# Aegon Investment Grade Global Bond Fund AAcc EUR (Hedged)

Factsheet as at 31 January 2024 This is a marketing communication

## **Portfolio objective**

The investment objective is to maximise total return (income plus capital) by investing primarily in investment grade government and corporate bonds in any currency which may be at a fixed or floating rate, rated or unrated. The fund may also hold selected high yield bonds and cash.

#### Performance

The fund aims to outperform the Barclays Capital Global Aggregate Corporate Index over a rolling 36-month period

Performance for the individual share class is shown against the reference index as detailed in the key facts table.

Past performance does not predict future returns.

Asset Management

Past performance shown prior to the launch of the share class is simulated back to the launch date of the fund using an existing share class.

#### Cumulative performance (%)

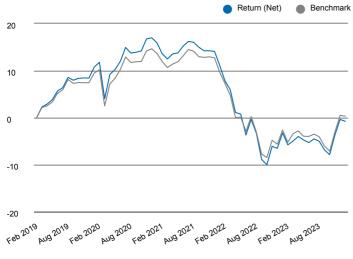
	1MO	3MO	YTD	1YR	3YR	5YR	7YR	10YR	SI
Return (Net)	-0.42	7.67	-0.42	2.53	-14.42	-0.79	-0.80	8.55	53.81
Benchmark	-0.17	8.02	-0.17	3.02	-11.74	0.31	1.79	12.03	56.39

#### Discrete annual performance (%)

The table below shows performance over rolling discrete 12-month periods.

	2024	2023	2022	2021	2020
Return (Net)	2.53	-12.88	-4.18	4.66	10.76
Benchmark	3.02	-11.19	-3.54	3.82	9.47
	2019	2018	2017	2016	2015
Return (Net)	<b>2019</b> -3.97	<b>2018</b> 4.13	<b>2017</b> 4.27	<b>2016</b> -2.44	<b>2015</b> 7.56

#### Cumulative five-year performance



Source: Aegon Asset Management UK. NAV to NAV, noon prices, income reinvested, net of ongoing charges, excluding entry or exit charges

## **Key facts**

Investment Vehicle	Aegon Asset Management Investment Company (Ireland) plc
Fund Managers	Euan McNeil, Kenneth Ward
Fund Launch	08 November 2007
Share Class Launch	19 February 2013
Benchmark	Bloomberg Barclays Global Aggregate Corporates TR EUR Hedged
SFDR Classification	6
Fund Base Currency	USD
Fund Size	234,466,058
NAV	11.09
Fund Structure	OEIC
Investment Manager	Aegon Asset Management UK
SEDOL	B296XX6
ISIN	IE00B296XX62
Dividend Strategy	No dividend distribution
Valuation Point	12:00 GMT

## Costs

Initial Charge	5.00%
Management Fee	0.65%
Ongoing Charges Fee	1.26%

The ongoing charge figure is based on the actual expenses incurred in the 12-month period concluding at the end of last month. The cost of investing will impact your investment. The return will be reduced by the fees and expenses that may be incurred in managing the investment. Fees may have a compounding effect.

#### **Risk and reward profile**



potentially lower rewards

potentially higher rewards

## **Portfolio data**

	Portfolio	Benchmark
Number of Issuers	133	2,141
Number of Issues	154	16,033
Average Credit Quality	BBB+	A-
Yield to Maturity (%)	5.23	5.24
Yield to Worst (%)	5.05	5.18
Effective Duration (Yrs)	5.84	6.02
Modified Duration (Yrs)	5.87	6.05
Spread Duration (Yrs)	5.73	6.17
Option Adjusted Spread (bps)	114	109
Sharpe Ratio (%)	-0.35	-0.28
Standard Deviation (Ann.)	7.19	7.43

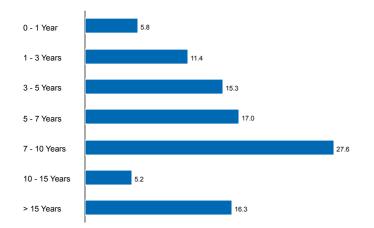
## **Sector allocation**

	Portfolio (%)	Benchmark (%)
Banking	21.0	26.8
Consumer Non-Cyclical	15.1	13.2
Insurance	9.9	5.7
Technology	6.5	6.5
Treasuries	6.3	0.0
Electric	5.3	7.0
Consumer Cyclical	5.3	8.2
Capital Goods	5.2	4.9
Communications	4.8	7.4
Energy	3.4	5.9

# **Currency exposure**

	Portfolio Pre-hedge (%)	Portfolio Post-hedge (%)
USD	69.3	98.0
EUR	20.9	1.0
GBP	9.8	0.9
NZD	0.0	0.0
AUD	0.0	0.0

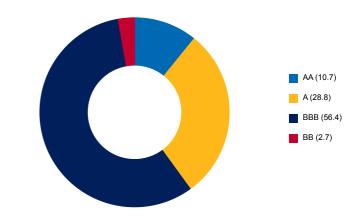
# Maturity allocation (%)



# **Top 10 holdings**

	Portfolio (%)
UNITED STATES TREASURY	6.3
PRUDENTIAL FUNDING ASIA PLC	1.4
COOPERATIEVE RABOBANK UA	1.4
COMCAST CORPORATION	1.3
ASTRAZENECA PLC	1.2
ELECTRICITE DE FRANCE SA	1.2
SIEMENS FINANCIERINGSMAATSCHAPPIJ N.V.	1.1
SMURFIT KAPPA TREASURY FUNDING DAC	1.1
SOCIETE GENERALE SA	1.1
MCDONALDS CORPORATION	1.1

# **Ratings allocation (%)**



# **Regional allocation (%)**

	Portfolio (%)	Benchmark (%)
North America	48.7	61.5
Europe ex-United Kingdom	30.2	22.4
United Kingdom	15.6	7.7
Asia Pacific ex-Japan	3.8	4.5
Japan	0.4	2.9
Africa	0.0	0.1
Latin America	0.0	1.0
Middle East	0.0	0.3
Other	0.0	0.0



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For further information on the Portfolio, including legal documents and details of all available share classes: www.aegonam.com/funds



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