

Core Fixed Income

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Inception Date

October 1, 2000

Total Strategy Assets¹

\$3.1 billion

Portfolio Managers

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Strategy Vehicles

- Separately Managed Account
- Collective Investment Trust (CIT)

Benchmark²

Bloomberg U.S. Aggregate Bond Index

Typical Targets³

Government (%)	10 – 70
Investment Grade Credit (%)	10 – 40
Agency MBS (%)	15 – 35
CMBS (%)	0 – 10
ABS/CLOs (%)	0 – 15

OUR STRENGTHS

We believe our key competitive strengths are:

- **Investment Style** — Portfolio Managers, Research Analysts and Traders work together; focused primarily on security selection within a duration neutral portfolio.
- **Size** — Our size helps ensure sufficient diversification at the portfolio level, while being able to source new issue allocations, participate in smaller deals, and remain sufficiently nimble to reposition the portfolio as market opportunities arise.
- **Experience** — Our deep credit experience helps enable us to navigate various market cycles, looking for any market dislocations and exercising an appropriate sell discipline.

PHILOSOPHY AND PROCESS

We believe fixed income markets are efficient with respect to interest rate risk, but regularly misprice securities that are exposed to credit, downgrade and liquidity risks.

We seek to exploit inefficiencies in the market and provide clients with excess returns to the benchmark without incurring undue risk through:

- Conducting proprietary, in-depth fundamental research
- Targeting duration-neutral portfolios
- Constructing portfolios with attractive risk / reward characteristics

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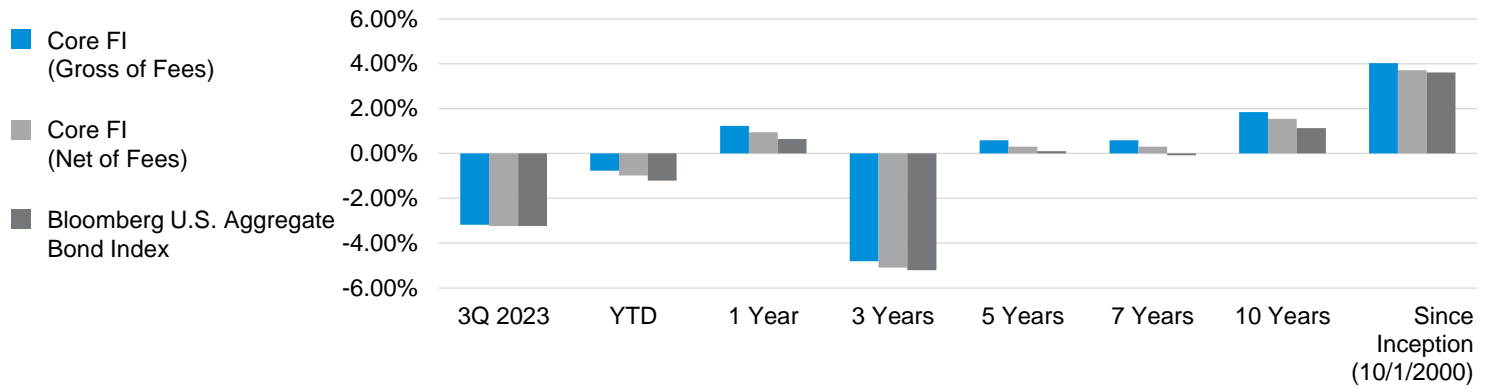
- Methodical portfolio construction seeks to exploit inefficiencies across the curve
- Emphasis on specific characteristics of an issuer, industry consolidation, downgrades and upgrades, improving fundamentals, and identifiable potential catalysts
- Little emphasis on macro bets, such as duration and term structure
- Willingness to invest in off-the-run bonds and allow our credit research team to take a deeper dive to identify value
- Belief in the ability to turn the portfolio over to source new ideas at attractive levels and aim to exit positions with rich valuations

1. Stated at estimated fair value (unaudited). Core Fixed Income is a strategy of public fixed income assets. Total Strategy Assets for Core Fixed Income include all assets managed by MIM in the Core Fixed Income strategy and may include certain assets that are not included in Composite Assets (as presented in GIPS® Composite Statistics and Performance table) for Core Fixed Income.

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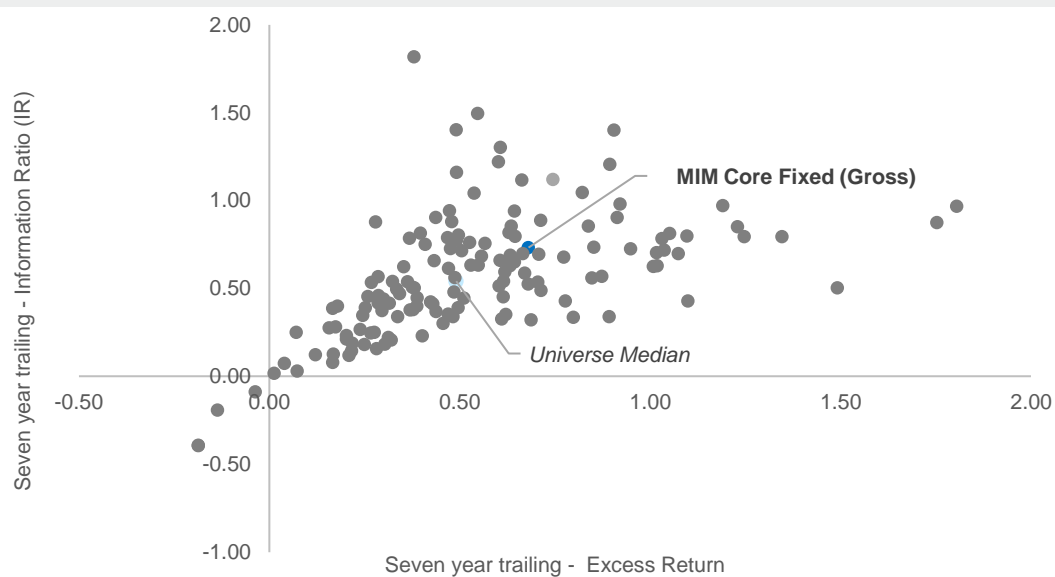
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COMPOSITE PERFORMANCE (%)¹



	3Q23	YTD	1 Year	3 Years	5 Years	7 Years	10 Years	Since Inception
Core Fixed Income (Gross of fees)	-3.18	-0.77	1.23	-4.81	0.59	0.59	1.85	4.03
Core Fixed Income (Net of fees)	-3.24	-0.98	0.94	-5.09	0.30	0.30	1.55	3.72
Bloomberg U.S. Aggregate Bond Index	-3.23	-1.21	0.64	-5.21	0.10	-0.09	1.13	3.62
Tracking Error			0.43	0.45	1.08	0.93	0.80	1.62
Information Ratio			1.34	0.87	0.46	0.73	0.90	0.25

7 YEAR TRAILING EXCESS RETURN & INFORMATION RATIO²



Information Ratio (IR)

Core Fixed Income (Gross) 0.73

Core Fixed Income (Net) 0.41

Universe Median (Gross)² 0.54

Excess Return

Core Fixed Income (Gross) 0.68

Core Fixed Income (Net) 0.38

Universe Median (Gross)² 0.49

Source: eVestment

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QUARTERLY PERFORMANCE ATTRIBUTION

- During the quarter, relative outperformance was driven by security selection within Corporates despite interest rates pulling performance lower, both in our Treasury holdings outright and from duration/curve positioning. The rate volatility also negatively impacted Mortgages over the period despite partial offsets from ABS and CMBS sectors.
- In Investment Grade Financials, relative performance in Banking was positive. Our overweight to the GSIBs and Yankee banks was a boost to performance. US Regional and Canadian banks trailed the GSIB peers and Yankee banks over the quarter. Within Banking, positive security accounted for the majority of outperformance. In a similar vein, selection within Property & Casualty Insurers is attributable to a high-conviction expression on an issuer which was made-whole at a favorable spread relative to treasuries.
- Brokerage/Asset Managers/Exchanges lagged Banking and Insurance yet still contributed positive relative returns through security selection. Exposure to well positioned issuers within the subsector despite sector weakness.
- Communications was another sub-sector where selection offset sector weakness. Positioning in Media & Entertainment was a bright spot within the complex. Positive performance was broadly attributed to an issuer whose management team continued to demonstrate a commitment to cost-cutting. In Wirelines, an issuer caught in the cross-hairs of a potential investigation for environmental violations with a costly remediation negatively offset.
- Within Consumer Non-Cyclicals, positioning in Pharmaceuticals and specifically allocations to new issues, contributed favorably. Within Healthcare, exposure to well positioned issuers aided relative performance despite exposure to weaker names as well. Positioning within the Food & Beverage subsector added strong returns as an emerging market issuer differentiated their business model from the broader emerging market risks in addition to a multinational drink and brewing company benefiting from credit ratings upgrades. The Tobacco subsector also contributed meaningful returns from issuers that benefitted from better-than-expected earnings related to non-combustible product lines.
- With oil trading up into the mid-90s from 70 at the end of June, our overweight positioning in the subsectors Independent and Midstream performance boosted Energy to the top performing sector within Industrials.
- In Technology, the underweight supported relative returns. Our overweight to premier technology companies contributed more than offset weakness from smaller positions in the subsector.
- MBS was challenged by rising rates and persistent volatility. Our overweight is predicated on the attractive Mortgage – IG spread basis. Within the sector, our overweight is concentrated on coupons below 6%. However, it was the lower coupons materially dragging on performance.
- ABS was additive to performance with the compression in spreads of off the run/esoteric bonds versus flow paper. Stranded cost, private student loans, rental car, timeshare, and data center all contributed positively to performance over the quarter.
- CMBS performance was additive despite the idiosyncratic challenges within the sectors underlying assets. SASB Property downgrades detracted from performance and lower quality CMBS struggled to keep pace with higher CMBS.
- We exited out CLO positions with favorable execution adding to performance within Structured.

STRATEGY

For some time, we have felt the uncertain economic outlook amidst snug valuations warranted a defensive risk posture in portfolios and have leaned on security selection to offset the drag from our treasury allocation. We continue to believe we are steadily marching into the latest stages of the credit cycle, and ample liquidity will eventually bear fruit with spread levels skewing risk to the downside. Specific to corporates, we prefer rotational trades within portfolios to sectors that are better positioned for an economic slowdown. For instance, Utilities, Pharmaceuticals, and Healthcare all continue to see above average issuance, and have presented compelling opportunities to rotate out of more cyclical sectors. The at times frustrating technicals driving spreads tighter and curves flatter have been a headwind to relative performance, but simultaneously, we believe provide opportunity for those willing to do relative value work down to the individual bond level. We remain overweight Banking and continue to favor the front end of the curves as a defensive way to maintain a healthy yield advantage

From an overall quality perspective on Corporates, we favor BBB credit improvement stories vs single-A and better paper, which have been tremendously supported from a lack of high-quality supply in the higher yield environment. Given our low overall ABS exposure relative to history, we would look to opportunistically add to AAA 2 year credit cards and auto bonds from strong issuers on any material weakness in spreads. We also remain overweight Mortgages despite recent weakness. We believe the value over the long-term will prove to be a positive contributor. Within pools, we see value in specified pools with positive attributes, for example low pay-up seasoned discounts which will prepay faster than the overall universe. While high coupons offer an attractive nominal spread, their negative convexity makes them a challenging investment.

What little 30-year issuance we have seen has come at levels at or through secondary bonds and flat to shorter duration credit spreads, which we do not believe appropriately compensates investors for lending to companies for longer. While we broadly remain concerned about valuations, we do concede the symmetry of outcomes is far more balanced on the intermediate part of the curve relative to the long end, and that is where we have chosen to bias our credit curve positioning within portfolios.

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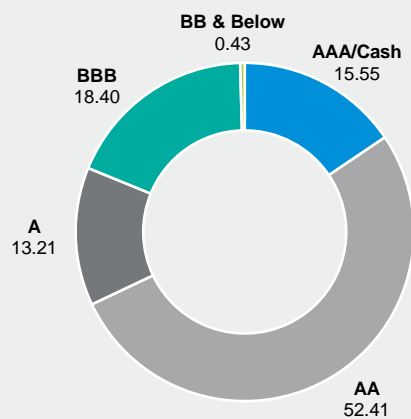
STRATEGY CHARACTERISTICS¹

	Yield To Maturity (%)	Effective Duration (years)	Average Credit Quality
Core Fixed Income	6.13	6.32	Aa2/AA-
Bloomberg U.S. Aggregate Bond Index	5.38	6.15	Aa2/AA

SECTOR POSITIONING¹

	Market Value (%)		Contribution to Duration (years)	
	Core Fixed Income	Bloomberg U.S. Aggregate Bond Index	Core Fixed Income	Bloomberg U.S. Aggregate Bond Index
Investment Grade Corporate	30.5	24.7	1.63	1.69
Financials	14.3	8.3	0.57	0.42
Industrials	12.5	14.3	0.88	1.08
Utilities	3.7	2.1	0.18	0.18
Structured	44.1	28.8	2.23	1.76
Agency MBS	31.8	26.6	1.93	1.68
Non-Agency MBS	1.5	0.0	0.06	0.00
CMBS	6.0	1.7	0.13	0.07
ABS	4.7	0.5	0.10	0.01
CBO/CDO/CLO	0.1	0.0	0.00	0.00
Government Related	0.6	5.0	0.04	0.26
Sovereign/Quasi	0.3	4.4	0.00	0.20
Taxable Municipal	0.3	0.6	0.03	0.06
U.S. Treasuries / Cash	24.6	41.5	2.39	2.44
High Yield	0.2	0.0	0.01	0.00

CREDIT QUALITY DISTRIBUTION (%)¹



	Core Fixed Income	Bloomberg U.S. Aggregate Bond Index
AAA/Cash	15.55	30.05
AA	52.41	45.87
A	13.21	11.64
BBB	18.40	12.41
BB & Below	0.43	0.03

1. The characteristics displayed are for a representative account for this investment strategy. Actual account characteristics may differ. The benchmark data is that of the Bloomberg U.S. Aggregate Bond Index. All data above is provided for illustrative purposes only. This data is supplemental to the information required in a GIPS® compliant document. Credit ratings reflect the index provider's credit quality methodology. Average quality excludes cash and securities that are not rated. Totals may not foot due to rounding.

COMPOSITE STATISTICS AND PERFORMANCE

Year	Gross-of-fee Return	Net-of-fee Return	Benchmark Return ¹	Number Of Portfolios	Dispersion Stdv ²	Composite 3-Year Stdv ³	Benchmark 3-Year Stdv ³	Composite Assets	Total Firm Assets (BB) ⁴
2013	-1.19%	-1.48%	-2.02	≤ 5	N/A	2.73%	2.75%	\$546,542,180	-
2014	6.83%	6.51%	5.97%	≤ 5	N/A	2.66%	2.63%	\$455,775,914	-
2015	1.13%	0.83%	0.55%	≤ 5	N/A	2.91%	2.88%	\$416,911,671	-
2016	3.54%	3.23%	2.65%	≤ 5	N/A	2.94%	2.98%	\$141,450,179	-
2017	5.02%	4.71%	3.54%	≤ 5	N/A	2.77%	2.78%	\$148,848,112	-
2018	0.21%	-0.09%	0.01%	≤ 5	N/A	2.70%	2.84%	\$1,212,023,116	-
2019	9.71%	9.39%	8.72%	≤ 5	N/A	2.83%	2.87%	\$1,277,602,059	\$600.0
2020	8.50%	8.18%	7.51%	≤ 5	N/A	3.86%	3.36%	\$1,473,256,457	\$659.6
2021	-0.67%	-0.96%	-1.54%	≤ 5	N/A	3.96%	3.35%	\$1,672,541,812	\$669.0
2022	-13.26%	-13.52%	-13.01%	≤ 5	N/A	6.19%	5.77%	\$3,144,915,283	\$579.8
YTD 09/30/23	-0.77%	-0.98%	-1.21%	≤ 5	N/A	6.19%	6.12%	\$2,845,089,010	\$568.2

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1. The performance benchmark for the Core Fixed Income Composite is the Bloomberg U.S. Aggregate Bond Index, which is a broad-based index that measures the investment grade, U.S. dollar-denominated, fixed rate taxable bond market, including Treasuries, government-related and corporate securities, MBS (agency fixed rate and hybrid ARM pass-throughs), ABS, and CMBS. The index does not reflect holdings in all sectors targeted within the Core strategy. It is impossible to invest directly in an unmanaged index. All index returns presented are provided to represent the investment environment existing during the time periods shown and will not be covered by the future report of independent verifiers. For comparison purposes, the index is fully invested and includes the reinvestment of income. The returns for the index do not include any transaction costs, management fees, or other costs.
2. The dispersion of annual returns is measured by the standard deviation among asset-weighted gross-of-fee portfolio returns represented in the composite for the full year. "N/A" is an indication that the information is not statistically meaningful due to an insufficient number of portfolios (five or fewer) in the composite for the entire year. Standard deviation is only presented for accounts managed for a full calendar year.
3. The three-year annualized standard deviation measures the variability of the gross-of-fee composite and the benchmark returns over the preceding 36-month period. The standard deviation is not presented for 2000 through 2010 because it is not required for periods prior to 2011. It is also not presented for quarter-ends.
4. Prior to July 1, 2019, the investment team was part of a prior firm. Therefore, "Total Firm Assets (BB)" is left blank for year ends before the team joined MetLife Investment Management.

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The Core strategy seeks to produce risk adjusted long-term total returns above the broad bond market by investing in a core of high-quality U.S. fixed income securities across the government, corporate and structured markets. Derivatives may make up a part of the Core strategy, as the Firm utilizes futures, forwards, and interest rate swaps to manage risk, rather than for speculative purposes. The Core Fixed Income Composite includes all fee-paying portfolios managed on a discretionary basis according to the applicable composite strategy except as otherwise excluded herein. The Firm maintains a list of composites and descriptions, a list of limited distribution pooled funds and their descriptions, and a list of broad distribution pooled funds, all of which are available upon request. Policies for valuing investments, calculating performance, and preparing GIPS® reports are available upon request.

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Returns are based on fully discretionary accounts under management and may include terminated accounts. The dispersion of annual returns is measured by the standard deviation among asset-weighted gross-of-fee portfolio returns represented within the composite for the full year. Dispersion is not calculated for composites with five or fewer accounts for the whole period.

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