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# Rubrics Global Fixed Income UCITS Fund (Class F GBP)

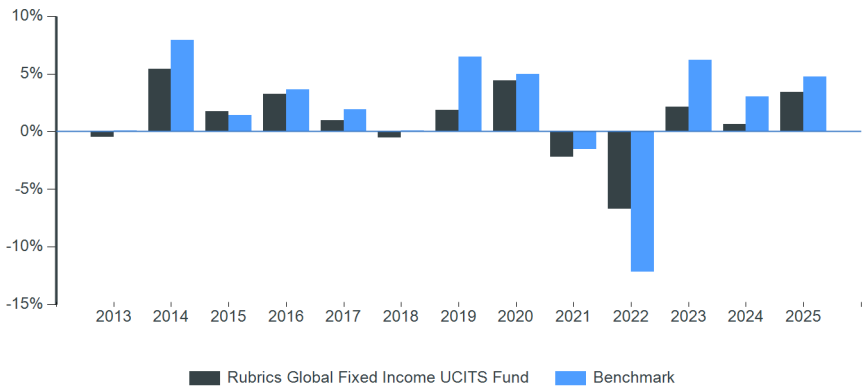
## Objective

The Rubrics Global Fixed Income UCITS Fund (the "Fund") aims to maximise risk-adjusted returns by allocating across the fixed income investment universe based on a top-down macro analysis combined with a bottom-up approach to credit allocation. The investable universe includes government bonds, credit and a limited allocation to emerging markets debt.

## Performance

Past performance is no guarantee of future returns. Source: Rubrics Asset Management and Bloomberg. All performance is calculated on a NAV-to-NAV basis and is as at the last business day of the month.

## Performance by full calendar year




## Monthly performance since 2023

| | J | F | M | A | M | J | J | A | S | O | N | D | Year | Primary Index |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 2023 | 1.08 | -1.01 | 0.96 | 0.33 | -0.73 | -0.53 | -0.23 | -0.37 | -1.79 | -0.96 | 2.79 | 2.66 | **2.11** | 6.22 |
| 2024 | -0.26 | -1.33 | 0.53 | -1.93 | 0.76 | 1.04 | 1.63 | 1.20 | 0.93 | -1.79 | 0.70 | -0.77 | **0.62** | 3.04 |
| 2025 | 0.28 | 1.10 | -0.24 | 1.28 | -0.61 | 0.55 | -0.39 | 0.73 | 0.28 | 0.35 | 0.34 | -0.31 | **3.39** | 4.78 |
| 2026 | 0.07 | 1.21 | -1.52 | -1.03 | 0.16 | 0.37 | -1.19 | -0.01 | -1.84 | 1.77 | | | **-2.05** | 0.23 |

## Net performance

| | YTD | 1 year | 3 years* | 5 years* | 10 years* | Since launch* |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Fund | -2.05% | -2.02% | 2.45% | -0.65% | 0.07% | 1.14% |
| Primary Index | 0.23% | 0.23% | 4.86% | 0.24% | 1.11% | 1.99% |

Annualised returns are period returns re-scaled to a period of 1 year. Actual annual figures are available to the investor on request. Individual investor performance may differ as a result of initial fees, the actual investment date, the date of reinvestment and dividend withholding tax. The manager does not provide any guarantee either with respect to the capital or the return of a portfolio.

## Rolling 12-month performance to most recent quarter end (30 September 2026)

| | Q3 2025 - Q3 2026 | Q3 2024 - Q3 2025 | Q3 2023 - Q3 2024 | Q3 2022 - Q3 2023 | Q3 2021 - Q3 2022 |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Fund | -3.39% | 1.07% | 7.16% | -1.29% | -8.22% |
| Primary Index | -0.67% | 2.90% | 10.11% | 1.11% | -12.75% |

## Risk factors you should consider before investing

The value of investments and any income derived are subject to market and exchange rate movements and may fall as well as rise. Investors may not get back the full amount invested. Investing in investment funds is subject to market risks. Past performance results are no indication of future results. Past performance results over periods of less than twelve months are an especially unreliable indicator for future returns due to the short comparison period. Any subscription fees charged by intermediaries are not included in the performance figures. All figures and information are given without any warranty and errors are reserved. Details of the fees and expenses payable to the Fund's services providers and advisors are set out in the relevant supplements to the Fund prospectus.

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## Fund facts

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|---|---|
| **Entity name** | Rubrics Global UCITS Funds PLC |
| **Inception date** | 24 May 2012 |
| **Index** | Bloomberg Global Aggregate Index GBP Hedged |
| **Minimum investment (GBP)** | 500 |
| **Subscription** | Daily |
| **Redemption** | Daily |
| **Other available currencies** | CHF, EUR, USD |

## Key data †

| | |
|---|---|
| **Fund assets (USD)** | $147 million |
| **NAV (GBP)** | 117.7700 |
| **Total return since inception** | 17.77% |
| **Annualised return since inception** | 1.14% |
| **Annualised standard deviation** | 2.22% |
| **Number of securities** | 30 |
| **Average coupon** | 3.28% |
| **Average duration (years)** | 5.34 |
| **Average yield to maturity** | 4.86% |
| **Average portfolio credit rating** | AA |
| **Portfolio ESG rating** | A |

## Fees**

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|---|---|
| **Management fee** | 1.25% |
| **Performance fee** | None |

## Fund codes

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| **ISIN** | IE00B618JB83 |
| **SEDOL** | B618JB8 |
| **Bloomberg** | RUBGFIF |

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**† The values stated are calculated based on the fund inception date as of 24/05/2012**

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Full details of awards are available from the manager

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## Fund commentary

The Class F GBP share returned +1.77% over the month. The Fund holds 88.9% in developed-market government bonds, 9.4% in the Rubrics Global Credit UCITS Fund and 1.0% in direct credit, with the balance in cash. Weighted-average duration rose from 5.2 to 5.4 years. The PM team reduced two 2028 Treasury positions in favour of the 10-year point of the US curve, trading on 14 and 30 October, and the 10-year UST rose from 6.0% to 9.2% of the Fund. The Fund also added a 0.3% position in a long-dated Meta bond. Holdings concentrate in the one- to three-year and five- to ten-year duration buckets, which together account for 81% of the portfolio. The market commentary covers the Federal Reserve and ECB decisions in detail. Duration drove attribution as yields fell across the US and euro area curves, and the first switch put the larger 10-year Treasury weight in place ahead of the late-month rally. Carry from the front-end Treasury holdings added to the gain.

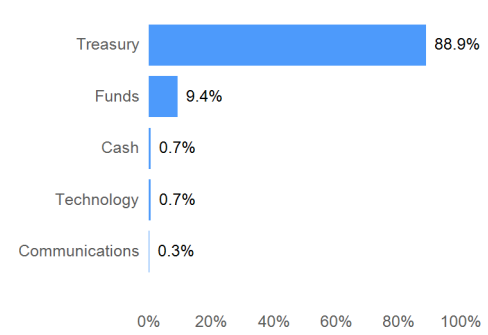
## Market commentary

The US-Iran conflict set the tone for energy markets in its eighth month. Iran escalated attacks in the Strait of Hormuz in the week of 12 October, Houthi forces fired missiles at Saudi Arabia, and Ukraine vowed to resume strikes on Russian refineries. WTI crude closed September at $97.18 and set its monthly low of $94.99 on 12 October. The escalation lifted WTI $8.37 on 15 October and to a peak of $110.01 on 19 October. WTI closed the month at $107.56, up $10.38. Brent moved in the same direction as WTI over the month. Treasuries rallied. The 2-year yield fell 32bps to 4.56%, the 10-year fell 35bps to 4.94% and the 30-year fell 33bps to 5.31%. The 10-year peaked at 5.31% on 5 October, its highest level in more than two decades. On 22 October a sell-off in AI-linked equities, French fiscal stress and Middle East tensions sent investors into government bonds, and the 10-year fell 17bps in one session, its largest daily drop since March 2023. US data released during the month showed payrolls rose 29,000 in September and the unemployment rate rose to 4.2%. Headline CPI rose 0.6% m/m, taking the annual rate to 3.7%, while core CPI rose 0.3% m/m and 2.6% y/y. Core PCE rose 0.3% m/m and 3.1% y/y. Retail sales gained 0.8% m/m, and the advance estimate put third-quarter GDP growth at 3.4% annualised. The Federal Reserve held the federal funds target range at 3.75% to 4.00% on 28 October, following its September hike, in a 10-2 vote. Governor Lisa Cook and Cleveland Fed President Beth Hammack dissented in favour of a 25bps increase. Chair Kevin Warsh announced that one FOMC meeting in 2027 will address policy strategy alone, with no rate vote. Gilt yields reached multi-decade highs in the first half of the month. The 10-year Gilt touched 5.53% on 8 October, its highest level since July 2007, and the 30-year yield moved above 6% on 1 and 7 October for the first time since 1998. Chancellor John Healey reaffirmed the fiscal rules in his first Budget on 28 October, and the 10-year yield eased toward 5.3%. UK GDP grew 0.1% in August. The Bank of England did not meet in October, and Bank Rate stands at 3.75% ahead of the 5 November decision. The ECB held the deposit rate at 2.50% on 29 October, after its September hike, and President Christine Lagarde announced she will leave the ECB in February 2027. Euro area inflation rose to 3.8% in September from 3.2% in August, and GDP grew 0.4% q/q in the third quarter. Debt concerns and cost-of-living protests pushed French government bond yields to multi-year highs and widened their spread to Germany. The 10-year Bund yield fell 22bps to 3.37% and the 2-year fell 15bps to 3.01%. Credit spreads widened through the second half of the month as oil climbed and technology stocks sold off.

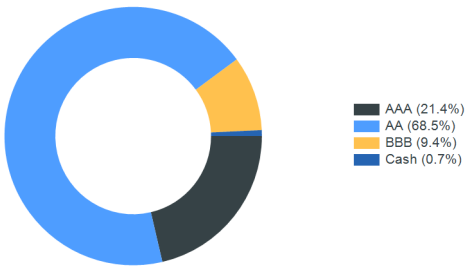
## Top five securities

| Issue | ISIN | Weight | Next Call Date |
|---|---|---|---|
| T 3 5/8 08/31/29 | US91282CLK52 | 13.9% | |
| DBR 2.2 02/15/34 | DE000BU2Z023 | 10.0% | |
| T 4 3/8 05/15/36 | US91282CQQ77 | 9.2% | |
| T 3 5/8 03/31/28 | US91282CGT27 | 8.5% | |
| T 3 5/8 05/31/28 | US91282CHE49 | 6.4% | |

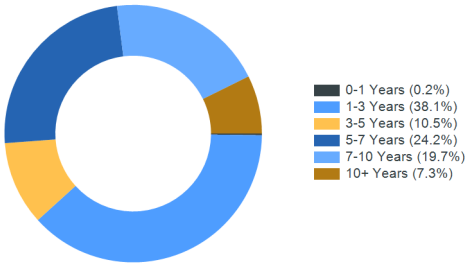
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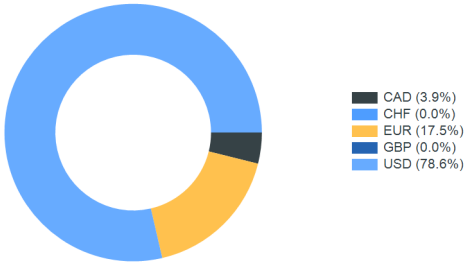

## Ratings allocation*




## Duration allocation*




## Currency allocation excluding hedging*




*Totals may not equal 100% due to rounding*

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## Important information

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