## **Barings Global Loan Fund**

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## FUND FACTS

NAV (\$m) 6,261.6

Inception Date September 13, 2010

Domiciled Ireland, Irish Qualifying Investor Alternative Investment Fund

**Dealing Frequency** Daily, with 30 days' notice period for redemptions

Investment Manager Baring Asset Management Limited Barings LLC

Currency Tranches GBP/USD/EUR/AUD/CHF/ SEK/JPY/SGD/CAD/NOK/ DKK (accumulating and distributing)

Distribution Frequency Quarterly

> Base Currency USD

Benchmark Credit Suisse Global Loan Benchmark<sup>2</sup>

> PORTFOLIO MANAGERS

Martin Horne 24 years of experience

**Tom McDonnell** 24 years of experience

David Mihalick 16 years of experience

Chris Sawyer 15 years of experience

## APRIL 2021 / FACTSHEET

## OBJECTIVE

The Barings Global Loan Fund ("The Fund") seeks to provide investors with current income, and where appropriate, capital appreciation.

## STRATEGY

The Fund seeks to achieve its investment objective by investing primarily in senior secured loans and, to a lesser extent, senior secured bonds issued by North American and European companies.

## MARKET OPPORTUNITY

- · Performing loans provide steady interest income in a broadly low rate environment
- · Senior and secured position in the capital structure provides a defensive position in default situations
- Historically, loans have exhibited low correlations to other more traditional asset classes (equities, fixed income, etc.)

FUND Performance (%) <sup>1</sup>	Barings Global Loan Fund (Gross of Fees)	Barings Global Loan Fund (Net of Fees)	Credit Suisse Global Loan Index <sup>2</sup>	Credit Suisse Leveraged Loan Index
April 2021	0.59	0.54	0.51	0.51
3 Months	2.03	1.89	1.29	1.25
Year to Date	3.44	3.24	2.51	2.53
1 Year	18.92	18.25	16.13	16.39
3 Years	4.44	3.85	4.37	4.14
5 Years	5.54	4.95	5.19	5.04
10 Years	5.09	4.49	4.49	4.40
Since Inception	5.61	4.99	4.94	4.84

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1. Fund Inception Date: September 13, 2010.

2. Global Loan Benchmark is a market value weighted blend of the Credit Suisse Leveraged Loan Index and the Credit Suisse Western European Leveraged Loan Index.

## MANAGEMENT FEE SCHEDULE

	Commitment	Management Fee (p.a.)
Share Tranche B	≥\$50M	0.475%
Share Tranche C	\$10 - \$50M	0.55%
Share Tranche D	\$1 - \$10M	0.65%
Share Tranche E	€100K (or equivalent)	1.00%
Share Tranche G	€100K (or equivalent)	1.25%

Annual Expenses capped at 20 bps per annum. Please refer to Prospectus for more information.

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## GLOBAL HIGH YIELD PLATFORM<sup>1,2</sup>

Barings manages \$326+ billion of fixed income, real estate, and alternative assets globally

Market leading franchise across the U.S. and European high yield and structured credit markets by consistently applying a bottom-up fundamental approach to each investment opportunity

Barings manages \$76 billion in global high yield credit across structured vehicles, separate accounts and commingled funds

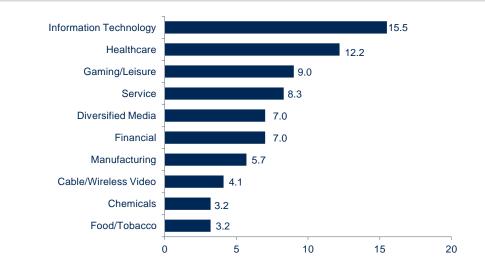
Over a 20 year track record in managing high yield loan and bond assets

96 investment professionals dedicated to global high yield with significant presence in the U.S. and European markets

- 47 in U.S. High Yield
- 26 in European High Yield
- 13 in Structured Credit
- 10 in Emerging Markets Corporate Debt

CHARACTERISTICS <sup>3,4</sup>	BARINGS GLOBAL LOAN FUND
Number of Issuers	284
Average Current Yield - Hedged (% Settled Assets)	4.58
Average Price	97.50
Average Rating	B2
Secured / Unsecured / Other (%)	99 / 0 / 1
Floating Rate / Fixed Rate / Other (%)	95 / 4 / 1
USD / EUR / GBP (%)	78 / 16 / 5

## TOP 10 SECTOR DISTRIBUTION (% OF MV)



TOP 10 ISSUERS (% OF NAV)		G
Flint Group	1.97	
Finastra	1.44	
Advanz Pharma	1.31	
Virgin Media	1.15	
WS Audiology (fka Sivantos & Widex)	1.15	
Altice USA, Inc	1.14	
Caesars Resort Collection LLC	1.11	
UKG Inc (fka Ultimate Software)	1.08	
Syniverse Technologies	1.06	
Springer Nature	1.00	

## GEOGRAPHICAL WEIGHTING (% OF MV)



1. Source: Barings, assets as of March 31, 2021.

- 2. Source: Barings, number of professionals as of April 30, 2021.
- 3. Based on market value of invested assets.
- 4. Ratings based on Moody's methodology.

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