Short Duration Government Income Fund (Advisers)

Diversified exposure to high-quality U.S. government securities —with limited interest-rate risk.

Advisers
Share Class

EASDX
Symbol

$7.25 ▲$0.01
NAV as of Mar 27, 2024

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The Fund

This investment offering primarily provides broad exposure to a portfolio of securities issued, backed or otherwise guaranteed by the U.S. Government, or its agencies or instrumentalities. The Fund seeks to provide a core fixed income solution for investor portfolios. As a low duration strategy, the Fund offers limited interest-rate risk, as its dollar-weighted average duration will not exceed three years.

The Approach

The Fund's strategy draws upon Eaton Vance's decades of experience actively managing high-quality government bond portfolios. The investment team applies a time-tested process centered upon a combination of fundamental research and relative value trading. The Fund primarily invests in U.S. government agency mortgage-backed securities as well as U.S. government-issued Treasury bills and bonds.

The Features

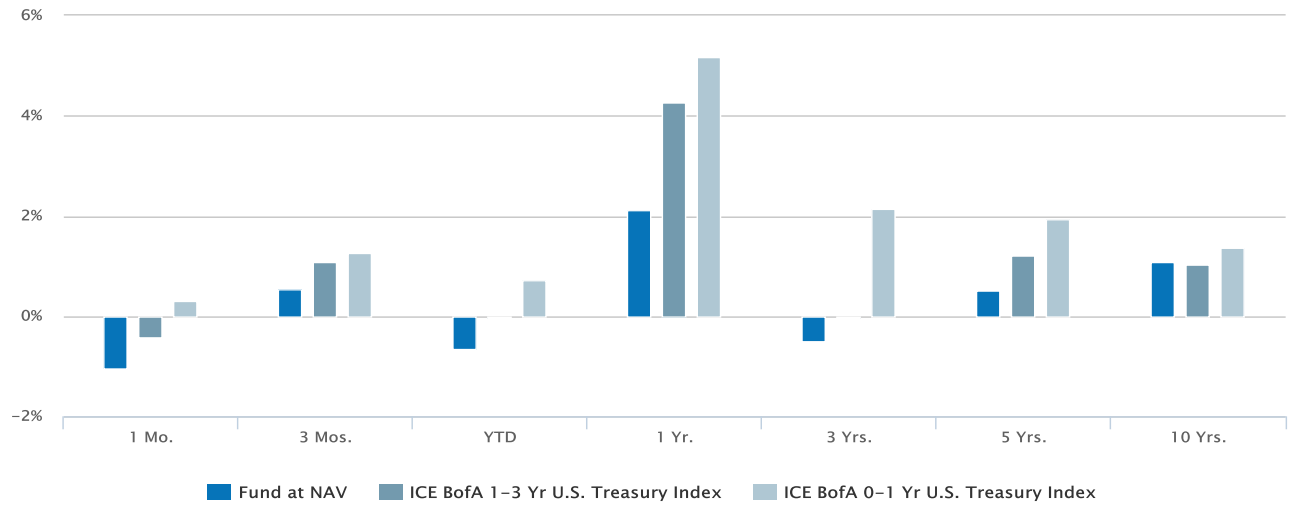
Designed for income investors wishing to mitigate portfolio risk through a high-quality allocation, the Fund may be complementary to many lower-quality segments of the fixed-income markets. The Fund may serve as a core holding for building diversified income portfolios. Managed by Eaton Vance, a government bond investing leader.

Overview

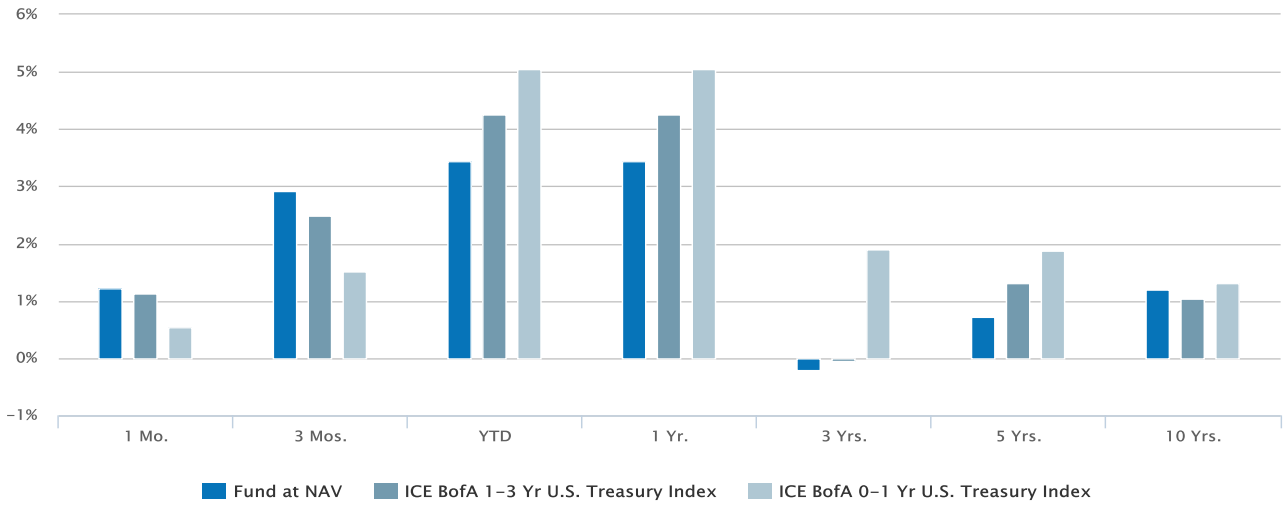
Historical Returns (%)

as of Dec 31, 2023

02/29/2024



12/31/2023



02/29/2024							
Fund at NAV	-1.03	0.54	-0.66	2.12	-0.50	0.50	1.07
ICE BofA 1-3 Yr U.S. Treasury Index [1]	-0.41	1.09	-0.03	4.27	-0.02	1.21	1.02
ICE BofA 0-1 Yr U.S. Treasury Index [2]	0.31	1.27	0.72	5.18	2.13	1.93	1.37
12/31/2023							
Fund at NAV	1.22	2.92	3.45	3.45	-0.20	0.73	1.20
ICE BofA 1-3 Yr U.S. Treasury Index [1]	1.12	2.49	4.26	4.26	-0.04	1.30	1.05
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Fund Facts

as of Feb 29, 2024

ADV Class Inception	05/17/2021
Investment Objective	Total return
Total Net Assets	$2.6B
Minimum Investment	$1000
Expense Ratio [3]	1.02%
Adjusted Expense Ratio	0.82%
CUSIP	27826A557

Adjusted Expense Ratios excludes certain investment expenses such as interest expense from borrowings and repurchase agreements and dividend expense from short sales, incurred directly by the Fund or indirectly through the Fund's investment in underlying Eaton Vance Funds, if applicable none of which are paid to Eaton Vance.

Portfolio Management

Andrew Szczurowski, CFA	Managed Fund since 2014
Alex Payne, CFA	Managed Fund since 2020

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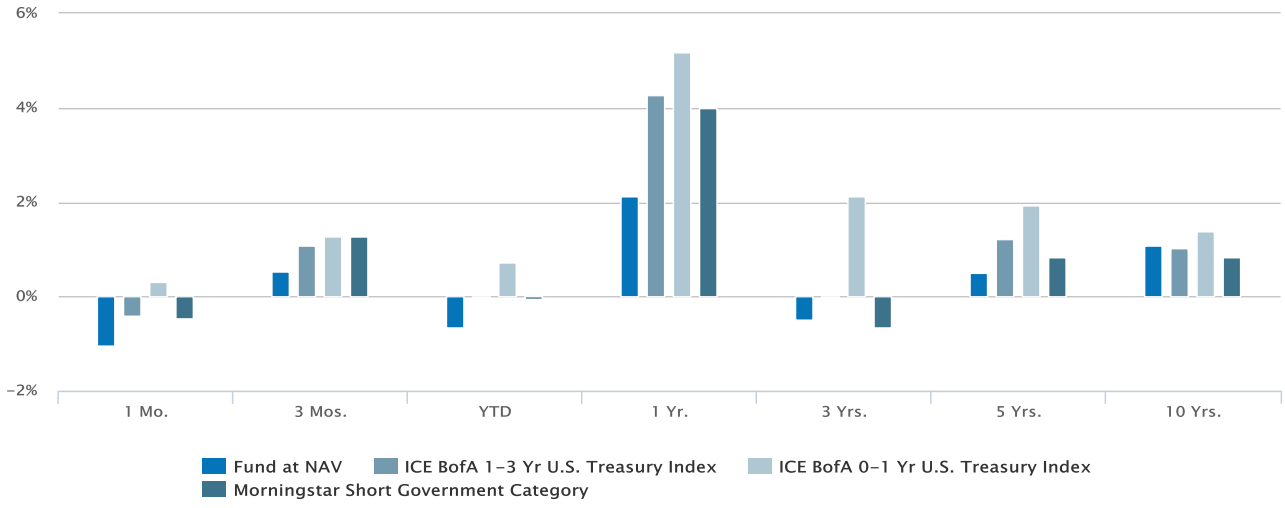
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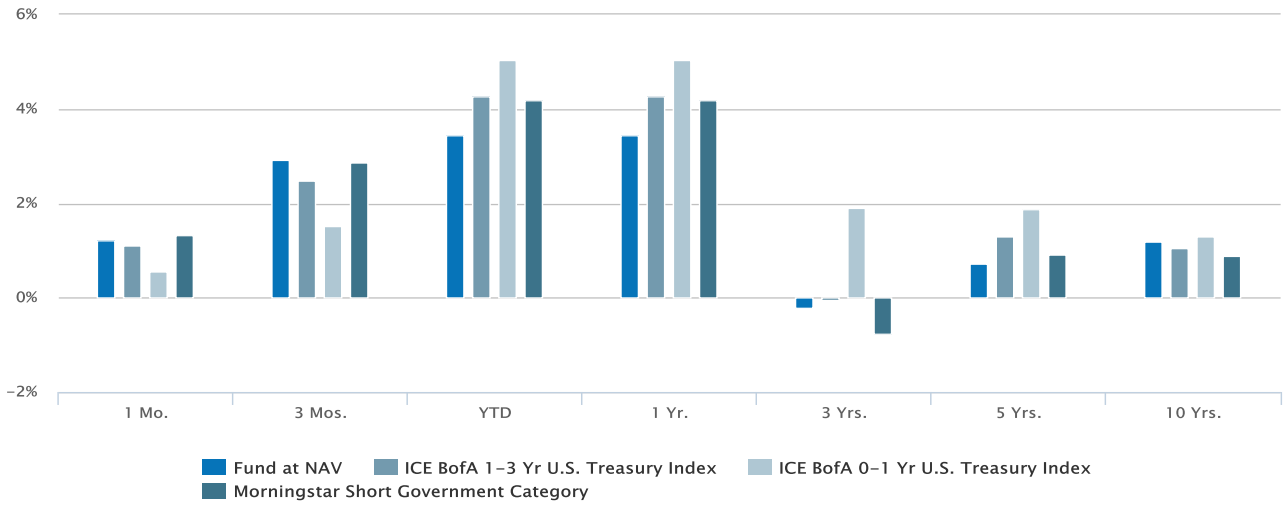
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Calendar Year Returns (%)

	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023
Fund at NAV	2.47	1.15	—	—	—	—	—	-0.64	-3.29	3.45
ICE BofA 1-3 Yr U.S. Treasury Index [1]	0.62	0.54	0.89	0.42	1.58	3.55	3.10	-0.55	-3.65	4.26
ICE BofA 0-1 Yr U.S. Treasury Index [2]	0.11	0.16	0.61	0.83	1.92	2.57	1.12	0.06	0.68	5.05

Fund Facts

ADV Class Inception	05/17/2021
Expense Ratio [3]	1.02%
Adjusted Expense Ratio	0.82%
Distribution Frequency	

Yield Information [5]

as of Feb 29, 2024

Distribution Rate at NAV	6.07%
SEC 30-day Yield [5]	6.00%

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Morningstar Rating™

as of Feb 29, 2024

Time Period	Rating	Funds in Short Government Category
Overall	★★★	88
3 Years	☆☆☆	88
5 Years	☆☆	83
10 Years	☆☆☆☆	75

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NAV History

Date	NAV	NAV Change
Mar 27, 2024	$7.25	$0.01
Mar 26, 2024	$7.24	$0.00
Mar 25, 2024	$7.24	$0.00
Mar 22, 2024	$7.24	$0.01
Mar 21, 2024	$7.23	$0.00
Mar 20, 2024	$7.23	$0.03
Mar 19, 2024	$7.20	$0.01
Mar 18, 2024	$7.19	-$0.01
Mar 15, 2024	$7.20	-$0.01
Mar 14, 2024	$7.21	-$0.04

Distribution History[6]

Ex-Date	Distribution	Reinvest NAV
Feb 29, 2024	$0.03465	$7.21

Ex-Date	Distribution	Reinvest NAV
Jan 31, 2024	$0.03704	$7.32
Dec 29, 2023	$0.05871	$7.33
Nov 30, 2023	$0.03551	$7.30
Oct 31, 2023	$0.03559	$7.17
Sep 29, 2023	$0.03296	$7.25
Aug 31, 2023	$0.03220	$7.37
Jul 31, 2023	$0.03220	$7.39
Jun 30, 2023	$0.03115	$7.39
May 31, 2023	$0.03181	$7.42

View All

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Capital Gain History[6]

Ex-Date	Short-Term	Long-Term	Reinvest NAV

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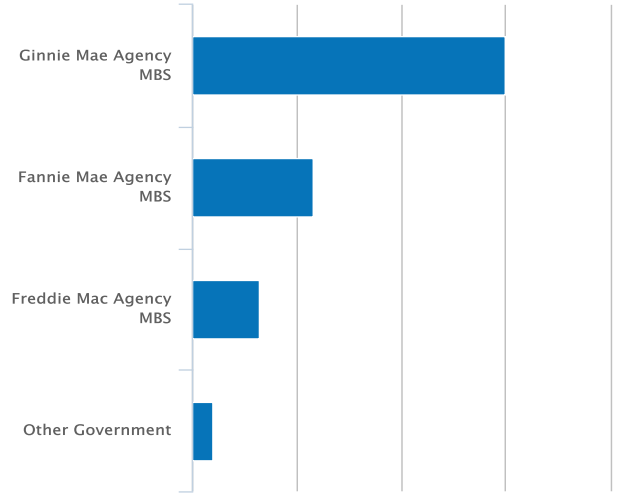
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6. A portion of the Fund's returns may be comprised of return of capital or short term capital gains. The Fund will determine the tax characteristics of all Fund distributions after the end of the calendar year and will provide shareholders such information at that time. Please consult your tax advisor for further information.

Portfolio

Asset Mix (%)[7]

as of Dec 31, 2023

12/31/2023



Ginnie Mae Agency MBS	60.00
Fannie Mae Agency MBS	23.04
Freddie Mac Agency MBS	12.96
Other Government	3.90
Total	**100.00**

Portfolio Statistics

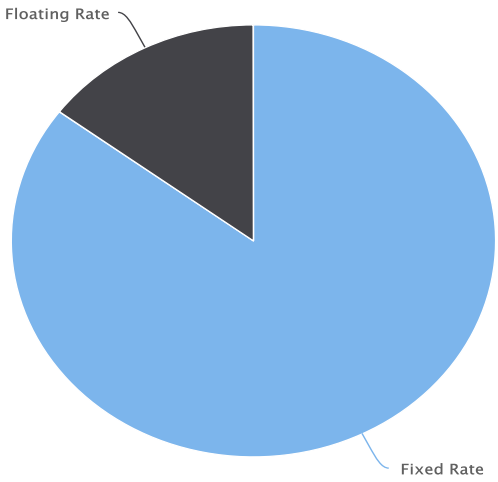
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Number of Holdings	716
Average Coupon	4.90%
Average Duration	2.50 yrs.
Weighted Average Price[8]	$94.22
Weighted Average Price (Floating Rate)[8]	$99.54
Weighted Average Price (Fixed Rate)[8]	$93.36

Coupon Mix (%)[7]

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Fixed Rate	85.21
Floating Rate	14.79

Credit Quality (%)[7]

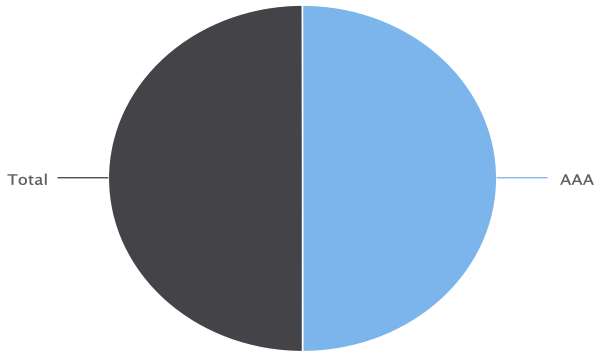
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AAA	100.00
Total	100.00

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7. Percent of bond holdings.
8. Reflects weighted average price of investments that receive both principal and interest payments.

Management



Andrew Szczurowski, CFA

Managing Director, Co-Head of Mortgage & Securitized
Joined Eaton Vance 2007

Biography

Andrew Szczurowski is Co-Head of the Mortgage and Securitized investment team and a portfolio manager on Mortgage and Securitized investment team. He joined Eaton Vance in 2007. Morgan Stanley acquired Eaton Vance in March 2021. Previously at Eaton Vance, he was a portfolio manager on Eaton Vance's Global Income team, responsible for buy and sell decisions, portfolio construction, and risk management for the firm's mortgage-backed strategies.

Andrew began his career in the investment industry in 2005. Before joining Eaton Vance, he was affiliated with BNY Mellon. Andrew earned a B.S., cum laude, from the Peter T. Paul College of Business and Economics at the University of New Hampshire. He holds the Chartered Financial Analyst designation and is a member of the CFA Society Boston.

Education

- B.S. University of New Hampshire

Experience

- Managed Fund since 2014

Other funds managed

- Government Opportunities Fund
- Strategic Income Fund (formerly Short Duration Strategic Income Fund)



Alex Payne, CFA

Managing Director, Portfolio Manager
Joined Eaton Vance 2015

Biography

Alexander Payne is a portfolio manager on the Mortgage and Securitized investment team He is responsible for buy and sell decisions, portfolio construction, and risk management. He joined Eaton Vance in 2015. Morgan Stanley acquired Eaton Vance in March 2021.

Alex began his career in the investment industry in 2007. Before joining Eaton Vance, he was a mortgage trader at Goldman Sachs. Alex earned a B.A. in government from Dartmouth College and holds the Chartered Financial Analyst designation.

Education

- B.A. Dartmouth College

Experience

- Managed Fund since 2020

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