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Berenberg Financial Bonds R D

Actively managed fixed income fund

Investment Strategy

Berenberg Financial Bonds is a benchmark-independent, flexible fixed income fund with an investment focus on financial bonds and a regional focus on Europe. The aim of the investment strategy is to generate both an attractive return and steady coupon income by investing across the entire capital structure. In the medium term, the aim is to develop a total return character. In order to identify attractive opportunities and market inefficiencies, the fund management utilises a broad and flexible toolbox from the entire capital structure. The focus is on fundamental analysis and single bond picking. Interest rate, credit and currency risks can be actively managed through the use of derivatives.



The investment strategy of the fund was changed on May 22, 2018 (see marking). The previous performance is not representative of the current investment strategy of the fund.

(gross, in %)

Accumulated Performance

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since inception	(15.01.2013 - 31.03.2025)	67.56
since inception p	4.32	
YTD	(01.01.2025 - 31.03.2025)	1.08
1 Month	(28.02.2025 - 31.03.2025)	-1.05
1 Year	(31.03.2024 - 31.03.2025)	8.09
3 Years	(31.03.2022 - 31.03.2025)	11.24
5 Years	(31.03.2020 - 31.03.2025)	27.54

Risk Figures since inception

Max. Drawdown since inception	-17.07 %
Max. Drawdown Period (Days)	1049
Volatility 3 Years	2.84 %
Sharpe Ratio 3 Years	0.39

The charts and tables on historical performance shown are based on our own calculations in accordance with the BVI method developed by German Investment Fund Association (for explanation see "Notes"). Information on past performance is not a reliable indicator of future performance.

Sources: Berenberg, Capital Management Company

Fund management comment

Following US President Trump's first official acts, uncertainty has increased worldwide. April 2, 2025, which has been proclaimed as "Liberation Day", could result in the announcement of extensive tariffs on a global scale. After a jump in yields at the beginning of the month following the announcement of the German fiscal package, the European interest rate markets have eased somewhat, but 10-year Bund yields remain at elevated levels of around 2.73%. In the case of financial bonds, spreads widened by 10 basis points for IG senior bonds and 13 basis points for IG T2 bonds (EUR AT: +47 bps). Since the beginning of the year, significantly more investment grade financial bonds have been issued than corporate bonds. This means that the ratio has reversed compared to 2024 and shows the financing requirements of the European financial sector.

Signatory of:



Fund data

Security Codes ISIN LU2116693222 WKN A2PZPX

Inception date 15.01.2013

Fund manager Christian Bettinger Gerald Deutsch

NAV per Share (31.03.2025) EUR 111.23

Fund size EUR 92.84 million

Share class volume EUR 6.27 million

Currency Fund / Share Class EUR / EUR

Appropriation of income payout

Last Distribution EUR 5.79/20.02.2025

End of financial year 31 December

Management Company Universal-Investment-Luxembourg S.A.

Custodian BNP Paribas S.A. Niederlassung Deutschland

Asset Manager Joh. Berenberg, Gossler & Co. KG

Registration and Distribution CH, DE, LU

Cut-off/Settlement daily/T+3

Cut-off time 12:00 p.m. (Luxembourg time)

Overall Morningstar RatingTM (As of: 31.03.2025)

Sustainability

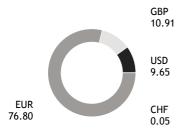
Article 8 Funds SFDR Classification (Sustainable Finance Disclosure Regulation)

ESG Elements

- Exclusion Criteria
- Controversies Screen
- Active Ownership Impact focused

Allocation of bonds	(in % of fund assets)	
Financial Bonds		
Bank AT1	18.40	
Insurance RT1	8.40	
Bank LT2	35.50	
Insurance T2	17.00	
Senior	13.90	
Corporate Bonds	-	
Senior	0.00	
Others	-	
Other	6.80	

Currency allocation



Top 10 country-allocation 18.63

18.63	Germany
13.11	United Kingdom
9.70	France
6.91	Austria
6.50	Italy
5.51	Netherlands
5.06	Portugal
4.16	Spain
3.82	Hungary
2.86	Luxembourg
Maturity structure	(in % of the bond assets)
3.50	up to 1 year
17.30	1 - 3 years
36.60	3 - 5 years
20.70	5 - 7 years
16.90	7 - 10 years
5.10	> 10 years

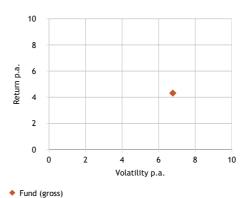
Top 10 positions

AAREAL BANK AG SUB FLR-MTN-IHS	1.95
AAREAL BANK AG REG.S. FIX-TO-F	1.79
MBH BANK NYRT. EO-FLR PREFERRE	1.74
CAIXA ECONÓMICA MONTEPIO GERAL	1.44
NORDDEUTSCHE LANDESBANK -GZ- S	1.34
DOVALUE S.P.A. EO-NOTES 2025(2	1.34
STICHTING AK RABOBANK CERT. EO	1.33
CERTIFICATES METRO BK HLDG 202	1.32
PERMANENT TSB GROUP HOLDINGS P	1.28
ETHIAS VIE EO-NOTES 2023(32/33	1.25

Risk-return profile

(in % of fund assets)

(in %)



Rating allocation

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1.65	AA
4.95	А
42.64	BBB
36.53	BB
6.45	В
3.12	NR

(in % of fund assets)

(in %, since Inception)

(in %)

Additional fund information

Issue Surcharge up to 3.00 %

Flat-rate fee

1.10 % p.a.

Total Expense Ratio (TER) 1.44 %

Performance fee

none

Minimum investment none

Key figures

Ø Coupon of the bonds 6.55%Ø Yield on bonds

5.31%

Ø Rating of bonds BBB-

Duration in years

4.34

Modified Duration 4.30

Number of bonds 109

Sources: Berenberg, Capital Management Company As of: 31.03.2025





Opportunities

- Attractive return potential over the medium to long term
- · Above-average performance by exploiting various value drivers of the bond market
- · Possible additional income through active and opportunistic management
- Generation of attractive distributable income

Risks

- · Bonds are susceptible to fluctuations, price losses possible
- Unit value may fall below the purchase price at which the client acquired the unit
- · No guarantee of success due to active and opportunistic management

Further details on the opportunities and risks of this fund can be found in the sales prospectus.

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