Short Duration Total Return Composite

As of September 30, 2018



OBJECTIVE

Maximize total return consistent with the preservation of capital by investing in high, medium and lowgrade fixed income securities.

INVESTMENT STRATEGY

- Identify opportunities with a bottom-up intrinsic value-focused approach to active investment management and disciplined risk control.
- Perform risk/reward analysis to evaluate credit risk, interest rate risk, prepayment risk, and security structure.
- Invest in securities we believe offer attractive prospects for income and/or capital appreciation relative to the risk borne. May invest in non-benchmark sectors, specifically structured product, to generate additional yield with a strong focus on security selection.

PORTFOLIO MANAGEMENT









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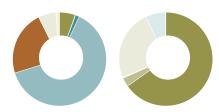
PORTFOLIO GUIDELINES

The portfolio generally invests at least 80% of its assets in a diversified portfolio of investment grade, fixed income securities and may invest a significant portion or all of its assets in asset-backed, mortgagerelated, and mortgage-backed securities. The portfolio may invest up to 20% of its assets in below-investment grade securities at the time of purchase and will typically maintain an average portfolio duration of less than three.

SECTOR ALLOCATION

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Bloomberg Barclays U.S. 1-3 Yr. Gov./ Credit Index



Treasury	6.1%	Treasury	63.9%
Agency	0.0	Agency	4.0
Agency RMBS/ CMBS ²	2.3	Agency RMBS/ CMBS ²	0.0
Asset-Backed Securities	60.6	Asset-Backed Securities	0.0
Non-Agency RMBS/CMBS ²	22.1	Non-Agency RMBS/CMBS ²	0.0
Corporate Credit	6.8	Corporate Credit	24.5
Non-Corporate Credit	0.0	Non-Corporate Credit	7.7
Cash & Other ³	2.1	Cash & Other ³	0.0

PERIOD AND AVERAGE ANNUAL TOTAL RETURNS

Inception Date: July 31, 2016

	SINCE INCEPTION	1-YR	YTD	3Q18		
SHORT DURATION TOTAL RETUR	SHORT DURATION TOTAL RETURN COMPOSITE					
Gross of Fees	3.96	3.74	2.78	1.06		
Net of Fees	3.59	3.37	2.51	0.97		
BENCHMARK						
Bloomberg Barclays U.S. 1-3 Yr. Gov./Credit Index	0.40	0.20	0.41	0.33		

 $^{^2\,}Residential\,Mortgage\text{-Backed}\,Securities/Commercial\,Mortgage\text{-Backed}\,Securities.$

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CREDIT QUALITY¹

QUALITY RATING	% OF PORTFOLIO		
AAA	20.0%		
AA	5.4		
Α	15.3		
BBB	43.0		
ВВ	8.6		
В	1.5		
CCC & Lower	1.1		
Not Rated	5.0		

1 Security quality ratings are derived from underlying portfolio securities by using the middle rating of Standard & Poor's, Moody's, and Fitch. If only two of Standard & Poor's, Moody's, and Fitch rates a security the higher of the two is selected. If only one of Standard & Poor's, Moody's, and Fitch rates a security the available rating is used. For securities that are not rated by Standard & Poor's, Moody's, or Fitch a rating from a secondary Nationally Recognized Statistical Rating Organization ("NRSRO") may be used. Ratings by any agency represent an opinion only, not a recommendation to buy or sell. Securities that are not rated by any agencies are reflected as Not Rated "NR".

DURATION BREAKDOWN

	SHORT DURATION I TOTAL RETURN COMPOSITE	BLOOMBERG BARCLAYS U.S. 1-3 YR. GOV./ CREDIT INDEX
Less than one	43.8%	0.7%
1-3	45.1	99.3
3-5	9.4	0.0
5-7	0.6	0.0
7-10	0.7	0.0
10-20	0.3	0.0
20+	0.0	0.0

PEER GROUP QUARTILE RANKINGS⁴

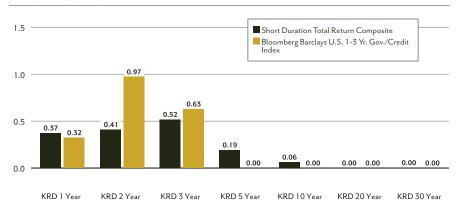


Bloomberg Barclays U.S. 1-3 Yr. Gov./

 $^{^{3}}$ Cash & Other may include cash, money market funds, and short duration fixed income funds.

 $^{^4}$ Source: eVestment Analytics. Ranking within eVestment U.S. Short Duration Fixed Income universe based on monthly returns gross of fees. Ranking data calculated on 10/18/18 (as of 9/30/18) and is subject to change as additional firms within the category submit data.

KEY RATE DURATION⁵



⁵ Key Rate Duration (KRD) measures the contribution to duration to the entire portfolio from each part of the yield curve.

CALENDAR YEAR RETURNS (%)

	July 31, 2016 - December 31, 2016	2017
SHORT DURATION TOTAL RETURN COMPO	SITE	
Gross of Fees	0.88	4.89
Net of Fees	0.73	4.54
BENCHMARK		
Bloomberg Barclays U.S. 1-3 Yr. Gov./Credit Index	-0.38	0.84

PORTFOLIO CHARACTERISTICS

	SHORT DURATION TOTAL RETURN COMPOSITE	BLOOMBERG BARCLAYS U.S. 1-3 YR. GOV./CREDIT INDEX
Number of holdings	294	1,545
Yield to Maturity (%)	4.26	2.94
Yield to Worst (%)	4.02	2.94
Effective Duration	1.57	1.92
Weighted Average Life (years)	1.91	2.00
Convexity	0.03	0.05
Option-Adjusted Spread	155	13

SINCE INCEPTION RISK STATISTICS

	SHORT DURATION TOTAL RETURN COMPOSITE	BLOOMBERG BARCLAYS U.S. 1-3 YR. GOV./CREDIT INDEX
Standard Deviation (%)	0.63	0.64
Sharpe Ratio	3.31	-1.20
Beta ⁶ (%)	0.85	_
R-squared (%)	69.72	_
Information Ratio	7.99	_

⁶ Relative to the Bloomberg Barclays U.S. 1-3 Yr. Gov./ Credit Index.

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AS OF YEAR-END	DHCM	SHORT I	ORT DURATION TOTAL RETURN COMPOSITE		3-YR ANNUALIZED STANDARD DEVIATION (GROSS OF FEES)	
	Assets Under Management		Assets Under Management	Dispersion (Gross of Fees)		Bloomberg Barclays U.S. 1-3 Yr. Gov./Credit Index
2017	\$22.3B	5 or fewer	\$312.9M	NA ⁷	NA ⁸	NA ⁸
2016	19.4B	5 or fewer	197.5M	NA ⁷	NA ⁸	NA ⁸

⁷ NA = Not Applicable

The Firm's standard fee schedule for Short Duration Total Return separate accounts is as follows: First \$200,000,000 = 0.45%; Next \$300,000,000 = 0.35%; Balance over \$500,000,000 = 0.30%. The dispersion measure is the asset weighted standard deviation of the annual portfolio returns. Only portfolios represented in the composite for the entire year are included in the calculation. The calculation is not performed if the composite contains 5 or fewer accounts for the full year. No alteration of composites as presented here has occurred because of changes in personnel at any time. Past performance is not a guarantee of future result. GIPS is a trademark of CFA Institute. CFA Institute has not been involved in the preparation or review of this report/advertisement.



⁸ Statistics are not presented because 36 monthly returns are not available.

This composite was created in July 2016.