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HIGH GRADE ABS



31 March 2025

FUND OBJECTIVE

The Fund seeks to produce an interest rate based return, primarily through investment in a portfolio of asset-backed securities (ABS) and corporate floating rate notes (FRNs)

FUND SUMMARY

- Actively managed to aim to deliver positive absolute returns in excess of a cash benchmarks
- Aims to add value principally through AAA and AA rated securities, with a bias to prime residential mortgage-backed securities
- Rigorous, disciplined investment process aiming to deliver precision and diversification
- The Fund was previously named the LIBOR Plus Fund. It was renamed the High Grade ABS Fund on 2 January 2020.

FUND FACTS

Fund size: £2.6bn

Inception date: 31 March 2011

Benchmark: 1 Month SONIA

Fund managers: Oliver Waite, Shaheer Guirguis, Tristan Teoh

SHARE CLASS PERFORMANCE (%) (S £ Acc share class)

	1 month	3 months		1 year	3 years (pa)	5 yea	5 years (pa)			inception (pa)	
Fund	0.40	1.52		6.70	4.44	4.	36	2.74	3	3.43	
Benchmark	0.38	1.15		5.09	4.17	2.	52	1.55	1	1.30	
	Calendar year returns					12-month rolling returns					
	2024	2023	2022	2021	2020	2024- 2025	2023- 2024	2022- 2023	2021- 2022	2020- 2021	
Fund	7.28	6.72	-2.29	1.88	1.29	6.70	7.35	-0.56	0.77	7.86	
Benchmark	5.28	4.77	1.42	0.06	0.19	5.09	5.17	2.27	0.14	0.06	

Source: Insight Investment and Rimes. Fund performance is shown for share class S £ Acc (performance start date 31/03/2011) and is calculated as total return, including reinvested income, gross of fees and expenses. Gross of fees performance results do not reflect the deduction of charges, which will reduce investors' returns. Benchmark performance shown is for 1-month SONIA (previously 3-Month GBP LIBOR until 1st January 2020). Performance for periods over one year is annualised. Past performance is not a guide to future performance. Please note the value of investments and any income from them will fluctuate and is not guaranteed (this may be partly due to exchange rate fluctuations). Investors may not get back the full amount invested. Investors must read all performance information alongside the full performance information in the KIID.

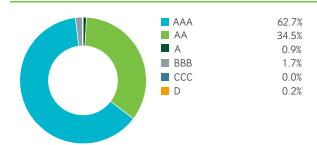
FUND MANAGER COMMENTS

The Fund outperformed its cash benchmark in March, ending with a running yield of 122 bp over SONIA and a weighted average rating of AA. Risk assets suffered losses, as the prospect of a global trade war weighed on investor sentiment. European structured credit had a mixed month. Consumer and prime residential mortgage-backed securities (RMBS) did well. Higher beta asset classes, including collateralised loan obligations, succumbed to a sell-off that was most pronounced within short-dated profiles. US structured credit saw strong issuance and demand. However, a challenging macroeconomic backdrop, weakening fundamentals, minimal new issue concessions and oversupply in parts of the curve caused AAA rated spreads to widen by 5-10 bp, while BBB rated spreads widened by 20-30 bp. The Fund continued to reposition towards the AA rating, with a third of assets in AA rated paper. We added positions in US non-qualified RMBS and senior paper in Australia.

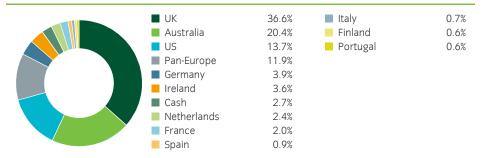
FUND CHARACTERISTICS

	Fund
Yield (%)	5.68
Weighted average life (years)	2.2
Weighted Average Discount Margin (Assets) vs Sonia (bp)	125
Weighted Average Discount Margin (Fund) vs Sonia (bp)	122

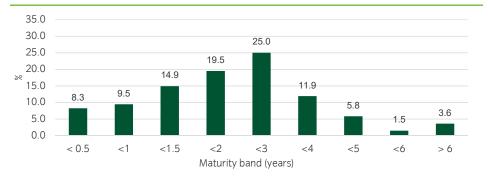
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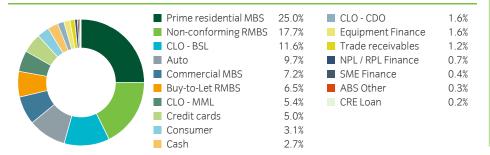
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MATURITY PROFILE



FUND ALLOCATION



TECHNICAL DETAILS

Legal structure: Open Ended Investment Company (UCITS)

Domicile: Ireland

Share class currencies: Sterling, Euro

Dealing frequency: Daily, Midday

Settlement period: T+3

Pricing method: Swinging single price

Scheme: Insight Global Funds II plc

Depositary: Northern Trust Fiduciary Services

(Ireland) Limited

Administrator: Northern Trust International Fund Administration Services (Ireland) Limited

Ongoing charges: 0.55% (represented by share class A Sterling, other share classes are available)



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