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Vanguard ESG Global Corporate Bond UCITS ETF

USD Hedged Distributing - An exchange-traded fund

Inception date: 20 May 2021

Total assets (million) $1,557 | Share class assets (million) $31 as at 30 September 2026

Key ETF facts	Exchange ticker	SEDOL	Reuters	Bloomberg	Bloomberg iNav	Valoren
London Stock Exchange						
USD	V3GD	BMV7ZJ7	V3GD.L	V3GD LN	IV3GDUSD	–

Base currency	Tax reporting	SRI‡	Index ticker	Investment structure	Domicile
USD	Austria, Italy, Switzerland, UK	2	H35936US	UCITS	Ireland

Legal entity	Investment method	ISIN	Dividends	Dividend schedule	Investment manager
Vanguard Funds plc	Physical	IE00BNDS1X14	Distributed	Monthly	Vanguard Asset Management, Limited

Ongoing Charges Figure† 0.15%

† The Ongoing Charges Figure (OCF) covers administration, audit, depository, legal, registration and regulatory expenses incurred in respect of the Funds. When you invest with any fund manager, you pay a number of charges, starting with the Annual Management Charge (AMC) which covers the fund manager's costs of managing the fund. The AMC plus ongoing running costs and other operational expenses make up the fund's total 'ongoing charges figure'.

Objectives and investment policy

- The Fund employs a passive management – or indexing – investment approach, through physical acquisition of securities, and seeks to track the performance of the Bloomberg MSCI Global Corporate Float-Adjusted Liquid Bond Screened Index (the "Index").
- The Fund invests in a multi-currency portfolio of investment grade corporate fixed-rate bonds from both developed and emerging market issuers that consists of a representative sample of the component securities of the Index.
- The Index is constructed from the Bloomberg Global Aggregate Float-Adjusted Corporate Index (the "Parent Index") which represents a similar investment universe which is then screened for certain environmental, social, and governance (i.e. controversy-related) criteria which is independent of Vanguard. Criteria (the "screening criteria") by Bloomberg as the sponsor of the Index, which is independent of Vanguard.
- Through the screening out of bonds issued by corporate issuers from its portfolio based on the potentially detrimental impact of the relevant corporate issuer's conduct or products on society and / or the environment, the Fund promotes certain environmental characteristics and social characteristics relating to social norms and standards.
- The Index methodology excludes the bonds of corporate issuers that MSCI determines (a) to be engaged in activities in or involved in specific parts of the supply chain for, and/or (b) derive revenue (above a threshold specified by the Index provider) from, certain business segments of activities related to the following: (i) adult entertainment, (ii) alcohol, (iii) gambling, (iv) tobacco, (v) nuclear weapons, (vi) controversial weapons, (vii) conventional weapons, (viii) civilian firearms, (ix) nuclear power, or (x) fossil fuels (which includes thermal coal, oil, gas, oil sands, arctic oil or arctic gas). The index provider defines what constitutes "involvement" in each activity. This may be based on percentage of revenue or any connection to a restricted activity regardless of the amount of revenue received, and will relate to specific parts of the supply chain.
- Company product and conduct involvement is monitored on a yearly basis by the Index provider and as new data is made available to the Index provider.
- For the full investment strategy please review the prospectus.

‡ Summary Risk Indicator

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Performance summary

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Benchmark — Bloomberg MSCI Global Corporate Float-Adjusted Liquid Bond Screened Index in USD

Annualised performance**	1 month	Quarter	Year to date	1 year	3 years	5 years	10 years	Since inception
Fund (Net of expenses)	-1.98%	-3.10%	-1.88%	-1.14%	5.19%	0.39%	–	0.65%
Benchmark	-1.97%	-3.07%	-1.83%	-1.01%	5.31%	0.53%	–	0.79%

**Figures for periods less than one year are cumulative returns. All other figures represent annual returns. Performance figures include the reinvestment of all dividends and any capital gains distributions. The performance data does not take account of the commissions and costs incurred in the issue and redemption of shares. Basis of fund performance is NAV to NAV with gross income invested. Basis of index performance is total return.

Performance and Data is calculated on closing NAV as at 30 September 2026.

Past performance is not a reliable indicator of future results.

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Source: Vanguard

Rolling 12-month performance



						01 Oct 2021 - 30 Sep 2022	01 Oct 2022 - 30 Sep 2023	01 Oct 2023 - 30 Sep 2024	01 Oct 2024 - 30 Sep 2025	01 Oct 2025 - 30 Sep 2026
	–	–	–	–	–					
Fund (Net of expenses)	–	–	–	–	–	-16.28%	4.63%	12.79%	4.39%	-1.14%
Benchmark	–	–	–	–	–	-16.16%	4.85%	12.93%	4.47%	-1.01%

Key investment risks

The value of bonds and fixed income-related securities is affected by influential factors such as interest rates, inflation, credit spreads and volatility which, in turn, are driven by other factors including political, economic news, company earnings and significant corporate events. Currency hedging may not completely eliminate currency risk in the Fund, and may affect the performance of the Fund.

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.

Liquidity risk. Lower liquidity means there are insufficient buyers or sellers to allow the Fund to sell or buy investments readily.

Index tracking risk. The Fund is not expected to track the performance of the Index at all times with perfect accuracy. The Fund is, however, expected to provide investment results that, before expenses, generally correspond to the price and yield performance of the Index.

Index sampling risk. As the Fund uses an index sampling technique whereby a representative sample of securities are selected to represent the Index, there is the risk that the securities selected for the Fund may not, in the aggregate, approximate the full Index.

Credit risk. The issuer of a financial asset held within the Fund may not pay income or repay capital to the Fund when due.

Screening risk. A Fund may track an index which screens out possible investments if they do not meet certain screening criteria. This may affect the Fund's exposure to certain issuers and cause the Fund to forego certain investment opportunities. The relevant Fund may perform differently to other funds, including underperforming funds that do not seek to screen investments in this way.

Accuracy risk. There is no assurance that the Index provider will compile the Index accurately or that the Index will be determinded, composed or calculated correctly.

Unscheduled rebalancing risk. Apart from scheduled rebalances, the index provider may carry out additional ad hoc rebalances to the Benchmark Index in order for example, to correct an error in the selection of index constituents.

Inflation risk. The value of your investments may not be worth as much in the future due to changes in purchasing power resulting from inflation.

Please also read the risk factors section in the prospectus and the Key Information Document, both of which are available on the Vanguard website.

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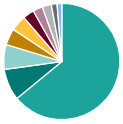
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Characteristics	Fund	Benchmark
Number of bonds	5,182	7,354
Yield to worst	5.28%	5.33%
Average coupon	4.1%	4.1%
Average maturity	8.0 years	8.0 years
Average quality	A-	A-
Average duration	5.3 years	5.3 years
Cash investment*	-0.8%	—
Turnover rate	16%	—

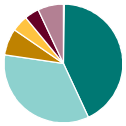
The PTR (Portfolio Turnover Rate) approach considers the total security purchases and sales, the total subscriptions and redemptions and the average net assets of the fund to calculate the turnover figure. Yield to Worst is based on the local currencies of the underlying holdings. As such, the actual yield received in the share class currency may differ from the yield to maturity stated. Data as at 30 September 2026.

Market allocation



United States	60.0%	Japan	2.9%
United Kingdom	8.2	Spain	2.6
France	6.5	Netherlands	2.3
Germany	4.3	Australia	1.5
Canada	4.1	Sweden	1.3

Distribution by credit maturity (% of fund)



Under 1 Year	0.3%	20 - 25 Years	4.0%
1 - 5 Years	42.8	Over 25 Years	7.0
5 - 10 Years	34.3		
10 - 15 Years	7.3		
15 - 20 Years	4.4		

Distribution by credit quality (% of fund)



AAA	0.7%	Not Rated	0.5%
AA	11.2		
A	48.3		
BBB	39.2		
Less than BBB	0.0		

Credit-quality ratings for each issue are obtained from Bloomberg using ratings derived from Moody's Investors Service, Fitch Ratings and Standard & Poor's. When ratings from all three agencies are available, the median rating is used. When ratings are available from two of the agencies, the lower rating is used. When one rating is available, that rating is used.

Distribution by issuer (% of fund)



Corporate - industrials	49.4%	Cash*	-0.8
Corporate - financial institutions	48.3		
Corporate - utilities	1.7		
Other	1.0		
Treasury/federal	0.2		

*The allocations are subject to circumstances such as timing differences between trade and settlement dates of underlying securities, that may result in negative weightings. The fund may also employ certain derivative instruments for cash management or risk management purposes that may also result in negative weightings. Allocations are subject to change. Cash includes physical cash on the account, cash like instruments (such as ultra-short term treasury bonds) and derivative instruments.

Source: Vanguard

Glossary for ETF attributes

The ETF attributes section on the first page contains a number of metrics that professional investors use to value individual securities against a market or index average. These metrics can also be used to value and compare funds to the market by taking the average of all the securities held in the fund and comparing them to those of the fund's benchmark index. We've provided a definition of the terms used for your convenience.

Average coupon is the average interest rate paid on the fixed income securities held by a fund. It is expressed as a percentage of face value.

Average maturity is the average length of time until fixed income securities held by a fund reach maturity and are repaid, taking into consideration the possibility that the issuer may call the bond before its maturity date. The figure reflects the proportion of fund assets represented by each security; it also reflects any futures contracts held. In general, the longer the average effective maturity, the more a fund's share price will fluctuate in response to changes in market interest rates.

Average quality is an indicator of credit risk. This figure is the average of the ratings assigned to a fund's fixed income holdings by credit-rating agencies. The agencies make their judgment after appraising an issuer's ability to meet its obligations. Quality is graded on a scale, with Aaa or AAA indicating the most creditworthy bond issuers.

Average duration is an estimate of how much the value of the bonds held by a fund will fluctuate in response to a change in interest rates. To see how the value could change, multiply the average duration by the change in rates. If interest rates rise by 1 percentage point, the value of the bonds in a fund with an average duration of five years would decline by about 5%. If rates decrease by a percentage point, the value would rise by 5%.

Yield to worst applies when the portfolio is invested into callable bonds. When it is not the case Yield to worst=Yield to maturity.

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Benchmark: Bloomberg MSCI Global Corporate Float-Adjusted Liquid Bond Screened Index in USD

Parent benchmark [1]: Global Aggregate Float Adjusted Corporate

Climate metrics

The metrics provided in this section are for informational purposes only and should not be considered in isolation, but rather alongside other information about the fund. The information may be useful to assist investors to evaluate the fund's climate risks and opportunities but is not an indication of whether or how the fund takes climate considerations into account. Unless otherwise stated in the fund's prospectus, the metrics are not considered as part of the fund's investment objective, principal investment strategies, or in Vanguard's internal investment decision processes. For more information regarding the fund's investment objective and strategy, please refer to the fund's prospectus.

Metric	Definition[2]	Purpose	Fund	Fund coverage[3]	Parent benchmark	Parent benchmark coverage
Fund scope 1 emissions (tCO2e)	Direct greenhouse gas (GHG) emissions associated with a fund's investments.	To understand the GHG emissions that occur from sources owned or controlled by the fund's portfolio companies (e.g., emissions from combustion in owned or controlled boilers, furnaces, vehicles etc.).	13,320	96%	—	—
Fund scope 2 emissions (tCO2e)	Indirect GHG emissions associated with the fund's investments.	To understand the GHG emissions from the generation of purchased or acquired electricity, steam, heating or cooling consumed by the fund's portfolio companies (e.g., emissions that physically occur at the facility where the electricity, steam, heating or cooling is generated).	6,144	96%	—	—
Total carbon footprint (tCO2e/$M invested)	Total carbon emissions for a portfolio normalized by the market value of the portfolio.	To understand how much carbon emissions the portfolio is responsible for per USD 1 million invested. This metric allows investors to compare portfolios of various sizes.	12.82	99%	60.48	95%
Weighted average carbon intensity (tCO2e/$M revenue).	Portfolio's exposure to carbon-intensive companies.	Reflects the carbon intensity of a portfolio across asset classes (e.g., carbon-intensive portfolios may be more susceptible to climate-related risks, like increased regulations leading to higher costs either via taxation or operational changes).	33.62	99%	199.70	96%

Source: Calculated using Vanguard holdings and MSCI Climate Change data as of 30 September 2026. MSCI is an independent data provider[4].

Benchmark exclusions data is currently not available for this fund.

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1 **Parent Benchmark** refers to the broad market index from which the fund's benchmark is derived, prior to the screening of any environmental, social, and governance criteria.

2 Metrics are aligned to the TCFD's 2021 implementation guidance and the methodology of the Partnership for Carbon Accounting Financials (PCAF). **Fund scope 1 emissions** are calculated by summing the product of the fund's percentage ownership of each investee company's enterprise value including cash (EVIC) by the investee company's Scope 1 emissions, expressed in metric tons of carbon dioxide equivalent (tCO2e). **Fund scope 2 emissions** are calculated by summing the product of the fund's percentage ownership of each investee company's EVIC by the investee company's Scope 2 emissions, expressed in tCO2e. **Total carbon footprint** is calculated by summing the product of each investee company's weight by the investee company's Scopes 1 & 2 emissions, and dividing the summation by the total market value of the portfolio, expressed in tCO2e per $1 million invested. **Weighted average carbon intensity (WACI)** is calculated by summing the product of each investee company's weight in the portfolio with that investee company's carbon intensity (derived by dividing the investee company's Scopes 1 & 2 emissions by its revenue), expressed in tCO2e per $1 million in revenue.

3 Coverage is defined as the percentage of eligible securities within our funds and benchmarks for which we have obtained carbon data. The development of carbon metrics is in early stages resulting in challenges in interpreting the data and using it as a basis for investment decision making. For example, the metrics are backward looking and do not recognise future plans to reduce emissions. Carbon metrics may also vary due to being normalized by financial metrics that are prone to market volatility, rather than due to changes to the emissions profile of companies.

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5 Refer to the fund's prospectus for more information on the applicable ESG screening methodology.

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Investment risk information

The value of investments, and the income from them, may fall or rise and investors may get back less than they invested.

Past performance is not a reliable indicator of future results.

Some funds invest in emerging markets which can be more volatile than more established markets. As a result, the value of your investment may rise or fall.

Funds investing in fixed interest securities carry the risk of default on repayment and erosion of the capital value of your investment and the level of income may fluctuate. Movements in interest rates are likely to affect the capital value of fixed interest securities. Corporate bonds may provide higher yields but as such may carry greater credit risk increasing the risk of default on repayment and erosion of the capital value of your investment. The level of income may fluctuate and movements in interest rates are likely to affect the capital value of bonds.

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The Funds may use derivatives in order to reduce risk or cost and/or generate extra income or growth. The use of derivatives could increase or reduce exposure to underlying assets and result in greater fluctuations of the Fund's net asset value. A derivative is a financial contract whose value is based on the value of a financial asset (such as a share, bond, or currency) or a market index.

Some funds invest in securities which are denominated in different currencies. Movements in currency exchange rates can affect the return of investments.

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