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# Wellington Asia Credit Income Fund

# WELLINGTON MANAGEMENT®

**USD N M4 Distributing** Unhedged

#### SUMMARY RISK INDICATOR



Capital at risk: please refer to the bottom of this page for details about the Summary Risk Indicator

# MORNINGSTAR<sup>™</sup> MEDALIST RATING:



Analyst-Driven %: 10 Data Coverage %: 77 Morningstar Medalist Date: 30 September 2024

#### **FUND DETAILS**

Fund Inception: March 2023
Share Class Inception: March 2023
Fund Assets: USD 29.3 million
NAV: USD 10.35
Currency Hedging Type: Unhedged

# **KEY INFORMATION**

Domicile: Luxembourg Regulatory Regime: UCITS Legal Structure: Corporate SICAV Dealing Frequency: Daily Distribution Frequency: Monthly Country Registration: Austria, Denmark, Finland, France, Germany, Ireland, Italy, Luxembourg, Netherlands, Norway, Singapore\*, Spain, Sweden, Switzerland, United Kingdom. ISIN: LU2585198091 \*Restricted scheme

#### FUND CHARACTERISTICS

Annualised Dividend Yield:	5.9%
Average Quality *:	BBB+
Effective Duration:	2.6 yrs
Yield to Worst:	5.6%
Option Adjusted Spread:	179 bps

Income may fluctuate and is not guaranteed. Yield is an annualised share-class yield based on the previous month's dividends paid by the Fund. The Fund intends to pay dividends from income and profits, but if these are insufficient, they may be paid from share capital. Dividends are calculated gross (before deduction of fees, expenses and taxes), and while this increases the dividend, it may erode capital. Hedged share class dividends may be impacted positively or negatively by the difference in interest rates between the share class currency and the Fund's base currency. "Quality ratings are based on the highest of Moody's, S&P, and Fitch. Ratings do not apply to the Fund itself. Ratings may chang

# FEES AND PRICING

Minimum Investment: USD 5,000 Management Fee: 0.45% p.a. Ongoing Charges Figure \*: 0.71%

\*The ongoing charges figure excludes Fund transaction costs, except in the case of the ongoing unages near excluses in an endown of the fund when buying or selling Shares in another collective investment undertaking. A detailed description of the charges that apply is set out in the section "Charges and Expenses" in the Prospectus. The ongoing charges figure may change over time. Charges applied will reduce the return potential of investments. | If an investor's own currency is different from the currency shown, costs could increase or decrease due to currency or exchange related fluctuations.

For more information, please visit www.wellingtonfunds.com

# SUMMARY OF INVESTMENT OBJECTIVE AND POLICY

The Wellington Asia Credit Income Fund seeks long-term total returns, with a secondary focus on regular income. The Fund is actively managed, primarily investing in Asian-domiciled, US dollar-denominated credit instruments. The Fund is not constructed relative to an index, but the J.P. Morgan Asia Credit Index Diversified serves as a reference benchmark for weighted average carbon intensity purposes in line with the Fund's Net Zero Commitment.

# **FUND PERFORMANCE (%)**

Past performance does not predict future returns.

## TOTAL RETURNS NET OF FEES AND EXPENSES

	YTD	1 MO	3 MOS	1 YR	3 YRS	5 YRS	10 YRS	SINCE INCEPTION
USD N M4 Dist	7.3	-0.9	2.8	13.4	-	-	-	7.2

#### DISCRETE ANNUAL PERFORMANCE

	NOV '23 -	NOV '22 -	NOV '21 -	NOV '20 -	NOV '19 -	NOV '18 -	NOV '17 -	NOV '16 -	NOV '15 -	NOV '14 -
	OCT '24	OCT '23	0CT '22	0CT '21	OCT '20	OCT '19	OCT '18	OCT '17	OCT '16	OCT '15
USD N M4 Dist	13.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

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## FUND MANAGEMENT



Ross Dilkes, CFA 21 years of experience

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### WHAT ARE THE RISKS?

BELOW INVESTMENT GRADE: Lower rated or unrated securities may have a significantly greater risk of default than investment grade securities, can be more volatile, less liquid, and involve higher transaction costs.

CAPITAL: Investment markets are subject to economic, regulatory, market sentiment and political risks. All investors should consider the risks that may impact their capital, before investing. The value of your investment may become worth more or less than at the time of the original investment. The Fund may experience a high volatility from time to time.

**CONCENTRATION:** Concentration of investments within securities, sectors or industries, or geographical regions may impact performance.

**CREDIT.** The value of a bond may decline, or the issuer/guarantor may fail to meet payment obligations. Typically lower-rated bonds carry a greater degree of credit risk than higher-rated bonds.

**CURRENCY:** The value of the Fund may be affected by changes in currency exchange rates. Unhedged currency risk may subject the Fund to significant volatility.

DERIVATIVES: Specific risks such as operational issues, complexity, and valuation may be linked to the possible use of derivatives.

**EMERGING MARKETS:** Emerging markets may be subject to custodial and political risks, and volatility. Investment in foreign currency entails exchange risks.

**HEDGING:** Any hedging strategy using derivatives may not achieve a perfect hedge.

**INTEREST RATES:** The value of bonds tends to decline as interest rates rise. The change in value is greater for longer term than shorter term bonds.

INVESTMENT IN CHINA: Changes in Chinese political, social or economic policies or securities law and regulations may significantly affect the value of the Fund. Chinese securities may be subject to trading suspensions which could impact the Funds investment strategy and affect performance. Chinese tax law is applied under policies that may change without notice and with retrospective effect.

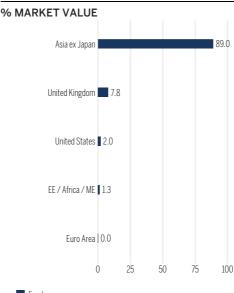
**LEVERAGE:** The use of leverage can provide more market exposure than the money paid or deposited when the transaction is entered into. Losses may therefore exceed the original amount invested.

MANAGER: Investment performance depends on the investment management team and their investment strategies. If the strategies do not perform as expected, if opportunities to implement them do not arise, or if the team does not implement its investment strategies successfully; then a fund may underperform or experience losses.

SUSTAINABILITY: A Sustainability Risk can be defined as an environmental, social or governance event or condition that, if it occurs, could cause an actual or potential material negative impact on the value of an investment.

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# **GEOGRAPHIC DISTRIBUTION**



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# QUALITY DISTRIBUTION

# % MARKET VALUE EX CASH AAA 1.2 AA 5.1 A 3.5 46.1 RBR BB 21.5 В 2.0 Below B 5.3 Not Rated 15.4 Ö 15 30 45

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39.5

22.4

## **TOP 10 CREDIT INDUSTRIES**



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