STATE STREET_____GLOBAL ADVISORS. SPDR



Primary Ticker

GLAG

Total Expense Ratio

0.10%

Income Treatment

DISTRIBUTED

ISIN

IEOOB43QJJ40

Number of Issues

21,082

Market Value

USD 49,881

Average Coupon

2.78⁹

Average Life

8.80 YEARS

Yield to Maturity

1.66°

Option-Adjusted Duration

6.99

Base Currency

USL

Average Rating⁴

AA2/AA3

SPDR Bloomberg Barclays Global Aggregate Bond UCITS ETF

A low-cost¹, physical UCITS ETF that tracks the full Bloomberg Barclays Global Aggregate Index from a provider with a track record of managing the index exposure.

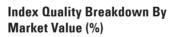
Why Global Aggregate Bonds?

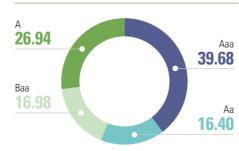
- 1. Higher yield compared to domestic government bonds for sterling, euro and Swiss franc investors.²
- 2. Diversification across broad global investment grade bond exposures, ranging from sovereign to securitised debt and corporate bonds, including emerging market economies.
- 3. Strong historical risk-adjusted returns over global government indices, which can help to improve portfolio diversification.³

How to Incorporate Global Agg in Your Portfolio

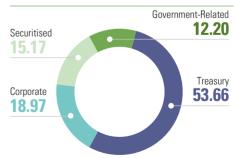
The Global Aggregate ('Global Agg') index can form **a core building block** for fixed income portfolios.

- Used as the basis of a core fixed income allocation, or as a potential source of **diversification** from domestic bonds, an exposure to the global agg index can help **improve the efficient frontier**, as the high level of diversification can result in lower volatility and better risk-adjusted returns compared to other government bond indices. In addition to yield pick-up, volatility dampening is one of the key attributes of investors' fixed income portfolios today.
- The individual components of the index behave differently depending on the stage of the economic cycle, thus **affording it a degree of stability throughout the cycle**. The treasury portion potentially offers protection against spread widening in non-government bond sectors, which occurred in the aftermath of the collapse of Lehman Brothers in late 2008. Risky assets, on the other hand, have upside potential in risk-on environments.





Market Value (%)



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Understanding the Index

The Bloomberg Barclays Global Aggregate Index provides a broad-based measure of the global investment grade fixed-rate debt markets. The index provides exposure to more than 21,082 issues, covering multi-currency government bonds and assets such as corporates, mortgage-backed securities, and agencies. The sector composition has remained relatively stable over time, and the government bond sector represents the largest component at circa 50%. Focusing on investment grade securities, the 'global agg' index provides exposure to issuers from 71 countries issuing in 24 currencies.

Index Regional Breakdown (%)



Index Yield to Worst (%)



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Track Record of Managing Global Agg

- Have managed a global aggregate index fund since June 2013, and fixed income strategies in general for over 30 years
- Over 40 fixed income strategies offered globally
- Investment centres in Boston, London, Singapore, Sydney and Tokyo, allowing for 24-hour coverage

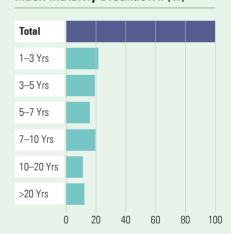
Scale and Heritage in Index Investing

- \$336 billion in passive fixed income assets including \$51 billion in Aggregate (as of September 2017)
- Over 30 portfolio managers and dedicated trading desk; our PMs average more than 13 years in industry
- Experience across all major regions, currencies and sectors, trading both primary and secondary markets.

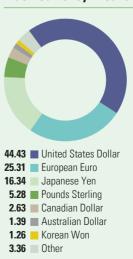
Index Market Value (%)

Government	54.82
Domestic Treasuries	53.66
Non Domestic Sovereigns	1.16
Government Related	11.04
Agency	3.35
Local Government	2.46
Foreign Agency	2.37
Foreign Local Government	0.59
Supranationals	2.27
Corporate	18.97
Financial Institutions	7.09
Industrial	10.44
Utility	1.44
Securitised	15.17
US MBS	11.36
US CMBS	0.74
Asset Backed	0.29
Pfandbriefe	0.55
Other Mortgages	2.23
Total	100.00

Index Maturity Breakdown (%)



Index Currency Breakdown (%)



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