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BlackRock ESG Fixed Income Strategies Fund
Class D5 Hedged British Pound
BlackRock Strategic Funds

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Unless otherwise stated, Performance, Portfolio Breakdowns and Net Asset information as at: 31-Oct-2026. All other data as at 12-Nov-2026.

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FUND OVERVIEW

- The Fund aims to achieve positive returns on your investment through a combination of capital growth and income on the Fund's assets over a rolling three year period in a manner consistent with the principles of environmental, social and governance "ESG" focused investing.
- The Fund seeks to gain at least 70% investment exposure to fixed income (FI) securities and FI-related securities issued by, or giving exposure to, governments, government agencies, companies and supranationals (e.g. the International Bank for Reconstruction and Development) worldwide. The Fund may invest in FI securities including bonds as well as money market instruments (i.e. debt securities with short term maturities), FI-related securities including financial derivative instruments ("FDIs") (i.e. investments the prices of which are based on one or more underlying assets), currency forwards (i.e. a type of FDI which locks in the price at which an entity can buy or sell a currency at a future date and where appropriate, deposits and cash).
- The Fund will take into account ESG criteria when selecting investments as disclosed in the prospectus and will apply the EU Paris-Aligned Benchmark Exclusions as further described in the prospectus. For further details please refer to the Fund's ESG policy section in the prospectus and to the at the BlackRock website at https://www.blackrock.com/baselinescreens

RISK INDICATOR

Lower Risk — Potentially Lower Rewards

Higher Risk — Potentially Higher Rewards



CAPITAL AT RISK: The value of investments and the income from them can fall as well as rise and are not guaranteed. Investors may not get back the amount originally invested.

KEY RISKS:

- Changes to interest rates, credit risk and/or issuer defaults will have a significant impact on the performance of fixed income securities. Non-investment grade fixed income securities can be more sensitive to changes in these risks than higher rated fixed income securities. Potential or actual credit rating downgrades may increase the level of perceived risk.
- Asset backed securities and mortgage backed securities are subject to the same risks described for fixed income securities. These instruments may be subject to 'Liquidity Risk', have high levels of borrowing and may not fully reflect the value of underlying assets.
- Derivatives may be highly sensitive to changes in the value of the asset on which they are based and can increase the size of losses and gains, resulting in greater fluctuations in the value of the Fund. The impact to the Fund can be greater where derivatives are used in an extensive or complex way.
- The Fund seeks to exclude companies engaging in certain activities inconsistent with ESG criteria. Such ESG screening may reduce the potential investment universe and this may adversely affect the value of the Fund's investments compared to a fund without such screening.
- Counterparty Risk: The insolvency of any institutions providing services such as safekeeping of assets or acting as counterparty to derivatives or other instruments, may expose the Fund to financial loss.
- Credit Risk: The issuer of a financial asset held within the Fund may not pay income or repay capital to the Fund when due.
- Liquidity Risk: Lower liquidity means there are insufficient buyers or sellers to allow the Fund to sell or buy investments readily.

RATINGS**

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KEY FACTS

Comparator 1 : ESTR Overnight (EUROSTR=) rate index (EUR)

Asset Class : Fixed Income

Fund Launch Date : 30-Sept-2009

Share Class Launch Date : 15-Oct-2014

Fund Base Currency : EUR

Share Class Currency : GBP

Net Assets of Fund (M) : 2,716.19 EUR

Morningstar Category : Global Flexible Bond - GBP Hedged

SFDR Classification : Article 8

Domicile : Luxembourg

ISIN : LU1117534666

Use of Income : Distributing

Management Company : BlackRock (Luxembourg) S.A.

FEES AND CHARGES

Annual Management Fee : 0.60%

Ongoing Charge : 0.87%

Performance Fee : 0.00%

DEALING INFORMATION

Settlement : Trade Date + 3 days

Dealing Frequency : Daily, forward pricing basis

PORTFOLIO CHARACTERISTICS

Effective Duration : 1.57 yrs

Average Weighted Maturity : 5.07 yrs

3y Beta : 2.13

Standard Deviation (3y) : 2.30%

Yield To Maturity : 5.11%

Number of Holdings : 1,348

PORTFOLIO MANAGER(S)

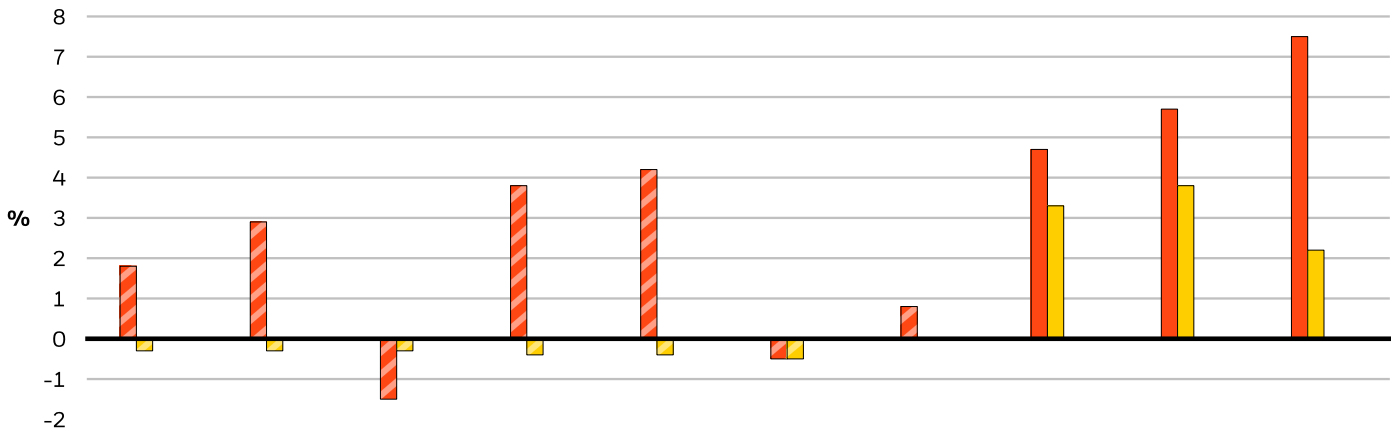
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CALENDAR YEAR PERFORMANCE

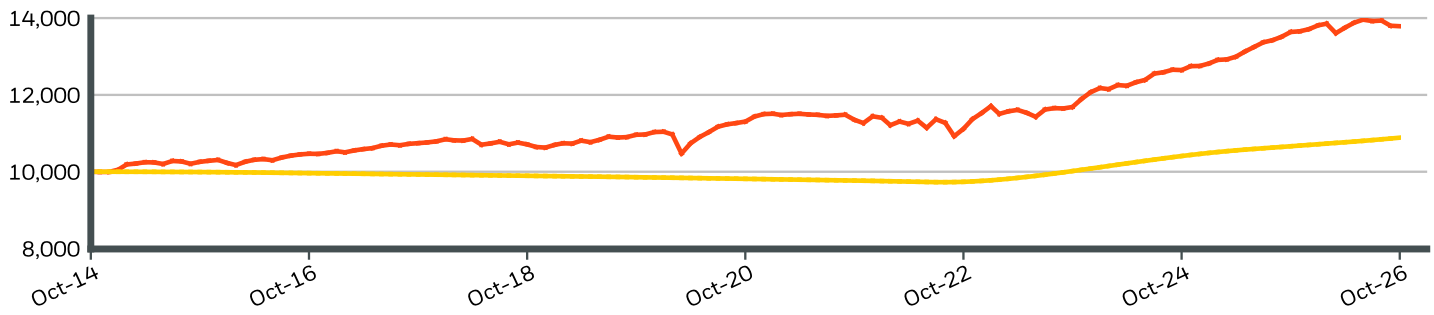


	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025
Share Class	1.79	2.86	-1.51	3.81	4.23	-0.50	0.75	4.70	5.66	7.52
Comparator 1	-0.31	-0.35	-0.35	-0.38	-0.44	-0.47	-0.01	3.31	3.77	2.24

▨ During this period performance was achieved under circumstances that no longer apply.

On 20/Jun/2022, the Fund changed its name and/or investment objective and policy.
Prior to 15/Dec/2021, the Fund used a different benchmark which is reflected in the benchmark data.

GROWTH OF HYPOTHETICAL 10,000 GBP SINCE INCEPTION



CUMULATIVE & ANNUALISED PERFORMANCE

	CUMULATIVE (%)					ANNUALISED (% p.a.)		
	1m	3m	6m	YTD	1y	3y	5y	Since Inception
Share Class	-0.09	-0.96	0.30	0.55	1.10	5.67	3.97	2.72
Comparator 1	0.21	0.58	1.11	1.76	2.10	2.81	2.19	0.71

The figures shown relate to past performance. **Past performance is not a reliable indicator of future performance. Markets could develop very differently in the future. It can help you to assess how the fund has been managed in the past.** Performance is shown on a Net Asset Value (NAV) basis, with gross income reinvested where applicable. The return of your investment may increase or decrease as a result of currency fluctuations if your investment is made in a currency other than that used in the past performance calculation. Source: Blackrock

Share Class (GBP) BlackRock ESG Fixed Income Strategies Fund Class D5 Hedged British Pound

Comparator 1 (EUR) ESTR Overnight (EUROSTR=) rate index (EUR)

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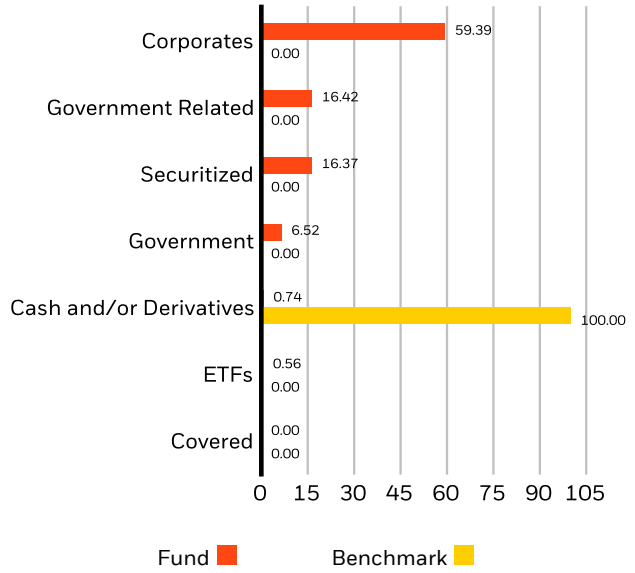
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Top 10 Holdings

SPAIN (KINGDOM OF)	6.01%
MONTENEGRO (REPUBLIC OF)	2.04%
BANCO SANTANDER SA	1.75%
NORTH MACEDONIA REPUBLIC OF (GOVERNMENT)	1.67%
ELECTRICITE DE FRANCE SA	1.52%
DEUTSCHE BANK AG	1.51%
GOLDMAN SACHS GROUP INC/THE	1.40%
ALBANIA (REPUBLIC OF)	1.37%
EP INFRASTRUCTURE AS	1.35%
VOLKSWAGEN INTERNATIONAL FINANCE NV	1.31%
Total of Portfolio	**19.93%**

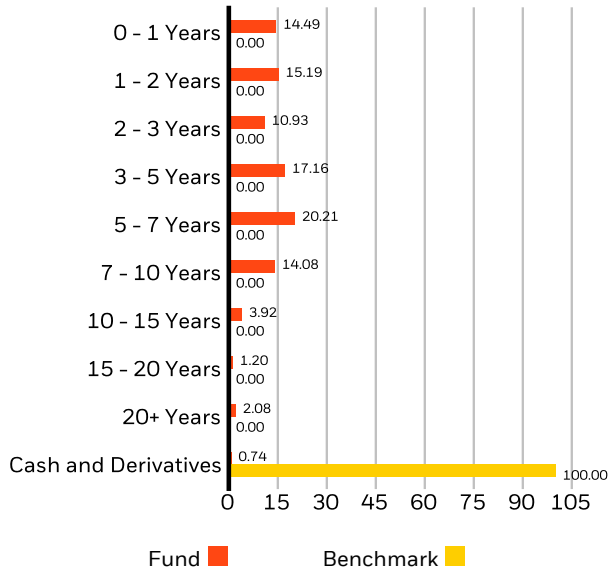
Holdings subject to change

SECTOR BREAKDOWN (%)



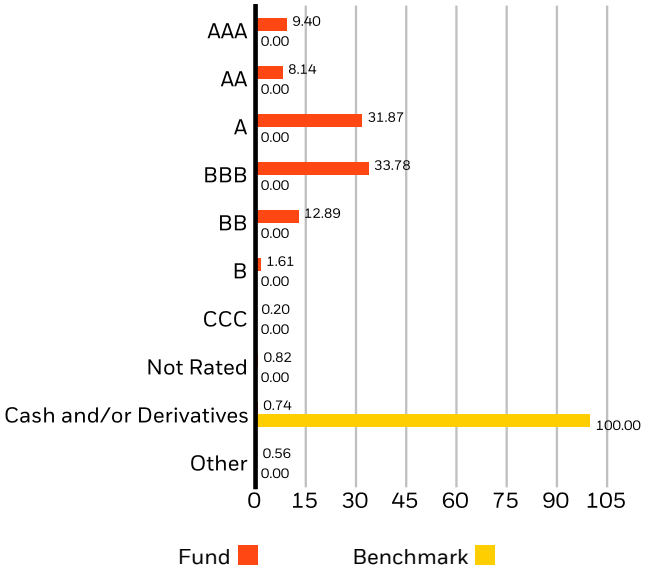
Negative weightings may result from specific circumstances (including timing differences between trade and settlement dates of securities purchased by the funds) and/or the use of certain financial instruments, including derivatives, which may be used to gain or reduce market exposure and/or risk management. Allocations are subject to change

MATURITY BREAKDOWN (%)



Allocations are subject to change. **Source:** BlackRock

CREDIT RATINGS (%)



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SFDR Classification: Article 8: Products that promote environmental or social characteristics and promote good governance practices. **Article 9:** Products that have sustainable investments as an objective and follow good governance practices. **Other:** Products that do not meet the criteria to be classified as Article 8 or 9.

Yield to Maturity: Yield to Maturity (YTM) is the discount rate that equates the present value of bond's cash flows with its market price (including accrued interest). The fund YTM is the weighted average of fund's individual bond holding YTMs based upon Net Asset Value ('NAV'). The measure does not include fees and expenses. For callable bonds, YTM is the Yield-to-Worst.

Effective Duration: Effective duration is a measure of a fund's interest-rate sensitivity. Put simply, the longer a fund's duration, the more sensitive the fund is to shifts in interest rates. So a fund with a duration of 10 years is twice as volatile as a fund with a five-year duration.

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