

# Fermat UCITS Cat Bond Fund Ordinary (Accumulation) Class USD

Catastrophe Bonds Data as of 05-31-2025 NAV per share USD 10.89

### Commentary

#### Performance

May returns were positive but somewhat muted by seasonally adjusted spread widening, which is not surprising given the amount of new issuance and growth in the market in May.

#### **Portfolio Commentary**

Portfolio turnover and activity was extremely high in May, and this will carry over into the first half of June as well. We continue to see "more of the same" types of deals issued, which suits us fine.

### Catastrophe Events

There were no significant catastrophes that had any impact on the portfolio.

A series of severe convective storm events impacted the central, southern and eastern US through the month. May is typically a heavy severe convective storm month in the US, so it was not surprising to have these storms. Fortunately, there were no large, outsized events in the month and we estimate that the aggregate tally of losses will be much less than the severe storm losses in May 2024.

PCS issued a loss update on Hurricane Milton (2024) reducing its insured industry loss estimate from \$18.5 billion to \$17.1 billion.

#### **Market Overview**

May 2025 was the busiest month on record for the cat bond issuances. The month saw 16 (18 if one were to count joint issuers separately) different sponsors issuing \$6.2 billion of cat bonds. The slew of issuances also brought five new sponsors to the market, with three of them covering risks primarily in the U.S. Northeast.

With only \$380 million of maturities in May, the market grew significantly during the month. Seasonally adjusted spreads widened due to the large volume of deals, but the market held well considering the size of the growth it experienced. Expected maturities in June are \$2.5 billion vs. an anticipated issuance of ~\$2.0 billion, and we would expect spreads to tighten in June.

### **Fund Facts**

Investment mana	ger Fern	nat Capital	Management,	LLC
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Management company Carne Group **UCITS** Fund type Fund domicile Ireland USD Base currency of the

class

Currency classes CHF, EUR, GBP, JPY, USD classes are available

02.12.2024 Inception date of the fund

07.22.2024 Inception date of the

class

Total fund assets USD 1634 m

With Intelligence ILS Index (Hedged) in USD Benchmark

Min investment Available on request

Distribution type Accumulation

Dealing days

Three times per month: the second and fourth Monday, and last business day of the month.

Manager fee 1.05% Performance fee 10.00% **TER** 1.18% TER date 01.01.2024 Bloomberg FERORUS ID ISIN IE000SV333V4 Data sources Fermat, Bloomberg

### **Risk & Reward Profile**

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Lower r	isk				Hig	her risk
Typicall	ly lower re	turn		Typica	ally highe	er return
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The risk indicator is based on the volatility of the Fund's performance over the last 5 years. Where 5 years' performance history is not available the data is supplemented by proxy fund, benchmark data or a simulated historical series as appropriate.

### **Historical Monthly Net Returns %**

%	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Year
2025	-0.37	-0.13	0.91	0.19	0.40								1.00
2024							0.39*	1.68	2.08	0.75	1.12	1.56	7.82

<sup>\*</sup>Partial month performance from July 22, 2024.

Past performance is not an indicator of future performance and current or future trends. The performance values refer to the net asset value and are calculated without the commission and costs incurred on issue, redemption, or swapping (e.g. transaction and custody costs of the investor). The fund does not include the security of capital which is characteristic of a deposit with a bank or building society. The indications are based on figures denominated in USD. If this currency is different from the currency of the country in which the investor is resident, the return may increase or decrease as a result of currency fluctuations. Distributions from income distributing share classes are captured in the above performance.

## Performance Summary 1 as at 05-31-2025

	Fund %
1-Month Return	0.40
3-Month Return	1.51
12-Month Return	N/A
Return Since Inception	8.90
Annualized Return Since Inception	N/A
% Positive Months	82%

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Partial month performance may be included.

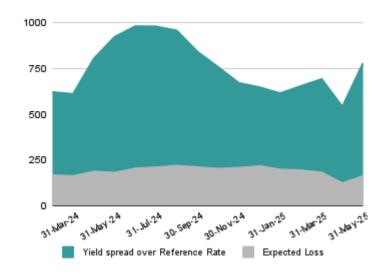
### Risk Summary<sup>3</sup> as at 05-31-2025

	1-Year		3-Year		5-Year	
	Fund	Index	Fund	Index	Fund	Index
Maximum drawdown (%) <sup>2</sup>	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Annualized standard deviation (%)	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Downside deviation (%)	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> The largest loss, peak to trough based on monthly data.

### **Portfolio Analysis**

### Portfolio Yield Spread<sup>8</sup> and Expected Loss

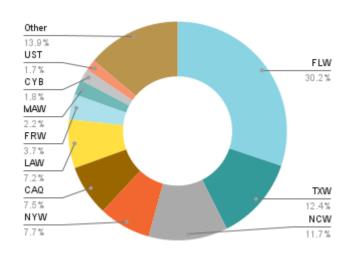


This chart shows the "Portfolio expected loss" <sup>2</sup> and "Portfolio yield spread" <sup>8</sup>. Analysis is gross of fees and expenses charged at the class level.

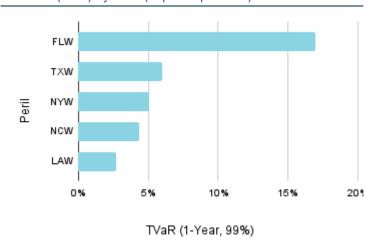
### Portfolio Snapshot

Portfolio yield to maturity (%) <sup>1</sup>	Reference Rate <sup>7</sup> + 7.80%		
Portfolio expected loss (%) <sup>2</sup>	1.63%		
Cash holdings (%)	0.58%		
Weighted average maturity (years) <sup>3</sup>	2.14		
Number of positions <sup>4</sup>	276		
Public cat bond / insurance debt / private ILS mix (market value) <sup>5</sup>	96% / 0% / 4%		
Max 1:100 year event loss (%) <sup>6</sup>	11.0%, FLW		

### Top 10 Contributors to Portfolio Expected Loss by Peril



### Tail VaR (99%) by Peril (Top 5 Exposures)



<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> Metrics for the index used in this report have been prepared using index levels hedged to the base currency of the reporting share class by Fermat. Fermat's index currency hedging calculation is based on the quoted USD hedged index levels and quoted spot and forward rates. Details of Fermat's index currency hedging calculation process can be supplied upon request.

Source: Fermat Capital Management, LLC. Past performance is not a reliable indicator of future performance or current or future trends. The portfolio analysis information shown is gross of commissions, and fees and other charges which may have a negative effect on net results. Allocations and holdings are subject to change.

### Peril Code Definitions

CAQ	California (CA) Earthquake	LAW	Louisiana (LA) Hurricane	NYW	New York (NY) Hurricane
FLW	Florida (FL) Hurricane	MAW	Massachusetts (MA) Hurricane	TXW	Texas (TX) Hurricane
FRW	France Windstorm	NCW	North Carolina (NC) Hurricane	UST	US Thunder, Tornado & Hailstorm
CYB	Worldwide Cyber				

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup>Portfolio yield to maturity. The total yield of a portfolio based on coupon and estimated collateral income and accretion/amortization, i.e. "pull to par"; quoted gross of fees and expenses charged at the class level but net of financing costs.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup>Portfolio expected loss. The long-term annual probability of loss of principal, severity weighted, as determined by the use of independent, commercial catastrophe models.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup>Weighted average maturity (years). Capital-weighted years-to-maturity of portfolio investment holdings.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4</sup>Number of positions. The number of individual securities held in the portfolio.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>5</sup>The "Public cat bond" category is 144A deals, "insurance debt" is any private insurance debt issuance, and any other non-144A security types are in the "private ILS" category.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>6</sup>Max 1:100 year event loss. Maximum loss to the portfolio produced by any single event with a 100 year 'return period' as modelled by Fermat Capital, based primarily on the use of independent commercial catastrophe models.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>7</sup>Reference Rate. Collateral yield, which varies by security and can be based on US Treasury Money Market rates, or 3 or 6 month LIBOR/EURIBOR rates.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>8</sup>Portfolio yield spread. Portfolio yield to maturity minus the Reference Rate.

^ Please note that the information in this section refers to the Fermat UCITS Cat Bond Fund (the "Fund") into which all share classes invest, and therefore does not reflect the effects of currency hedging (if applicable) or of fees charged at the class level.

<sup>^^</sup> Please refer to the Peril code definitions on the last page of the report.

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