

Portfolio Managers

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Inception Date

January 1, 2004

Strategy Statistics

As of 12.31.2023

Benchmark	Bloomberg U.S. Agg. Index
Range of Holdings (Issuers)	40-50
Annualized Turnover	11.4%
Firm Assets	\$11.8B
Product Assets	\$355M

Source: Chartwell

Investment Philosophy

Chartwell's approach to investing is grounded in fundamental research. We believe we can provide excess returns by investing in credits we have thoroughly researched and understand. As bond investors, we think there are three risks when investing in credit: business risk, liquidity risk, and covenant risk. Our goal is to fully understand these risks and then apply relative value screens as well as a top-down macro-overlay to identify the best investment opportunities.

Strategy Overview

- The Core strategy's benchmark is the Bloomberg U.S. Aggregate Index.
- This strategy invests across a number of asset classes including, but not limited to: High-Grade Corporate Credit, Mortgage-Backed Securities (MBS), Asset Backed Securities (ABS), Commercial Mortgage Backed Securities (CMBS), Agencies, Treasuries, and Treasury Inflation Protected Securities (TIPS).
- Asset allocation is active and asset class exposures can vary over intermediate time periods.
- Duration will reside between 80%-120% of the U.S. Aggregate Index.

INVESTMENT PROCESS

Credit Research

On average, each of our analysts are actively following 30-40 credits. This pool of companies is where we draw corporate credit exposure from and how we believe we generate much of our alpha.

Where do we see value?

The team analyzes different asset classes to discern where relative value lies. Within these asset classes, the team reviews individual securities and compares them to similar securities to uncover the best relative value.

Where Are We in the Economic Cycle?

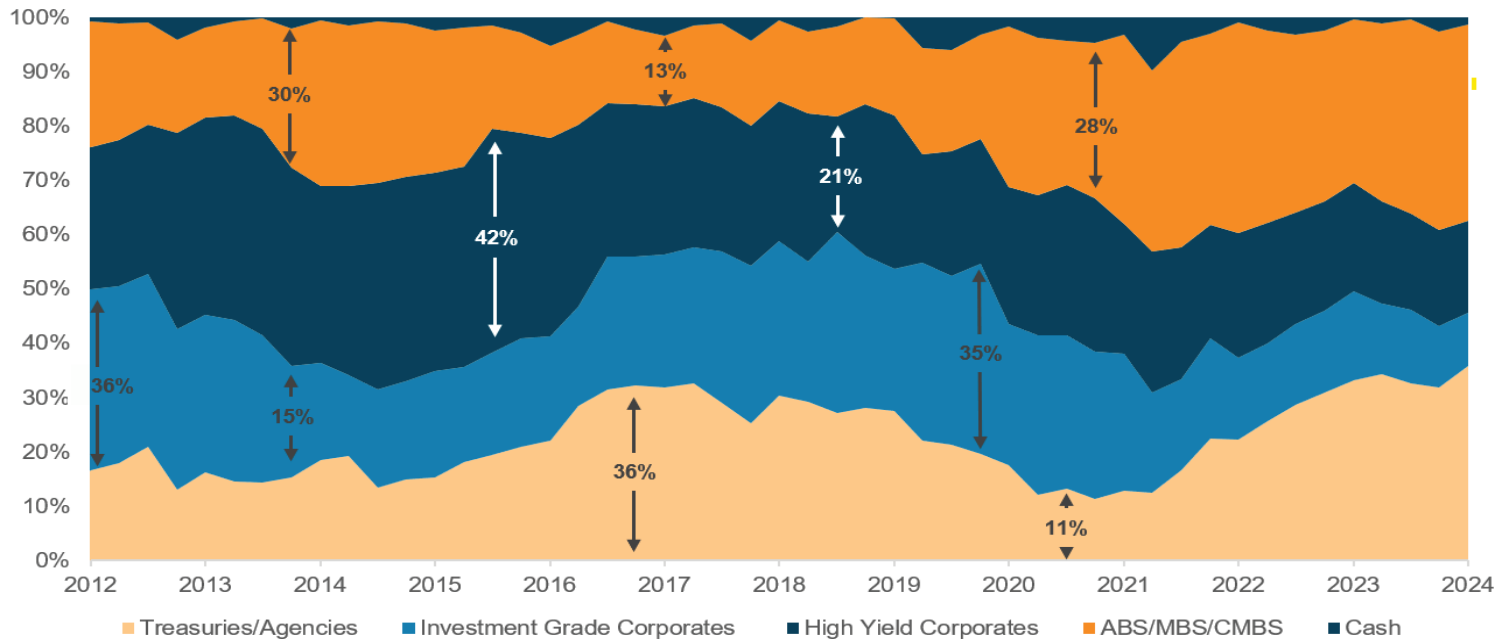
The purchase of a certain asset class or security must make sense within the context of our economic outlook. Understanding where we are in the economic cycle helps guide our asset allocation as well as the duration exposure for the portfolio.

Risk Analysis

A constant question we ask ourselves is, "Where are we wrong?" This applies to individual credits, but also to asset class exposure, duration, convexity, as well as certain quality metrics. Limiting downside exposure is a key factor in our decision-making process and is a large reason why we have maintained a beta below 1.0 while historically producing excess returns against the Index.

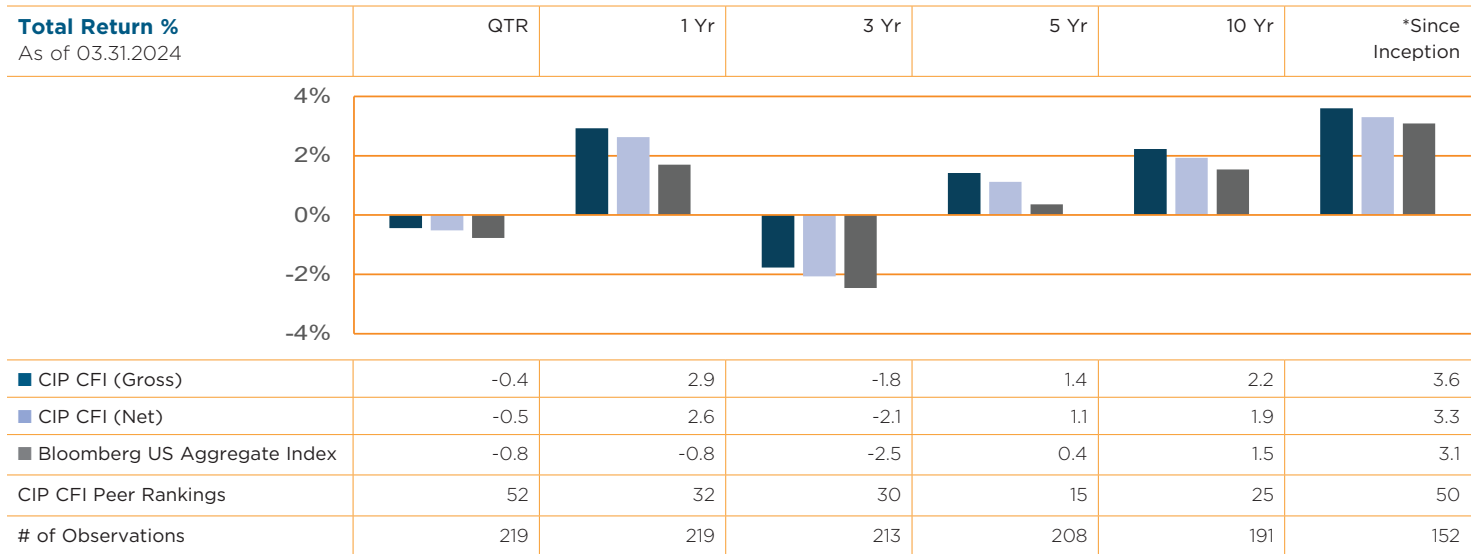
Historical Sector Breakdown

As of 03.31.2024



Source: Chartwell, Bloomberg

Performance



*The Chartwell Core Fixed Income Strategy inception on January 1, 2004. Returns 1 year + annualized. Past performance is not a guarantee of future results. The calculation of the performance data includes reinvestment of all income and gains and is depicted on a time-weighted and size-weighted average for the entire period. Calculations include reinvestment of all income and gains. Performance is shown before (gross) and after (net) the deduction of both management fees and transaction costs. The net returns reflect the application of the highest institutional account management fee of 0.30% annum.
 *Universe: eVestment US Core Fixed Income
 Source: Chartwell, eVestment Alliance Ranking within eVestment US Core Fixed Income universe based on monthly returns gross of fees. Ranking data calculated on 04.23.2024 (as of 03.31.2024) and is subject to change as additional firms within the category submit data. Chartwell pays an annual fee to eVestment to access their platform and to use their data, including peer group rankings, in marketing materials. Chartwell does not pay for the ranking. Bloomberg Fixed Income Indices (the "Indices") are trademarks or service marks of Bloomberg Finance L.P. Bloomberg Finance L.P. and its affiliates, including Bloomberg Index Services Limited, the administrator of the Indices (collectively, "Bloomberg") or Bloomberg's licensors own all proprietary rights in the Indices. Bloomberg does not guarantee the timeliness, accuracy or completeness of any data or information relating to the Indices.

Holdings-Based Statistics

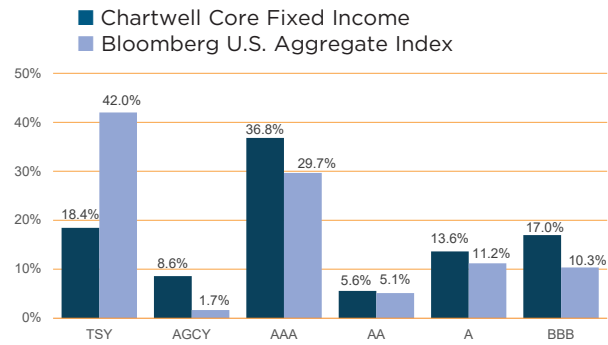
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	Chartwell CFI	Bloomberg Agg
Average Coupon	3.25%	3.17%
Current Yield	4.13%	3.51%
Yield to Worst	5.18%	4.85%
Average Maturity	8.3 yrs.	8.38 yrs.
Effective Duration	5.88 yrs.	6.14 yrs.
Average Quality	Aa3	Aa2

Source: Chartwell

Quality Comparison

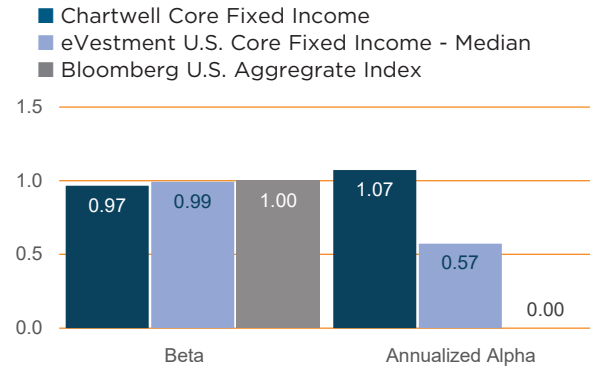
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Source: Chartwell
 Chart shows percentage owned in quality of bond investments.

Beta and Annualized Alpha

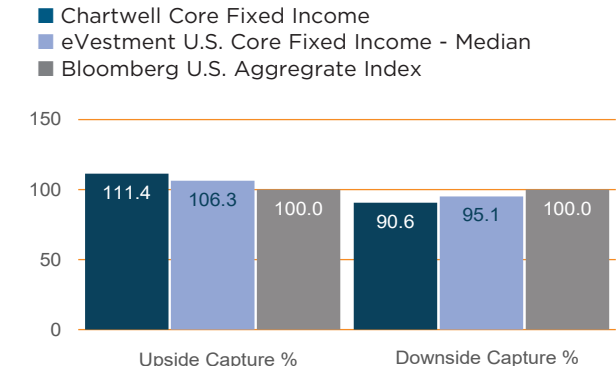
5 Years as of 03.31.2024



Source: eVestment

Upmarket / Downmarket Performance

5 Years as of 03.31.2024



Source: eVestment

Calendar Year Total Return %

As of 12.31.2023	2023	2022	2021	2020	2019	2018	2017	2016	2015	2014
Gross Return	6.4	-12.5	0.0	8.8	10.0	0.3	3.6	3.5	0.5	6.1
Net Return	6.1	-12.8	-0.3	8.5	9.7	0.0	3.3	3.2	0.2	5.8
Bloomberg Agg. Index	5.5	-13.0	-1.5	7.5	8.7	0.0	3.5	2.7	0.6	6.0

Source: Chartwell

Outperformed Bloomberg U.S. Aggregate Index

3 Year Rolling 04.01.2019 - 03.31.2024	
Gross	Net
48 out of 49 times	40 out of 49 times

5 Year Rolling 04.01.2021 - 03.31.2024	
Gross	Net
40 out of 41 times	37 out of 41 times

Source: eVestment Alliance through annual subscription Chartwell compensates eVestment Alliance in connection with obtaining or using the third-party rating. ¹Universe: eVestment US Core Fixed Income. Peer ranking is calculated using 49 peer observations for 3-year rolling and 41 peer observations for 5-year rolling performance.

Period	Comp. AUM (\$M)	% of Total AUM	# of Accounts	Gross Return	Net Return	Bloom. US Agg.	Comp. 3 Yr. Std. Dev. (%)	Benchmark 3 Yr. Std. Dev. (%)	Comp. Dispersion	Total Firm AUM (\$M)
YTD 2024	\$351M	3.0	9	-0.44	-0.51	-0.78	7.13	7.24	N/A	\$11,816M
2023	\$353M	3.1	9	6.38	6.08	5.53	7.09	7.24	0.230	\$11,359M
2022	\$334M	3.2	10	-12.54	-12.84	-13.01	6.00	5.85	0.420	\$10,473
2021	\$347M	2.9	10	-0.02	-0.32	-1.54	3.38	3.40	0.190	\$11,844M
2020	\$350M	3.4	12	8.82	8.52	7.51	3.41	3.40	0.240	\$10,263M
2019	\$323M	3.3	12	9.95	9.65	8.72	2.57	2.91	0.120	\$9,701M
2018	\$284M	3.1	12	0.29	-0.01	0.01	2.61	2.88	0.050	\$9,189M
2017	\$189M	2.3	5	3.52	3.22	3.54	2.73	2.81	0.142	\$8,292M
2016	\$184M	2.3	4	3.50	3.20	2.65	2.99	3.02	0.088	\$8,052M
2015	\$159M	2.0	4	0.48	0.18	0.55	2.98	2.92	0.029	\$7,999M
2014	\$153M	2.0	4	6.11	5.81	5.97	2.82	2.67	0.072	\$7,737M

Bloomberg US Aggregate Bond Index or the Agg, is a broad base, market capitalization-weighted bond market index representing intermediate term investment grade bonds traded in the United States. Investors frequently use the index as a stand-in for measuring the performance of the US bond market.

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