# **Long Duration Corporate Bond**

# Management Team Portfolio Manager

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## **Objective**

Seeks to provide diversified, actively managed exposure to the long end of the US investment grade corporate market

### Highlights

- Invests primarily in long duration US investment grade fixed income securities
- Fundamental research from Loomis Sayles credit research is a primary source for investment ideas and specific industry and security selection recommendations are developed by the Loomis Sayles investment grade sector team
- Quantitative risk analysis is applied to portfolio construction to help manage both market and specific portfolio risks, seeking to diversify and minimize unintended risks
- Duration bands: +/- 2 years (typically within +/- 0.5 year) relative to the index
- Typical portfolio: 175 to 225 issuers
- Currency: US dollar only
- Maximum issuer position of 3% or benchmark weight plus 2%, whichever is greater at the time of purchase (Treasurys and GSEs excluded)
- Maximum industry allocation of 25% or the benchmark weight plus 10%, whichever is greater at the time
  of purchase

#### Benchmark

Duration Credit.

Bloomberg US Long Corporate Index

\*Strategy assets are comprised of Long Duration Corporate Bond and Long

\*\*Due to the composite's significant cash flow policy there was a temporary two month period in July 2009 and August

2009 when there were no accounts included in the composite. Therefore the continuous track record for the composite begins September 1, 2009 despite the April 1, 2009 composite inception date and the 2Q09 period performance is presented on a stand alone basis.

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4/1/09
9/1/09
\$9,496.7M
\$309.3M

Portfolio Characteristics  Average maturity	Composite 22.75 yrs	Index 22.44 yrs
Average duration	12.97 yrs	12.86 yrs
Average yield	5.46%	5.45%
Average credit quality	BAA1	BAA1
Average number of issues	338	-
Weighted average coupon	4.25%	4.50%
OAS	107 hns	108 hns

#### **Composite Performance (%)**

CUMULATIVE RETURN			AVERAGE ANNUALIZED RETURN				
	3 MO	YTD	1 YEAR	3 YEAR	5 YEAR	10 YEAR	SINCE INCEPTION
GROSS	-1.81	-1.81	3.16	-4.12	1.87	3.66	6.12
NET	-1.89	-1.89	2.85	-4.39	1.60	3.39	5.87
BENCHMARK	-1.69	-1.69	3.43	-4.29	0.95	3.11	6.41

#### Composite Period Performance (%)

	2023	2022	2021	2020	2019	2018	2017	2016	2015	2014
GROSS	11.20	-25.59	-0.51	18.34	23.76	-6.86	12.10	11.56	-5.09	16.10
NET	10.86	-25.79	-0.76	18.04	23.45	-7.09	11.83	11.29	-5.32	15.83
BENCHMARK	10.93	-25.62	-1.13	13.94	23.89	-7.24	12.09	10.97	-4.61	15.73

Performance data shown represents past performance and is no guarantee of future results. Current performance may be lower or higher than quoted. Returns are shown in US dollars and are annualized for one and multi-year periods. Gross returns are net of trading costs. Net returns are gross returns less effective management fees.

There is no guarantee that the investment objective will be realized or that the strategy will generate positive or excess return.

Average Yield is Yield to Effective Maturity. Duration and Maturity for equity securities are deemed to be zero.

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SECTOR DISTRIBUTION (%)				
	Composite	Index		
Investment Grade				
Corporate	94.9	100		
US Treasurys	3.2	-		
Government				
Related	0.6	-		
Municipals	0.2	-		
High Yield				
Corporate	0.2	-		
Cash &				
Equivalents	1.0	-		

CURRENCY D	ISTRIBUTION	(%)
	Composite	Index
US Dollar	100	100

COUNTRY DISTRIBUTION (%)					
	Composite	Index			
United States	89.6	88.7			
United Kingdom	2.9	2.6			
Canada	2.5	2.8			
Belgium	1.8	1.7			
Netherlands	1.1	1.0			
Norway	0.5	-			
Australia	0.5	0.5			
Mexico	0.4	0.7			
Brazil	0.2	0.1			
Other	0.5	2.0			

CREDIT QUALITY (%)				
	Composite	Index		
US Treasurys	3.2	-		
AAA	2.2	2.1		
AA	6.9	8.5		
A	37.2	43.9		
BAA	49.4	45.6		
BA	0.2	_		
В	-	_		
CAA & Lower	-	_		
Not Rated	-			
Cash & Equivalents	1.0			

DURATION DISTRIBUTION (%)				
	Composite	Index		
Less than 1 Yr.	-0.5	-		
1 to 3 Yrs.	0.1	-		
3 to 5 Yrs.	0.4	-		
5 to 7 Yrs.	1.5	0.2		
7 to 10 Yrs.	15.0	17.6		
10 Yrs. or more	82.6	82.2		
Cash & Equivalents	s 1.0	_		

MATURITY DISTRIBUTION (%)			
	Composite	Index	
Less than 1 Yr.	-	_	
1 to 3 Yrs.	0.1	-	
3 to 5 Yrs.	0.4	-	
5 to 7 Yrs.	0.5	-	
7 to 10 Yrs.	3.1	2.2	
10 Yrs. or more	95.0	97.8	
Cash & Equivalents	1.0	-	

#### **KEY RISKS**

Credit Risk, Issuer Risk, Interest Rate Risk, Liquidity Risk, Prepayment Risk and Extension Risk. Diversification does not ensure a profit or guarantee against a loss. Investing involves risk including possible loss of principal.

Due to rounding, Sector, Currency, Country, Credit Quality, Duration and Maturity distribution totals may not equal 100%. This portfolio is actively managed and characteristics are subject to change. Credit Quality reflects the middle credit rating assigned to individual holdings of the composite by Moody's, S&P or Fitch; ratings are subject to change. Cash & Equivalents may include unsettled trades, fees and/or derivatives. ABS/RMBS: Asset-Backed Securities/Residential Mortgage-Backed Securities. Agency MBS: Agency Mortgage-Backed Securities. CMBS: Commercial Mortgage-Backed Securities.

The Composite includes all discretionary separate and commingled accounts with market values greater than \$20 million managed by Loomis Sayles and seeks to provide diversified, actively managed exposure primarily to the long end of the US investment grade corporate market. Prior to June 1, 2015 the Composite minimum account size requirement was \$5 million. The Composite inception date is April 1, 2009. The Composite was created in 2010. For additional information on this and other Loomis Sayles strategies, please visit our website at www.loomissayles.com.