

#### **Press release**

# Amundi adds new US corporate bonds exposure as assets in its low-cost Prime ETF range pass €500m

**London – 24 September 2019** – Following the success of Amundi's Prime ETF range, which launched back in mid-march, and already holds more that €500m<sup>1</sup> in Assets Under Management, Amundi announces a new addition to the Prime range: the Amundi Prime US Corporates – Ucits ETF DR with an ongoing charge of 0.05%<sup>2</sup>.

Fannie Wurtz, Head of Amundi ETF, Indexing and Smart Beta, said: "Investors' search for yield means Corporate bonds have been the most popular part of Europe's ETF market this year. We already offered Euro Corporate bonds at 0.05%, but now our clients also demand ultra-low cost US credit exposure. That is why we decided to create a Prime US Corporates ETF, Europe's lowest cost US Corporate bond ETF<sup>1]</sup>, to ensure we could better serve our investors."

Amundi's Prime ETF range aims to offer investors the lowest possible cost exposure to the key building blocks of a diversified portfolio. The 10 ETFs in Amundi's Prime range cover both fixed income and equity markets from the world, Europe, USA, and Japan. They all have the same ongoing charge of 0.05%, use physical replication and track indices from Solactive<sup>3</sup>, a well-established and cost-efficient index provider. Additionally, as with all Amundi ETFs, the Prime range excludes controversial weapon providers.

This new ETF was listed today on Xetra – the German stock exchange - and will soon be listed on LSE and Borsa Italiana.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Amundi as of End August 2019

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Ongoing charges - annual, all taxes included. For Amundi ETF funds, the ongoing charges correspond to the Total Expense Ratio. The ongoing charges represent the charges taken from the fund over a year. When the fund has not closed its accounts for the first time, the ongoing charges are estimated. It compares the annual total management and operating costs (all taxes included) charged to a fund against the value of that fund's assets. **Transaction cost and commissions may occur when trading ETFs.** 

<sup>[1]</sup> Source: Amundi ETF at launch date

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> For further information on the index provider, please consult www.solactive.com

ETF Name	Exposure	Dividend policy	ISIN Code	Listing codes	Ongoing charges <sup>(1)</sup>
Equity					
AMUNDI PRIME GLOBAL UCITS ETF DR	Large & mid-cap Global equities	Distribution	LU1931974692	PR1W GY PRIW LN	0.05%
AMUNDI PRIME EUROZONE UCITS ETF DR	Largest Eurozone equities	Distribution	LU1931974429	PR1Z GY PRIZ LN	0.05%
AMUNDI PRIME EUROPE UCITS ETF DR	Large & mid-cap European equities	Distribution	LU1931974262	PR1E GY PRIE LN	0.05%
AMUNDI PRIME USA UCITS ETF DR	Large & mid-cap US equities	Distribution	LU1931974858	PR1U GY PRIU LN	0.05%
AMUNDI PRIME JAPAN UCITS ETF DR	Large & mid-cap Japanese equities	Distribution	LU1931974775	PR1J GY PRIJ LN	0.05%
Fixed Income					
AMUNDI PRIME GLOBAL GOVIES UCITS ETF DR	Global Developed govies	Distribution	LU1931975236	PR1G GY PRIG LN	0.05%
AMUNDI PRIME EURO GOVIES UCITS ETF DR	Eurozone govies	Distribution	LU1931975152	PR1R GY PRIR LN	0.05%
AMUNDI PRIME EURO CORPORATES UCITS ETF DR	Euro IG Corporate bonds	Distribution	LU1931975079	PR1C GY PRIC LN	0.05%
AMUNDI PRIME US TREASURY UCITS ETF DR	US Treasury bonds	Distribution	LU1931975319	PR1S GY PRIT LN	0.05%
AMUNDI PRIME US CORPORATES UCITS ETF DR	USD IG Corporate bonds	Distribution	LU2037749152	PR1P GY PRIP LN	0.05%

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Dedicated teams are located in major European countries and rely on a wide network of "Authorised Participants" (more than 65 market makers).

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<sup>4</sup> Source: Amundi ETF as of August 2019

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>5</sup> Source IPE "Top 400 asset managers" published in June 2019 and based on AUM as of end December 2018

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>7</sup> Amundi figures as of June 30, 2019

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>7</sup> Investment hubs: Boston, Dublin, London, Milan, Paris and Tokyo

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