

Euro-zone Government Bond Fund



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The fund aims to provide long term growth mainly from the reinvestment of income generated by investing predominantly in euro denominated bonds such as government bonds and corporate bonds. The fund is actively managed by our investment teams who may also invest a proportion of assets in other bonds (e.g. non-euro denominated bonds) and/or money market instruments, such as certificates of deposits (CDs) and floating rate notes (FRNs) to try to take advantage of opportunities they have identified.

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Pooled Pension Investment Fund

Bond Fund

Quarterly

Fund Manager	Jack Kelly
Launch Date	31 Mar 2005
Current Fund Size	€104.8m
Base Currency	GBP
Benchmark	Bank of America Merrill Lynch EMU DG over 5yrs Index

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Please note that the breakdowns below do not take into account the economic exposure created by derivative positions. This fund is marketed by Standard Life Investments on behalf of Standard Life Assurance Limited.

Fund Information *

Composition by Asset

		Fund %
_	Government	95.9
	Cash and Other	3.8
	Corporate	0.3

Composition by Country

Italy	22.6
France	19.9
Germany	15.9
Spain	15.8
Belgium	7.8
Austria	4.1
Netherlands	4.0
EU	3.8
Portugal	3.4
Finland	1.4
Sweden	0.7
Singapore	0.6

0.25%

Composition by Maturity

	Fund %
0-5YRS	9.1
5-10YRS	49.5
10-15YRS	13.7
15-20YRS	10.9
20+YRS	16.8

Top Ten Holdings

Bonds	Fund %
Italy (Govt of) 0% 2025	5.8
Italy (Govt of) 2.2% OAT 2027	4.9
Spain (Govt of) 1.95% 2030	4.7
Spain (Govt of) 1.5% 2027	3.6
Germany (Govt of) 0% 2020	3.1
Spain (Govt of) 4.80% 2024	3.1
Germany (Govt of) 6.25% 2024	3.0
Germany (Fed Rep) 3.25% 2042	1.8
Spain (Govt of) 1.45% 2027	1.8
France (Govt of) 5.75% 2032	1.8
Assets in top ten holdings	33.6

Fund Performance *

Year on Year Performance

Source: Aberdeen Standard Investments (Fund) and Thomson Reuters DataStream (Benchmark)

	Year to 30/09/2018 (%)	Year to 30/09/2017 (%)	Year to 30/09/2016 (%)	Year to 30/09/2015 (%)	Year to 30/09/2014 (%)
Euro-zone Government Bond	0.4	-5.8	10.3	6.2	17.6
Bank of America Merrill Lynch EMU DG over 5yrs Index	0.7	-5.3	10.5	6.2	17.0

Cumulative Performance

Source: Aberdeen Standard Investments (Fund) and Thomson Reuters DataStream (Benchmark)

	Q3 (%)	1 Year (%)	3 Years (% p.a.)	5 Years (% p.a.)
Euro-zone Government Bond	-1.3	0.4	1.4	5.4
Bank of America Merrill Lynch EMU DG over 5yrs Index	-1.3	0.7	1.8	5.5

Note: Performance figures are quoted Net of Management Charges.

Definitions

Cash and Other - may include bank and building society deposits, other money market instruments such as Certificates of Deposits (CDs), Floating Rate Notes (FRNs) including Asset Backed Securities (ABSs), Money Market Funds and allowances for tax, dividends and interest due if appropriate.

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