

First State Asian Bond Fund Class I USD

a subfund of First State Global Umbrella Fund plc (the Company) - Fund Factsheet

30 April 2019

Investment objective and policy

The Fund aims to grow your investment.

The Fund invests at least 70% of its assets in fixed income securities (investments which provide a certain level of income or interest) issued mainly by governments, government like organisations and other issuers in Asia or whose primary business is in Asia. The Fund may also invest less than 30% of its assets in fixed income securities issued by the United States government. The Fund may invest more than 30% of its assets in debt securities in any one or more emerging markets in Asia, or any sector. However, the Fund may only invest less than 30% of its assets in offshore debt securities denominated in Chinese renminbi.

The Fund may invest up to 100% of its assets in investment grade (seen as being higher quality) fixed income securities. The Fund may also invest in fixed income securities with low or no credit rating. The Fund may invest up to 100% in Emerging Markets in Asia and in any industry. The investments in the Fund will be mainly denominated in US Dollars and other major currencies. The Fund may use derivatives with the aim of risk reduction or efficient management.

Fund Information

Fund Launch Date	03 September 2003
Share Class Launch Date	21 November 2003
Fund Size (US\$m)	37.0
Benchmark	JP Morgan Asia Credit Index
Number of holdings	106
Fund Manager(s)	Nigel Foo/Nicole Hsieh
Minimum Investment	US\$1,500/US\$1,000 subsequent
Initial charge	0%<
Ongoing Charges †	1.22%
Share Type	Distributing
Sedol	0837015
ISIN	IE0008370151

Annual Performance (% in USD) to 30 April 2019

	12 mths				
	to	to	to	to	to
Period	30/04/19	30/04/18	30/04/17	30/04/16	30/04/15
Fund return	6.6	0.1	2.9	2.4	6.1
Benchmark return	6.6	0.5	4.5	4.3	7.7

Cumulative Performance (% in USD) to 30 April 2019

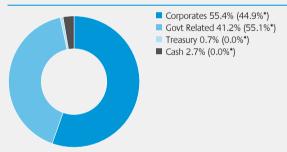
Period	3 mths	6 mths	1 yr	3 yrs	5 yrs	10 yrs	Since Inception
Fund return	4.3	8.4	6.6	9.8	19.3	80.0	66.2
Benchmark return	3.2	7.1	6.6	12.0	25.8	97.6	152.1

These figures refer to the past. Past performance is not a reliable indicator of future results. For investors based in countries with currencies other than USD, the return may increase or decrease as a result of currency fluctuations.

Characteristics

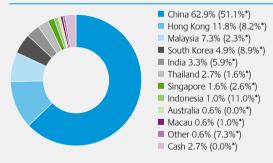
Yield to Maturity/(Benchmark)	4.6/(4.5)
Effective Duration/(Benchmark)	5.7/(4.5)
Average Life/(Benchmark)	6.7/(6.2)
Average Credit Rating/(Benchmark)	BBB/(BBB+)

Sector Breakdown



*Index Weight

Country Breakdown



*Index Weight

All performance data for the First State Asian Bond Fund Class I (Distributing) USD as at 30 April 2019. Source for fund - Lipper IM / First State Investments (UK) Limited. Performance data is calculated on a net basis by deducting fees incurred at fund level (e.g. the management and administration fee) and other costs charged to the fund (e.g. transaction and custody costs), save that it does not take account of initial charges or switching fees (if any). Income reinvested is included on a net of tax basis. Source for benchmark - JP Morgan, income reinvested gross of tax. Since inception performance figures have been calculated from 21 November 2003.

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Risk and Reward Profile



The synthetic risk reward indicator (the SRRI) rating is not a measure of the risk of you losing your investment but describes how much the value of the Fund went up and down in the past.

The SRRI rating is based on historical data which may not be a reliable indication of the future risks and rewards of the Fund. We cannot guarantee that the rating of the Fund will remain the same: it may change over time.

Even the lowest rating 1 does not mean a risk free investment.

On a scale of 1 (less risky) to 7 (more risky), this Fund has a rating of 3 due to its past performance and the nature of its investments. Shares with a rating of 3 might have a higher risk, but also higher returns. Risk is taken in order to make a higher potential return; the more risk a fund takes, the higher the potential return but the greater the risk of loss.

The value of investments and any income from them may go down as well as up and is not guaranteed. Investors may get back significantly less than the original amount invested.

The Fund may also experience the following risks:

Emerging market risk: emerging markets may not provide the same level of investor protection as a developed market; they may involve a higher risk than investing in developed markets.

Single country / specific region risk: investing in a single country or specific region may be riskier than investing in a number of different countries or regions. Investing in a larger number of countries or region helps spread risk.

Interest rate risk: interest rates affect the Fund's investments. If rates go up, the value of investments fall and vice versa.

Credit risk: the issuers of bonds or similar investments that the Fund buys may not pay income or repay capital to the Fund when due.

Below investment grade risk: Below investment grade debt securities are speculative and involve a greater risk of default and price changes than investment grade debt securities due to changes in the issuer's creditworthiness. In periods of general economic difficulty, the market prices may fluctuate and decline significantly.

For further information on risks, please refer to the Risk Factors section in the Company prospectus.

Investment should be made on the basis of the Prospectus and Key Investor Information Document. If you are in any doubt as to the suitability of any of our funds for your investment needs, please seek independent financial advice.

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An initial charge of up to 5% may be levied in certain circumstances, including on regular savings plans and may be remitted as commission to an intermediary.

† The ongoing charge figure (OCF) is calculated on the same basis as for the Key Investor Information Document and represents the charges you will pay over a year for as long as you hold your investment and may vary from year to year. The OCF is made up of the annual management charge and additional expenses, but excludes portfolio transaction costs. For further information about charges and costs please visit http://www.firststateinvestments.com/uk/private/Charges/.

A Yield to Maturity indicates the weighted average of the estimated total return derived from holding the portfolio's investments to maturity. Effective Duration indicates the weighted average of the portfolio's sensitivity (in years) to a 1% change in interest rates. Average Life indicates the weighted average time to receipt of principal. Average Credit Rating indicates the weighted average of the credit rating for each underlying bond in the portfolio.

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