

# iShares UK Credit Bond Index Fund (IE) Class D British Pound BlackRock Fixed Income Dublin Funds Plc



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Unless otherwise stated, Performance, Portfolio Breakdowns and Net Assets information as at: 31-Jan-2025. All other data as at 14-Feb-2025.

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# **FUND OVERVIEW**

- The Fund aims to achieve a total return on your investment, through a combination of capital growth and income, which reflects the return of the iBoxx Sterling NonGilt Index, the Fund's benchmark index.
- The Fund invests predominantly in the fixed income (FI) securities (such as bonds) that make up the Fund's benchmark index (which comprises Sterling denominated bonds excluding UK gilts). A gilt is a FI security such as a bond issued by the British Government.
- The FI securities may be issued by governments, government agencies, companies and supranationals (e.g. the International Bank for Reconstruction and Development) domiciled in countries both in and outside the European Union and will be investment grade (i.e. meet a specified level of credit worthiness) at the time of purchase. If the credit rating of a FI security is downgraded, the Fund may continue to hold this, until it is practicable to sell the position.

# **RISK INDICATOR**

**Lower Risk**Potentially Lower Rewards
Potentially Higher Rewards

**CAPITAL AT RISK:** The value of investments and the income from them can fall as well as rise and are not guaranteed. Investors may not get back the amount originally invested.

# **KEY RISKS:**

- Credit risk, changes to interest rates and/or issuer defaults will have a significant impact
  on the performance of fixed income securities. Potential or actual credit rating
  downgrades may increase the level of risk.
- Counterparty Risk: The insolvency of any institutions providing services such as safekeeping of assets or acting as counterparty to derivatives or other instruments, may expose the Fund to financial loss.
- Credit Risk: The issuer of a financial asset held within the Fund may not pay income or repay capital to the Fund when due.
- Liquidity Risk: Lower liquidity means there are insufficient buyers or sellers to allow the Fund to sell or buy investments readily.

### **KEY FACTS**

Asset Class: Fixed Income

Benchmark: iBoxx Sterling Non-Gilts Index

Fund Launch Date: 30-Sep-2000 Share Class Launch Date: 11-May-2017

Share Class Currency: GBP
Use of Income: Accumulating
Net Assets of Fund (M): 371.54 GBP

Morningstar Category: GBP Corporate Bond

SFDR Classification: Other

**Domicile:** Ireland **ISIN:** IE00BD0NC474

Management Company: BlackRock Asset

Management Ireland Limited

### **FEES AND CHARGES**

Annual Management Fee: 0.10%

Ongoing Charge: 0.10% Performance Fee: 0.00%

# **DEALING INFORMATION**

**Dealing Frequency:** Daily, forward pricing basis

Settlement: Trade Date + 3 days

# **PORTFOLIO CHARACTERISTICS**

Effective Duration: 5.45 yrs

Average Weighted Maturity: 7.87 yrs

Yield To Maturity: 5.23% Standard Deviation (3y): 8.96

3y Beta: 1.00

Number of Holdings: 1,244

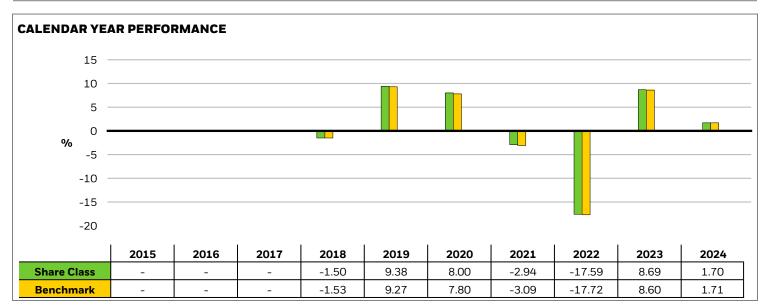
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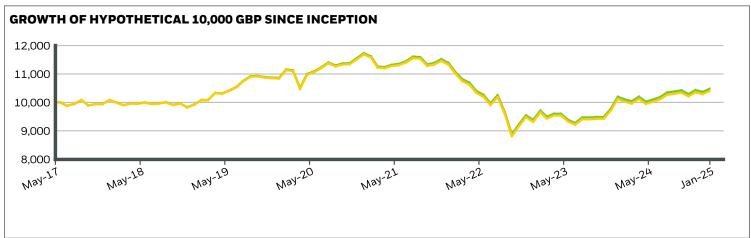
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CU	CUMULATIVE & ANNUALISED PERFORMANCE											
		CUMULATIVE (%)					ANNUALISED (% p.a.)					
		1m	3m	6m	YTD	<b>1</b> y	Зу	5у	Since Inception			
	Share Class	1.07	1.83	1.28	1.07	3.75	-1.76	-1.24	0.77			
	Benchmark	1.11	1.87	1.34	1.11	3.79	-1.84	-1.35	0.68			

The figures shown relate to past performance. Past performance is not a reliable indicator of current or future performance and should not be the sole factor of consideration when selecting a product or strategy. Share Class and Benchmark performance displayed in GBP, hedged share class benchmark performance is displayed in GBP. Performance is shown on a Net Asset Value (NAV) basis, with gross income reinvested where applicable. The return of your investment may increase or decrease as a result of currency fluctuations if your investment is made in a currency other than that used in the past performance calculation. **Source:** BlackRock

Share Class iShares UK Credit Bond Index Fund (IE)Class D British Pound

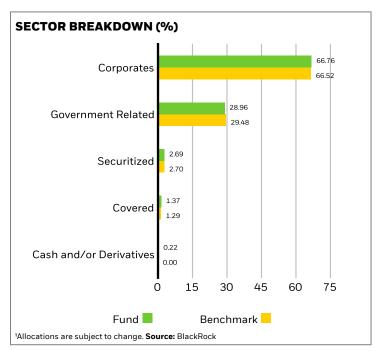
Benchmark iBoxx Sterling Non-Gilts Index

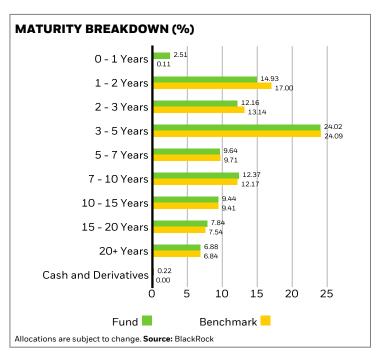
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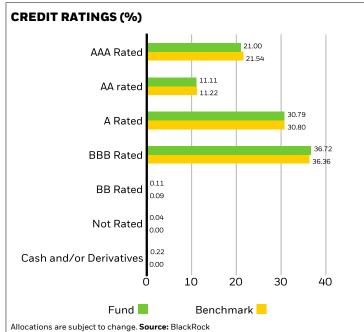


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ONTARIO (PROVINCE OF) RegS 0.25 12/15/2026  Total of Portfolio	0.33% <b>4.28%</b>
4.375 06/11/2026	
KFW MTN RegS 1.375 12/15/2025 ASIAN INFRASTRUCTURE INVESTMENT BA MTN RegS	0.33% 0.33%
10/02/2028	
INTERNATIONAL BANK FOR RECONSTRUCT 3.875	0.34%
KFW BANKENGRUPPE MTN 5.75 06/07/2032	0.34%
EUROPEAN INVESTMENT BANK 6 12/07/2028	0.39%
KFW MTN RegS 3.75 07/30/2027	0.43%
EUROPEAN INVESTMENT BANK 5.625 06/07/2032	0.49%
KFW MTN RegS 4.125 02/18/2026	0.51%
KFW BANKENGRUPPE MTN 6 12/07/2028	0.79%
TOP 10 HOLDINGS (%)	







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# SUSTAINABILITY CHARACTERISTICS

Sustainability Characteristics can help investors integrate non-financial, sustainability considerations into their investment process. These metrics enable investors to evaluate funds based on their environmental, social, and governance (ESG) risks and opportunities. This analysis can provide insight into the effective management and long-term financial prospects of a fund.

The metrics below have been provided for transparency and informational purposes only. The existence of an ESG rating is not indicative of how or whether ESG factors will be integrated into a fund. The metrics are based on MSCI ESG Fund Ratings and, unless otherwise stated in fund documentation and included within a fund's investment objective, do not change a fund's investment objective or constrain the fund's investable universe, and there is no indication that an ESG or Impact focused investment strategy or exclusionary screens will be adopted by a fund. For more information regarding a fund's investment strategy, please see the fund's prospectus.

MSCI ESG % Coverage	90.41%	MSCI ESG Fund Rating (AAA-CCC)	AA
MSCI ESG Quality Score - Peer Percentile	71.26%	MSCI ESG Quality Score (0-10)	7.43
Funds in Peer Group	435	Fund Lipper Global Classification	Bond GBP Corporates
MSCI Weighted Average Carbon Intensity % Coverage	90.41%	MSCI Weighted Average Carbon Intensity (Tons CO2E/\$M SALES)	59.80
MSCI Implied Temperature Rise (0-3.0+ °C)	> 1.5° - 2.0° C	MSCI Implied Temperature Rise % Coverage	81.43%

All data is from MSCI ESG Fund Ratings as of **20-Jan-2025**, based on holdings as of **30-Sep-2024**. As such, the fund's sustainable characteristics may differ from MSCI ESG Fund Ratings from time to time.

To be included in MSCI ESG Fund Ratings, 65% (or 50% for bond funds and money market funds) of the fund's gross weight must come from securities with ESG coverage by MSCI ESG Research (certain cash positions and other asset types deemed not relevant for ESG analysis by MSCI are removed prior to calculating a fund's gross weight; the absolute values of short positions are included but treated as uncovered), the fund's holdings date must be less than one year old, and the fund must have at least ten securities.

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#### GLOSSARY

**MSCI ESG Fund Rating (AAA-CCC):** The MSCI ESG Rating is calculated as a direct mapping of ESG Quality Scores to letter rating categories (e.g. AAA = 8.6-10). The ESG Ratings range from leader (AAA, AA), average (A, BBB, BB) to laggard (B, CCC).

MSCI ESG Quality Score (0-10): The MSCI ESG Quality Score (0 - 10) for funds is calculated using the weighted average of the ESG scores of fund holdings. The Score also considers ESG Rating trend of holdings and the fund exposure to holdings in the laggard category. MSCI rates underlying holdings according to their exposure to industry specific ESG risks and their ability to manage those risks relative to peers.

**Fund Lipper Global Classification:** The fund peer group as defined by the Lipper Global Classification.

MSCI Weighted Average Carbon Intensity (Tons CO2E/\$M SALES): Measures a fund's exposure to carbon intensive companies. This figure represents the estimated greenhouse gas emissions per \$1 million in sales across the fund's holdings. This allows for comparisons between funds of different sizes.

MSCI Implied Temperature Rise (0-3.0+ °C): Implied Temperature Rise (ITR) is used to provide an indication of alignment to the temperature goal of the Paris Agreement for a company or a portfolio. ITR employs open source 1.55°C decarbonization pathways derived from the Network of Central Banks and Supervisors for Greening the Financial System (NGFS). These pathways can be regional and sector specific and set a net zero target of 2050. We make use of this feature for all GHG scopes. A net zero emissions economy is one that balances emissions and removals. Because the ITR metric is calculated in part by considering the potential for a company within the fund's portfolio to reduce its emissions over time, it is forward looking and prone to limitations. As a result, BlackRock publishes MSCI's ITR metric for its funds in temperature range bands. The bands help to underscore the underlying uncertainty in the calculations and the variability of the metric.

**SFDR Classification: Article 8:** Products that promote environmental or social characteristics and promote good governance practices. **Article 9:** Products that have sustainable investments as an objective and follow good governance practices. **Other:** Products that do not meet the criteria to be classified as Article 8 or 9.

Yield to Maturity: Yield to Maturity (YTM) is the discount rate that equates the present value of bond's cash flows with its market price (including accrued interest). The fund YTM is the weighted average of fund's individual bond holding YTMs based upon Net Asset Value ('NAV'). The measure does not include fees and expenses. For callable bonds, YTM is the Yield-to-Worst.

MSCI ESG % Coverage: Percentage of the fund's holdings for which the MSCI ESG ratings data is available. The MSCI ESG Fund Rating, MSCI ESG Quality Score, and MSCI ESG Quality Score - Peer Percentile metrics are displayed for funds with at least 65% coverage.

**MSCI ESG Quality Score - Peer Percentile:** The fund's ESG Percentile compared to its Lipper peer group.

**Funds in Peer Group:** The number of funds from the relevant Lipper Global Classification peer group that are also in ESG coverage.

MSCI Weighted Average Carbon Intensity % Coverage: Percentage of the fund's holdings for which MSCI Carbon Intensity data is available. The MSCI Weighted Average Carbon Intensity metric is displayed for funds with any coverage. Funds with low coverage may not fully represent the fund's carbon characteristics given the lack of coverage.

MSCI Implied Temperature Rise % Coverage: Percentage of the fund's holdings for which MSCI Implied Temperature Rise data is available. The MSCI Implied Temperature Rise metric is displayed for funds with at least 65% coverage.

**Effective Duration:** Effective duration is a measure of a fund's interestrate sensitivity. Put simply, the longer a fund's duration, the more sensitive the fund is to shifts in interest rates. So a fund with a duration of 10 years is twice as volatile as a fund with a five-year duration.

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