

Purpose of the Document

This document provides you with key information about this investment product. It is not marketing material. The information is required by law to help you understand the nature, risks, costs, potential gains and losses of this product and to help you compare it with other products.

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Warning

You are about to purchase a product that is not simple and may be difficult to understand. The product is not suitable for every investor. The product is suitable for an active investor who has experience and is aware of investment risks.

I. What is this product?

Type

A forward is a basic type of currency hedging. It is a contract under pre-agreed conditions, i.e. a pre-agreed (forward) rate, a pre-agreed volume of business and a pre-agreed maturity date. The forward rate is based on the spot rate adjusted by forward points. These are determined by the term for which the forward is concluded and the difference in interest rates of the currencies traded. With a fixed forward rate, it is possible to gain security and get rid of the risk arising from future negative exchange rate developments. On the other hand, the client may avoid profiting from any positive development of these rates in the future. There are no fees for concluding a forward and it can be concluded for an unlimited term (up to 1 year as standard, individually or longer). There is no limit on the number of such trades or their maximum amount. A trade is binding at the moment of arranging the transaction.

Goals

The goal of a customer using a forward, i.e. buying currency at a pre-agreed rate, is to protect themselves against future increases in the market exchange rate of the currency being purchased. Conversely, a customer selling currency at a pre-agreed rate wants to protect themselves against a future decline in the market rate of the currency sold.

Intended customer

This product is only suitable for corporate customers who have sufficient experience in hedging against currency risks. As the market rate may develop differently from customer expectations, it is necessary that customers are aware of this risk and are able to bear any financial loss from a negative development. Customers are assumed to have a high tolerance for risk and understand the consequences and risks associated with trading these products.

II. What are the risks and what could I get in return?

Risk indicator:



The risk indicator assumes that you will keep the product for the entire maturity period. The actual risk may be significantly different if the customer divests early. This product is a high-risk product. The prices of the underlying assets can fluctuate considerably in a short period of time and the customer may suffer a significant unlimited loss.

All derivative contracts are legally classified as 7, which is the highest risk class. The product has been placed in this category based on its character. Its performance for the customer is dependent on the future development of market rates.

Performance scenarios

The currency forward example is based on realistic fundamentals. The example may not exactly match the specific terms of your contract.

Example for EUR buyers - STD FWD EURCZK purchase for 1 year, amount of EUR 100,000

Position scenario	Opening rate of the position	% change in rate	Referential fixing at maturity	Profit / Loss [CZK]
Stress	25,100	-1,50%	24,724	-37 600,00
Unfavourable	25,100	-0,50%	24,975	-12 500,00
Moderate	25,100	0,30%	25,175	7 500,00
Favourable	25,100	1,00%	25,351	25 100,00

The scenarios presented are estimates of future performance based on past facts regarding rate developments and are not an accurate indicator. The stress scenario shows what you can get back or what you will have to pay in extreme cases. These figures include all costs of the product itself. The figures do not take into account your personal tax situation, in particular the tax regulations of your home country, which may also affect the success of your investment.

III. What happens if AKCENTA is unable to pay out?

If AKCENTA fails to meet its obligations under this product or is unable to make a payment, you may lose all or part of your payment or suffer an unlimited loss. This product is not protected by any deposit insurance scheme, statutory or other insurance.

IV. What are the costs?

The costs shown below are based on a hypothetical trade reflecting current market prices. The specific costs you may incur in purchasing such a product may vary and will depend on market prices at the time of purchase. These amounts represent the cumulative cost of the product itself for the recommended holding period (assumed 365 days). The table below shows the impact of each cost on the return on investment.

One-off costs	The fee is charged when the transaction is opened.	0%
Running costs	Subsequent running fees associated with holding product positions/fees in the underlying asset market.	0%
Collateral composition	The amount of collateral is based on the size of the investment and the financial stability of the client. The collateral is deposited in a separate client IPA.	1-20%
Incidental costs	Performance fees/Capital appreciation fees.	0%

The person selling or advising you about the product may charge you different costs. If so, this person will provide you with information about these costs and explain the impact that all the costs will have on your investment over time.

V. How long should I hold it and can I take my money out early?

The recommended holding period is the same as the agreed maturity date. The customer is not entitled to unilaterally withdraw from the product before the end of the contractually agreed holding period. Depending on the market value of the product, the customer may make a profit or loss upon termination.

VI. How can I complain?

All the necessary information for the handling of complaints and claims can be found at <https://www.akcenta.com/claims-form>. The details are listed in the Claims Policy, which is also available on the website. Under the conditions set out in the legislation, you can contact the Czech National Bank (www.cnb.cz) or the Financial Arbitrator (www.finarbitr.cz).

VII. Other relevant information

For more information on this product, please visit our website <https://www.akcenta.com/forward-transactions> or contact the relevant AKCENTA CZ expert at +420 498 777 800.