## **Cantor Fitzgerald Long Bond Fund**

# FACTSHEET

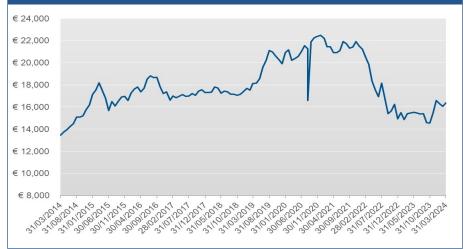
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**Fund Objective:** The Cantor Fitzgerald Long Bond Fund is designed as an investment vehicle to meet long term pension fund liabilities. It invests primarily in longer dated Eurozone Government Fixed Interest securities.

The Fund promotes a range of environmental and social characteristics, and is categorised as Article 8 in accordance with SFDR.

FUND KEY FEATURES				
Fund Type	Fixed Income			
Bid/Offer Spread	None			
Launch date	19.10.2004			
Base Currency	EUR			
Liquidity	Daily			
Volatility*	11.4%			
Benchmark	Emu Govt Bonds > 10 Yr to Maturity			





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ESMA Risk Rating							
Lower Risk						Higher Risk	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	

Article 8

#### Source: Cantor Fitzgerald Asset Management

SFDR

\*'Volatility' on a risk scale of 1 to 7, with level 1 being generally low risk and level 7 being generally high risk. The volatility is measured from past returns over a period of five years using weekly and monthly data where applicable. Prior to making an investment decision, you should talk to your financial advisor or broker in relation to the risk profile most suitable for you.

PERFORMANCE UPDATE AT 31.03.2024								
	1 Month	3 Months	6 Months	1 Year	3 Years P.A.	5 Years P.A.	10 Years P.A.	15 Years P.A.
Cantor Fitzgerald Long Bond*	1.9%	-1.2%	12.3%	6.2%	-8.8%	-2.2%	1.9%	4.0%
Average	1.9%	-0.9%	12.8%	5.2%	-9.3%	-2.8%	1.9%	3.9%
Index <sup>1</sup>	1.9%	-1.0%	12.4%	5.0%	-10.1%	-3.5%	1.7%	3.5%

Source: MoneyMate 31.03.2024

\*Performance figures are quoted gross of management fees (0.10%)

Management fees are detailed in the relevant share class addendum.

1 Source ICE BofAML 10+ Year Euro Government Index

ANNUAL RETURNS									
2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023
29.0%	2.7%	4.7%	-0.4%	0.5%	14.4%	12.9%	-4.8%	-30.7%	11.0%

Source: Cantor Fitzgerald Asset Management

WARNING: Past performance is not a reliable guide to future performance.

WARNING: The value of your investment may go down as well as up.

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DISTRIBUTION OF ASSETS AT 31.03.2024					
	CFAM	EMU Govt Bonds			
>15 Years	23.2%	35.1%			
15-20 Years	13.2%	23.8%			
20-25 Years	34.1%	17.9%			
25-30 Years	29.5%	13.9%			
>30 Years	0.0%	9.3%			
Total	100.0%	100.0%			

DISTRIBUTION OF ASSETS AT 31.03.2024				
	CFAM	EMU Govt Bonds > 10 Yr to Maturity2		
Cash	0.8%	0.0%		
Core	35.1%	48.9%		
Periphery	50.4%	39.5%		
Semi-Core	13.7%	11.6%		
Inflation Linked Bonds	0.0%	0.0%		
Total	100.0%	100.0%		

Source: ICE BofAML 10+ Year Euro Government Index

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2 Source: Bloombera

Please refer to our Monthly Market Update for the latest details on strategy and outlook from the investment team.

https://cantorfitzgerald.ie/asset-management/market-updates/

#### FUND COMMENTARY

The fund returned -1.2% over the guarter. The ICE BofAML 10+ Year Euro Government Index returned -1.0% over the same period.

Over the quarter bonds gave back some of their gains from Q4, yields being pushed higher by stronger economic data in the US and some concern that inflation, which has fallen precipitously over the last year, will become "sticky" at a level that remains too high for central banks. While the stronger economic growth (in the US) may slow the pace of rate cuts, we remain convinced that rate cuts will be a feature of central bank activity over the next couple of year. Ultimately though, western economies are at full employment despite going through the largest and fastest rate hiking cycle in monetary policy history. The Swiss National Bank has already cut rates, kicking off a western rate cutting cycle. The ECB has set a very low bar to a rate cut in June, and five members of the ECB governing council wanted to cut already in April. Gas prices in Europe have fallen over 90% from the summer of 2022 and we're now using the Ukraine to store excess capacity. Inflation peaked 18 months ago and has fallen every month since. European core CPI has fallen below 3% (2.9%) for the first time since March 2022. European headline inflation peaked at 10% in 2022 is now 2.4%. US productivity appears to be double the 10 year average and that's even before the AI benefits materialise. US average hourly earnings growth has continued to moderate from its peak of 6% two years ago, despite ongoing strength in the US labour market - the US can add many jobs and have a positive supply side effect, and the Fed can move to ease so long as there are no overheating effects. The labour force participation rate in the US is creeping higher, which is good news for the Fed, but more importantly, the labour force participation rate for the 25-54 age cohort is at levels last seen in the mid-90s. All of this leaves a very positive economic backdrop of non-inflationary growth.

Drivers of performance: The fund entered the first quarter with duration higher than that of the index. Most of the rise in European yields during the guarter occurred in the first few weeks of January, and we used this move to increase duration further, via periphery bonds. The move higher in yields meant the fund marginally underperformed its benchmark. Periphery spreads continued to drift tighter.

Fund positioning: The fund enters Q2 with duration higher than that of the index, and a small overweight in periphery debt. The fund is overweight long dated bonds.

Further details are available on request from Cantor Fitzgerald Asset Management. Please refer to our website link: https://cantorfitzgerald.ie/wpcontent/uploads/2019/08/policy-research-third-party-1.pdf for our policy regarding the provision of research by third parties. In relation to Cantor Fitzgerald Investment Trust -KIDs additional information is available on request from Cantor Fitzgerald Asset Management - please contact 670 2500 or e-mail CFAMEinfo@cantor.com. Further details are available on request from Cantor Fitzgerald Asset Management.



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### **RESPONSIBLE INVESTING KEY CHARACTERISTICS**

#### **MSCI ESG RATINGS**

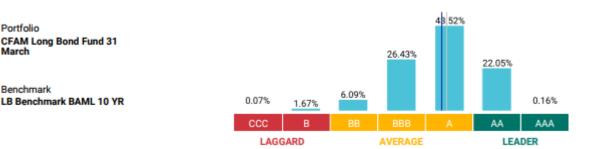
Portfolio

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Benchmark

Very Low Carbon Risk Portfolio = Benchmark

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#### **FOSSIL FUEL RESERVES %**

0.0	0.0		
Portfolio	Benchmark	0.00%	0.00%
Very High 📕 High 📃 Mor	lerate 🔲 Low 📕 Very Low	Portfolio	Benchmark

Carbon Risk measures exposure to carbon intensive companies. It is based on MSCI Carbon Metrics, and is calculated as the portfolio weighted average of issuer carbon intensity. At the issuer level, Carbon Intensity is the ratio of annual scope 1 and 2 carbon emissions to annual revenue. Carbon Risk is categorized as Very Low (0 to <15), Low (15 to <70), Moderate (70 to <250), High (250 to <525), and Very High (>=525)

Fossil Fuel Reserves (%): The percentage of portfolio's market value exposed to companies that own fossil fuel reserves.

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#### ADDITIONAL INFORMATION - SUSTAINABLE FINANCE DISCLOSURE REGULATION

As this fund has been categorised as meeting the provisions set out in Article 8 of the EU SFDR, more information on what the sustainability related ambitions of the fund are and how the sustainability related ambitions of the fund are met can be found on the website: https:// cantorfitzgerald.ie/asset-management/sustainability-disclosure/



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