

# PIMCO European High Yield Bond Fund

## E CLASS ACCUMULATION AND INCOME SHARES

### Fund Description

The European High Yield Bond Fund seeks to maximize total return and limit risk with an emphasis on upper tier European high yield bonds. The Fund invests at least two-thirds of its assets in a diversified portfolio of European high yield bonds, including both high yield issuance in European currencies as well as by European domiciled issuers, with a maximum of 20% of its assets in securities rated lower than B.

### Potential Investor Benefits

The Fund offers compelling diversification benefits and the opportunity to gain exposure to different sectors of the economy.

### Potential Fund Advantage

The Fund employs PIMCO's fundamental investment process, including topdown economic views, bottom-up security selection and extensive global resources.

### Risk and Reward profile

**Credit and Default Risk:** A decline in the financial health of an issuer of a fixed income security can lead to an inability or unwillingness to repay a loan or meet a contractual obligation. This could cause the value of its bonds to fall or become worthless. Funds with high exposures to non-investment grade securities have a higher exposure to this risk. **Currency Risk:** Changes in exchange rates may cause the value of investments to decrease or increase. **Derivatives and Counterparty Risk:** The use of certain derivatives could result in the fund having a greater or more volatile exposure to the underlying assets and an increased exposure to counterparty risk. This may expose the fund to larger gains or losses associated with market movements or in relation to a trade counterparty being unable to meet its obligations. **Liquidity Risk:** Difficult market conditions could result in certain securities becoming hard to sell at a desired time and price. **Interest Rate Risk:** Changes in interest rates will usually result in the values of bond and other debt instruments moving in the opposite direction (e.g. a rise in interest rates likely leads to fall in bond prices).

### Key Facts

	Accumulation	Income
Bloomberg Ticker	PIMCERD	PIMERHI
ISIN	IE000F0JHVG1	IE000FFN5UP5
Sedol	BMV86R5	BPJLR52
CUSIP	G7S047736	G7S049237
Valoren	122974933	125589269
WKN	A3D1KC	A3D8SN
Inception Date	22/12/2022	17/04/2023
Distribution	-	Quarterly
Unified Management Fee	1.45% p.a.	1.45% p.a.
Fund Type	UCITS	
Portfolio Manager	Charles Watford, Bruce Nicholson, David Forgash	
Total Net Assets	352.5 (EUR in Millions)	
Fund Base Currency	EUR	
Share Class Currency	EUR	

### For Sustainable Finance Disclosure Regulation (SFDR) Categorization: Article 8/9

SFDR Categorization sets out how the fund is categorized for the purposes of Regulation (EU) 2019/2088 on Sustainability related Disclosures in the Financial Services Sector (SFDR) Article 8 & 9 Funds promote, among other characteristics, environmental or social characteristics. Further details are set out in the Prospectus and relevant Fund Supplement **Investors should note that, relative to the expectations of the Autorité des Marchés Financiers, this Fund presents disproportionate communication on the consideration of non financial criteria in its investment policy**

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**Performance (Net of Fees)**

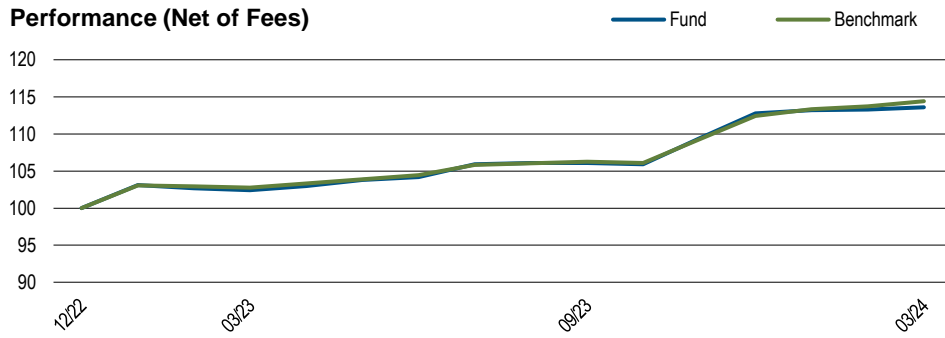


Chart shows performance from the first month-end, rebased to 100, for the oldest share class.  
Source: PIMCO

**Fund Statistics**

Effective Duration (yrs) <sup>¶</sup>	2.71
Benchmark Duration (yrs) <sup>¶</sup>	2.81
Effective Duration (yrs) <sup>‡‡</sup>	2.87
Current Yield (%) <sup>Ⓔ</sup>	4.57
Estimated Yield to Maturity (%) <sup>Ⓔ</sup>	5.81
Annualised Distribution Yield (%) <sup>†</sup>	4.49
Average Coupon (%)	4.42
Effective Maturity (yrs)	3.68

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**Performance (Net of Fees)**

	1 Mo.	3 Mos.	6 Mos.	1 Yr.	SI
E, Acc (%)	0.26	0.71	7.07	10.94	10.55
Benchmark (%)	0.62	1.76	7.69	11.32	—

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**Performance (Net of Fees)**

Mar'2023-Mar'2024

E, Acc (%)	10.94
Benchmark (%)	11.32

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**The following information is additional to, and should be read only in conjunction with, the calendar year performance data presented below**

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**Calendar Year (Net of Fees)**

	2023	YTD
E, Acc (%)	12.80	0.71
Benchmark (%)	12.44	1.76

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The benchmark is the ICE BofAML BB-B European Currency High Yield Constrained Index

All periods longer than one year are annualised. SI is the performance since inception.

**ABOUT THE BENCHMARK**

**The fund is considered to be actively managed in reference to the below benchmark as further outlined in the prospectus and key investor information document / key information document.**

ICE BofAML BB-B European Currency High Yield Constrained Index is designed to track the performance of euro and British pound sterling-denominated below investment grade corporate debt publicly issued in the eurobond, sterling domestic or euro domestic markets. To be eligible for Index inclusion bonds must be rated below investment grade but at least B3 based on an average of Moody's, S&P, and Fitch. Individual issuer exposure within the Index is capped at 3%.

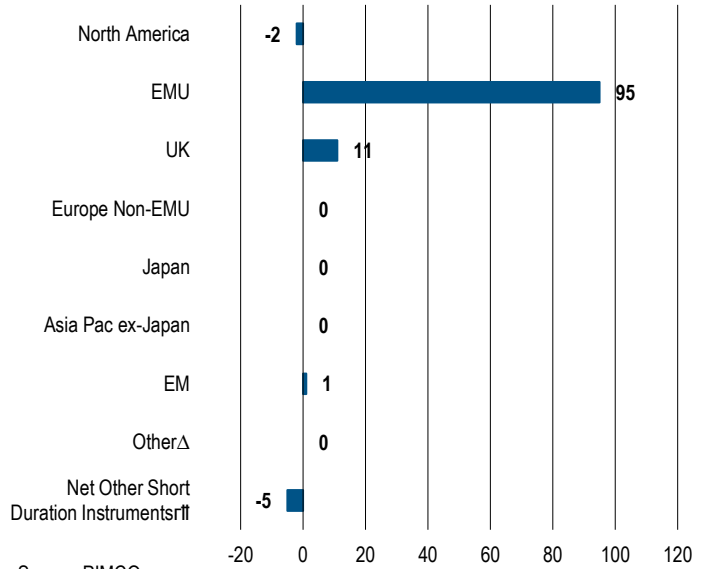
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**Top 10 Corporate Holdings\***

TEVA PHARM FNC NL II CO GTD SR UNSEC	1.5
TELECOM ITALIA SPA SR UNSEC	1.5
VIRGIN MEDIA SECURED FIN SR SEC REGS	1.4
FAURECIA SR UNSEC	1.1
CIRSA FINANCE INTER SMR	1.1
AT&T INC JRSUB PRFSTY	1.1
NEXI SPA SR UNSEC SMR	1.1
WINTERSHALL**CONSENT**	1.0
GATWICK AIRPORT FINANCE SEC	1.0
GRIFOLS SA SR UNSEC	1.0

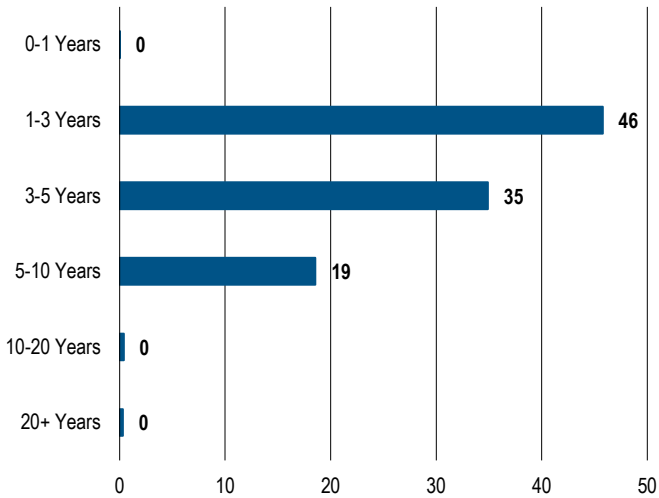
\*Top 10 corporate holdings as of 31/12/2023, excluding derivatives.  
Source: PIMCO

**Sector Allocation (%MV)**



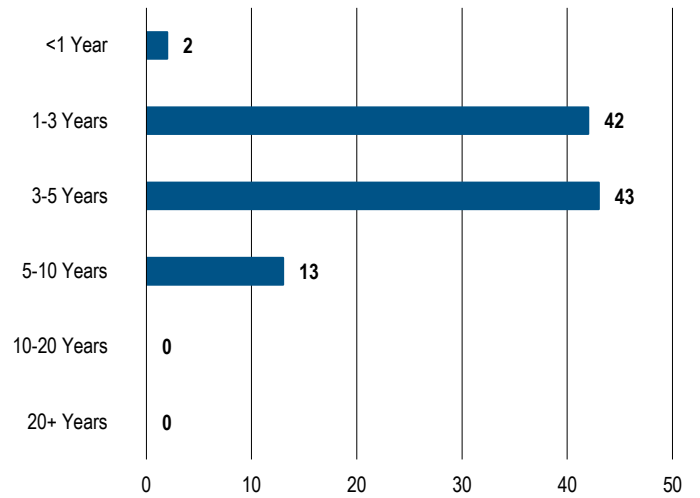
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**Maturity (%MV)**



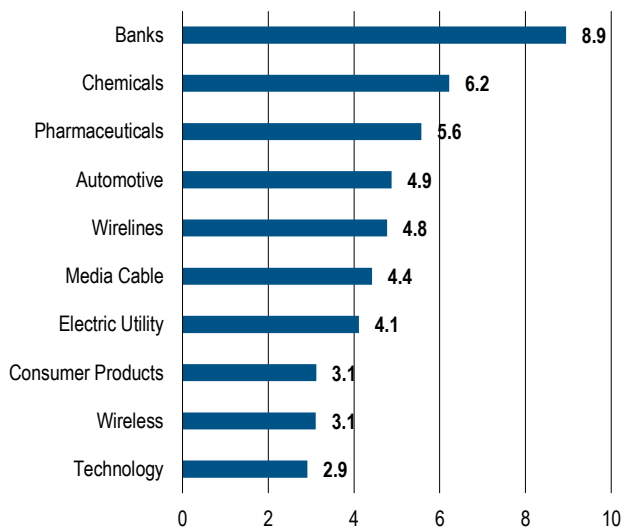
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**Duration (%DWE)**



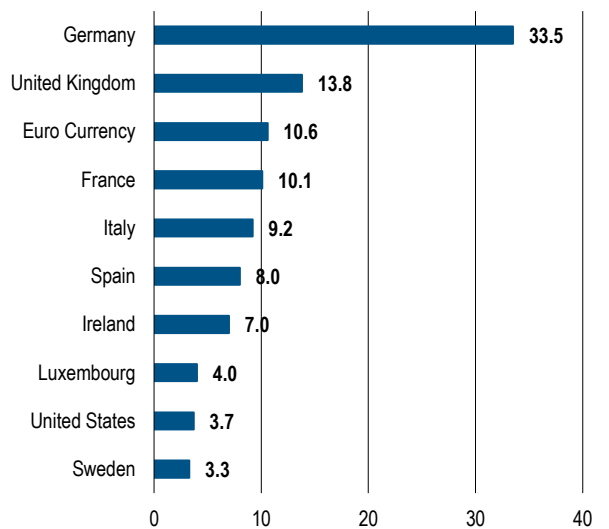
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**Top 10 Industries (%MV)**



Source: PIMCO

**Top 10 Country Exposure (%MV)**



Source: PIMCO

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