

Class M **MPBFX** Investor Shares **MIBDX**

Goal/Approach

The fund seeks total return (consisting of capital appreciation and current income). To pursue its goal, the fund invests at least 80% of its net assets, plus any borrowings for investment purposes, in bonds, such as government securities, corporate bonds, mortgage-related securities and municipal securities. The investment adviser actively manages the fund's bond market and maturity exposure and credit profile. The fund's investments in bonds must be of investment grade (i.e., Baa/BBB or higher) quality at the time of purchase or, if unrated, deemed of comparable quality by the investment adviser. Generally, the fund's average effective portfolio duration will not exceed eight years.

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Class M 05569M830
Investor Shares 05569M822

Assets for the Fund

\$1,156,447,731

Holdings²

168

Dividend Frequency

Monthly

Avg. Effective Maturity^{2,3}

9.04 Years

Avg. Effective Duration^{2,4}

6.10 Years

SEC 30-Day Yield (as of 9/30/23)

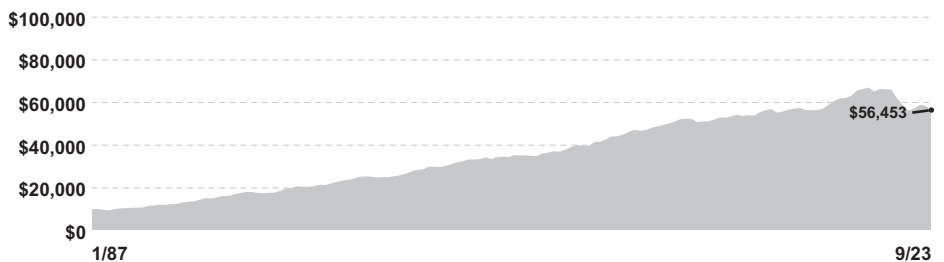
Class M 4.37%
Investor Shares 4.11%

Morningstar Category

Intermediate Core Bond

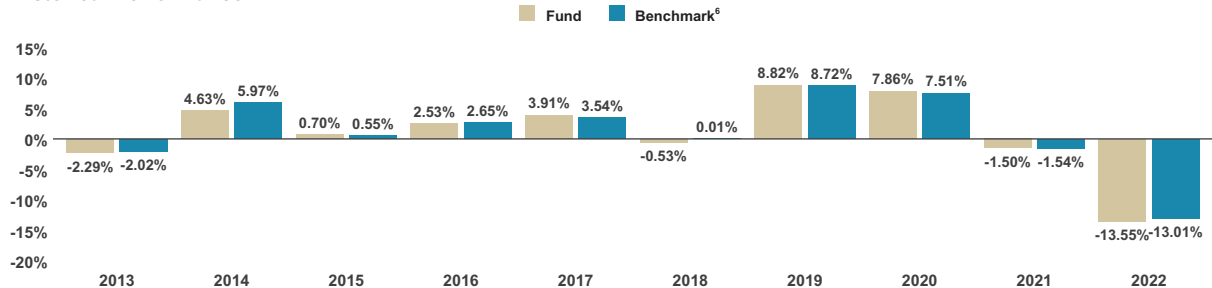
Growth of a \$10,000 Investment¹

A hypothetical \$10,000 investment in the fund's Class M shares on 1/1/87 would have been worth \$56,453 on 9/30/23.



Assumes reinvestment of dividends and capital gains.

Historical Performance



Average Annual Total Returns (9/30/23)

Share Class/Inception Date	3 M	YTD	1 Yr	3 Yr	5 Yr	10 Yr
Class M (NAV) 01/01/87 ⁵	-3.36%	-1.10%	0.63%	-5.22%	-0.01%	1.00%
Investor Shares (NAV) 07/11/01	-3.35%	-1.25%	0.48%	-5.44%	-0.23%	0.76%
Bloomberg U.S. Aggregate Bond Index ⁶	-3.23%	-1.21%	0.64%	-5.21%	0.10%	1.13%

The performance data quoted represents past performance, which is no guarantee of future results. Share price and investment return fluctuate, and an investor's shares may be worth more or less than original cost upon redemption. Current performance may be lower or higher than the performance quoted. Data assumes the reinvestment of dividends and capital gains, if any. Performance for periods of less than 1 year is not annualized. Go to im.bnymellon.com for the fund's most recent month-end returns. Total and Net Expense Ratios: Class M 0.55%, Investor Shares 0.80%. The Net Expenses is the actual fund expense ratio applicable to investors. Not all classes of shares may be available to all investors or through all broker-dealer platforms.

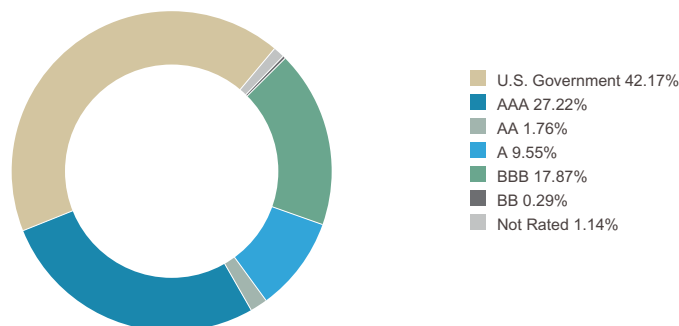
¹Before the fund commenced operations on 10/2/00 (fund inception date), substantially all of the assets of a predecessor common trust fund (CTF) that, in all material respects, had the same investment objective, policies, guidelines and restrictions as the fund were transferred to the fund. The performance figures presented represent the performance of the predecessor CTF from its inception date (1/1/87) through 10/1/00, adjusted to reflect the fund's fees and expenses, by subtracting from the actual performance of the CTF the expenses of the fund's class M shares (net of any fee waivers and expense reimbursements), and the performance of the fund's Class M shares thereafter. The predecessor CTF was not registered under the Investment Company Act of 1940 and therefore was not subject to certain investment restrictions that might have adversely affected performance. ²Portfolio composition is as of 9/30/2023 and is subject to change at any time. ³Average Effective Maturity is the weighted average of the effective maturity dates of the fixed-income securities in the fund's holdings. ⁴Average Effective Duration is used to measure the market price sensitivity of the fund's portfolio holdings to changes in interest-rates. ⁵Represents the CTF Inception ⁶Source: FactSet. The Bloomberg U.S. Aggregate Bond Index is a broad-based flagship benchmark that measures the investment-grade, U.S. dollar-denominated, fixed-rate taxable bond market. The index includes Treasuries, government-related and corporate securities, MBS (agency fixed-rate and hybrid ARM pass-throughs), ABS and CMBS (agency and nonagency). Bloomberg® and the Bloomberg U.S. Aggregate Bond Index are service marks of Bloomberg Finance L.P. and its affiliates, including Bloomberg Index Services Limited ("BISL"), the administrator of the index (collectively, "Bloomberg") and have been licensed for use for certain purposes by BNY Mellon. Bloomberg is not affiliated with BNY Mellon, and Bloomberg does not approve, endorse, review, or recommend BNY Mellon Bond Fund. Bloomberg does not guarantee the timeliness, accurateness, or completeness of any data or information relating to BNY Mellon Bond Fund. Investors cannot invest directly in any index.

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BNY Mellon Bond Fund

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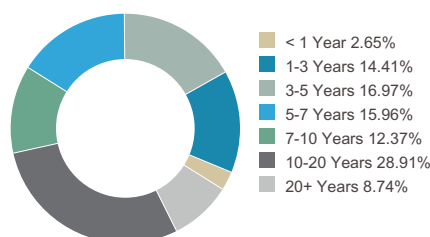
Credit Quality Breakdown^{1,2,3}



Industry Allocation¹

Sovereign	41.98%
U.S. Government Agencies/Mortgage-Backed	24.68%
Finance	11.79%
Telecommunication Services	3.66%
Technology	2.51%
Energy	2.41%
Gnma2 Other	2.20%
Us Treasury&repo	1.47%
Industrial	1.28%
Media	1.04%

Allocation by Maturity¹



Portfolio Management

The fund's investment adviser is BNYM Investment Adviser. John F. Flahive, CFA is the fund's primary portfolio manager, a position he has held since August 2005. Mr. Flahive is a senior vice president of BNY Mellon Wealth Management. Mr. Flahive also is an employee of BNYM Investment Adviser and manages the fund in his capacity as an employee of BNYM Investment Adviser.

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