

Adjustable Rate Government Fund

Inst: EKIZX | Admin: ESADX | A: ESAAX | C: ESACX

Asset class: Taxable Fixed Income

THE FUND

The Allspring Adjustable Rate Government Fund seeks current income by investing primarily in mortgage- and asset-backed securities issued or guaranteed by the U.S. government or governmentsponsored enterprises (GSE).

FUND STRATEGY

- Seeks to outperform the 6-month Treasury Bill by investing in highquality, adjustable-rate mortgage issues while typically maintaining a target duration of approximately 0.5 years.
- Typically holds most of its exposure in mortgage-backed securities, including collateralized mortgage obligations (CMOs) issued or guaranteed by U.S. government agencies or government-sponsored entities.
- Targets maintaining an average credit-quality rating that is equivalent to the highest rating available from a Nationally Recognized Statistical Rating Organization.

FUND MANAGERS

| Name | Yrs experience | |
|---------------------------|----------------|--|
| Christopher Kauffman, CFA | 27 | |
| Michal Stanczyk | 18 | |

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| Expense ratios (%) | Gross | Net |
|----------------------|-------|------|
| Institutional Shares | 0.53 | 0.46 |
| Administrator Shares | 0.80 | 0.60 |
| Class A Shares | 0.85 | 0.74 |
| Class C Shares | 1.60 | 1.49 |

Competitive advantages

- Rigorous mortgage-backed securities research: Security analysis is conducted by a team of mortgage sector specialists with extensive experience in the research, trading, and portfolio management of both residential and commercial mortgage products.
- Disciplined risk management: The team uses proprietary risk management tools designed to balance alpha generation with appropriate levels of risk-adjusted return and comprehensive risk management.
- Open work environment: The team benefits from an open work environment in which investment
 management professionals in varying capacities interact continuously throughout the day. This
 includes partnerships with economists and various taxable fixed-income teams who provide
 valuable perspectives and information in measuring several different sectors of the fixed-income
 markets

Portfolio composition (%) Maturity distribution (%) Maturity distribution (%) CMO (59) 2 0 - 1 year MBS (34) 25 1 - 3 years CMBS (5) 47 ABS (1) 3 - 5 years Corporate bonds (1) 5 - 10 years 20 10 - 20 years 5 20+ years

Portfolio composition and maturity distribution are subject to change and may have changed since the date specified. Percent total may not add to 100% due to rounding.

Annual Returns

| | | Annualized | | | | |
|--|---------------|---------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|
| Total returns (%) | 3 Month | YTD | 1Y | 3Y | 5Y | 10Y |
| Institutional Shares | 1.44 | 2.75 | 6.79 | 2.60 | 2.32 | 1.63 |
| Administrator Shares | 1.52 | 2.68 | 6.76 | 2.49 | 2.20 | 1.50 |
| Class A Shares Including sales charge | 1.37 -0.67 | 2.63 0.54 | 6.49 4.31 | 2.31 1.64 | 2.03 1.62 | 1.34 1.13 |
| Class C Shares Including sales charge | 1.30 0.30 | 2.31 1.31 | 5.82 4.82 | 1.76 1.76 | 1.44 1.44 | 0.79 0.79 |
| Institutional Shares as of 3-31-2024 | 1.88 | 1.88 | 6.51 | 2.35 | 2.25 | 1.55 |
| Administrator Shares as of 3-31-2024 | 1.72 | 1.72 | 6.36 | 2.17 | 2.11 | 1.41 |
| Class A Shares as of 3-31-2024 Including sales charge | 1.81 -0.26 | 1.81 -0.26 | 6.21 4.05 | 2.06 1.39 | 1.96 1.56 | 1.26 1.06 |
| Class C Shares as of 3-31-2024 Including sales charge | 1.50 0.50 | 1.50 0.50 | 5.43 4.43 | 1.49 1.49 | 1.32 1.32 | 0.71 0.71 |
| Bloomberg 6-Month Treasury Bill Index ¹ | 1.34 | 2.15 | 5.60 | 2.88 | 2.23 | 1.61 |

Figures quoted represent past performance, which is no guarantee of future results, and do not reflect taxes that a shareholder may pay on an investment in a fund. Investment return, principal value, and yields of an investment will fluctuate so that an investor's shares, when redeemed, may be worth more or less than their original cost. Performance shown without sales charges would be lower if sales charges were reflected. Current performance may be lower or higher than the performance data quoted and assumes the reinvestment of dividends and capital gains. Current month-end performance is available at the funds' website, allspringglobal.com. Administrator and Institutional Class shares are sold without a front-end sales charge or contingent deferred sales charge. For Class A, the maximum front-end sales charge is 2.00%. For Class C, the maximum contingent deferred sales charge is 1.00%. Performance shown without sales charges would be lower if sales charges were reflected. Performance including sales charge assumes the sales charge for the corresponding time period.

The manager has contractually committed through 12-31-2024, to waive fees and/or reimburse expenses to the extent necessary to cap the fund's total annual fund operating expenses after fee waivers at 0.74%(A), 1.49%(C), 0.60%(Admin) and 0.46%(J). Brokerage commissions, stamp duty fees, interest, taxes, acquired fund fees and expenses (if any), and extraordinary expenses are excluded from the expense cap. Prior to or after the commitment expiration date, the cap may be increased or the commitment to maintain the cap may be terminated only with the approval of the Board of Trustees. Without this cap, the fund's returns would have been lower. The expense ratio paid by an investor is the net expense ratio (the total annual fund operating expenses after fee waivers) as stated in the prospectus.



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| Top holdings (%) | Percent |
|--|---------|
| Fresb Multifamily Mortgage Pas, 1.72, 11-25-2041 | 2.30 |
| FHLMC, 6.17, 7-1-2038 | 1.88 |
| FHLMC, 6.07, 9-1-2036 | 1.82 |
| GNMA Series 2021-H14 Class FA, 5.63, 4-20-2070 | 1.49 |
| FHLMC, 1.48, 5-25-2051 | 1.45 |
| GNMA Series - Class 04/25/2042, 4.28, 4-25-2042 | 1.38 |
| FHLMC, 5.83, 2-15-2038 | 1.36 |
| FHLMC, 5.83, 8-15-2038 | 1.21 |
| GNMA Series 2019-H10 Class FB, 6.04, 6-20-2069 | 1.21 |
| GNMA Series 2021-85 Class EF, 5.50, 12-25-2051 | 1.18 |

Portfolio holdings are subject to change and may have changed since the date specified. The holdings listed should not be considered recommendations to purchase or sell a particular security.

| Fund characteristics | Fund | Bloomberg 6-Month Treasury Bill Index ¹ |
|--|------------|--|
| Weighted average effective maturity | 3.76 years | 0.50 years |
| Effective duration | 0.35 years | 0.48 years |
| Portfolio turnover | 1.41% | - |
| Number of holdings | 537 | 1 |
| Fund information | | |
| Advisor: Allspring Funds Management, LLC | | |
| Sub-Advisor: Allspring Global Investments, LLG | С | |
| Fund inception date: 10/01/1991 | | |
| Distribution frequency: Monthly | | |
| Fiscal year-end: August 31 | | |
| Fund assets (\$M): 224.15 | | |
| Morningstar category: Ultrashort Bond | | |

| Share class information | Class inception date | 30-day SEC yield ² | 30-day SEC unsubsidized yield ² | NAV | YTD high-low NAV | Class assets (\$M) |
|-------------------------|----------------------|-------------------------------|--|--------|------------------|--------------------|
| Institutional Shares | 10/1/1991 | 4.90% | 4.77% | \$8.77 | \$8.78/\$8.69 | \$158.55 |
| Administrator Shares | 7/30/2010 | 4.76% | 4.50% | \$8.78 | \$8.78/\$8.70 | \$1.03 |
| Class A Shares | 6/30/2000 | 4.53% | 4.36% | \$8.77 | \$8.78/\$8.69 | \$63.09 |
| Class C Shares | 6/30/2000 | 3.87% | 3.70% | \$8.76 | \$8.76/\$8.68 | \$1.47 |

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Note: Not all Share Classes may be available at all firms.

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