# **US SHORT-TERM BOND FUND**

A USD Inc - All data as at 31 October 2018



## 15+ Years of Fundamental Fixed Income Investing

We believe a bottom-up, fundamentally driven investment process can generate risk-adjusted outperformance and capital preservation over time. Our comprehensive bottom-up view drives decision-making at a macro level, enabling us to make informed risk and sector allocation decisions.

## **Annualized Performance (%)**

	1 Yr	3 Yrs	5 Yrs	10 Yrs	2017	2016	2015	2014	2013	Since Inception A\$inc
A\$inc share class	0.25	0.64	0.42	1.99	0.98	1.13	-0.37	0.00	0.53	2.65
Benchmark Index	0.34	0.77	0.82	1.66	0.84	1.28	0.65	0.77	0.64	3.13

# **Cumulative Performance (%)**

								Since Inception
	1 M	3 M	YTD	1 Yr	3 Yrs	5 Yrs	10 Yrs	A\$inc
A\$inc share class	-0.11	0.30	0.37	0.25	1.93	2.14	21.82	68.06
Benchmark Index	0.11	0.39	0.52	0.34	2.34	4.15	17.92	84.55



■ Janus Henderson US Short-Term Bond Fund A USD ■ Bloomberg Barclays USGov/Credit 1-3Yr TR Inc

Past performance is no guarantee of future results. Performance is on a net of fees basis. Source: Morningstar. Basis: total returns, NAV to NAV in USD, with income reinvested. The ongoing charge figure is a single figure that represents the charges you'll pay over a year for the length of time you hold your investment. It is usually stated as a percentage of the fund value. It can typically range from 0.25% to 2.5% each year. The entry charges shown are the maximum figures. In some cases you might pay less. You can find out your actual charges from your financial adviser.

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# **Key points**

- Dynamic core short-duration strategy focused on riskadjusted returns and capital preservation
- Integrated global fixed income and equity research effort
- Sophisticated, proprietary fixed income portfolio and risk management system, Quantum Global

## **Key risks**

- Investment Risk
- · High Yield Securities
- Liquidity Risk
- · Interest and Credit Risk
- FDI Risk

#### **Fund Facts**

Portfolio Manager	Darrell Watters; Mayur Saigal
Tenure on Fund	31 Dec 2015; 15 May 2007
Base Currency	USD
Domicile	Ireland
Benchmark Index	Bloomberg Barclays USGov/Credit
	1-3Yr TR

Category USD Diversified Bond - Short Term
Fund Size
(US\$M) \$141.8

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 \$141.8

 (in EUR)
 €125.2

 Dealing
 Daily

 Payment Dates
 15th monthly

	A\$inc
Launch Date	24 Dec 1998
NAV	\$10.96
Current Yield	1.71%
ISIN	IE0004858456
SEDOL	0484808
Bloomberg	JANSTA1
Morningstar	****
overall rating	

## Risk characteristics †

	A\$inc	Benchmark Index
Alpha	-0.25	-
Beta	0.77	-
R-squared	67.86	-
Standard Deviation	0.70	0.74
Tracking error	0.45	-
Sharpe Ratio	-0.46	-0.27
Information ratio	-0.46	-

## **Fund Characteristics**

Total Number of Holdings	198
Portfolio Turnover Rate	93.92%
Weighted Average Maturity	2.4 years
Effective Duration	1.4
Average Yield to Maturity	3.2 %

# Charges

3.1	
Entry Charge (Maximum up to)	5.00%
Exit Charge	0.00%
Ongoing charge	0.93%

Asset Allocation (%)		Sector Breakdown (%)		Top 10 Holdings (%)			
Investment Grade Credit	41.50	US Industrials	37.90	Holding	Coupon	Maturity	(%)
Government Bonds	19.90	Government/Agency	19.90	United States Treasury			
High Yield	17.87	US Financials	19.15	Note/Bond	2.75	2020	5.5
ABS	11.81	ABS	11.81	United States Treasury	2.10	2020	0.0
Bank Loans	5.92	Non-US Industrials	4.20	Note/Bond	2.63	2020	4.8
CMBS	1.04	Non-US Finance	2.42	United States Treasury	2.00	2020	
MBS	0.45	Utilities	1.62	Note/Bond	3.38	2019	3.2
Government Related	0.36	CMBS	1.04	Hilton Worldwide Finance			
CMO	0.29	MBS	0.45	LLC	4.23	2023	2.0
Non-US Collateralised	0.27	Non US Government/Agency	0.36	Charter Communications			
Cash & Equivalents	0.59	CMO	0.29	Operating LLC	4.37	2025	1.8
		Non-US Collateralised	0.27	Kinder Morgan Inc/DE	3.05	2019	1.7
		Cash & Equivalents	0.59	United States Treasury			
				Note/Bond	1.50	2020	1.7
		Country Breakdown (%)		Citigroup Inc	2.45	2020	1.7
		(4)		Ball Corp	4.38	2020	1.5
		United States	89.84	United States Treasury			
		Canada	2.36	Note/Bond	2.88	2023	1.5
		Australia	1.10	Total			25.4
		Israel	1.08				
		Switzerland	0.84				
		Japan	0.82				
		France	0.80				
		Chile	0.72				
		Luxembourg	0.50				
		United Kingdom	0.36				
Credit rating breakdown (%)		Weighted average maturity breakdown (%)		Effective Duration Breakdow	vn (%)		
Aaa	28.50	< 1 year	17.91	0 to < 2 years		7	78.52
Aa	5.45	1 to < 3 years	61.07	2 to < 4			18.18
A	11.33	3 to < 5 years	11.67	4 to < 6			2.71
Baa	31.75	5 to < 7 years	7.47				
Ва	17.05	7 to < 10 years	0.73				
В	3.70	> 20 years	0.56				
Not Rated	1.58	-					

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