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Schroder International Selection Fund EURO Short Term Bond

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Fund objectives and investment policy

The fund aims to provide capital growth and income in excess of the Bloomberg Barclays Euro Aggregate (1-3 Y) Index after fees have been deducted over a three to five year period by investing in short term bonds denominated in euro. The fund is actively managed and invests at least two-thirds of its assets in short term bonds with an investment grade or sub-investment grade credit rating (as measured by Standard & Poor's or any equivalent grade of other credit rating agencies for rated bonds and implied Schroders ratings for non-rated bonds) denominated in euro issued by governments, government agencies and companies worldwide. The fund will have an average duration that will not exceed 3 years and the residual maturity of any bond will not exceed 5 years. This means that the average remaining life of the bonds held in the fund will be less than 3 years and the remaining life of every bond will be less than 5 years. The fund focuses on bonds which have less than five years to run before they are repaid. The investment manager believes these bonds normally offer the potential for higher returns than money market instruments, and tend to be less risky than longer-dated bonds. The fund may also invest directly or indirectly in other securities (including other asset classes), countries, regions, industries or currencies, investment funds, warrants and money market investments, and hold cash. The fund may use derivatives with the aim of achieving investment gains, reducing risk or managing the fund more efficiently.

Relevant risk as associated with this Fund are shown overleaf and should be carefully considered before making any investment.

Share class performance

Cumulative performance	1 month	3 months	YTD	1 year	3 years	5 years	10 years
Share class (Net)	-1,9	-1,7	-1,7	-1,2	-0,6	0,4	11,8
Target	-1,0	-0,9	-0,9	-0,8	-0,7	-0,4	9,8

Discrete yearly performance	Mar 15 - Mar 16	Mar 16 - Mar 17	Mar 17 - Mar 18	Mar 18 - Mar 19	Mar 19 - Mar 20
Share class (Net)	0,6	0,4	0,5	0,1	-1,2
Target	0,4	-0,1	-0,1	0,1	-0,8

Calendar year performance	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
Share class (Net)	0,9	0,7	0,3	-0,5	1,2
Target	0,7	0,4	-0,4	-0,2	0,4

Performance over 5 years (%)



Past performance is not a reliable indicator of future results, prices of shares and the income from them may fall as well as rise and investors may not get back the amount originally invested.

Exchange rate movements may cause the value of investments to fall as well as rise. The performance shown does not take account of any commissions, entry or exit charges. Source: Morningstar, bid to bid, net income reinvested, net of fees. The fund's performance

source: Morningstar, bid to bid, net income reinvested, net of fees. The fund's performance should be assessed against its target benchmark being to exceed the Bloomberg Barclays Euro Aggregate (1-3 Y) index. The majority of the fund's investments may be components of the benchmark. The investment manager invests on a discretionary basis and is not limited to investing in accordance with the composition of the benchmark. The investment manager will invest in companies or sectors not included in the benchmark in order to take advantage of specific investment opportunities. On 01.03.2018 the Bloomberg Barclays Euro Aggregate (1-3 Y) replaced the Citi European Monetary Union Government Bond 1-3y EUR TR. The full track record of the previous index has been kept and chainlinked to the new one.

Fund facts

Fund manager	Bob Jolly ; Paul Grainger ; James Ringer
Managed fund since	30.11.2011; 30.11.2011; 30.11.2011
Fund management company	Schroder Investment Management (Europe) S.A.
Domicile	Luxembourg
Fund launch date	17.03.1998
Share class launch date	30.11.2001
Fund base currency	EUR
Share class currency	EUR
Fund size (Million)	EUR 596,87
Number of holdings	100
Target	BbgBarc Euro Aggregate 1-3Y TR
Unit NAV	EUR 7,9299
Dealing frequency	Daily
Distribution frequency	No Distribution

Fees & expenses

Ongoing charge	0,05%
Redemption fee	0,00%
Entry charge up to	0,00%

Purchase details

Minimum initial subscription	EUR 5M ; USD 5M or their near equivalent
	in any other freely convertible currency.
	conventible currency.

Codes

ISIN	LU0134335420
Bloomberg	SCHESIA LX
SEDOL	7254253
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5 year return of EUR 10.000



Past Performance is not a guide to future performance and may not be repeated. The value of investments and the income from them may go down as well as up and investors may not get back the amounts originally invested. Exchange rate changes may cause the value of any overseas investments to rise or fall.

The chart is for illustrative purposes only and does not reflect an actual return on any investment.

Returns are calculated bid to bid (which means performance does not include the effect of any initial charges), net income reinvested, net of fees.

Risk considerations

Credit risk: A decline in the financial health of an issuer could cause the value of its bonds to fall or become worthless.

Liquidity risk: In difficult market conditions, the fund may not be able to sell a security for full value or at all. This could affect performance and could cause the fund to defer or suspend redemptions of its shares.

Operational risk: Operational processes, including those related to the safekeeping of assets, may fail. This may result in losses to the fund.

Capital risk / Negative yields: The fund may lose value when interest rates are very low or negative.

Currency risk: The fund may lose value as a result of movements in foreign exchange rates. **Derivatives risk - Efficient Portfolio Management and Investment Purposes:** Derivatives may be used to manage the portfolio efficiently. A derivative may not perform as expected, may create losses greater than the cost of the derivative and may result in losses to the fund. The fund may also materially invest in derivatives including using short selling and leverage techniques with the aim of making a return. When the value of an asset changes, the value of a derivative based on that asset may change to a much greater extent. This may result in greater losses than investing in the underlying asset.

Interest rate risk: The fund may lose value as a direct result of interest rate changes. **Counterparty risk:** The fund may have contractual agreements with counterparties. If a counterparty is unable to fulfil their obligations, the sum that they owe to the fund may be lost in part or in whole.

Performance risk: Investment objectives express an intended result but there is no guarantee that such a result will be achieved. Depending on market conditions and the macro economic environment, investment objectives may become more difficult to achieve. **IBOR:** The transition of the financial markets away from the use of interbank offered rates (IBORs) to alternative reference rates may impact the valuation of certain holdings and disrupt liquidity in certain instruments. This may impact the investment performance of the fund.

Ratings and accreditation



Please refer to the Important information section for the disclosure.

Synthetic risk & reward indicator (SRRI)



The risk category was calculated using historical performance data and may not be a reliable indicator of the fund's future risk profile. The fund's risk category is not guaranteed to remain fixed and may change over time. A fund in the lowest category does not mean a risk-free investment. The fund is in this category because it can take higher risks in search of higher rewards and its price may rise and fall accordingly.

Risk statistics & financial ratios

	Fund	Target
Annual volatility (%) (3y)	1,3	0,8
Effective duration (years)	2,0	-
Current yield (%)	1,6	-
Yield to maturity	0,5	-

Source: Morningstar. The above ratios are based on bid to bid price based performance data.

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Asset allocation



Top 10 holdings (%)

Fund

5%

8%

10%

13%

15%

18%

20%

	Holding name	%
1	FRANCE OAT 0% 25/03/2023 REGS	8,0
2	Spain (Kingdom of) 0.250% 30/07/2024 144A REGS	6,6
3	Italy Buoni Poliennali Del Tesoro .050000 15/Jan/2023 0.0500 15/01/2023	3,8
4	SPAIN (SPGB) 3.8% 30/04/2024 REGS/144A	2,7
5	DEXIA CREDIT LOCAL 0.6250 21/01/2022 REGS	2,5
6	RESEAU FERRE DE FRANCE 5.5000 01/12/2021	2,4
7	European Investment Bank .375000 15/Mar/2022 0.3750 15/03/2022	2,4
8	ITALY BTPS 2.5% 01/12/2024	2,3
9	Bundesschatzanweisungen 0 11/Dec/2020 0.0000 11/12/2020	2,0
10	CVS HEALTH CORPORATION 3.7000 09/03/2023	1,7

0%

Target

40%

Source: Schroders. Top holdings and asset allocation are at fund level.

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