

FTGF Western Asset US High Yield Fund

Investment Manager

Western Asset Management

Objective

The fund's goal is to provide a high level of income. The fund will invest at least 70% of its assets in lower rated bonds issued in US Dollars. Such investment may be directly in such shares or indirectly via investments in other investment funds.

Fund Details

Reference Currency:	SGD / USD
Minimum Investment:	
Initial Amount	SGD 1,500 / USD 1,000
Month-end NAV:	
Class A Distr. (M) (SGD) (H) Plus	SGD 0.645
Class A Distr. (M) (USD)	USD 82.95
Class A Acc. (USD)	USD 194.34
Fees[^]:	
Initial Charge	Up to 5.00%
Management Fee:	Up to 1.15% p.a.
Subscription:	Cash Only
Trading Frequency:	Daily
Inception Date:	
Class A Distr. (M) (SGD) (H) Plus	31-Jan-13
Class A Distr. (M) (USD)	20-Dec-10
Class A Acc. (USD)	9-May-07
Launch Price:	
SGD share class	SGD 1.000
USD share class	USD 100.00
Domicile:	Dublin Ireland
ISIN Code:	
	IE00B7Z9GM41
	IE00B23Z9G43
	IE00B19Z4V13
Bloomberg Ticker:	
	WAHYQPS ID
	LMUSAMU ID
	LUSHUAA ID
Fund Size:	USD 96.88 million
Number Of Holdings:	261

Fund Characteristics

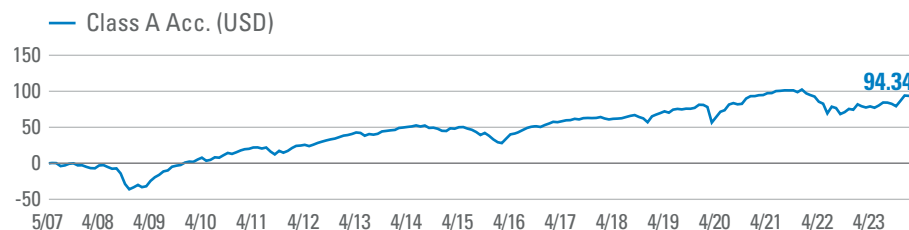
Weighted Average Life	5.04 years
Effective Duration ¹	3.41 years
Credit Quality ^{1,2}	B

Credit Quality Allocation² (%)

A	0.38
BBB	6.72
BB	35.52
B	36.30
CCC	17.91
CC	1.52
C	0.51
D	0.79
Cash & Cash Equivalents	0.36

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Cumulative Performance (%) (Since Inception to 29 February 2024)



Annualised Performance (%)

USD Performance	YTD	3-Month	1-Year	3-Year	5-Year	Since Inception
Class A Acc. (USD)	0.10	4.24	8.39	-0.04	3.01	4.03
Benchmark (USD)	0.29	4.03	11.01	1.84	4.14	6.12

SGD Performance

Class A Distr. (M) (SGD) (H) Plus	-0.20	3.76	6.71	-0.69	2.36	2.72
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Load Adjusted Returns*

Class A Acc. (USD)	-4.91	-0.97	2.97	-1.73	1.96	3.71
Class A Distr. (M) (SGD) (H) Plus	-5.19	-1.43	1.37	-2.38	1.32	2.25

Source: Franklin Templeton. Performance is calculated on a NAV to NAV basis (in USD / SGD terms), with income and dividends reinvested, if any, without initial charges but reflecting annual management fees. Performance for periods above one year is annualised. The fund's returns may increase or decrease as a result of changes to foreign exchange rates.

* Inclusive of initial charge (assumed to be 5%).

Acc = Accumulating share class. Net investment income accumulated daily into NAV.

Distr. (M) = Distributing share class. Dividend declared and paid out monthly.

(H) = (Hedged)

Benchmark: Bloomberg U.S. Corporate High Yield - 2% Issuer Capped Index.

Country Allocation (%)

United States	76.11	Italy	1.83
Canada	3.94	Switzerland	1.79
United Kingdom	3.52	Israel	1.25
Cayman Islands	2.94	Luxembourg	1.06
Other	2.68	Others	1.84
France	2.68	Cash & Cash Equivalents	0.36

Sector Allocation (%)

Consumer Cyclical	23.24	Technology	6.18
Finance	18.01	Transportation	5.58
Communications	13.58	Structured	5.29
Energy	8.57	Basic Industry	2.36
Consumer Non Cyclical	7.15	Others	2.84
Capital Goods	6.84	Cash & Cash Equivalents	0.36

Top Ten Holdings (%)

Holding	Coupon	Maturity	%
CARNIVAL CORP	10.50	01.06.30	1.50
Barclays PLC	8.00	15.09.72	1.35
Caesars Ent	7.00	15.02.30	1.09
CCO HLDGS LLC	4.75	01.02.32	1.01
NCL CORP	8.13	15.01.29	1.00
FOOT LOCKER	4.00	01.10.29	0.97
ROCKETMTGE CO	4.00	15.10.33	0.96
VERICAST MER	11.00	15.09.26	0.94
WYNN RESORTS	7.13	15.02.31	0.91
Credit Agricole	8.13	23.03.72	0.88
Total			10.61

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Risk Statistics Definitions

Weighted Average Life : The average number of years for which each component of unpaid principal on a bond, loan or mortgage remains outstanding. The weighted average life calculation provides an aggregate figure that shows how many years it will take to pay off half the outstanding principal on a bond portfolio.

Effective Duration : Average Duration equals the weighted average maturity of all the cash flows in the portfolio and gives an indication of the sensitivity of a portfolio's bond prices to a change in interest rates. The higher the duration, the more sensitive the portfolio is to interest rate changes. Effective Duration is a calculation for bonds with embedded options (Not every portfolio will purchase bonds with embedded options). It takes into account the expected change in cash flows caused by the option, as interest rates change. If a portfolio does not hold bonds with embedded options, then the Effective Duration will be equal to the Average Duration.

Investment Risks

The fund does not offer any capital guarantee or protection and you may not get back the amount invested.

Bonds: There is a risk that issuers of bonds held by the fund may not be able to repay the investment or pay the interest due on it, leading to losses for the fund. Bond values are affected by the market's view of the above risk, and by changes in interest rates and inflation.

Liquidity: In certain circumstances it may be difficult to sell the fund's investments because there may not be enough demand for them in the markets, in which case the fund may not be able to minimise a loss on such investments.

Low rated bonds: The fund may invest in lower rated or unrated bonds of similar quality, which carry a higher degree of risk than higher rated bonds.

Geographical focus: This fund invests primarily in the United States, which means that it is more sensitive to local economic, market, political or regulatory events in the United States, and will be more affected by these events than other funds that invest in a broader range of regions.

Interest rates: Changes in interest rates may negatively affect the value of the fund. Typically as interest rates rise, bond values fall.

Derivatives: The use of derivatives can result in greater fluctuations of the fund's value and may cause the fund to lose as much as or more than the amount invested.

Fund counterparties: The fund may suffer losses if the parties that it trades with cannot meet their financial obligations.

Fund operations: The fund is subject to the risk of loss resulting from inadequate or failed internal processes, people or systems or those of third parties such as those responsible for the custody of its assets, especially to the extent that it invests in developing countries.

Sustainability: The fund's integration of sustainability risks in the investment decision process may have the effect of excluding profitable investments from the investment universe of the fund and may also cause the fund to sell investments that will continue to perform well. A sustainability risk could materialise due to an environmental, social or governance event or condition which may impact the fund's investments and negatively affect the returns of the fund.

Complete information on the risks of investing in the Fund are set out in the Fund's prospectus.

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[^] The charges are the fees the fund charges to investors to cover the costs of running the Fund. Additional costs, including transaction fees, will also be incurred. These costs are paid out by the Fund, which will impact on the overall return of the Fund. Fund charges will be incurred in multiple currencies, meaning that payments may increase or decrease as a result of currency exchange fluctuations.

¹ Weighted Average

² Credit Quality: Nationally Recognised Statistical Rating Organisation's (NRSRO's) assess the likelihood of bond issuers defaulting on a bond's coupon and principal payments. The credit quality allocation by Western Asset Management assigns each security the higher rating from three NRSRO's (Standard & Poor's, Moody's Investor Services and Fitch Ratings, Ltd.). If only one NRSRO assigns a rating, that rating will be used. Securities that are not rated by all three NRSRO's are reflected as such. The lower the overall credit rating, the riskier the portfolio. The credit rating is expressed as a regular letter rating (from high to low quality): AAA, AA, A, BBB, BB, ...D.

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