# **IFSL Church House**

# Investment Grade Fixed Interest Fund



# February 2024

## Performance v. Comparator Benchmarks



Source: FE Analytics. Net Return Bid-Bid line chart (from 01 December 2005 to 31 January 2024) from UK IA universe. ICE BofAML 7-10 AA Sterling Corporate & Collateralized Index TR and IA Sterling Corporate Bond TR have been chosen as comparator benchmarks to give an indication of the fund's performance relative to similar funds in the Sterling Corporate Bond Sector.

- IFSL Church House Investment Grade Fixed Interest Inc GTR in GB

Index: ICE BofA 7 10 Year AA Sterling Corporate & Collateralized TR in GB

Sector : IA Sterling Corporate Bond GTR in GB

## Performance Summary (%)

	3m	1yr	3yr	5yr
IFSL Church House Investment Grade Fixed Interest Inc GTR in GB	4.77	4.88	-2.07	8.09
Index : ICE BofA 7 10 Year AA Sterling Corporate & Collateralized TR in GB	6.69	3.61	-11.84	-1.21
Sector : IA Sterling Corporate Bond GTR in GB	6.54	4.47	-10.23	3.46

Source: FE Analytics. Gross Total Return (net of fees, gross of tax) Bid-Bid month end (31 January 2024) performance table from UK Investment Association universe.

## Calendar Year Total Returns (%)

	YTD	2023	2022	2021	2020
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Interest Inc GTR in GB	-0.02	7.38	-7.89	-1.48	5.96

Source: FE Analytics. Gross Total Return (net of fees, gross of tax) Bid-Bid discrete calendar performance table, of IFSL Church House Investment Grade Fixed Interest Fund from UK Investment Association universe.

## Top Ten Holdings (%)

Deutsche Pfandbriefbank 7.625% 12/2025	2.3%
Bank of America 7.000% 07/2028	2.3%
Goldman Sachs Group Inc 7.250% 04/2028	2.1%
SSE Hybrid 01/14/49 3.740% 01/2026	2.0%
IFC 4.500% 10/2028	2.0%

Standard Chartered LTII 5.125% 06/2034	2.0%
M&G Plc 33nc7 5.625% 10/2031	1.8%
John Deere 5.125% 10/2028	1.8%
Pacific Life 5.375% 11/2028	1.7%
EIB (SONIA) 6.097% 01/2027	1.7%

19.4% of Portfolio

The Authorised Fund Manager of the Fund is: Investment Fund Services Limited

## **Fund Manager**



Jeremy Wharton

## **Objective and Policy**

The aim of the Trust is to provide quarterly income, while maintaining capital over the long term (at least five years). At least 90% of the Trust's portfolio is invested directly in sterling denominated investment grade corporate bonds, UK Gilts and fixed interest securities issued by supranational organisations. The Trust aims to maintain a minimum asset allocation of 25% to AAA bonds.

Within the bounds of the policy, the Trust is flexible in the underlying duration of its holdings and seeks to protect against both credit and interest rate risk.

# **Key Information**

Bid Price	Inc. 105.9p Acc. 179.9p
Sector	Sterling Corporate Bond
Trust Type	Authorised Unit Trust/ UCITS
Launch Date	December 2000
Interest Payment	Feb, May, Aug & Nov
Min Subscription	£5,000
Duration	3.4
Yield	4.95% (Inc)
Management Fee	*0.75% **OCF 0.85%
Fund Value	£309.9m
ISIN Code	Inc: GB0004743828 Acc: GB00B11DPK96
SEDOL Code	Inc: 0474382 Acc: B11DPK9

All prices and data in the factsheet are as at 31 January 2024.
All fund performance data is based on the Inc shares and shown after the deduction of fees and charges. Yield data refers to the past 12 months and is based on a bid-basis.

\*The management fee is 1.25% on the first £25m then 0.75% thereafter. Ongoing Charges Figure (OCF) based on accounts as

\*\*Following guidance from The Investment Association on 30/11/2023, OCF now excludes charges incurred by closed-ended vehicles, e.g. investment trusts & REITs.



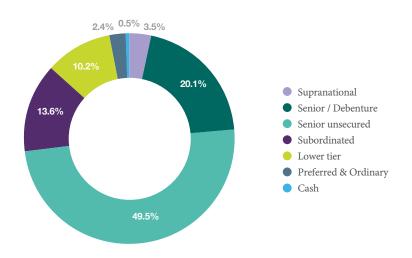
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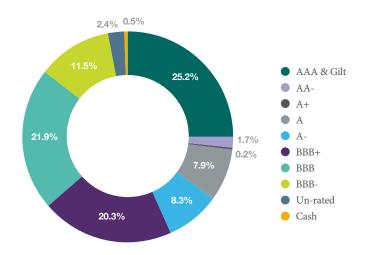
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## Disposition



Source: Church House

# Rating Split (S&P/Equivalent)



Source: Church House

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#### Investment Risk

Please note that the value of an investment in this fund and the income from it may go down as well as up and you may not get back your original investment. You should also be aware that past performance may not be a reliable guide to future performance.

#### Important Information

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