

Benchmark

Benchmark	Investment Association Sterling Strategic Bond sector average
Benchmark Category	-
IA Sector	£ Strategic Bond

Identification Codes

Sedol Code	0594774
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Fund Overview

Mid (02/04/2026)	75.32p
Distribution yield	5.50%
Underlying yield	4.90%
Fund size (28/02/2026)	£320.67m
Number of holdings	108
Ongoing Charges	0.53%
Launch date	26/02/1999

Fund Charges

Entry Charge	0.00%
Ongoing Charges	0.53%

Fund Background

Valuation frequency	Daily
Valuation point	10:00
Fund type	OEIC
Launch price	£1.00
Fund currency	Pound Sterling
Fund domicile	United Kingdom
ISA allowable	Yes
SIPP allowable	Yes

Dealing

Minimum Investment	£1000
Minimum Top Up	£0
Minimum Regular Saving	£50
Settlement Period: Buy	3 days
Settlement Period: Sell	3 days
Pricing Basis	Forward
Dealing Decimals	-

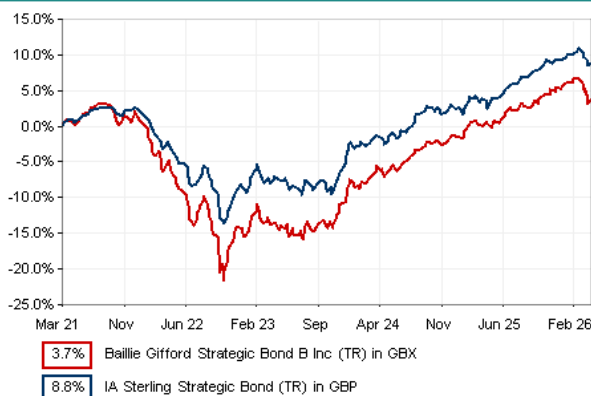
Distribution Dates

Ex dividend date(s)	Income payment date(s)
31 December	30 January
31 January	27 February
28 February	30 March
31 March	29 April
30 April	30 May
31 May	29 June
30 June	30 July
31 July	30 August
31 August	29 September
30 September	30 October
31 October	29 November
30 November	30 December

Aims

Investment Objective The Sub-fund aims to produce monthly income. Opportunities for capital growth are also sought, subject to prevailing market conditions. **Investment Policy** The Sub-fund will invest at least 80% in a diversified portfolio of (1) investment grade and (2) sub-investment grade bonds, issued by corporate issuers, public bodies and supranationals, and (3) developed market government bonds. The Sub-fund will be actively managed through bond selection and strategic asset allocation. To the extent that the Sub-fund is not fully invested in such bonds, the Sub-fund may also invest in other bonds, shares, other transferable securities, money market instruments, deposits and cash. The bonds in which the Sub-fund invests will be denominated in sterling or denominated in other currencies and hedged back to sterling. The Sub-fund may use derivatives and currency forwards for both investment purposes and in the management of risk.

Performance



Discrete performance - to last month end

	31/03/21 to 31/03/22	31/03/22 to 31/03/23	31/03/23 to 31/03/24	31/03/24 to 31/03/25	31/03/25 to 31/03/26
Fund	-5.2%	-9.4%	9.4%	6.7%	3.5%
Sector	-2.2%	-5.7%	7.2%	5.0%	4.8%
Rank	66/70	64/76	24/78	23/81	73/86
Quartile	4	4	2	2	4

Annualised performance

	Annualised		
	3 Years to 31/03/26	5 Years to 31/03/26	10 Years to 31/03/26
Fund	6.5%	0.7%	3.4%
Sector	5.7%	1.7%	3.1%
Rank	29/78	55/70	24/53
Quartile	2	4	2

Fund Managers



Name: Theo Golden Rob Baltzer Lesley Dunn
 Manager for: 1 years, 3 months 2 years, 1 months 8 years, 2 months

Ratings

FE Crown



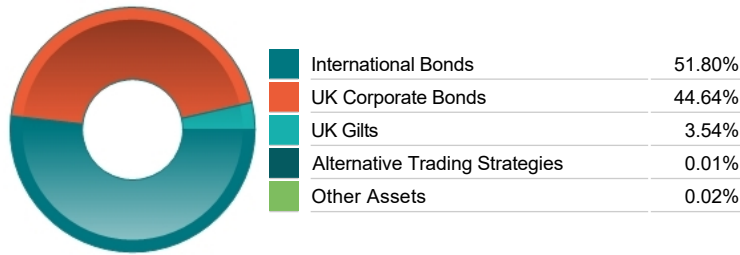
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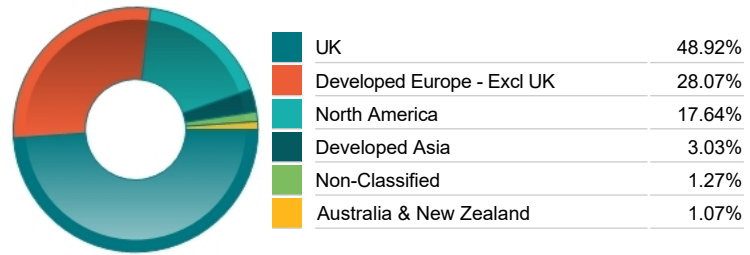
Top 10 Holdings

Name	% Weight	Sector	Country
1 Telereal FRN 2031 (C1)	2.64%	Bonds	United Kingdom
2 DNB Bank 4% 2026/27	2.27%	Bonds	Norway
3 Realty Income 5.125% 2034	2.25%	Bonds	United States
4 Rabobank Groep 3.957% 2028	2.13%	Bonds	Netherlands
5 Zurich Financial Services 5.125% 2032/52 T2	2.02%	Bonds	Ireland
6 Mitchells & Butlers FRN 2033 (AB)	1.93%	Bonds	United Kingdom
7 Pension Insurance Corp 8% 2033 T2	1.91%	Bonds	United Kingdom
8 EIB 5% 2039	1.89%	Bonds	Luxembourg
9 Pershing Square Holdings 3.25% 2030	1.86%	Bonds	Ireland
10 Banco Santander 5.625% 2030/31	1.78%	Bonds	Spain

Asset Allocation



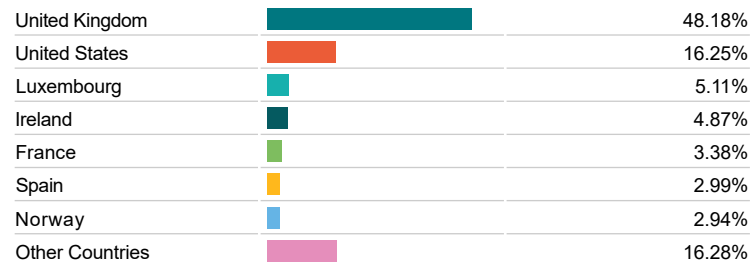
Regional Allocation



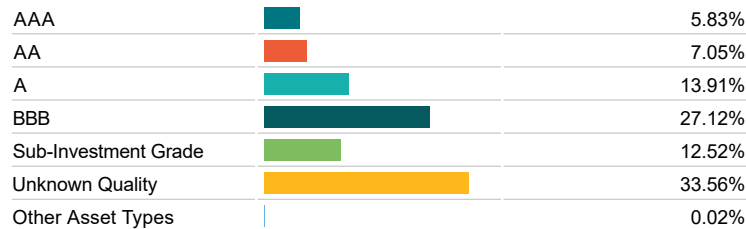
Bond Sector Breakdown



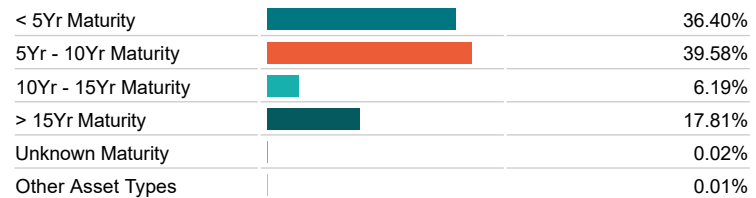
Top Country Breakdown



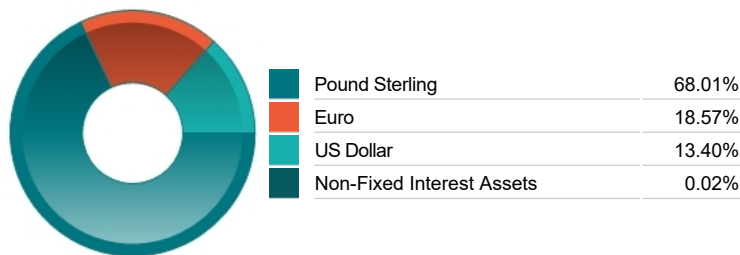
Fixed Interest Quality Profile



Fixed Interest Maturity Profile



Fixed Interest Currencies



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