A Sub-Fund of TCW Funds, a Luxembourg-domiciled UCITS

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Investment Objective & Philosophy

The Sub-Fund seeks high total return provided by current income and capital appreciation. To achieve this objective, the Sub-Fund invests at least 80% of its net assets in high yield bonds of U.S. issuers (which means issuers of securities traded on the U.S. domestic market, or issuers residing in the U.S. and/or whose main business and/or principal registered office are located in the U.S.), which are rated below investment grade or are unrated and determined by the Investment Manager to be of similar quality.

The TCW High Yield Sustainable Bond Fund has a sustainable investment objective within the meaning of Article 9 of the **Sustainable Finance Disclosure Regulation** and employs a proprietary ESG research framework to evaluate sustainability and score bonds and other securities. Factors incorporated in the proprietary research score vary by asset class and may include indicators such as factors related to physical and transition climate risk, lending standards and practices, deal terms and governance, and community impact among many other topics.

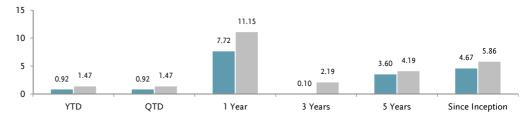
TCW Article 9 Sub-Funds aim to achieve a sustainable investment objective, by targeting a lower carbon intensity than the respective benchmark and/or investment universe of each Sub-Fund. In addition, these Sub-Funds will invest in issuers that are managing ESG and sustainability risks, that are meeting a minimum standard for sustainable investments. In addition, TCW will seek to engage proactively with portfolio companies in order to improve sustainability practices and outcomes.

From 21 July 2022, the Sub-Fund adopted a sustainable investment objective within the meaning of Article 9 of the Sustainable Finance Disclosure Regulation by targeting a lower carbon intensity that the respective benchmark and/or investment universe. Please see <u>www.tcw.com/Products/Funds</u>

Monthly Returns (%, USD)

													Year	
	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	Мау	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Sub-fund	Index
2024	0.14	-0.07	0.84	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.92	1.47
2023	2.94	-1.70	1.66	0.52	-1.22	0.99	1.06	-0.06	-1.26	-0.94	4.12	3.49	9.80	13.44
2022	-2.61	-1.53	-0.79	-3.68	-0.63	-5.99	5.57	-2.41	-3.91	2.09	1.38	-0.14	-12.40	-11.18
2021	0.15	-0.08	-0.26	0.96	0.23	1.08	0.33	0.49	0.21	-0.60	-1.13	1.75	3.12	5.26
2020	0.16	-0.28	-6.06	5.05	2.82	1.45	4.24	0.67	-1.00	0.48	3.19	1.32	12.21	7.05
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Calendar Year Performance (%, USD)



Source: Morningstar. Returns not annualized if less than one year. Past performance is not a reliable indicator of future results. Returns may increase or decrease as a result of currency fluctuations. All returns are net of fees and are gross of taxation.

Index – Bloomberg U.S. Corporate High Yield Index 2% Issuer Cap: An unmanaged index that covers the USDdenominat-ed, non-investment grade, fixed-rate, taxable corporate bond market. The index limits exposures to a specific issuer to a maximum 2% by market value. The index is not available for direct investment; therefore its performance does not reflect a reduction for fees or expenses incurred in managing a portfolio. The securities in the index may be substantially different from those in the Fund.

Sub-Fund Size USD 27.49 Million

Net Asset Value USD 1,444.55

Risk Level

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	
Lower I	Risk		Higher Risk				
Typically Lower Rewards Typically Higher Reward							
Charao	cteristi	cs		Sub-Fi	ınd	Index	
Numb	er of Po	sitions		٦	1,957		
Averag	g		BB B+				
Averag	rity		4.16 Yrs 4.33 Y				
Spread	ion		3.21 Yrs 3.20 Yr				
Effectiv	/e Dura	ition		3.16 Yrs 3.15 Yr			
Averag	e Price			\$91.05 \$93.4			
Curren	t Yield		5.55% 6.63				
Yield to	o Wors	t		6.77% 7.66%			
Trackir	ng Erro	r (5 Yrs))	2.95% -			

Share Class

Standard Deviation (5 Yrs)

Description	Institutional
NAV Currency	USD
Currency Exposure	USD (unhedged)

7.57%

9.33%

Fees

0.50%
0.61%
None
None
Up to 2.5% to the benefit of distributor

Sustainable Finance Disclosure Regulation (SFDR) Categorization: ARTICLE 9

SFDR Categorisation sets out how the fund is categorised for the purposes of Regulation (EU) 2019/2088 on Sustainability-related Disclosures in the Financial Services Sector. Article 9 Sub-Funds have a sustainable investment objective within the meaning of SFDR with further details set out in the Prospectus and relevant Sub-Fund Supplement.

TCW High Yield Sustainable Bond Fund

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Subscription/Redemption Information

Daily Forward Pricing NAV Valuation Subscription/Redemption Deadline 10:00 PM Luxembourg Time Minimum Subscription US\$ 1 Million Codes ISIN LU1377851966 TCWHYIU Bloomberg WKN A2AH34 BYMY9D3 SEDOL Telekurs 31791163

Sub-Fund Managers

Stephen M. Kane, CFA	Brian G. Gelfand
Jerry Cudzil	Steven J. Purdy

General Sub-Fund Information

Legal Status	Sub-Fund of a Luxembourg SICAV - UCITS
Countries of Registration	LU, UK, FR, BE, DE, IT, AT, CH, ES, FI, SU,
	NO, DK
Custodian Bank	Société Générale Luxembourg
Inception Date	11 March 2016
Close of Fiscal Year	30 September

Portfolio Composition

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Top Ten Securities (%) ¹		Country Breakdown (%)		Credit Quality (%)		
Issue (Coupon, Maturity)	Weight	United States	88.78	BBB	6.82	
CENTENE CORP 4.250% 12/15/2027	2.53	Canada	2.93	BB	37.03	
CCO HLDGS LLC/CAP CORP 5.500%		France	1.75	В	36.48	
5/1/2026	2.16	Luxembourg	1.57	CCC and below	9.23	
TENET HEALTHCARE CORP 5.125%		Netherlands	1.24	Not Rated	0.62	
11/1/2027	1.99	Great Britain	1.09	Cash and Equivalents	9.83	
FORD MOTOR CREDIT CO LLC		Israel	1.00			
3.664% 9/8/2024	1.85	Spain	0.83	Sector Distribution (%)		
BALL CORP 3.125% 9/15/2031	1.72	Italy	0.52	Consumer Non-Cyclical	22.41	
TRANSDIGM INC 6.375% 3/1/2029	1.67	Ireland	0.29	Communications	17.32	
FORD MOTOR CREDIT CO LLC	1.40			Consumer Cyclical	11.78	
4.063% 11/1/2024	1.49	Currency Distribution (%)		Capital Goods	11.04	
GRAPHIC PACKAGING INTERN	1.48	United States Dollar	100.00	Technology	8.77	
3.500% 3/15/2028	1.40			Insurance	5.08	
CATALENT PHARMA SOLUTION	1.44			Basic Industry	4.80	
5.000% 7/15/2027	1.44			Banking	3.57	
CSC HOLDINGS LLC 6.500% 2/1/2029	1.37			Other Industrial	1.80	
				REITS	1.31	
Duration (%)				Brokerage/Asset Managers/Exchanges	1.26	
0-1 Year	17.75			Finance Companies	0.29	
1-3 Years	32.22			Electric	0.06	
3-5 Years	33.28			Transportation	0.06	
5-7 Years	13.94			Other ²	0.62	
7-10 Years	0.96			Cash and Equivalents	9.83	
10-20 Years	1.86					

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Source: TCW

Portfolio characteristics and securities are subject to change at any time.

¹ It should not be assumed that an investment in the securities listed was or will be profitable. Security percentages are calculated on the total net asset value, including cash and cash equivalents.

² Other represents mark-to-market values of derivatives which can include Options or Swaps, as applicable.

Sustainability ESG Bond by Type (% MV) **Carbon Intensity By Sector** Labeled Bonds 3.02 Electric 1,397 0.00 Green Transportation 680 0.00 Social Basic Industry 278 Sustainability 0.00 Capital Goods 101 Sustainability-Linked 3.02 REITs 77 Consumer Non-Cyclical 55 Weighted Average Carbon Intensity^{1, 2} - Tons Consumer Cyclical 32 CO₂e/\$M Sales Communications 27 Sub-Fund 55.79 Technology 26 Banking 6 Carbon Reduction -79% 0 200 400 600 800 1000 1600 1200 1400 Sub-Fund

Source: TCW, Bloomberg, MSCI¹ Weighted Average Carbon Intensity measure represents the weighted average summary of the portfolio company's most recently reported or estimated Scope 1 and 2 emissions normalized by the most recently available sales in million USD.² Carbon Reduction: Carbon intensity reduction relative to benchmark and/or universe. Applies to corporate issuers.

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