

# Ashmore SICAV Emerging Markets Corporate Debt ESG Fund

Share class: USD Inst

## FIXED INCOME

**Fund objective and strategy**

SICAV CDESG is an actively managed open-ended daily dealing UCITS V Luxembourg registered global Emerging Markets fund. Investments are from Emerging Market transferable debt securities and other instruments, with a particular focus on the public sector and private sector corporates, denominated in US Dollars and other major currencies as well as local currencies, including also investing in financial derivative instruments and related synthetic structures and products focussing on issuers satisfying the relevant ESG performance criteria. While the Fund references the benchmark for performance comparison, it can differ from the benchmark's composition and also hold assets which are not part of the benchmark. Information on sustainability related aspects can be found on the ESG page on the Ashmore Group [website](#)

**Fund facts** Information at 31.03.2024.

<b>Fund size</b> USD 7.9 million	<b>Fund inception date</b> 05 February 2021	<b>Performance inception date</b> 05 February 2021	<b>Unit Price</b> \$76.07	<b>Benchmark</b> JP Morgan CEMBI BD
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**Performance**

Past Performance (actual or simulated) does not predict future returns.

Net returns %	1 month	YTD	1 year	3 years	5 years	10 years	Since inception
Fund	1.08	2.77	6.20	-8.07	-	-	-8.31
Benchmark	1.00	2.32	9.17	-0.13	-	-	-0.47
Excess	0.08	0.45	-2.97	-7.95	-	-	-7.85

Periods greater than one year are annualised, dividends reinvested, index gross. The value of an investment in the Fund may fall as well as rise and investors may not get back the amount originally invested. Changes in rates of exchange between currencies may cause the value of investments to decrease or increase. Where the 'Fund inception date' and the 'Performance inception date' differ, a new share class has been launched. (Source: Ashmore & JP Morgan). Please refer to disclaimer section for further explanations.

**Calendar year performance**

Net returns %	2023	2022	2021	2020	2019	2018	2017
Fund	2.14	-21.70	-	-	-	-	-
Benchmark	9.08	-12.26	-	-	-	-	-
Excess	-6.95	-9.43	-	-	-	-	-

Performance statistics	Fund	Benchmark
Standard Deviation	9.42%	6.99%
Information Ratio	-2.07	-
Beta	1.26	-
Alpha	-0.63	-
R-Squared	0.87	-

Fund Charges	Fund	Benchmark
Ongoing Charges Figure (OCF)	1.56%	-

Breakdown by modified duration %	Fund	Benchmark
0 - 3 years	33.1	44.2
3 - 5 years	28.9	27.2
5 - 7 years	17.8	15.2
7 - 10 years	7.4	4.0
10+ years	10.3	9.4

Fund statistics	Fund	Benchmark
Yield to maturity	6.23%	6.84%
Average coupon	4.95%	4.96%
Current yield	5.25%	5.30%
Option adjusted spread	217	260
Modified duration	4.58	4.30
Average life	6.41	6.16
Distribution yield	-	-

Top sectors %	Fund	Benchmark
Financial	40.0	33.0
Communications	16.2	8.4
Industrial	8.4	5.2
Consumer, non-cyclical	8.2	5.8
Utilities	8.0	9.2
Other sectors	19.3	38.4
Total	11	11

**Fund information**

<b>Bloomberg</b> USD Inst: AECDIUA LX	<b>Accumulation/Income</b> Accumulation	<b>Registered for sale</b> For registered countries, please visit <a href="http://www.ashmoregroup.com">www.ashmoregroup.com</a>	<b>Investment manager</b> Ashmore Investment Management Limited (AIML)
<b>ISIN</b> USD Inst: LU2277629262	<b>Minimum initial investment</b> \$1,000,000	<b>Redemptions</b> Daily Dealing Fund	<b>Administrator</b> Northern Trust Luxembourg
<b>SEDOL</b> USD Inst: BL6G9Z6	<b>Subscriptions</b> Daily Dealing Fund		<b>Management company</b> Ashmore Investment Management (Ireland) Limited
<b>Domicile</b> Luxembourg	<b>Annual Management Charge</b> 1.15%		

Top 10 country exposure %	Fund	Benchmark
United Arab Emirates	15.9	4.4
Mexico	13.1	4.1
Brazil	12.3	5.1
South Africa	8.1	3.5
India	7.2	4.2
Kuwait	5.1	2.0
Singapore	4.9	3.8
Guatemala	4.7	1.0
Chile	3.7	3.7
Qatar	3.6	3.3
Total number of countries	20	59

Top 10 holdings exposure %	Fund	Benchmark
Qib Sukuk Ltd Frn 07/02/2025 (Regs)	3.6	0.2
Banco Mercantil De Norte Var 8.375% Regs	3.4	0.0
Marb Bondco Plc 3.95% 29/01/2031 (Regs)	3.1	0.0
Absa Group Ltd Var Perpetual (Regs)	3.1	0.1
Klabn Austria Gmbh 7% 03/04/2049 (Regs)	3.0	0.0
Dib Sukuk Ltd 2.95% 16/01/2026 (Regs)	2.9	0.1
Bbva Bancomer Sa Texas Var 18/01/2033	2.8	0.1
Clean Renewable Power 4.25% 25/03/2027	2.8	0.0
Dp World 6.85% 02/07/2037 (Regs)	2.8	-
Aegea Finance Sarl 9% 20/01/2031 (Regs)	2.8	0.0
Total number of holdings	42	1769

Credit rating %	Fund	Benchmark
AAA	0.0	0.2
AA	7.3	6.4
A	16.4	20.5
BBB	34.7	32.9
BB	33.7	21.3
B	5.7	10.8
<B	1.6	4.7
Not rated	0.7	3.3
Average credit rating	BBB	BBB
Investment grade	58.4	59.9
Non-investment grade	41.0	36.8

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