

# Franklin Templeton Investment Funds

# Franklin Strategic Income Fund

Multi-Sector Fixed Income 31.03.2022

**Fund Fact Sheet** 

Fund Overview	
Base Currency for Fund	USD
Total Net Assets (USD)	594 million
Fund Inception Date	12.07.2007
Number of Holdings	542
Benchmark	Bloomberg U.S. Aggregate Index
Morningstar Category™	USD Flexible Bond

### Minimum Investment

Share Class Initial Subsequent
A (acc) USD USD 1,000 USD 500

## Summary of Investment Objective

The Fund aims to earn a high level of current income and seeks capital appreciation over the long term by investing principally in fixed and floating rate debt securities globally, including those in emerging markets.

# **Fund Management**

Sonal Desai, PhD: United States Patricia O'Connor, CFA: United States William Chong: United States David Yuen, CFA: United States

## Asset Allocation (Market Value)

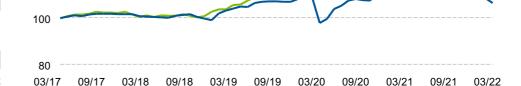


#### **Performance**

Past performance does not predict future returns.

Performance over 5 Years in Share Class Currency (%)





# Performance in Share Class Currency (%)

Cumulative						Annualised		
					Since		Since	
	1 Mth	3 Mths	YTD	1 Yr	Incept	3 Yrs	Incept	
A (acc) USD	-1.83	-6.08	-6.08	-4.18	60.56	0.76	3.27	
After Sales Charge*	-6.74	-10.78	-10.78	-8.97	52.53	-0.95	2.91	
Benchmark in USD	-2.78	-5.93	-5.93	-4.15	70.28	1.69	3.68	

Fund Measures	
Average Credit Quality	BBB-
Average Duration	3.73 Years
Average Weighted Maturity	5.89 Years
Yield to Maturity	5.09%
Standard Deviation (5 Yrs)	5.97%

# Share Class Information (For a full list of available share classes, please visit www.franklintempleton.com.sg.)

## Fees

	incept				
Share Class	Date	NAV	TER (%)	Max. Sales Charge (%)	Max. Annual Charge (%)
A (acc) USD	12.07.2007	USD 16.05	1.35	5.00	1.25

# Additional Share Class Information

			Dividends			Fund Identifiers	
	Incept			Last Paid	Last Paid		
Share Class	Date	Subscription Type	Frequency	Date	Amount	Bloomberg ID	ISIN
A (acc) USD	12.07.2007	Cash	N/A	N/A	N/A	FTSIACU LX	LU0300737037

**Templeton Asset Management Ltd** 

7 Temasek Boulevard #38-03

**Phone** 

### Composition of Fund

■ Franklin Strategic Income Fund	Bloomberg U.S. Aggregate Index
----------------------------------	--------------------------------

Geographic (Notional Exposure) % of T		
United States	66.16 / 92.57	
China	3.56 / 0.19	
Colombia	2.00 / 0.00	
France	1.89 / 0.11	
Mexico	1.72 / 0.31	
United Kingdom	1.67 / 1.07	
Brazil	1.59 / 0.06	
Indonesia	1.51 / 0.08	
Canada	1.31 / 1.11	
Others	12.20 / 4.48	
Cash & Cash Equivalents	9.55 / 0.00	
Currency (Notional Exposure)	% of Total	
U.S. Dollar	99.72 /100.00	
Dominican Peso	0.51 / 0.00	
South Korean Won	0.24 / 0.00	
Swiss Franc	0.01 / 0.00	
Colombian Peso	-0.02 / 0.00	
Euro	-0.45 / 0.00	

%	of To	tal
36.89	/ 0.0	00
13.71	/ 24.8	35
11.11	/ 0.0	00
9.68	<i>1</i> 0.8	37
8.68	/ 39.6	33
6.40	/ 0.0	00
6.32	/ 0.0	00
2.64	/ 2.5	58
-8.65	/ 0.0	00
6.83	/ 32.0	<b>)7</b>
9.55	/ 0.0	00
	36.89 13.71 11.11 9.68 8.68 6.40 6.32 2.64 -8.65 6.83	13.71 / 24.8 11.11 / 0.0 9.68 / 0.8 8.68 / 39.6 6.40 / 0.0 6.32 / 0.0 2.64 / 2.8 -8.65 / 0.0 6.83 / 32.0

#### Portfolio Data Derivatives Disclosures

Market value figures reflect the trading value of the investments. Notional exposure figures are intended to estimate the portfolio's exposure, including any hedged or increased exposure through certain derivatives held in the portfolio (or their underlying reference assets). Interest Rate Derivatives sector consists of Treasury, interest rate and other derivatives that are primarily used for duration management. Average Credit Quality figures are intended to estimate the portfolio's exposure to issuer credit risk, including any hedged or increased exposure through credit derivatives held in the portfolio (or their underlying reference assets). Any credit derivatives are assigned the ratings of their underlying reference assets. Average Duration, Average Weighted Maturity and Yield to Maturity reflect certain derivatives held in the portfolio (or their underlying reference assets). Portfolio breakdown percentages may not total 100% and may be negative due to rounding, use of any derivatives, unsettled trades or other factors.

#### What Are the Key Risks?

The value of shares in the Fund and income received from it can go down as well as up and investors may not get back the full amount invested. Performance may also be affected by currency fluctuations. Currency fluctuations may affect the value of overseas investments. The Fund invests mainly in debt securities of any quality from issuers of both developed and emerging countries. Such securities have historically been subject to price movements, generally due to interest rates, foreign exchange rates or movements in the bond market. As a result, the performance of the Fund can fluctuate moderately over time. The Fund may distribute income gross of expenses. Whilst this might allow more income to be distributed, it may also have the effect of reducing capital. Other significant risks include: credit risk, derivatives instruments risk, emerging markets risk, liquidity risk, securitisation risk. For full details of all of the risks applicable to this Fund, please refer to the "Risk Considerations" section of the Fund in the current prospectus of Franklin Templeton Investment Funds.

#### Glossary

**Average Credit Quality**: The average credit quality reflects the holdings of the underlying issues, based on the size of each holding and ratings assigned to each based on rating agency assessments of its creditworthiness.

<u>Average Duration</u>: A measure of the sensitivity of the price (the value of principal) of a fixed-income investment to a change in interest rates. Duration is expressed as a number of years. The weighted average duration of a fund reflects the effective duration of the underlying issues, based on the size of each holding.

**Average Weighted Maturity**: An estimate of the number of years to maturity, taking the possibility of early payments into account, for the underlying holdings.

**Standard Deviation**: A measure of the degree to which a fund's return varies from the average of its previous returns. The larger the standard deviation, the greater the likelihood (and risk) that a fund's performance will fluctuate from the average return.

<u>Yield to Maturity</u>: Yield to Maturity ('YTM') also known as the 'Gross Redemption Yield' or 'Redemption Yield'. The rate of return anticipated on a bond if it is held until the maturity date. YTM is considered a long-term bond yield expressed as an annual rate. The calculation of YTM takes into account the current market price, par value, coupon interest rate and time to maturity. It is also assumed that all coupons are reinvested at the same rate.

## Important Information

## This advertisement or publication has not been reviewed by the Monetary Authority of Singapore.

In addition, a summary of investor rights is available from https://www.franklintempleton.com.sg/summary-of-investors-rights.pdf. The summary is available in English. The sub-funds of FTIF are notified for marketing in multiple EU Member States under the UCITS Directive. FTIF can terminate such notifications for any share class and/or sub-fund at any time by using the process contained in Article 93a of the UCITS Directive. For the avoidance of doubt, if you make a decision to invest, you will be buying units/shares in the Fund and will not be investing directly in the underlying assets of the Fund. www.franklintempleton.com.sg

#### Important Information (continued)

Copyright© 2022. Franklin Templeton. All Rights Reserved. Issued by Templeton Asset Management Ltd. Registration No.(UEN) 199205211E. This document is for information only and does not constitute investment advice or a recommendation and was prepared without regard to the specific objectives, financial situation or needs of any particular person who may receive it. The value of investments and the income from them can go down as well as up and you may not get back the full amount that you invested. Past performance is not an indicator or a guarantee of future performance. Subscriptions may only be made on the basis of the most recent Prospectus and Product Highlights Sheet which is available at Templeton Asset Management Ltd or our authorised distributors. Potential investor should read the details of the Prospectus and Product Highlights Sheet before deciding to subscribe for or purchase the Fund. This shall not be construed as the making of any offer or invitation to anyone in any jurisdiction in which such offer is not authorised or in which the person making such offer is not qualified to do so or to anyone to whom it is unlawful to make such an offer. In particular, this Fund is not available to U.S. Persons and Canadian residents. Investors may wish to seek advice from a financial adviser before making a commitment to invest in shares of the Fund. In the event an investor chooses not to seek advice from a financial adviser, he/she should consider whether the Fund is suitable for him/her.

The Fund can use derivatives for hedging, efficient portfolio management and/or investment purposes.

<u>Performance</u>: Performance details provided are in the share class currency, based on NAV-NAV and include reinvested dividends. Performances of different share classes will vary. Please refer to the Fund Manager for more information.

References to indices are made for comparative purposes only and are provided to represent the investment environment existing during the time periods shown. When performance for either the portfolio or its benchmark has been converted, different foreign exchange closing rates may be used between the portfolio and its benchmark.

<u>Charges</u>: 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.

Fund Management: CFA® and Chartered Financial Analyst® are trademarks owned by CFA Institute.

**<u>After Sales Charge</u>\*:** Calculated based on initial sales charge of 5%; or 0% for Money Market Funds.

**Fund Measures:** The average credit quality (ACQ) rating may change over time. The portfolio itself has not been rated by an independent rating agency. The letter rating, which may be based on bond ratings from different agencies (or internal ratings for unrated bonds, cash and equivalents), is provided to indicate the average credit rating of the portfolio's underlying investments and generally ranges from AAA (highest) to D (lowest). For unrated bonds, cash and equivalents, ratings may be assigned based on the ratings of the issuer, the ratings of the underlying holdings of a pooled investment vehicle, or other relevant factors. The ACQ is determined by assigning a sequential integer to all credit ratings AAA to D, taking a simple, asset-weighted average of investments by market value and rounding to the nearest rating. The risk of default increases as a bond's rating decreases, so the ACQ provided is not a statistical measurement of the portfolio's default risk because a simple, weighted average does not measure the increasing level of risk from lower-rated bonds. The ACQ may be lower if cash and equivalents are excluded from the calculation. The ACQ is provided for informational purposes only.

Yield figures quoted should not be used as an indication of the income that has or will be received. Yield figures are based on the portfolio's underlying holdings and do not represent a payout of the portfolio.