

# Absolute Return Income

as of 6/30/20

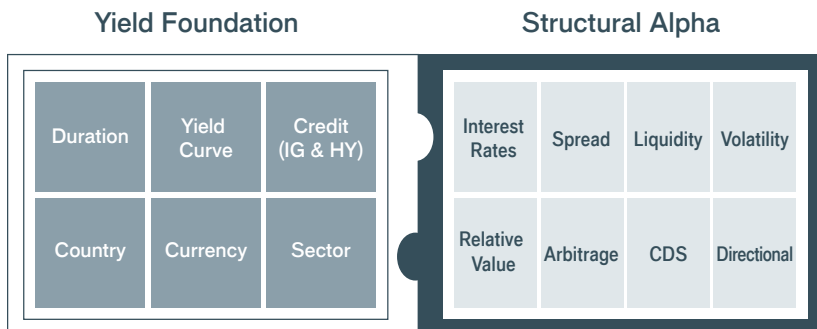
## Strategy Overview

The strategy's absolute return objective and broad global opportunity set grant the portfolio managers flexibility to express their investment insights that are not constrained by traditional fixed income benchmarks. This flexibility transcends the breadth of the global fixed income opportunity set to include structural alpha strategies. The investment process is decidedly top-down in approach. The portfolio managers formulate their secular and opportunistic views across different countries, currencies and sectors and translate those views into portfolio exposures – yield foundation and structural alphas – that represent highest conviction ideas. Those are then implemented through cash or derivative instruments. This is a global fixed income strategy that targets moderate return and capital preservation.

## Objectives

- Preservation of capital
- Absolute return
- Mitigate interest rate volatility
- Diversifier of equity risk

## Investment Approach



## Structural Alpha

Structural alpha strategies seek to add value by taking advantage of identifiable economic factors that create patterns of risk premia, minimize negative roll yield, and provide other techniques in an attempt to generate absolute returns.

Our approach is to judiciously implement structural alpha strategies using experienced judgment, proactively adjusting exposures based on the current and changing attractiveness of risk and return potential.

Absolute Return Income – USD Composite, benchmarked to the FTSE 3-Month US Treasury Bill Index, includes portfolios with a USD base currency that seek to provide long term positive returns across economic cycles. The portfolios will normally maintain a weighted-average effective duration between -2 and +2 years. Portfolios may invest in government and non-government bonds, notes, corporate securities, mortgage-backed and asset-backed securities, convertible securities and enhanced cash instruments. Portfolios may also utilize derivative instruments for various investment and hedging purposes and may invest in high yield/high risk bonds up to 15% and in emerging market debt up to 15%. The composite was created in July 2016.

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## Portfolio Management



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- 20 years of financial industry experience



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- 16 years of financial industry experience



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- Portfolio Manager
- 24 years of financial industry experience

## Strategy Characteristics

Inception	July 1, 2016
Investment Approach	Top-down, global macro
Benchmark Index	FTSE 3-Month U.S. Treasury Bill Index
Target Volatility	< 1.5%

## Investment Guidelines

Typical Duration	Range -2 to +2 years
Non-USD Securities	No limit
Non-US Currency	Minimal non-base currency exposure
High Yield	Minimal, up to 15%
Emerging Markets	Up to 15%
Expected Notional Leverage	None

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Performance – USD (%)	2Q20	1 yr	3 yr	Since Inception (7/1/16)
Composite (gross)	2.33	2.67	3.12	2.90
Composite (net)	2.23	2.26	2.71	2.49
FTSE 3-Month U.S. Treasury Bill Index	0.14	1.56	1.72	1.41
Difference (gross v. benchmark)	+2.19	+1.11	+1.40	+1.49

Characteristics	Rep. Account
Effective Duration (Years)	1.17
Weighted Avg. Maturity (Years)	2.12
Number of Issuers	113
Cash & Equivalents (%)	2.93

## Portfolio Allocations (based on representative account)

Industries	Weight (%)	YTM (%)	OAD (Years)
Financials	50.40	1.29	0.58
Consumer Discretionary	8.73	1.53	0.14
Utilities	8.42	1.54	0.17
Industrials	7.99	1.97	0.26
ABS	5.02	1.99	0.00
Real Estate	3.73	2.10	0.10
Energy	3.36	1.77	0.07
Information Technology	2.90	0.83	0.09
Communication Services	2.60	1.47	0.07
Consumer Staples	2.33	0.90	0.06
Health Care	1.63	0.87	0.02
Supranational	1.17	1.82	0.01
Agency	0.96	0.69	0.00
Cash	2.93	–	0.00

Collateral	Weight (%)	YTM (%)	OAD (Years)
Senior Unsecured	74.69	1.24	1.15
Senior Secured	9.13	2.10	0.31
Subordinated	6.59	2.26	0.08
ABS	5.02	1.99	0.00
Supranational	1.17	1.82	0.01
Agency	0.96	0.69	0.00
Discount Security	0.96	2.67	0.00
Quasi Sovereign	0.72	1.47	0.02
Cash	2.93	–	0.00

Top Currencies	Weight		
	Gross (%)	Net (%)	YTM (%)
United States	59.55	101.22	1.16
Australia	38.41	-0.83	1.82
Canada	0.91	0.01	1.83
India	0.41	0.41	4.74
New Zealand	0.75	0.00	0.28

Credit Quality of Fixed Income Holdings	Weight (%)	YTM (%)	OAD (Years)
AAA	6.03	1.91	0.01
AA+	1.21	0.96	0.04
AA	3.12	1.05	0.01
AA-	4.16	0.69	0.02
A+	8.98	1.01	0.17
A	11.38	1.31	0.24
A-	20.78	1.27	0.42
BBB+	29.58	1.61	0.44
BBB	8.31	1.66	0.16
BBB-	5.71	2.24	0.06

Top Countries	Weight (%)	YTM (%)	OAD (Years)
Australia	40.25	1.72	0.67
United States	30.08	1.09	0.42
Canada	4.51	0.84	0.05
Korea, Republic of	4.50	1.38	0.04
China	4.36	1.49	0.08

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