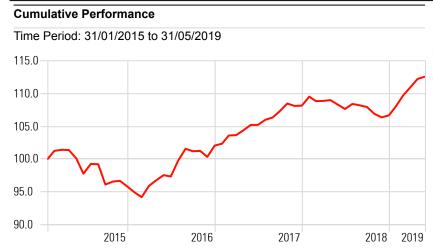


# Fund Snapshot - Nomura Fund Ireland Plc Global Dynamic Bond Fund - I GBP Hedged

As of 31/05/2019



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#### **Fund Overview**

The fund aims to provide attractive total returns by investing in a broad range of fixed income securities, wherever the manager sees the greatest opportunities. It has a discretionary (unconstrained) approach combining a thematic top-down macro strategy with fundamental bottom-up research views. The portfolio will use both cash bonds and fixed income-related derivatives to dynamically adjust strategic positions for shorter-term market movements.

## **Benefits and Differentiators**

- Agile asset allocation leveraging the skills of Nomura Asset Management's global team of 140 fixed income professionals
- Unconstrained 'go anywhere' approach able to invest across a wide range of fixed income securities with a broad geographical remit
- · Active, efficient hedging of key portfolio risks

Monthly Performance Returns													
	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	YTD
2019	1.38	1.42	1.17	1.13	0.31								5.53
2018	1.27	-0.62	0.03	0.11	-0.64	-0.60	0.71	-0.20	-0.24	-0.96	-0.50	0.28	-1.37
2017	0.28	1.21	0.06	0.70	0.78	0.01	0.74	0.34	0.91	1.07	-0.33	0.03	5.95
2016	-0.95	-0.74	1.84	0.87	0.81	-0.22	2.48	1.81	-0.36	0.05	-0.90	1.72	6.51

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Annualise	Inves	tment Style												
						1								
1 Year						3.94	ļ							
2 Years						3.44								
3 Years						4.88								
Key Facts							Top down investment		Bottom-up		Efficient			
Manager Name					R	ichard Hodges	dodges themes & trade ideas and security selection					hedging portfolio		
Inception Date						30/01/2015								
Fund Size £ GBP						296,894,398								
Morningsta	r Rating™ Ove			****										
Citywire Rat		CITY	WIRE AAA											

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#### **Investment Philosophy**

We believe unconstrained fixed income investment allows for the greatest possible diversification of instruments and investment strategies. An unconstrained fixed income portfolio, managed dynamically, can deliver a yield well in excess of cash, with the potential for capital gain, but with less volatility than conventional bond indices, regardless of the future direction of interest rates.

Invest in wide range of fixed income sectors with efficient derivative-based hedging

### How we manage the portfolio

- Target Return: Maximise total return over market cycles whilst maintaining attractive annual income
- Risk Limit: Portfolio VaR limited to 5.75% (monthly, 99% confidence interval)

Maximise total return whilst controlling volatility Wide Range of Investment **Utilization of Derivatives Opportunities & Diversification** Bond futures Low yield Cash Low risk IRS Rates Sovereigns **Futures Options** Inflation-Linked Swaptions Floating Rate Notes Index CDS Investment Grade Credit Individual CDS Credit **CDS Options** (Local ccy/hard ccy) High Yield **FX Forwards** FX High yield Convertible Bonds **FX Options** High risk

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