

# Franklin Templeton Funds

# FTF Templeton Global Total Return Bond Fund - W (inc) -H3

Global Fixed Income GB00B617LX19 31 October 2021

**Fund Fact Sheet** 

#### **Fund Overview** GBP Base Currency for Fund Total Net Assets (GBP) 48 million 02.06.2008 Fund Inception Date Number of Holdings 95 Benchmark Bloomberg Multiverse Index IA Sector Global Mixed Bond Distribution Yield 5.35%

## **Summary of Investment Objective**

The Fund aims to grow in value from a combination of income, capital growth and currency gains over a three to five-year period.

# **Fund Management**

ISA Status

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# **Asset Allocation (Market Value)**



	/0
Fixed Income	91.29
Cash & Cash Equivalents	8.71

## **Performance**

80 10/16

Yes

# Performance over 5 Years in Share Class Currency (%)

10/17

04/18



Discrete Annual Performance in Share Class Currency (%)									
	10/20	10/19	10/18	10/17	10/16				
	10/21	10/20	10/19	10/18	10/17				
W (inc) -H3	-2.70	-9.15	-5.57	-2.93	5.78				
Benchmark in USD	-0.82	5.34	9.50	-2.05	1.74				

04/19

10/19

04/20

10/20

04/21 10/21

10/18

# Performance in Share Class Currency (%)

04/17

	Cumulati	Cumulative							Annualise	ed	
								Since			Since
	1 Mth	3 Mths	6 Mths	YTD	1 Yr	3 Yrs	5 Yrs	Incept	3 Yrs	5 Yrs	Incept
W (inc) -H3	0.34	-2.07	-3.00	-3.80	-2.70	-16.06	-13.81	19.75	-5.67	-2.93	1.50
Benchmark in USD	-0.28	-2.41	-1.05	-4.10	-0.82	14.41	14.01	35.75	4.59	2.66	2.56

Prior to 7 August 2021, the Fund was named Templeton Global Total Return Bond Fund.

Past performance is not an indicator or a guarantee of future performance. The value of shares in the Fund and income received from it can go down as well as up, and investors may not get back the full amount invested. Performance details are in the fund's base currency, include the reinvested dividends net of basic rate UK tax and are net of management fees. Sales charges and other commissions, other taxes and relevant costs to be paid by an investor are not included in the calculations. Performance may also be affected by currency fluctuations. Up to date performance figures can be found on our local website. When performance for either the portfolio or its benchmark has been converted, different foreign exchange closing rates may be used between the portfolio and its benchmark.

Please refer to the "How We Measure Performance" section for more details about the benchmark.

The share class shown has adopted a hedging strategy intended to reduce the effect of exchange rate movements between the currency of the Fund's investment strategy and the currency of the share class. The benchmark returns displayed are shown in the reference currency of the Fund's investment strategy (USD), while share class returns are shown in the reference currency of share class (GBP). As a result, the returns shown above reflect the effect of the hedging strategy and one can compare the returns of the Fund (net of fees) relative to its benchmark index without the impact of exchange rate movements on index returns.

The W (inc) -H3 share class launched on 31.05.2012. Performance data prior to that date is for the A (inc) GBP-H3 share class launched on 29.09.2009 which has higher annual charges.

Fund Measures	
Average Credit Quality	BBB+
Average Duration	1.90 Years
Average Weighted Maturity	2.31 Years
Yield to Maturity	7.40%
Standard Deviation (5 Yrs)	7.73%

# Share Class Information (For a full list of available share classes, please visit your local website)

				Fees		Dividends			Fund Identifiers	
			Ongoing	Max. Sales	Max. Annual		Last Paid	Last Paid		
Share Class	Incept Date	NAV	Charges (%)	Charge (%)	Charge (%)	Frequency	Date	Amount	SEDOL	ISIN
W (inc) -H3	31.05.2012	GBP 0.63	0.69	N/A	0.55	Qtr	26.02.2021	0.0107	B617LX1	GB00B617LX19

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## Composition of Fund

FTF Templeton Global Total Return Bond Fund Bloomberg Multiverse Index

Geographic (Market Value)	%	of Total
Japan	13.96 /	12.55
Indonesia	12.44 /	0.59
Brazil	9.39 /	0.46
South Korea	7.90 /	1.18
United States	7.31 /	37.80
Argentina	5.43 /	0.07
Mexico	5.42 /	0.57
Singapore	5.36 /	0.25
Ghana	4.72 /	0.02
Others	19.37 /	46.43
Cash & Cash Equivalents	8.71 /	0.00
Currency (Notional Exposure)	% (	of Total
South Korean Won	21.06 /	1.02
Japanese Yen	13.96 /	12.14
Chinese Renminbi	13.29 /	0.00

Sector (Market Value)	9	% c	of Total
Local Curr. Govt/Agency Bonds: Investment Grade 52.2	0	1	44.34
Local Curr. Govt/Agency Bonds: Non-Investment Grade 23.9	1	1	0.61
US Treasuries/Agencies 7.3	1	1	14.72
Non-Local Curr. Sovereign Bonds: Non-Investment Grade 6.3	3	1	0.83
Derivatives: Currency Derivatives 1.5	5	1	0.00
Corporate Bonds: Investment Grade 0.0	0	1	17.92
Securitised: Mortgage-Backed Securities 0.0	0	1	10.06
Corporate Bonds: Non-Investment Grade 0.0	0	1	3.48
Non-Local Curr. Sovereign Bonds: Investment Grade 0.0	0	1	3.14
Others 0.0	0	1	4.90
Cash & Cash Equivalents 8.7	1	1	0.00

### **Portfolio Data Derivatives Disclosures**

Market value figures reflect the trading value of the investments. Notional exposure figures are intended to estimate the portfolio's exposure, including any hedged or increased exposure through certain derivatives held in the portfolio (or their underlying reference assets). Average Duration, Average Weighted Maturity and Yield to Maturity reflect certain derivatives held in the portfolio (or their underlying reference assets). Portfolio breakdown percentages may not total 100% and may be negative due to rounding, use of any derivatives, unsettled trades or other factors.

#### **How We Measure Performance**

- · We measure performance against the Bloomberg Multiverse Index, which reflects investments in similar debt-related securities.
- The Fund's performance can also be compared against the Investment Association Global Bond sector average, which reflects the performance of the Fund's competitors. We measure performance and price shares in the Fund in British pounds (GBP).

13.20 /

13.02 /

12.44

11.96

-24.95

-35.46

61.48 /

0.00

0.10

0.38

2.70

44.32

22.65

16.69

For hedged share classes that attempt to remove the impact of changes in foreign exchange rates (ending GBP-H3), we show performance of the comparable index in US dollars (US\$).

# What Are the Key Risks?

The value of shares in the Fund and income received from it can go down as well as up and investors may not get back the full amount invested. Performance may also be affected by currency fluctuations. Currency fluctuations may affect the value of overseas investments. There is no guarantee that the Fund will meet its objective. The Fund invests mainly in debt securities issued by government, government-related or corporate entities worldwide and in derivatives. Such securities have historically been subject to price movements, generally due to interest rates, foreign exchange rates or movements in the bond market. As a result, the performance of the Fund can fluctuate considerably over time. For full details of all of the risks applicable to this Fund, please refer to the "Risk Factors" section of the Fund in the current prospectus of Franklin Templeton Funds. Other significant risks include: credit risk, foreign currency risk, derivative instruments risk, liquidity risk.

# Glossary

Indian Rupee

Norwegian Krone

Canadian Dollar

U.S. Dollar

Euro

Others

Indonesian Rupiah

Average Credit Quality: The average credit quality reflects the holdings of the underlying issues, based on the size of each holding and ratings assigned to each based on rating agency assessments of its creditworthiness.

<u>Average Duration</u>: A measure of the sensitivity of the price (the value of principal) of a fixed-income investment to a change in interest rates. Duration is expressed as a number of years. The weighted average duration of a fund reflects the effective duration of the underlying issues, based on the size of each holding.

Average Weighted Maturity: An estimate of the number of years to maturity, faking the possibility of early payments into account, for the underlying holdings.

Standard Deviation: A measure of the degree to which a fund's return varies from the average of its previous returns. The larger the standard deviation, the greater the likelihood (and risk) that a fund's performance will fluctuate from the average return.

Yield to Maturity: Yield to Maturity: Yield to Maturity: Yield to Maturity (YTM') also known as the 'Gross Redemption Yield' or 'Redemption Yield'. The rate of return anticipated on a bond if it is held until the maturity date. YTM is considered a long-term bond yield expressed as an annual rate. The calculation of YTM takes into account the current market price, par value, coupon interest rate and time to maturity. It is also assumed that all coupons are reinvested at the same rate.

# **Important Information**

Prior to 7 August 2021, the Fund was named Templeton Global Total Return Bond Fund.

Given the variety of investment options available today, we suggest investors seek guidance from a Financial Adviser.

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Source for data and information provided by Franklin Templeton, as of the date of this document, unless otherwise noted. Benchmark related data provided by FactSet, as of the date of this document, unless otherwise noted. References to indices are made for comparative purposes only and are provided to represent the investment environment existing during the time periods shown. An index is unmanaged and one cannot invest directly in an index. The performance of the index does not include the deduction of expenses and does not represent the performance of any Franklin Templeton fund.

In emerging markets, the risks can be greater than in developed markets. Investments in derivative instruments entail specific risks that may increase the risk profile of the fund and are more fully described in the Fund's prospectus.

<u>Fund Overview</u>: <u>The Distribution Yield</u> reflects the amounts that may be expected to be distributed over the next 12 months as a percentage of the mid-market unit price of the fund as at the date shown. It does not include any preliminary charge and investors may be subject to tax on distributions.

# Important Information (continued)

Fund Measures: The average credit quality (ACQ) rating may change over time. The portfolio itself has not been rated by an independent rating agency. The letter rating, which may be based on bond ratings from different agencies (or internal ratings for unrated bonds, cash and equivalents), is provided to indicate the average credit rating of the portfolio's underlying investments and generally ranges from AAA (highest) to D (lowest). For unrated bonds, cash and equivalents, ratings may be assigned based on the ratings of the issuer, the ratings of the underlying holdings of a pooled investment vehicle, or other relevant factors. The ACQ is determined by assigning a sequential integer to all credit ratings AAA to D, taking a simple, asset-weighted average of investments by market value and rounding to the nearest rating. The risk of default increases as a bond's rating decreases, so the ACQ provided is not a statistical measurement of the portfolio's default risk because a simple, weighted average does not measure the increasing level of risk from lower-rated bonds. The ACQ may be lower if cash and equivalents are excluded from the calculation. The ACQ is provided for informational purposes only. Derivative positions are not reflected in the ACQ.

Yield figures quoted should not be used as an indication of the income that has or will be received. Yield figures are based on the portfolio's underlying holdings and do not represent a payout of the portfolio.

<u>Ongoing Charges</u>: The Ongoing Charges Figure (OCF) is an amount representing all operating charges and expenses of the Fund in the prior 12 months as a percentage of the Fund's average net assets for the period. Where that figure would not be a fair representation of future costs or if 12 months data is not available, an estimated figure will be shown.

Performance attribution is calculated in the base currency of the fund.

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