

## Summary of fund objective

The Fund aims to provide long-term capital growth, together with income. The Fund invests primarily in debt instruments of governments, supranational bodies, local authorities, national public bodies and corporate issuers worldwide. The debt instruments invested in may include Mortgage Backed Securities (MBS) and Asset Backed Securities (ABS). For the full objectives and investment policy please consult the current prospectus.

#### **Key facts**





Lyndon Man London Managed fund since March 2016

Gareth Isaac London Managed fund since May 2018

Thomas Sartain London Managed fund since May 2018

Share class launch
18 September 2013
Original fund (2006)

Original fund launch <sup>1</sup> 04 January 1977

Legal status

Mutual Fund - Irish Unit Trust authorised as UCITS

Share class currency EUR

Share class type Accumulation

**Fund size** USD 312.49 mn

**Reference index**Bloomberg Barclays Global Aggregate (USD)

Bloomberg code INVCAEH ID ISIN code IEOOBCKFCK24

**Settlement date** Trade Date + 3 Days

Morningstar Rating™ ★★★

# Invesco Bond Fund

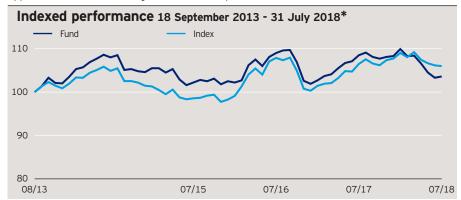
# C (EUR Hgd)-Acc Shares

31 July 2018

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#### Quarterly fund commentary

Government bonds outperformed corporate bonds during the period, amongst a backdrop of ongoing trade tension, political uncertainties and central bank policy announcements that all raised levels of market volatility. The increased levels of volatility in the market raised demand for the perceived safety of core government bond markets. US economic data came in strong, this led the US Federal Open Market Committee to raise rates and the potential for two further rate hikes. In Europe, the European Central Bank (ECB) acknowledged risks from an increase in protectionism, and financial market volatility had become prominent but maintained a relatively positive outlook for the Eurozone. Overall, volatility in bond markets has picked up amongst increased uncertainty, specifically geopolitical uncertainty. However, global growth indicators continue to point to above-potential growth. Looking ahead, we are positive on fundamentals for the rest of this year. Global growth is solid and inflation is tame. As central banks have pivoted away from stimulus, tighter financial conditions have hurt risky assets but central bank policies are still generally easy. Nevertheless, we expect political uncertainty, trade tensions and a sell-off in emerging markets to generate further volatility and believe caution is warranted. However, we believe greater volatility will generate new opportunities for investors, given the backdrop of solid macro and credit fundamentals.



Each period starts at the end of the indicated month. The first indicated month may not represent a full month and may start only on the launch/restructuring date indicated in the headline.

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3 years

Since inception

## Cumulative performance\*

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Fund	-4.34	0.29	-4.52	1.37	3.60
Index	-1.62	-0.17	-0.48	7.53	5.98
Calendar year p	erformance*				
in %	2013	2014	2015	201	6 2017
Fund	-	2.55	-2.01	-0.5	9 6.28
Index	-	0.59	-3.15	2.0	9 7.39

#### Standardised rolling 12 month performance\*

YTD

in %	31.07.13 31.07.14	31.07.14 31.07.15	31.07.15 31.07.16	31.07.16 31.07.17	31.07.17 31.07.18
Fund	-	-5.37	6.65	-0.46	-4.52
Index	-	-6.04	9.45	-1.28	-0.48

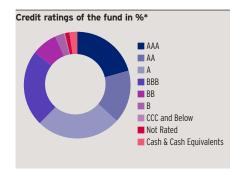
Past performance is not a guide to future returns. The performance shown does not take account of the commissions and costs incurred on the issue and redemption of units.

<sup>\*</sup>Source: © 2018 Morningstar. Indexed performance: Performance of an investment of 100 in share class currency. Gross income re-invested to 31 July 2018 unless otherwise stated. The figures do not reflect the entry charge payable by individual investors. All performance data on this factsheet is in the currency of the share class, apart from the index performance which is shown in USD. Reference Index Source: Factset.

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## NAV and fees

Current NAV EUR 10.36
<b>12 month price high</b> EUR 11.07 (08/09/2017)
<b>12 month price low</b> EUR 10.31 (19/07/2018)
Minimum investment <sup>2</sup> EUR 800,000
Entry charge Up to 5.00%
Annual management fee 0.5%
Ongoing charges 0.66% (30/11/2017)

Credit ratings*	
(average rating: A)	
	in %
AAA	20.7
AA	16.1
A	25.8
BBB	23.2
BB	7.9
В	2.8
CCC and Below	0.3
Not Rated	1.3
Currency Forwards	-0.5
Cash & Cash Equivalents	2.4

<b>Duration distribution*</b> (average duration: 6.1) in %	
0-1 year	10.5
1-3 years	11.1
3-5 years	27.3
5-7 years	15.4
7-10 years	14.7
10-15 years	9.7
15+ years	11.2

in %

3.09

Sector weightings\*

Gross Redemption Yield

Government Bonds	50.1
Government Related	8.2
Corporate Bonds	31.7
Financial	16.8
Industrial	13.6
Utility	1.3
Securitised	6.9
Collective Investment Scheme	1.3
Currency Forwards	-0.5
Cash & Cash Equivalents	2.4
Yield %*	
Gross Current Yield	3.51

Geographical weightings*		
	in %	
United States	25.5	
Japan	10.3	
France	10.0	
United Kingdom	8.5	
Spain	5.5	
Netherlands	5.2	
Mexico	5.1	
Germany	4.1	
Sweden	2.4	
Others	21.7	
Currency Forwards	-0.5	
Cash & Cash Equivalents	2.4	

Maturity distribution*		
9.8		
9.1		
19.3		
34.4		
13.5		
13.9		

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#### **Risk Warnings**

The value of investments and any income will fluctuate (this may partly be the result of exchange rate fluctuations) and investors may not get back the full amount invested. Debt instruments are exposed to credit risk which is the ability of the borrower to repay the interest and capital on the redemption date. Changes in interest rates will result in fluctuations in the value of the fund. The fund uses derivatives (complex instruments) for investment purposes, which may result in the fund being significantly leveraged and may result in large fluctuations in the value of the fund. The fund may hold a large amount of Asset Backed Securities (ABS) (complex instruments) as well as other lower quality debt securities which may impact the liquidity of the fund under certain circumstances. The fund may invest in distressed securities which carry a significant risk of capital loss. The fund may invest in contingent convertible bonds which may result in significant risk of capital loss based on certain trigger events. Investments in debt instruments which are of lower credit quality may result in large fluctuations in the value of the fund.

### **Important Information**

<sup>1</sup>The Original Fund Launch date shown herein is different from the fund launch date shown in the KIID, as it indicates the launch date of a previous fund that was merged into the fund shown and therefore the track record starts with this previous fund. Further information can be found on our website: www.invescoeurope.com.

<sup>2</sup>The minimum investment amounts are: USD 1,000,000 / EUR 800,000 / GBP 600,000 / CHF 1,000,000 / SEK 7,000,000. Please contact us or refer to the most up to date Prospectus for details of minimum investment amounts in other currencies.

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