# FB CORPORATE BOND FUND

FACT SHEET AS AT 31.12.2024



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#### **STRATEGY**

FB Corporate Bond Fund is an actively managed bond fund with a moderate level of risk. The fund builds a portfolio of high-yield corporate bonds with maturities of up to 10 years, holding each bond until its maturity. The bonds have a minimum rating of B3/B-(Moody's/S&P) and must be liquid and freely tradable on open market exchanges.

The fund has a global focus, primarily investing in Europe, North America, and Asia. Among European bonds, the fund also includes bonds from companies in the Baltics and Estonia. The bonds can be denominated in euros or US dollars, and the fund's NAV is calculated in euros.

The fund generates income from bond coupon payments and by purchasing bonds at a discount from their nominal value.

### FUND MANAGER'S COMMENTS, 31.12.2024

#### **Bond Markets**

The bond markets remained relatively calm in December. The high volatility observed in November subsided, and investors adjusted to the new political landscape. The US Federal Reserve continued its path of lowering interest rates, but inflation indicators have begun to rise, creating uncertainty about future decisions. Government bond yields have stabilized, but corporate bond prices have continued a slight decline in the face of persistently high base interest rates. However, the environment offers opportunities to build a portfolio at favorable prices and fix long-term returns. The ICE BofA High Yield index fell by 0.52% in December, reflecting investor caution.

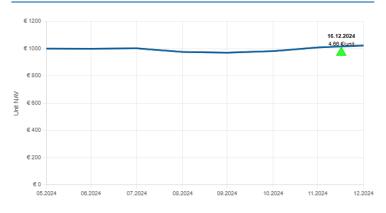
#### **Estonian Economic Overview**

The Estonian economy continued its downward trend, although some sectors showed slight signs of life. According to Statistics Estonia, the manufacturing sector managed to show a 0.8% increase, and while the information and communication and real estate sectors supported the economy, foreign trade showed a 17% increase. The share of the service sector in the Estonian economy is growing, while the share of other sectors is declining. The service sector's share of the Estonian economy was the highest in history in 2023 at 73%.

#### FB Corporate Bond Fund Key Characteristics:

- Portfolio return in December: 1.25%.
- Average coupon: 6.67%
- Average current yield: 7.73%
- Average yield to maturity: 7.85%
- Average maturity: 6.22 years
- FBCBF unit indicative yield: 3.64% per annum

### **HISTORICAL PERFORMANCE**



### **KEY FACTS**

FB Corporate Bond Fund EE3500110228
June 2024
Estonia
FB Asset Management AS
Swedbank
EUR
€ 10 000.00
2 times a year
4,66 EUR / 1 unit
monthly
0.79% p.a.
1% of the unit's NAV

#### UNIT VALUE

Date	31.12.2024
Unit NAV	EUR 1021.1608
Buying price	EUR 1010.9492
Selling price	EUR 1021.1608

## **TOTAL RETURNS**

Year to date	2.116%
1 month	1.250%
1 year	2.116%
Since inception	2.116%

### **RISK LEVEL**

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1	2	3	4	5	6	7

The risk indicator assumes you hold the fund for at least 3 years

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# MONTHLY PERFORMANCE

Year	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Yearly Return
2024						-0.100%	0.339%	-2.696%	-0.527%	1.124%	2.797%	1.250%	2.116%

## **BOND PORTFOLIO**

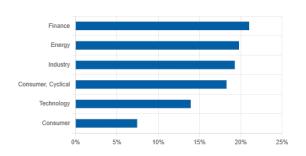
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Lockheed Martin Corp 4.8% 34	US539830CD97	4.8%	4.86%	4.94%	A2	3513
Northrop Grumman Corp 4.9% 34	US666807CL48	4.90%	4.96%	5,06%	BAA1	3438
New Fortress Energy 8.75% 29	USU6422PAD07	8.75%	10.43%	13.19%	B1	1534
QVCN Corp 4.375% 28	US747262AZ65	4.38%	5.37%	7.48%	B2	1339
Kohl´s Corp 6% 33	US500255AN46	6.0%	7.86%	8.11%	BA3	2936
Navient Corp 6% 29	US78490FJJ93	6.0%	6.29%	6.37%	BA3	1534
Avis Car Rent 8% 31	USU05375AV93	8.0%	7.77%	7.46%	B1	2236
lute Credit Finance 11%	XS2378486494	11.00%	11.36%	11.85%	В3	643
ENA Norte 4.95% 27	USP3716XAA74	4.95%	5.26%	5.54%	Ba1	1027
Axle Inc 5% 29	US02406PBB58	5.00%	5.52%	6.5%	B2	1734
Drillco 7.5% 30	USL26915AA33	7.5%	7.81%	8.26%	B2	1991
NGL Energy 8.375% 32	USU6536LAC47	8.38%	8.31%	8.24%	B2	2601
BigBank 6.5% 34	EE3300004977	6.5%	6.43%	6.35%	Ba2	3582
Xerox Corp XRXCRP 4.8	US984121CL51	4.8%	8.08%	9.28%	B2	3711

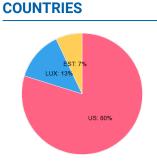
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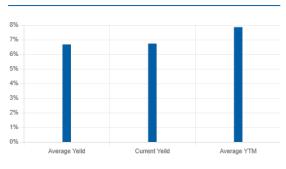


# SECTORS





# **INTERESTS**



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