Hartford Schroders Emerging Markets Multi-Sector Bond Fund



Seeks to provide a return of long-term capital growth and income.

Tickers A: SMSVX C: HFZCX F: HFZFX I: SMSNX R3: HFZRX R4: HFZSX R5: HFZTX SDR: SMSRX Y: HFZYX

Inception Date 06/25/2013

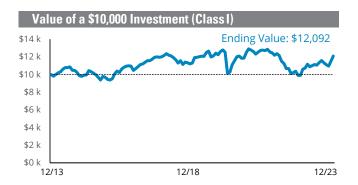
Morningstar® Category Emerging Markets Bond

Lipper Peer Group Emerging Markets Hard Currency Debt

| Performance (%) | | | | | | | |
|--|------|-------|------------------------------|--------|--------|---------|------|
| | | | Average Annual Total Returns | | | | |
| Class | QTD | YTD | 1 Year | 3 Year | 5 Year | 10 Year | SI |
| A | 8.73 | 12.28 | 12.28 | -2.46 | 1.09 | 1.67 | 1.76 |
| A with 4.5% Max Sales Charge | _ | _ | 7.29 | -3.95 | 0.16 | 1.20 | 1.32 |
| F | 8.86 | 12.88 | 12.88 | -2.03 | 1.46 | 1.97 | 2.06 |
| 1 | 8.81 | 12.59 | 12.59 | -2.18 | 1.38 | 1.92 | 2.02 |
| Υ | 8.67 | 12.48 | 12.48 | -2.17 | 1.43 | 1.95 | 2.04 |
| JP Morgan Emerging Markets | | | | | | | |
| Blended Index (JEMB) - Equal Weighted | 7.58 | 10.99 | 10.99 | -2.58 | 2.05 | 2.41 | _ |
| Morningstar Category | 8.41 | 10.75 | 10.75 | -2.71 | 1.90 | 2.45 | _ |
| Lipper Peer Group | 8.73 | 11.00 | 11.00 | -2.80 | 1.93 | 2.21 | _ |

Share Class Inception: A, I - 6/25/13; F - 2/28/17; Y - 10/24/16. Share class performance prior to 10/24/16 reflects the performance of the predecessor fund. Performance shown prior to the inception of a class reflects performance and operating expenses of another class(es) (excluding sales charges, as applicable). Had fees and expenses of a class been reflected for the periods prior to the inception of that class, performance would be different. Since inception (SI) performance is from 6/25/13. Performance and expenses for other share classes will vary. Additional information is in the prospectus. Only Class A assesses a sales charge.

JP Morgan Emerging Markets Blended Index (JEMB) - Equal Weighted is a blended index that is comprised of 1/3 JP Morgan GBI Emerging Markets Global Diversified Index, 1/3 JP Morgan EMBI Global Diversified Index, and 1/3 JP Morgan CEMBI Broad Diversified Index. The JEMB - Equal Weighted is designed to blend U.S. dollar and local currency denominated sovereign, quasi-sovereign and corporate bonds in equal proportion. Indices are unmanaged and not available for direct investment.



| Calendar Year Returns (%) | | | |
|---------------------------|--|--------|--|
| 2023 | | 12.59 | |
| 2022 | | -13.19 | |
| 2021 | | -4.22 | |
| 2020 | | 2.56 | |
| 2019 | | 11.52 | |
| 2018 | | -7.05 | |
| 2017 | | 13.72 | |
| 2016 | | 13.09 | |
| 2015 | | -4.26 | |
| 2014 | | -1.33 | |
| | | | |

Portfolio Managers from Schroders

Fernando Grisales, CFA

Portfolio Manager

Professional Experience Since 2001

Autumn Graham

Portfolio Manager

Professional Experience Since 2009

Abdallah Guezour

Portfolio Manager

Professional Experience Since 1998

The portfolio managers are supported by the full resources of Schroders.

Expenses (%)1

| | Α | F | ı | Υ | |
|-------|------|------|------|------|--|
| Gross | 1.65 | 1.21 | 1.32 | 1.32 | |
| Net | 1.15 | 0.75 | 0.90 | 0.85 | |

Performance data quoted represents past performance and does not guarantee future results. The investment return and principal value of an investment will fluctuate so that an investor's shares, when redeemed, may be worth more or less than their original cost. Current performance may be lower or higher than the performance data quoted. For more current performance information to the most recent month ended, please visit hartfordfunds.com.

Investors should carefully consider a fund's investment objectives, risks, charges and expenses. This and other important information is contained in a fund's full prospectus and summary prospectus, which can be obtained by visiting hartfordfunds.com. Please read it carefully before investing.

Mutual funds are distributed by Hartford Funds Distributors, LLC (HFD), Member FINRA. Advisory services are provided by Hartford Funds Management Company, LLC (HFMC). Certain funds are sub-advised by Schroder Investment Management North America Inc (SIMNA). Schroder Investment Management North America Ltd. (SIMNA Ltd) serves as a secondary sub-adviser to certain funds. HFMC, SIMNA, and SIMNA Ltd. are all SEC registered investment advisers. Hartford Funds refers to HFD and HFMC, which are not affiliated with any sub-adviser.

¹ Expenses as shown in the Fund's most recent prospectus. Gross expenses do not reflect contractual expense reimbursement arrangements. Net expenses reflect such arrangements in instances when they reduce gross expenses. These arrangements remain in effect until 2/29/24 unless the Fund's Board of Directors approves an earlier termination.

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| Top Ten Countries (%) | |
|-----------------------|----|
| as of 9/30/23 | |
| Mexico | 14 |
| Brazil | 9 |
| Colombia | 8 |
| South Africa | 6 |
| USA | 6 |
| Indonesia | 5 |
| Chile | 4 |
| Nigeria | 3 |
| Peru | 3 |
| El Salvador | 3 |
| | |

| Top Ten Countries (%) | |
|-----------------------|----|
| as of 12/31/23 | |
| Mexico | 15 |
| Brazil | 9 |
| Colombia | 8 |
| Indonesia | 4 |
| South Africa | 4 |
| Peru | 3 |
| Chile | 3 |
| Hungary | 3 |
| USA | 3 |
| Turkey | 3 |
| | |

Top Ten Countries represent the Fund's top ten country exposures based on market value.

| Top Ten Currencies (%) | |
|------------------------|----|
| as of 9/30/23 | |
| Us Dollar | 75 |
| Indonesian Rup. | 4 |
| Chinese Yuan | 4 |
| Mexican Peso | 3 |
| Brazil Real | 3 |
| Commercial Rand | 3 |
| Malaysian Ring | 2 |
| Colombian Peso | 2 |
| Czech Koruna | 1 |
| Peru Nuevo Sol | 1 |
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| 62 |
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Top Ten Currencies represent the Fund's top ten currency exposures based on underlying currency exposure.

Holdings and characteristics are subject to change. Percentages may be rounded.

Important Risks: Investing involves risk, including the possible loss of principal. Security prices fluctuate in value depending on general market and economic conditions and the prospects of individual companies. • Foreign investments, including foreign government debt, may be more volatile and less liquid than U.S. investments and are subject to the risk of currency fluctuations and adverse political, economic and regulatory developments. These risks may be greater, and include additional risks, for investments in emerging markets or if the Fund focuses in a particular geographic region or country. • Fixed income security risks include credit, liquidity, call, duration, and interest-rate risk. As interest rates rise, bond prices generally fall. • Investments in high-yield ("junk") bonds involve greater risk of price volatility, illiquidity, and default than higher-rated debt securities. • Derivatives are generally more volatile and sensitive to changes in market or economic conditions than other securities; their risks include currency, leverage, liquidity, index, pricing, regulatory and counterparty risk. • Restricted securities may be more difficult to sell and price than other securities. • The Fund may have high portfolio turnover, which could increase its transaction costs and an investor's tax liability. • Because the Fund is non-diversified, it may invest in a smaller number of issuers, and may be more exposed to risks and volatility than a more broadly diversified fund. • Integration of environmental, social, and/or governance (ESG) characteristics into the investment process may not work as intended.

Effective Duration measures the sensitivity of an asset or portfolio's price to nominal interest rate movement. **30-Day SEC Yield** reflects the hypothetical net current income earned, after the deduction of a fund's expenses, during a 30-day period, expressed as an annual percentage rate based on the fund's share price at the end of the period. Actual income distributions will usually differ. **Unsubsidized 30-Day SEC Yield** is the Fund's 30-Day SEC yield without the impact of fee/expense waivers.

| Net Assets | \$24 million |
|-------------------------------|--------------|
| # of Holdings | 147 |
| # of Issuers | 82 |
| Dividend Frequency | Quarterly |
| Holdings Characteristics | |
| Effective Duration | 6.05 yrs. |
| Regional Exposure | |
| Latin America | 45 |
| Asia-Pacific | 16 |
| Eastern Europe | 12 |
| Africa | 11 |
| Middle East | 10 |
| Developed Markets | 5 |
| Other | 1 |
| Yields (Class I) | |
| 30-Day SEC Yield | 6.93% |
| Unsubsidized 30-Day SEC Yield | 6.26% |
| Credit Exposure† (%) | |
| Aaa/AAA | 0 |
| Aa/AA | 6 |
| A Baa/BBB | 8 31 |
| Ba/BB | 30 |
| В | 21 |
| Caa/CCC or lower | 3 |
| Not Rated | 1 |
| Cash & Cash Offsets | 0 |

†Credit exposure is the credit ratings for the underlying securities of the Fund as provided by Standard and Poor's (S&P), Moody's Investors Service, or Fitch and typically range from AAA/Aaa (highest) to C/D (lowest). If S&P, Moody's, and Fitch assign different ratings, the average rating is used. If only two ratings agencies assign ratings, the average rating is used. Securities that are not rated by any of the three agencies are listed as "Not Rated". The ratings breakdown includes cash and cash equivalents. Ratings do not apply to the Fund itself or to Fund shares. Ratings may change.