

International Bond Fund (U.S. Dollar-Hedged)

CLASS:	INSTITUTIONAL
FUND INCEPTION DATE:	2 DECEMBER 1992
TICKER:	PFORX
CUSIP:	693390882
TOTAL NET ASSETS (IN MILLIONS):	\$12,991.9

PORTFOLIO MANAGERS

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FUND STATISTICS

Effective duration (yrs)	7.74
Effective maturity (yrs)	9.70

SECTOR DIVERSIFICATION (%)

	Duration weighted
Government Related	54.1
Inflation Linked	4.3
Securitized ¹	13.5
Covered Bonds and Pfandbriefe	3.2
Investment Grade Credit	5.0
High Yield Credit	0.4
Municipals	0.0
EM External	4.4
EM Local	12.9
Other	0.0
Net Other Short Duration Instruments ²	2.3

REGIONAL DIVERSIFICATION (%)

	Duration weighted
United States	-9
Japan	27
Eurozone	36
United Kingdom	12
Europe non-EMU ³	5
Dollar Block ⁴	11
Other Industrialized Countries ⁵	0
Emerging Markets	17
EM - Asia	10
EM - Latin America	3
EM - CEEMEA ⁶	4
EM - Other	0

Fund description

The International Bond Fund (U.S. Dollar-Hedged) is a portfolio consisting primarily of intermediate duration non-U.S. fixed income securities from investment grade issuers in developed countries, with limited currency exposure. The fund is actively managed to maximize total return potential while minimizing any increase in risk relative to the market benchmark.

INVESTOR BENEFITS

This fund offers institutional and individual investors efficient exposure to international bond markets, a sector that is difficult for most investors to access directly.

Potential benefits of this fund include:

- Increased return diversification relative to domestic bonds
- Limited return volatility due to currency hedges
- Alpha due to increased opportunity set

THE FUND ADVANTAGE

The fund seeks to capture the returns of non-U.S. bonds but generally hedges out most currency exposure in order to limit the volatility of returns. The changing dynamics of international fixed income markets represent a rich opportunity for tangible diversification and potential for better risk-adjusted returns over time. The fund seeks to outperform the Barclays Global Aggregate ex-USD (USD Hedged) Index, by taking both strategic and tactical interest rate, currency and sector exposures relative to the benchmark.

VALUE OF GLOBAL STRATEGIES

An allocation to PIMCO's global bond strategies may be beneficial as part of a diversified portfolio. Portfolios invested across many global bond markets may have lower volatility relative to portfolios consisting only of domestic bonds, and can provide a hedge against risks in other asset classes, such as equities, particularly in times of economic uncertainty. An allocation to a PIMCO global bond strategy can also be used in an effort to help to preserve investor's capital, provide a steady source of income and, due to the increased opportunity set afforded by the global markets, potential for capital gains.



The Lipper Fund Awards recognized the International Bond Fund (US Dollar-Hedged), Institutional for the 10 year performance period out of 15 funds under the International Income Funds Classification.

Performance (net of fees)	20 yrs.	15 yrs.	10 yrs.	5 yrs.	3 yrs.	1 yr.	6 mos.	3 mos.
PIMCO Fund (%)	6.02	5.86	5.64	5.32	5.36	6.15	4.30	2.11
Benchmark (%)	4.53	4.29	4.35	4.40	4.88	3.94	1.63	0.94

Performance quoted represents past performance. Past performance is not a guarantee or a reliable indicator of future results. Investment return and the principal value of an investment will fluctuate. Shares may be worth more or less than original cost when redeemed. Current performance may be lower or higher than performance shown. For performance current to the most recent month-end, visit PIMCO.com or by calling 888.87.PIMCO.

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Lipper rankings* (International Income Funds)	10 yrs.	5 yrs.	3 yrs.	1 yr.
Fund rank	1	17	11	63
Number of funds	55	86	105	111
Quartile	1	1	1	3

* Based on total return performance, with distributions reinvested, and operating expenses deducted.

Investors should consider the investment objectives, risks, charges and expenses of the funds carefully before investing. This and other information are contained in the fund's prospectus and summary prospectus, if available, which may be obtained by contacting your PIMCO representative. Please read them carefully before you invest or send money.

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MV% may not equal 100 due to rounding.

Performance reflects changes in share price, reinvestment of dividends and capital gains distributions. All periods longer than one year are annualized.

Effective duration is the duration for a bond with an embedded option when the value is calculated to include the expected change in cash flow caused by the option as interest rates change.

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Derivatives may involve certain costs and risks such as liquidity, interest rate, market, credit, management and the risk that a position could not be closed when most advantageous. Investing in derivatives could lose more than the amount invested. The Fund is **non-diversified**, which means that it may invest its assets in a smaller number of issuers than a diversified fund.

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BASIC FACTS

Dividend frequency **Daily accrual**

FUND EXPENSES

Gross Expense Ratio **0.60%**

Adjusted Expense Ratio **0.50%**

The Adjusted Expense Ratio excludes certain investment expenses, such as interest expense from borrowings and repurchase agreements and dividend expense from investments on short sales, incurred directly by the Fund or indirectly through the Fund's investments in underlying PIMCO Funds (if applicable), none of which are paid to PIMCO.

PERFORMANCE CHARACTERISTICS

SEC 30-day yield (%) **1.12%**

ABOUT THE BENCHMARK

Bloomberg Barclays Global Aggregate ex-USD (USD Hedged) Index provides a broad-based measure of the global investment-grade fixed income markets. The major components of this index are the Pan-European Aggregate and the Asian-Pacific Aggregate Indices. The index also includes Eurodollar and Euro-Yen corporate bonds and Canadian Government securities. The index launched on 1/1/1998. The index performance shown prior to that date is calculated using the JPMorgan GBI Global ex-US Index Hedged in USD, which was the Fund's primary benchmark index from the Fund's inception until 12/1/2015. It is not possible to invest directly in an unmanaged index.

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