

31/03/2026 | MONTHLY REPORT | SHARE CLASS AM (HKD)

# Allianz US High Yield

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## Investment objective

The fund concentrates on high-yielding corporate bonds of companies that are domiciled in the U.S.A. Up to 20% of the fund's assets may be invested in securities that are denominated in currencies other than the US-dollar. The investment objective is long-term capital appreciation.

## Performance (basis HKD, net of fees)<sup>1</sup>



Period (annual)	% Fund	Period	% Fund
31/03/16 - 31/03/17	15.42	1 month	-1.61
31/03/17 - 31/03/18	1.92	3 months	-0.42
31/03/18 - 31/03/19	3.00	6 months	0.65
31/03/19 - 31/03/20	-9.52	1 year	7.01
31/03/20 - 31/03/21	16.92	3 years	22.75
31/03/21 - 31/03/22	-0.26	3 years p.a.	7.07
31/03/22 - 31/03/23	-4.40	5 years	17.04
31/03/23 - 31/03/24	9.12	5 years p.a.	3.20
31/03/24 - 31/03/25	5.13	10 years	50.03
31/03/25 - 31/03/26	7.01		

In %	YTD	2025	2024	2023	2022	2021	2020	2019	2018	2017	2016
Fund	-0.42	8.17	5.41	12.12	-11.57	4.40	0.09	12.52	-5.45	5.80	13.82

Past performance does not predict future returns.

## RATINGS AND ACCREDITATION<sup>2</sup>

Morningstar™ 

Rating

Category

USD High Yield Bond

## RISK INDICATOR<sup>3</sup>



## FUND INFORMATION

Key facts	Details
Asset class	Fixed Income
Benchmark	No Benchmark
Fund launch date	02/08/2010
Fund currency	USD
Fund size	385.68 M USD
Management company	Allianz Global Investors GmbH/Luxembourg
Investment manager	Voya Investment Management LLC
Custodian bank	State Street Bank International GmbH - Luxembourg Branch
Domicile	Luxembourg
Financial year end	31/12
Swing pricing <sup>4</sup>	Yes

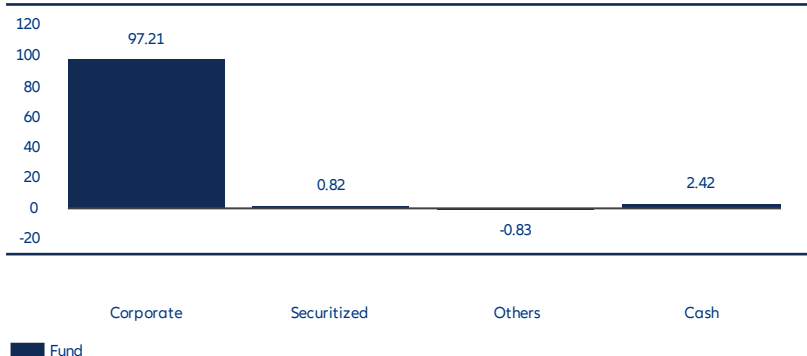
Share class data	Details
Share class launch date	16/08/2011
Share class currency	HKD
Share class size	488.33 M HKD
Use of income	Distributing
Dealing frequency	Daily

Fees and purchase details	Details
Front end load (%) <sup>5</sup>	3.00 (max 5.00)
All-in fee (%) p.a. <sup>5</sup>	1.19 (max 1.39)
TER (%) <sup>6</sup>	1.24

Other details	Details
ISIN	LU0648978533
WKN	A1JCX1
Distribution countries	AT, BH, CH, CZ, DE, DK, FI, FR, HK, IE, LU, MO, NL, NO, PL, SE, SG

<b>Fund data</b>	<b>Values</b>	<b>Key figures</b>	<b>3Y</b>	<b>5Y</b>
Average maturity (years)	6.16	Volatility (%) <sup>9</sup>	4.37	6.85
Average duration	3.70	Volatility benchmark (%)	-	6.85
Yield to maturity incl. cash & <sup>7</sup> deriv. (%)	6.95	Sharpe ratio <sup>10</sup>	0.84	0.11
Yield to worst incl. cash & deriv. <sup>8</sup> (%)	6.59	Max. drawdown (%)	-0.05	-14.79
Credit spread duration	3.07			
OAS (bps)	207.78			
Average rating	BB-			
Duration times spread	6.66			
Number of bonds	107			
HY exposure (%)	94.84			
IG exposure (%)	0.75			
Coupon (%)	7.05			

### Asset breakdown



### Top Regions<sup>11</sup>

<b>Top Regions</b>	<b>% Fund weight</b>
America	94.38
Non EMU	2.75
EMU	-0.16

### Country/location allocation<sup>11</sup>

<b>Country/location</b>	<b>% Fund weight</b>
USA	91.69
Canada	2.27
United Kingdom	1.61
Denmark	1.14
Germany	-0.16
Others	1.03
Cash	2.42

**Currency denomination allocation**<sup>11</sup>

Before hedging	% Fund weight
USD	98.29
SGD	1.01
AUD	0.45
HKD	0.17
GBP	0.03
<b>After hedging</b>	
USD	61.97
AUD	10.94
SGD	10.47
EUR	8.59
GBP	2.72

**Rating**<sup>11</sup>

Investment grade	% Fund weight	% BM weight	Relative to benchmark	% Active weight
BBB	0.76	-		0.76
<b>High Yield</b>				
BB	51.91	-		51.91
B	41.24	-		41.24
CCC	2.62	-		2.62
<b>Cash &amp; others</b>				
Others	1.05	-		1.05
Cash	2.42	-		2.42

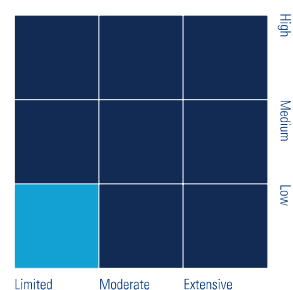
**Top issuers**<sup>14</sup>

Issuer name	% Fund weight
TransDigm Inc	2.08
Iron Mountain Inc	2.04
OneMain Finance Corp	2.00
Rocket Cos Inc	1.97
CCO Holdings LLC , CCO Holdings Capital Corp	1.96
FTAI Aviation Investors LLC	1.55
Panther Escrow Issuer LLC	1.50
Gen Digital Inc	1.50
Quikrete Holdings Inc	1.49
Vmed O2 UK Financing I Plc	1.49

**Sector allocation**<sup>11 12</sup>

BClass sector	% Fund weight
Corporate	96.06
Government-Related	1.00
Others	0.52
Cash	2.42

**Morningstar style box**<sup>13</sup>



### Subordination type allocation <sup>11</sup>

Subordination type	% Fund weight
Senior	55.51
Senior secured	22.84
Senior unsecured	19.26
Secured	0.78
Others	-0.83
Cash	2.43

### OPPORTUNITIES AND RISKS

#### Opportunities

- Particular yield potential of high-yielding corporate bonds
- Capital gains opportunities on declining market yields
- Currency gains against investor currency possible in unhedged unit classes
- Broad diversification across individual securities
- Possible extra returns through single security analysis and active management

#### Risks

- Bonds suffer price declines on rising interest rates
- High-yielding corporate bonds entail above-average risk of volatility, illiquid markets and capital loss. The fund unit price may be subject to sharply increased volatility.
- Currency losses against investor currency possible in unhedged unit classes
- Limited participation in the potential of individual securities
- No guarantee that single security analysis and active management will be successful

#### Footnotes

1) Calculated at the net asset value, excl. front-end load, distributions reinvested. Calculation according to method as defined by BVI, the German Fund Companies Association. Past performance is not a reliable indicator of future results. Any front-end loads reduce the capital employed and the performance. These figures refer to the past. If the currency of a financial product, financial service or its costs is different from your reference currency, the return and/or costs can increase or decrease as a result of currency fluctuations. Source for all data and chart (if not indicated otherwise): IDS GmbH.

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5) If the acquisition of Fund units is subject to a sales charge, up to 100% of such sales charge may be collected by the distributor; the exact amount shall be mentioned by the distributor as part of the investment advisory process. This also applies to any payment by the Management Company of an ongoing distribution fee from the all-in fee to the distributor. The all-in fee includes the expenses previously called management, administration and distribution fees

6) Total Expense Ratio (TER): Total cost (except transaction costs) charged to the fund during the last financial year. TER for funds-of-funds: The costs incurred by the fund itself (except transaction costs). Since the fund held other investment units ("target funds") in the reporting period, further costs, charges and fees may have been incurred at the level of the target fund.

7) Yield to maturity: The yield to maturity of a bond indicates what capital growth p.a. is theoretically possible up to maturity, if bought at the current price. In addition to coupon income, any price gains/losses up to repayment of the bond are taken into account. The yield to maturity of a fund is the weighted average of the yield to maturity of all the bonds that are held. It is assumed that the bonds are held until maturity and interest income is reinvested on the same conditions. The yield to maturity is a portfolio characteristic; in particular, it does not reflect the actual fund income. The expenses charged to the fund are not taken into account. As a result, the yield to maturity is not suitable as an indicator of the future performance of a bond fund.

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9) Volatility measures the fluctuation range of the fund's performance over a specified period of time

10) The Sharpe ratio states the relationship between the return generated by the fund and the investment risk. The fund's excess return versus the risk-free market rate is compared to volatility. Negative values are not meaningful.

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12) Source: Bloomberg

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