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# L&G ESG USD Corporate Bond UCITS ETF —

ETF (UCITS compliant) USD Distributing ETF Class

### **FUND AIM**

The L&G ESG USD Corporate Bond UCITS ETF (the "ETF") aims to track the performance of the J.P. Morgan Global Credit Index (GCI) ESG Investment Grade USD Custom Maturity Index (the "Index"). More information on the Index can be found on page 2 of this document.

### **RISK AND REWARD PROFILE**



This ETF is rated 4 due to the nature of its investments and its risks.

The rating is calculated based on historical data and may not be a reliable indication of the ETF's future risk profile.

The risk category may shift over time. The lowest category on the above scale does not mean "risk free".

# WHO ISTHIS FUND FOR?

• The ETF is designed for investors looking for a combination of growth and income from an investment in developed market US Dollar-denominated investment grade corporate bonds which can form part of their existing savings portfolio.

Fixed income

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- Although investors can take their money out at any time, this ETF may not be appropriate for those who plan to withdraw their money within five years.
- This fund is not designed for investors who cannot afford more than a minimal loss of their investment.
- If you do not understand the information in this document, the key investor information document or the prospectus, we recommend that you seek additional information or advice to help you decide if this ETF is suitable for you.

# FUND FACTS

Fund size <b>\$126.9m</b>	Base currency USD	Modified duration 6.05 years	Index ticker JPEIIUCM	Replication method Physical - optimised
Listing date 21 Jan 2021	Domicile Ireland	Yield to maturity <b>5.37%</b>	Index J.P. Morgan ESG GCI Invt Grd USD Custom Maturity Index	

# **PERFORMANCE (%) IN USD**



	1 month	6 months	1 year	3 years	Launch
NAV	1.10	7.34	4.85	-4.08	-7.29
Index	1.09	7.39	4.93	-3.94	-7.05
Relative	+0.01	-0.05	-0.08	-0.14	-0.24

## **ANNUAL PERFORMANCE (%)**

12 Months to 31 March	2024	2023	2022	2021	2020
NAV	4.85	-4.51	-4.20	-	-
Index	4.93	-4.53	-4.11	-	-
Relative	-0.08	+0.02	-0.09	-	-

Performance for the USD Distributing ETF class, listed on 21 January 2021. Source: Lipper. Performance assumes all ETF charges have been taken and that all income generated by the investments, after deduction of tax, remains in the ETF.

# FUND SNAPSHOT

COSTS

0.09%

Ongoing charge

- The L&G ESG USD Corporate Bond UCITS ETF aims to provide exposure to US Dollar-denominated investment grade corporate bonds issued by developed market issuers.
- Does it promote sustainability characteristics? The Fund promotes a range of environmental and social characteristics which are met by tracking the Index. Further information on how such characteristics are met by the Fund can be found in the Fund Supplement.



Past performance is not a guide to the future.

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# PORTFOLIO BREAKDOWN

All data source LGIM unless otherwise stated. Totals may not sum due to rounding. In order to minimise transaction costs, the Fund will not always own all the assets that constitute the index and on occasion it will own assets that are not in the index. The number of fund holdings can also differ from the index due to corporate events and proxy holdings.

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YEARSTO MATURITY (%) 477 0 - 5 Years 5 - 10 Years 28.1 10 - 15 Years 38 15 - 20 Years 5.2 20 - 25 Years 64 25 - 30 Years 7.0 30 - 40 Years 1.5 ■ 40+ Years 0.3

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Top 10 holdings 3.3%
 Rest of portfolio 96.7%
 No. of holdings in ETF 1,327
 No. of constituents in Index 6,298

# TOP 10 HOLDINGS (%)

Bank of America 6.20% 10/11/28	0.5
UBS Group 3.75% 26/03/25	0.4
HSBC 6.25% 09/03/34	0.3
Mosaic Co 5.45% 15/11/33	0.3
HSBC Holdings 4.58% 19/06/29	0.3
HSBC 1.65% 18/04/26	0.3
AmFam Holdings 2.805% 11/03/31	0.3
EMD Finance 3.25% 19/03/25	0.3
Santos Finance 5.25% 13/03/29	0.3
JPMorgan Chase & Co 2.55% 08/11/32	0.3

### **CREDIT RATING (%)**

**INDEX DESCRIPTION** 

underweight and exclude issuers that rank lower.

AAA	0.9	I
AA	5.9	
А	46.7	
A-	0.3	1
BBB	46.2	
Other	0.0	1

## COUNTRY (%)

	United States	75.9
	United Kingdom	5.4
(*)	Canada	3.6
	Japan	2.7
	France	2.2
	Germany	2.1
<b>K</b> .	Australia	2.1
0	Switzerland	1.6
	Spain	1.0
	Other	3.3

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The Index tracks US Dollar-denominated investment grade corporate bonds across

developed market issuers. The index applies an ESG scoring and screening methodology to tilt toward issuers ranked higher on ESG criteria and green bond issues, and to

# INDEX FUND MANAGEMENTTEAM

Celebrating 25+ Years

The Index Fund Management team comprises 25 fund managers, supported by two analysts. Management oversight is provided by the Global Head of Index Funds. The team has average industry experience of 15 years, of which seven years has been at LGIM, and is focused on achieving the equally important objectives of close tracking and maximising returns.

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## **KEY RISKS**

- The value of an investment and any income taken from it is not guaranteed and can go down as well as up; you may not get back the amount you originally invested.
- An investment in the ETF involves a significant degree of risk. Any decision to invest should be based on the information contained in the relevant prospectus. Prospective investors should obtain their own independent accounting, tax and legal advice and should consult their own professional advisers to ascertain the suitability of the ETF as an investment.
- Changes to interest rates will have a significant impact on bond prices and the ETF's value.
- If a bond issuer fails to make scheduled coupon payments or fails to repay the principal amount of a bond at maturity (i.e. is in "default"), this may significantly impact the ETF's value.
- Bond markets can be "illiquid" (i.e. have limited trading activity) which may mean that the ETF is not able to buy and sell bonds at fair prices.
- Third party service providers (such as counterparties entering into financial derivative instruments with the ETF or the ETF's depositary) may go bankrupt and fail to pay money due to the ETF or return property belonging to the ETF.
- If the Index provider stops calculating the Index or if the ETF's license to track the Index is terminated, the ETF may have to be closed.
- It may not always be possible to buy and sell ETF shares on a stock exchange or at prices closely reflecting the NAV.
- There is no capital guarantee or protection on the value of the ETF. Investors can lose all the capital invested in the ETF.
- Please refer to the "Risk Factors" section of the Issuer's Prospectus and the Fund Supplement.
- This Fund may have underlying investments that are valued in currencies that are different from the currency of this share class, in which case exchange rate fluctuations will impact the value of your investment. In addition, the return in the currency of this share class may be different to the return in your own currency.

For more information, please refer to the key investor information document on our website  $\ensuremath{\textcircled{}}$ 

# TRADING INFORMATION

Exchange	Currency	ISIN	SEDOL	Ticker Bloomberg
London Stock Exchange	USD	IE00BLRPRD67	BNHNHR8	USDC USDC LN
London Stock Exchange	GBP	IE00BLRPRD67	BNHNJ16	USDG USDG LN
Borsa Italiana	EUR	IE00BLRPRD67	BNHNG59	USDC USDC IM
Deutsche Börse	EUR	IE00BLRPRD67	BLRPRD6	USAB USAB GY
SIX Swiss Exchange	CHF	IE00BLRPRD67	BNHNHL2	USDC USDC SW

The currency shown is the trading currency of the listing.

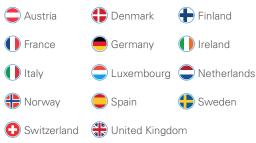


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Source: LGIM internal data as at 31 December 2023. The AUM disclosed aggregates the assets managed by LGIM in the UK, LGIMA in the US and LGIM Asia in Hong Kong (2018-2019 only). The AUM includes the value of securities and derivatives positions.

# COUNTRY REGISTRATION



# AVAILABILITY

ISA eligible	Yes
SIPP eligible	Yes
UK Fund Reporting Status	Yes

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