# SECURED FINANCE II FUND

31 March 2024

## FUND OBJECTIVE

The Fund seeks to produce an annual interest based return

## FUND SUMMARY

- Invests primarily in structured credit assets secured by residential and consumer, commercial real estate and secured corporate debt collateral
- Seeks to add value through investment in an investment grade portfolio of public and private debt markets
- Rigorous, disciplined and proven investment process bringing together the best ideas from Insight's dedicated Secured Finance Team

# **FUND FACTS**

Fund size: £599.6m (€701.4m)

Inception date: 19 June 2018

Benchmark: 3 Month EURIBOR

Fund managers: Shaheer Guirguis, Jason Cameron, Jeremy Deacon

Target return: Outperform benchmark by 4% pa (before tax, fees and charges) over rolling three year periods. However, a positive return is not guaranteed and a capital loss may occur.

#### SHARE CLASS PERFORMANCE (%) (B € Acc share class)

	1 month		months	1 year		3	3 years (pa)		5 years (pa)		Since inception (pa)	
Fund	0.98		3.70	10.18			4.06	.06		3.25		
Benchmark	0.32		0.96	3.69			1.37	0.65		0.59		
	Calendar year returns					_	12-month rolling returns					
	2023	2022	2021	2020	2019	-	2023- 2024	2022- 2023	2021- 2022	2020- 2021	2019- 2020	
Fund	8.27	-1.56	4.08	-0.44	4.14		10.18	0.63	1.63	11.17	-5.91	
Benchmark	3.27	0.35	-0.56	-0.43	-0.36		3.69	1.03	-0.55	-0.46	-0.39	

Source: Insight Investment and Rimes. Fund performance is shown for share class B € Acc and is calculated as total return, including reinvested income, gross of fees and expenses. Gross of fees performance results do not reflect the deduction of charges, which will reduce investors' returns. Benchmark performance shown is for 3 Month Euribor. Benchmark used is the shareclass currency equivalent of SONIA. Performance for periods over one year is annualised. Past performance is not a guide to future performance. The value of investments and any income from them will fluctuate and is not guaranteed (this may be partly due to exchange rate fluctuations). Investors may not get back the full amount invested.

## FUND MANAGER COMMENTS

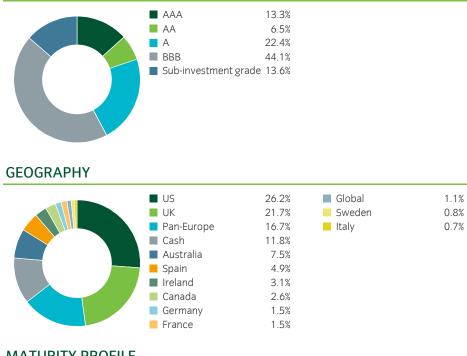
The Fund outperformed its cash benchmark in March. Risk assets posted gains given expectations of monetary easing. European structured credit performed well, largely driven by carry. Despite elevated valuations, relative value versus corporate credit remains attractive. However, the prospects of meaningful tightening have diminished. It was a busy month in terms of issuance, with the increase led by residential mortgage-backed securities (MBS) and collateralised loan obligations (CLOs). The best-performing assets remain within the bottom tranches of investment grade. US structured credit posted gains, against elevated primary issuance and strong demand. Spread tightening in AAA-rated assets was marginal, while spreads within mezzanine paper tightened more meaningfully. In our view, strong demand and attractive relative value should lead to further tightening, especially in esoteric sectors. March was quiet on the lending side. Performance was driven by carry and US middle market CLOs.

# FUND CHARACTERISTICS

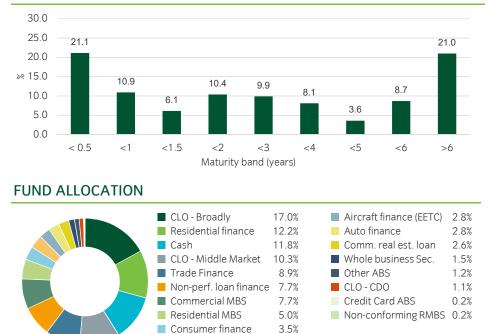
	Fund
Yield (%)	9.05
Weighted average life (years)	3.0
Weighted average discount margin Vs EURIBOR (bp)	516



#### **CREDIT RATING**



#### MATURITY PROFILE



3.4%

SME Finance

# **TECHNICAL DETAILS**

Legal structure: Qualifying Investor Alternative Investment Fund (QIAIF)

Domicile: Ireland

Share class currencies: Sterling, Euro, US dollar, Japanese yen

Dealing frequency: For subscriptions, last Business Day (London) of each calendar month;

For redemptions, last Business Day (London) of each calendar quarter

Settlement period: Purchases: T+4, Redemptions: T+15

Pricing method: NAV per Share, which may be subject to an adjustment based on the single swing price

adjustment mechanism, as disclosed in the Prospectus

Scheme: LDI Solutions Plus ICAV

Depositary: Northern Trust Fiduciary Services (Ireland) Limited

Administrator: Northern Trust International Fund Administration Services (Ireland) Limited

Ongoing charges: 0.61% (represented by share class B Euro Accumulation, other share classes are available)

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