount of money you invest.

### What are the fees and charges?

(Different fee structure apply to different classes of shares. Investors should refer to the offering document of the Fund for details.)

### Charges which may be payable by you

You may have to pay the following fees when dealing in the shares of the Portfolio:

Fee	What you pay
Subscription fee (Initial Sales Charge)	Classes A, A2, AT and AA Shares (and corresponding H Shares): up to 5% of the purchase price  Classes I2, IT and IA Shares (and corresponding H Shares): up to 1.5% of the purchase price



	Not applicable to other Share Classes
Switching fee <sup>+</sup>	Not Applicable
Redemption fee	Not Applicable
Contingent Deferred Sales Charge	Classes B, B2 and BT Shares (and corresponding H Shares): Where applicable up to 3% (depending on years held) of the lesser of the current net asset value or original cost of the Shares being redeemed  Classes C, C2 and CT Shares (and corresponding H Shares): Where applicable up to 1% (depending on years held) of the lesser of the current net asset value or original cost of the Shares being redeemed
	Not applicable to other Share Classes

<sup>+</sup>Any additional fees charged by distributors may still apply.

### Ongoing fees payable by the fund

The following expenses will be paid out of the Portfolio. They affect you because they reduce the return you get on your investments.

Fee	What you pay
Management fee*	Classes A, A2, AT, AA, B, B2 and BT Shares (and corresponding H Shares): up to 1.45% Classes C, C2 and CT Shares (and corresponding H Shares): up to 1.95% Classes I2, IT and IA Shares (and corresponding H Shares): up to 0.95% Class WT Shares: up to 1.15% Class S1 <sup>#</sup> Shares: 0.90%
Depository fee* Administration fee payable to the Administrator* Transfer Agent fee*	Up to 1.00%
Performance fee	Not Applicable
Distribution fee*	Classes B, B2 and BT Shares (and corresponding H Shares): 1.00% Not applicable to other Share Classes
Administration fee payable to the Management Company*	All Share Classes: up to 0.10%

\*Percentage per annum of net asset value

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### Other fees

You may have to pay other fees when dealing in the shares of the Portfolio.

### Additional Information

- You may generally buy and redeem shares at the Portfolio's next-determined net asset value plus any applicable charges after the Management Company receives your request in good order on or before 4:00 P.M. U.S. Eastern Time on each Business Day (business day of both New York Stock Exchange and Luxembourg banks) for USD-denominated share classes, on or before 1:00 P.M. Central European Time on each Business Day for RMB hedged share classes or on or before 6:00 P.M. Central European Time on each Business Day for other currency hedged share classes, each time being the order cut-off time. Investors should note that, for applications sent through a Hong Kong distributor, such distributor may have an earlier cut-off time.



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- The net asset value of the Portfolio is calculated on each Business Day and will be available on the following website [www.alliancebernstein.com.hk](http://www.alliancebernstein.com.hk) or alternatively, you may contact AllianceBernstein Hong Kong Limited (as the Hong Kong Representative of the Fund) at +852 2918 7888.
- Investors may obtain the past performance information of other share classes offered to Hong Kong investors from [www.alliancebernstein.com.hk](http://www.alliancebernstein.com.hk).
- The compositions of the dividends (i.e., the relative amounts paid out of (i) net distributable income and (ii) capital) for the most recent 12 months can be obtained from the Investment Manager and the Hong Kong Representative on request. The compositions of the dividends will also be available at: [www.alliancebernstein.com.hk](http://www.alliancebernstein.com.hk).

### Important

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