

## **Low Duration** Credit Fund

## Monthly Factsheet October 2024

## Summary of Objective<sup>1</sup>

The investment objective of the Fund is to provide investors with returns in excess of cash deposit rates (being overnight or short-term fixed deposit rates that are typically available at Irish Relevant Institutions) over a three year investment horizon.

The Fund intends to achieve its investment objective through exposure to third party funds managing a portfolio of globally diversified credit. We may also make small allocations to high yield within the portfolio based on our assessment of the market environment at that time. We will manage the portfolio through the use of both active credit managers and passive ETFs (Exchange Traded Funds) or index funds.

## Kev Facts (at 31st October 2024)

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Legal Status	UCITS <sup>2</sup>
Base Currency	EUR
Share Class	A Accumulating
Liquidity	Weekly
ISIN	IE00BLF7M172
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Current Net Asset Value (NAV)	101.23
Minimum Initial investment	€500
Minimum additional investment	€100
Davy Investment Management Fee	0.25%
Administrator, Depositary & Other Costs	0.08%3
Third Party Costs	0.45%
Ongoing Charges Figure (OCF)	0.78%4

Table 1: Fund Characteristics

Yield to maturity	Duration (years)
3.81%	2.43

Source: Davy and Bloomberg. Data shown is correct as at  $30^{\text{th}}$  September 2024.

Figure 1: Performance of the Low Duration Credit Fund at 31st October 2024



Table 2: Performance (Net of Fees)5

1 Month	QTD	YTD	Since Inception
0.16%	0.16%	3.71%	1.23%

Table 3: Calendar Year Performance (Net of Fees)6

 2019	2020	2021	2022	2023
 -	-	-	-7.15%	5.54%

Warning: Past Performance is not a reliable guide to future performance. The value of your investment may go down as well as up. This product may be affected by changes in currency exchange rates.

Figure 2: Fund Duration (years)



Data shown is from the most recently available factsheets, correct as at 30<sup>th</sup> September 2024. The duration of each fund represents its sensitivity to interest rates. The longer the duration, the more the fund value rises or falls based on expectations of future interest rates.

Fund Launch 21 April 2021 Source: Davy & Bloomberg.

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 $<sup>^{\</sup>mbox{\scriptsize 1}}$  There is no guarantee that the fund will meet its objective.

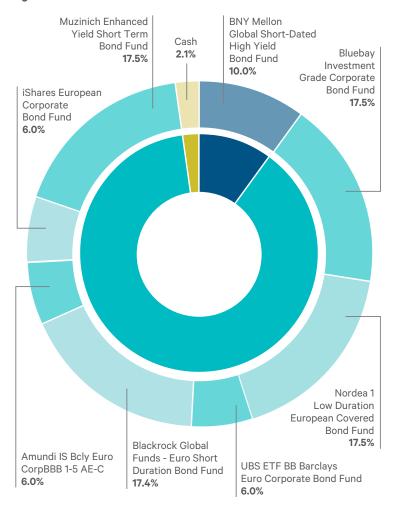
<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> UCITS: Undertakings for collective Investment in Transferable Securities. The Low Duration Credit Fund is a sub fund of Davy Funds plc, an open ended umbrella investment company with variable capital and segregated liability between sub-funds incorporated with limited liability under the Companies Act 2014, authorised by the Central Bank of Ireland as a UCITS pursuant to the UCITS Regulations. Davy Funds plc is authorised by the Central Bank of Ireland as a UCITS.

<sup>3</sup> These figures are estimates and may vary. These figures are subject to rounding. Administrator Fee is 0.085% per annum and Depositary Fee is 0.0175% per annum, both subject to minimums. Davy Account Fees apply separately. Please see the Prospectus, Supplement and Key Investor Information Document for full details on fees. These documents are available on www.davy.ie.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4</sup> The OCF is an annualised figure based on the expenses in the fund at 31st October 2024. This figure can change over time, is subject to rounding and as such may not correspond to the total sum of the management fee, admin fee and third party costs.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>5</sup> 1 Month: 30/09/2024 - 31/10/2024; QTD (Quarter to Date): 30/09/2024 - 31/10/2024; YTD (Year to Date): 31/12/2023 - 31/10/2024; Since Inception: 21/04/2021 - 31/10/2024

Figure 3: Asset Allocation



Underlying Bond Funds	97.9
High Yield Bond Funds	10.0
BNY Mellon Global Short-Dated High Yield Bond Fund	10.0
Investment Grade Corporate Bond Funds	87.9
Bluebay Investment Grade Corporate Bond Fund	17.5
Nordea 1 Low Duration European Covered Bond Fund	17.5
UBS ETF BB Barclays Euro Corporate Bond Fund	6.0
Blackrock Global Funds - Euro Short Duration Bond Fund	17.4
Amundi IS Bcly Euro CorpBBB 1-5 AE-C	6.0
iShares European Corporate Bond Fund	6.0
Muzinich Enhanced Yield Short Term Bond Fund	17.5
Cash	2.1
Deposits	2.1
Total	100.0

\* Muzinich may invest up to 40% in high yield credit.

 High Yield Bond Funds
 10.0%

 IG Corporate Bond Funds
 87.9%

 Cash
 2.1%

Please note that while the fund documentation allows for entry and exit fees, these fees have been waived for Davy Private Clients and Davy Select Clients.

The holdings of the fund and their weightings are indicative in nature and have been provided for illustrative purposes only. Please note the Fund Manager has full discretion to change these holdings and weightings at any point in time, as outlined in the fund documentation. The managers of the Underlying Funds have similar discretion. Indicative information should not be relied on by potential investors to make investment decisions. Currency denominations of underlying funds may vary.

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