OBJECTIVES AND PROCESS

- Seeks total return, maximising investment income whilst preserving capital
- Invests two-thirds of its assets in investment-grade credit debt securities —graded such at the time of purchase —issued by corporate issues domiciled anywhere in the world
- May invest up to one-third of its total assets in below-investment-grade debt securities
- Will hedge non-US\$-denominated investments to the US dollar
- Will target to decarbonise the sub-fund by 2050
- Uses a negative screen to exclude securities issued by companies based on their exposure to ESG risks
- May also use derivatives for hedging, efficient portfolio management or for investment purposes
- Focuses on bottom-up credit research with a focus on well-underwritten credits and relative value
- Seeks to balance income whilst aiming for a competitive yield to drive total returns

Key Risks

Asset-backed securities risk Contingent Convertible Bonds risk Currency risk Debt securities risk Global investment risk High yield securities risk ESG risk Emerging markets risk Leverage risk US Government Obligations risk

Calendar-year-performance (%)

Past performance is not indicative of future results.

	2024	2023	2022	2021	2020	2019	2018	2017	2016	2015
Class A (USD)*	3.69	8.97	-16.01	_	_	_	_	_	_	_
Bloomberg Global Aggregate Corporate Index (USD Hedged) ¹	3.69	9.10	-14.11	-0.79	8.26	_	_	_	_	_

Performance (%)

	Annualized							
			VTD		<u></u>		4014	Since
	1 Month 3	Month	YTD	1Y	3Y	5Y	10Y Ir	ception
Class A (USD)	1.59	0.80	2.21	6.74	0.64	—	_	-1.25
Bloomberg Global Aggregate	1.58	0.91	2.19	7.20	1.38	0.72	_	1.47
Corporate Index (USD Hedged) ¹								

Past performance is not indicative of future results. Performance calculations are net of all applicable fees and are calculated on a NAV-to-NAV basis (with income re-invested). Performance shown is for class and currency indicated and returns may increase/decrease as a result of currency fluctuations. *Share class inception date Class A (USD)27 August 2021.

Fund information

Fund managers: Scott M. Smith, CFA; HenriettaMPacquement, CFA; Alex Temple; Jonathan Terry, CFAMFund inception date: 8 November 2019SIAsset class: Global Fixed IncomeSIFinancial year-end: 31 MarchFund size: \$77.26m (USD)Base currency: USDBenchmark: Bloomberg Gbl Agg Credit TR Hdg USD1

[†]Promotes environmental and social characteristics but does not have a sustainable investment objective.

Minimum investment (or equivalent value): \$1,000 (USD) Management approach: Actively managed SFDR: Article 8[†]

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Investors should note that, relative to the expectations of the Autorité desMarchés Financiers, this fund presents disproportionate communication on the consideration of non-financial criteria in its investment policy.

Portfolio characteristics

	Fund	Benchmark ¹
Average credit quality	A-	A-
Duration (yrs)	5.85	5.92
Weighted average coupon	3.93	3.98
Weighted average maturity	8.27	8.69

Sources: FactSet and Allspring Global Investments.

Geographic allocation (%)

	Fund	Benchmark ¹
North America	57.34	63.27
Europe	35.76	28.39
Asia/Pacific ex-Japan	2.25	4.79
Japan	2.08	2.51
Derivatives	-0.02	

Largest holdings (%)

	Fund
US Treasuries	3.04
US Treasuries	1.75
US Treasuries	1.36
Bank of America Corporation	0.91
Pfizer Investment Enterprises Pte. Ltd.	0.81
HSBC Holdings Plc	0.74
Motorola Solutions, Inc.	0.73
Truist Financial Corporation	0.72
Danske Bank A/S	0.68
Goldman Sachs Group, Inc.	0.68

Based on ending weights as of month-end. Source: Allspring Global Investments. The information shown is not intended to be, nor should it be construed to be, a recommendation to buy or sell an individual security.

Sector weights (%)

	Fund	Benchmark ¹
Financials	38.33	36.55
Information technology	8.59	6.44
Health care	8.50	7.42
Consumer discretionary	7.57	7.77
Communication services	7.43	7.05
Treasuries	6.55	_
Utilities	5.20	9.15
Energy	4.09	6.04
Consumer staples	3.66	5.93
Real estate	3.05	2.63

Based on ending weights as of month-end. Source: Allspring Global Investments.

Maturity distribution (%)

	Fund
Derivatives	-0.02
0 - 3 years	17.22
3 - 5 years	21.97
5 - 10 years	40.46
10+ years	17.79
Cash & equivalents	2.58
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Based on ending weights as of month-end. Source: manager database.

Credit rating allocation (%)

	Fund	Benchmark ¹
AAA/Aaa	0.28	0.97
AA/Aa	9.68	7.64
A/A	40.30	43.67
BBB/Baa	46.59	47.72
BB/Ba	0.58	
Cash & equivalents	2.58	_

Based on ending weights as of month-end. Source: Allspring Global Investments.

Credit asset class (%)

	Fund
Corporate bonds	88.05
Treasuries	6.38
Agencies	1.98
Local authorities	1.02
Derivatives	-0.02
Cash & equivalents	2.58

Based on ending weights as of month-end. Source: Allspring Global Investments.

Share class information

Class A (USD)	27 Aug 2021	Accumulating	LU1826612449	WEIGCRA LX	95.69	0.80	0.95
	Inception Date	Distribution Type	ISIN Code	Bloomberg ID	NAV	Annual mgmt fee	TER (%)**
							Ongoing charges /

**The ongoing charges/total expense ratio (TER) reflects annual total operating expenses for the class, excludes transaction costs and is expressed as a percentage of net asset value. The figure shown is from current KID. The investment manager has committed to reimburse the Sub-Fund when the ongoing charges exceed the agreed upon TER. Ongoing charges may vary over time.

ESG metrics

MSCI ESG SCORE

	Fund		Benchmark ¹	
	Value	Coverage	Value	Coverage
MSCI Overall Score	7.0	96%	6.8	96%
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Data is sourced from MSCI ESG Research where companies are rated on a scale of 0-10 (0 -worst, 10 - best). Weighted average scores exclude effects of unrated securities.

PRODUCT/ACTIVITY INVOLVEMENT (%)

	Fund	Benchmark ¹
Controversial Weapons	0.00	1.43
Oil Sands	0.00	0.13
Small Arms	0.00	0.05
Thermal Coal	0.00	0.96
Торассо	0.00	0.94
UN Global Compact non-compliant	0.00	1.40

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FOSSIL FUEL RESERVE EMISSIONS

	Fund	Benchmark ¹
Coal (metric tons CO2e/1MM invested)	0	26,542
Gas (metric tons CO2e/1MM invested)	9,338	7,723
Oil (metric tons CO2e/1MM invested)	20,777	12,533

Data sourced from S&P Trucost Limited.

SUSTAINALYTICS ESG RISK SCORE

	Value	Coverage
Fund	20	92%
Benchmark ¹	22	98%

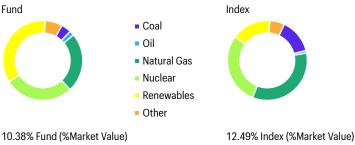
ESG Risk Ratings measure exposure to and management of ESG risks. Lower risk scores reflect less ESG risk. Sustainalytics ESG Risk Scores measure ESG risks on a scale of 0 - 100 (0 - no ESG Risk, >40 - Severe ESG Risk).

CARBON CHARACTERISTICS

	Fund		Benchmark ¹		
_	Value	Coverage	Value	Coverage	% above / below benchmark
Carbon to value invested (metric tons CO2e/\$MM invested)*	55	85%	76	91%	-27%
Weighted average carbon intensity (metric tons CO2e/ \$1MM revenues)*	123	88%	232	94%	-47%

*Carbon emissions includes operational and first-tier supply chain greenhouse gas emissions. Data sourced from S&P Trucost Limited.

ENERGY GENERATION MIX



Data sourced from S&P Trucost Limited.

Key Risks

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