

# Inflation Strategy Fund

## Institutional Class Accumulation Shares

### FUND DESCRIPTION

The Inflation Strategy Fund is a comprehensive real return asset allocation solution designed to hedge global inflation risks while targeting enhanced after inflation return. It invests actively in global inflation-linked bonds, commodities, emerging market (EM) currencies, real estate and gold. In addition, tail risk hedging strategies are used to limit the impact of periodic market stresses that may affect inflation-related assets.

### POTENTIAL INVESTOR BENEFITS

The potential benefits of the Inflation Strategy Fund include:

- \* Strategic allocation to a comprehensive set of real assets, enhanced by active management of these assets.
- \* Portfolio diversification relative to a traditional portfolio comprising stocks and bonds
- \* Robust risk diversification and management, including strategies to explicitly hedge against systemic market risks

### POTENTIAL FUND ADVANTAGE

The fund combines top-down macroeconomic views from PIMCO's Global Investment Committee and Asset Allocation Committee with bottom-up relative value ideas from the specialist Real Return team

### RISKS OF INVESTING

Unit value can go up as well as down and any capital invested in the fund may be at risk. The fund may invest in non-U.S. and non-eurozone securities which involve potentially higher risks including currency fluctuations and political or economic developments. These may be enhanced when investing in emerging markets. Funds that invest in high-yield, lower-rated securities, will generally involve greater volatility and risk to principal than investments in higher-rated securities. The fund may use derivatives for hedging or as part of its investment strategy which may involve certain costs and risks. Portfolios investing in derivatives could lose more than the principal amount invested. For more details on the fund's potential risks, please read the Prospectus and Key Investor Information Document.

### KEY FACTS

Accumulation	
<b>Bloomberg Ticker</b>	PIMISIA
<b>ISIN</b>	IE00B973QR36
<b>Sedol</b>	B973QR3
<b>CUSIP</b>	G7098D649
<b>Valoren</b>	20357252
<b>WKN</b>	A1KBBN
<b>Inception Date</b>	14/02/2013
<b>Distribution</b>	–
<b>Unified Management Fee</b>	0.90% p.a.
<b>Fund Type</b>	UCITS
<b>Portfolio Manager</b>	Mihir P. Worah, Nic Johnson, Lorenzo Pagani, Michael Althof
<b>Total Net Assets</b>	73.7 (USD in Millions)
<b>Fund Base Currency</b>	USD
<b>Share Class Currency</b>	USD

### MANAGER

PIMCO Global Advisors (Ireland) Limited

### INVESTMENT ADVISOR

Pacific Investment Management Company LLC

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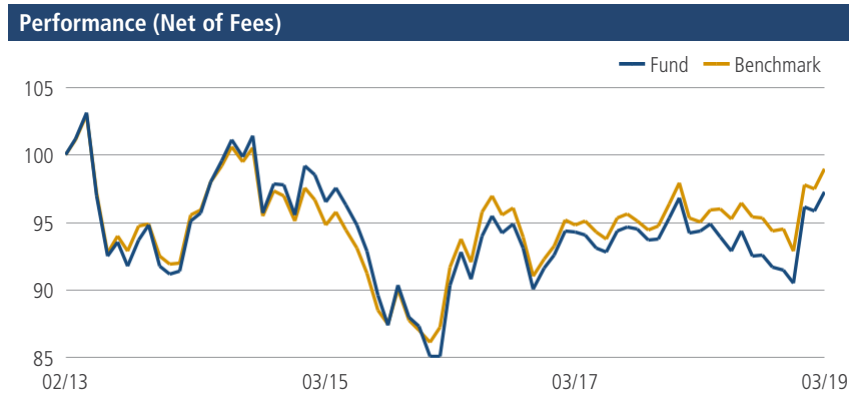


Chart shows performance from the first month-end, rebased to 100, for the oldest share class.

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Fund Statistics	
Effective Duration (yrs)	4.28
Current Yield (%) <sup>1</sup>	1.22
Estimated Yield to Maturity (%) <sup>1</sup>	3.56
Average Coupon (%)	1.34

Performance (Net of Fees)	1 Mo.	3 Mos.	6 Mos.	1 Yr.	3 Yrs.	5 Yrs.	SI
Institutional, Acc (%)	1.46	7.51	5.07	3.51	2.63	0.42	-0.43
Benchmark (%)	1.54	6.61	3.84	4.19	2.58	0.63	—

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Calendar Year (Net of Fees)	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	YTD
Institutional, Acc (%)	4.84	-8.71	4.94	4.05	-4.63	7.51
Benchmark (%)	3.40	-8.51	6.11	4.43	-3.66	6.61

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### ABOUT THE BENCHMARK

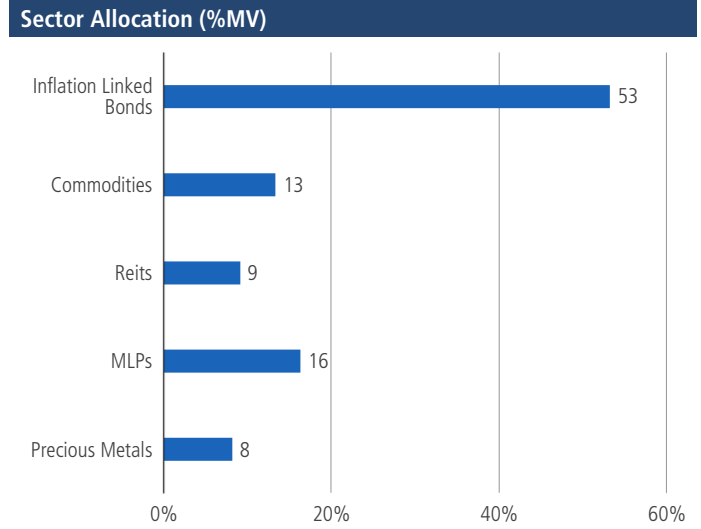
The benchmark is a blend of 45% Bloomberg Barclays Global Inflation Linked 1-30yrs Index (USD hedged), 15% Bloomberg Barclays Emerging Market Government ILB Index (USD unhedged), 10% Bloomberg Commodity Total Return Index, 10% FTSE NAREIT Global Real Estate Developed Total Return Index (USD unhedged), 15% Alerian MLP Total Return Index and 5% Bloomberg Gold Subindex Total Return Index. The Bloomberg Barclays Global Inflation Linked 1-30yrs Index measures the performance of the major developed market government inflation-linked bond markets. It is market capitalization weighted and includes maturities up to 30 years. The Bloomberg Barclays Emerging Market Government ILB Index measures the performance of the major emerging market government inflation-linked bond markets and is market capitalization weighted. The Bloomberg Commodity Total Return Index is an unmanaged index composed of futures contracts on a number of physical commodities. The index is designed to be a highly liquid and diversified benchmark for commodities as an asset class. The FTSE NAREIT Global Real Estate Developed Total Return Index is a free-float adjusted, market capitalization-weighted index designed to track the performance of listed real estate companies worldwide. The Alerian MLP Total Return Index is a float-adjusted, capitalization-weighted index and the leading gauge of large and mid-cap energy master limited partnerships (MLPs). The Bloomberg Gold Subindex Total Return Index reflects the return on fully collateralized positions in the underlying commodity futures.

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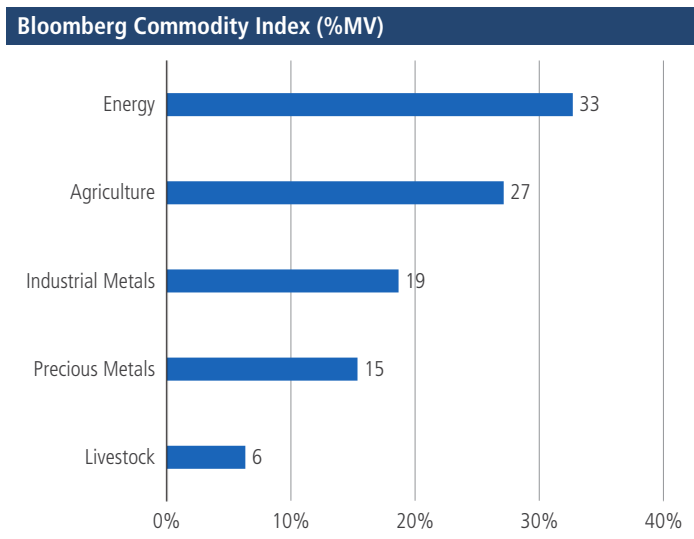
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Top 10 Holdings (%MV) *	
FNMA TBA 3.5% JAN 30YR	16.3
U S TREASURY INFLATE PROT BD	9.7
FNMA TBA 4.0% JAN 30YR	9.5
U S TREASURY INFLATE PROT BD	5.6
U S TREASURY INFLATE PROT BD	4.4
U S TREASURY INFLATE PROT BD	3.7
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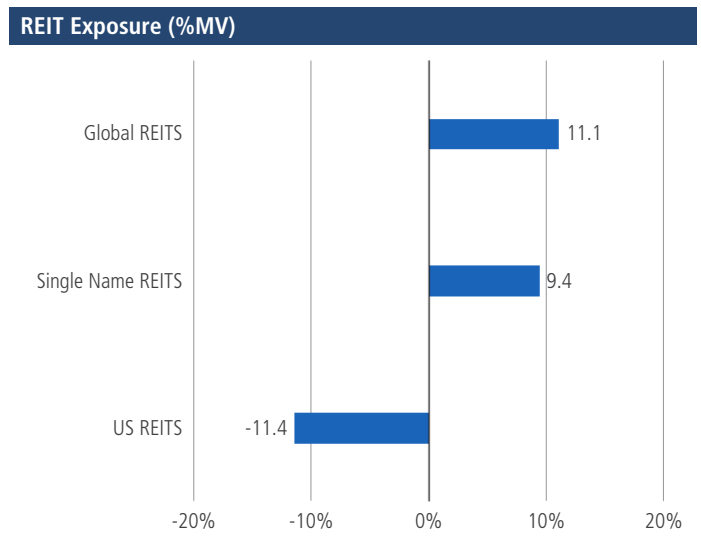
\*Top 10 holdings as of 31/12/2018, excluding derivatives.  
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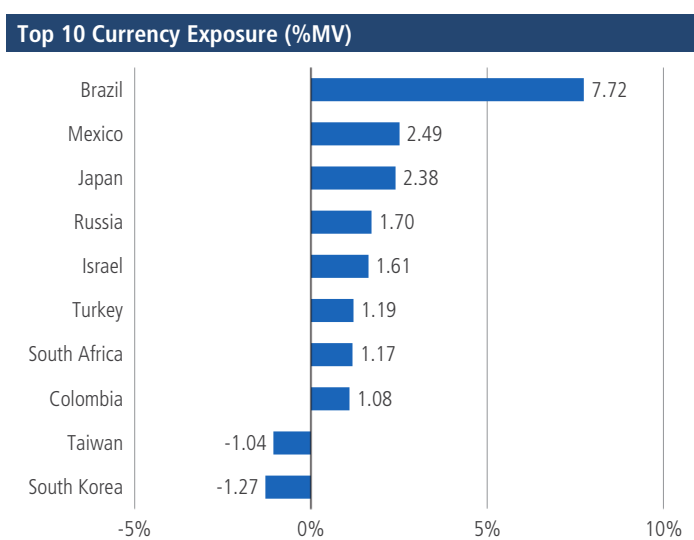
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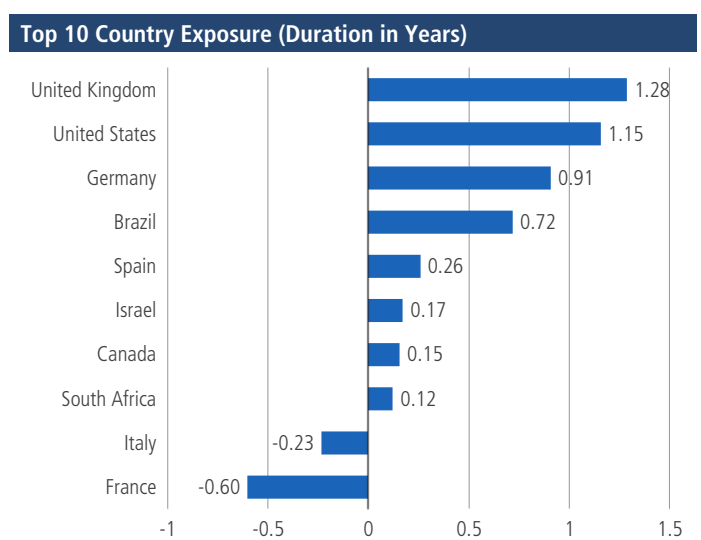
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