

# Aberdeen Standard SICAV II - Global Inflation-Linked Government Bond Fund

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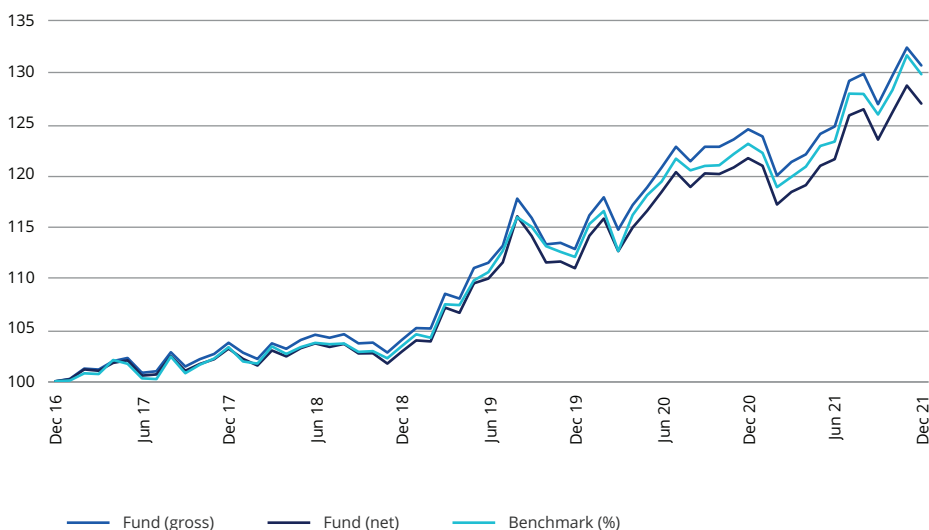
## Objective

The Fund aims to provide a combination of income and growth by investing in inflation-linked bonds. The Fund aims to outperform the Bloomberg World Government Inflation Linked Index (Hedged to USD) benchmark (before charges).

## Portfolio securities

- The Fund invests at least 70% of its assets in inflation-linked investment grade bonds denominated in US Dollars, or hedged back to US Dollars, which are issued by governments, supranational institutions and government related bodies worldwide.
- The Fund may also invest in inflation-linked investment grade debt and debt-related securities issued by corporations worldwide, as well as non-inflation-linked investment grade debt and debt-related securities issued by governments, supranational institutions, government related bodies and corporations worldwide.
- The Fund may also invest in other transferable securities, money-market instruments, deposits, cash and near cash, derivatives (including currency forwards, interest rate and credit default swaps) and collective investment schemes.

## Performance



## Cumulative and annualised performance

	1 month	6 months	Year to date	1 year	3 years (p.a.)	5 years (p.a.)
Fund (gross) (%)	-1.31	4.75	4.99	4.99	7.91	5.50
Fund (net) (%)	-1.36	4.45	4.36	4.36	7.27	4.89
Benchmark (%)	-1.39	5.31	5.49	5.49	7.88	5.36

## Discrete annual returns - year to 31/12

	2021	2020	2019	2018	2017
Fund (gross) (%)	4.99	10.31	8.49	0.24	3.74
Fund (net) (%)	4.36	9.63	7.89	-0.29	3.15
Benchmark (%)	5.49	9.81	8.38	0.10	3.32

Performance Data: Share Class D Acc USD

Benchmark history: Benchmark – Bloomberg World Government Inflation Linked (Hedged to USD)

Source: abrdn. Basis: Total Return, NAV to NAV, net of annual charges, gross income reinvested, (USD).

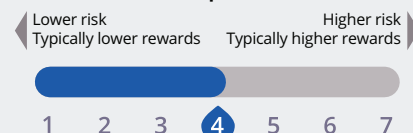
“Fund (Net)” refers to the actual unit price performance of the shareclass shown; “Fund(Gross)” adds back charges such as the annual management charge to present performance on the same basis as the Benchmark / Benchmark / portfolio constraining benchmark. All return data includes investment management fees, operational charges and expenses, and assumes the reinvestment of all distributions. The returns provided do not reflect the initial sales charge and, if included, the performance shown would be lower.

**Past performance is not a guide to future returns and future returns are not guaranteed.**

## Key facts

Fund manager(s)	Adam Skerry & Tom Walker
Fund launch date	26 May 2005
Share class launch date	26 May 2005
Management company	Aberdeen Standard Investments Luxembourg S.A.
Fund size	USD 432.1m
Number of holdings	118
Benchmark	Bloomberg World Government Inflation Linked (Hedged to USD)
Yield to maturity <sup>1</sup>	-1.60%
Entry charge (up to) <sup>2</sup>	5.00%
Annual management charge	0.40%
Ongoing charge figure <sup>3</sup>	0.50%
Minimum initial investment	USD 1,000,000
Fund type	SICAV
Valuation point	13:00 (LUX time)
Base currency	USD
Share class currency	USD
Sedol	B945FJ7
ISIN	LU0213069759
Bloomberg	SLGILKD LX
Citicode	EIZ0
Valoren	2085082
WKN	A0MRSZ
Domicile	Luxembourg

## Risk and reward profile



This indicator reflects the volatility of the Fund's share price over the last five years. See Key Investor Information Document (KIID) for details.

## Key risks

- The value of investments and the income from them can fall and investors may get back less than the amount invested.
- The fund invests in securities which are subject to the risk that the issuer may default on interest or capital payments.
- The fund price can go up or down daily for a variety of reasons including changes in interest rates, inflation expectations or the perceived credit quality of individual countries or securities.

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## Management process

- The Fund is actively managed.
- The benchmark is used as a reference point for portfolio construction and as a basis for setting risk constraints.
- In order to achieve its objective, the Fund will take positions whose weightings diverge from the benchmark or invest in securities which are not included in the benchmark. The investments of the Fund may deviate significantly from the components and their weightings in the benchmark.
- Due to the Fund's risk constraints, its performance profile is not ordinarily expected to deviate significantly from that of the benchmark over the longer term.
- abrdn integrate environmental, social and governance (ESG) considerations within the investment process. Details of the Fixed Income ESG Integration Approach are published at [www.abrdn.com](http://www.abrdn.com) under "Sustainable Investing".

## Top ten issues (%)

US (Govt of) 0.125% IL 2030	3.2
UK (Govt of) 0.375% IL 2062	3.1
New Zealand (Govt of) 2.5% IL 2035	2.5
US (Govt of) 0% IL 2023	2.2
UK (Govt of) 0.125% IL 2056	2.1
US (Govt of) 0.375% IL 2027	2.0
UK (Govt of) 0.5% IL 2050	2.0
US (Govt of) 0.125% IL 2023	1.9
UK (Govt of) 0.25% IL 2029	1.7
UK (Govt of) 2% IL 2035	1.7
<b>Assets in top ten issues</b>	<b>22.4</b>

## Country (%)

United States of America	42.5
United Kingdom	26.0
France	7.2
Italy	4.9
New Zealand	3.1
Germany	2.7
Japan	2.4
Canada	2.3
Spain	2.1
Cash and Other	6.8

## Maturity (%)

0-5 years	30.1
5-10 years	27.4
10-15 years	8.8
15-20 years	6.4
20-25 years	10.4
25-30 years	8.1
30+ years	8.8

Source : abrdn 31/12/2021

Figures may not always sum to 100 due to rounding.

## Credit rating (%)

AAA	56.3
AA	32.7
A	3.0
BBB	7.2
N/R	0.8

## Composition by asset (%)

Government	92.6
Corporate	4.4
Cash and Other	3.0

- (d) The use of derivatives carries the risk of reduced liquidity, substantial loss and increased volatility in adverse market conditions, such as a failure amongst market participants. The use of derivatives may result in the fund being leveraged (where market exposure and thus the potential for loss by the fund exceeds the amount it has invested) and in these market conditions the effect of leverage will be to magnify losses.

## Risk stats

Fund Volatility <sup>^</sup>	5.98
Information Ratio <sup>^</sup>	0.14
Tracking Error <sup>^</sup>	0.43
Modified Duration	12.30

Source : abrdn. <sup>^</sup> Three year annualised.

## Derivative usage

- The Fund will routinely use derivatives to reduce risk or cost, or to generate additional capital or income at proportionate risk (Efficient Portfolio Management) or to meet its investment objective. Derivatives may be used to provide market exposures different to those that could be achieved through investment in assets in which the fund is primarily invested. Usage of derivatives is monitored to ensure that the fund is not exposed to excessive or unintended risks.

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<sup>1</sup>Yield to Maturity as at 31/12/2021 is the yield that would be realised on a bond or other debt instrument if the security was held until the maturity date.

<sup>2</sup>These are the maximum charges that we might take out of your money before it is invested. In some cases, the charges may be less and you should speak to your financial advisor about this.

<sup>3</sup>The Ongoing Charge Figure (OCF), is the overall cost shown as a percentage of the value of the assets of the fund. It is made up of the Annual Management Charge (AMC) of 0.40% and other charges. It does not include any initial charges or the cost of buying and selling stocks for the fund. The Ongoing Charges figure can help you compare the annual operating expenses of different funds.

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