

iShares iBonds 2026 Term High Yield and Income ETF

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Annual Shareholder Report — October 31, 2025



This annual shareholder report contains important information about iShares iBonds 2026 Term High Yield and Income ETF (the “Fund”) for the period of November 1, 2024 to October 31, 2025. You can find additional information about the Fund at blackrock.com/fundreports. You can also request this information by contacting us at 1-800-iShares (1-800-474-2737).

What were the Fund costs for the last year? (based on a hypothetical \$10,000 investment)

| Fund name | Costs of a \$10,000 investment | Costs paid as a percentage of a \$10,000 investment |
|--|--------------------------------|---|
| iShares iBonds 2026 Term High Yield and Income ETF | \$36 | 0.35% |

How did the Fund perform last year?

- For the reporting period ended October 31, 2025, the Fund returned 7.28%.
- For the same period, the Bloomberg U.S. Universal Index returned 6.51% and the Bloomberg 2026 Term High Yield and Income Index returned 7.59%.

What contributed to performance?

Anticipation of rate cuts caused spreads (the difference in the yield between two bonds with similar maturities but different credit qualities) on high-yield debt to narrow during the reporting period. Mixed economic signals and ongoing global trade tensions also influenced bond returns, while the late-period U.S. government shutdown added to market volatility. After cutting rates in December of 2024, the Federal Reserve held policy rates steady through the first part of the year, before cutting rates by 25 basis points in both September and October 2025 as evidence of a cooling labor market outweighed persistent, though elevated, inflation concerns.

For Term Funds with earlier maturity dates, an allocation to bonds in the consumer cyclicals and communications sectors added to returns. Term Funds with later maturity dates were supported by an allocation to consumer cyclical and industrial sectors. Additionally, Term Funds across maturity dates benefited from bonds on the lower risk spectrum of high yield (those rated Ba and B Moody’s).

What detracted from performance?

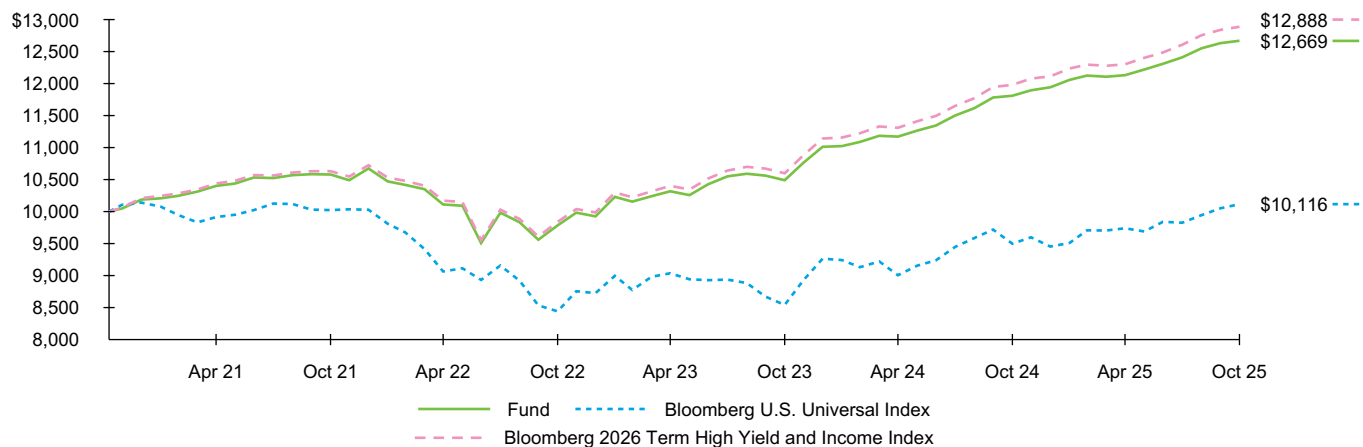
During the reporting period, there were no significant detractors from the Funds’ performance.

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Fund performance

Cumulative performance: November 10, 2020 through October 31, 2025

Initial investment of \$10,000



See “Average annual total returns” for additional information on fund performance.

Average annual total returns

| | 1 Year | Since Fund Inception |
|---|--------|----------------------|
| Fund NAV | 7.28% | 4.87% |
| Bloomberg U.S. Universal Index | 6.51 | 0.23 |
| Bloomberg 2026 Term High Yield and Income Index | 7.59 | 5.24 |

The inception date of the Fund was November 10, 2020.

Past performance is not an indication of future results. Performance results do not reflect the deduction of taxes that a shareholder would pay on fund distributions or on the redemption or sale of fund shares. Visit [iShares.com](https://www.ishares.com) for more recent performance information.

What did the Fund invest in?

(as of October 31, 2025)

Credit quality allocation

| Moody's Credit Rating* | Percent of Net Assets |
|-----------------------------------|-----------------------|
| A | 0.3% |
| Baa | 16.6 |
| Ba | 45.9 |
| B | 18.9 |
| Caa | 11.5 |
| Not Rated | 3.6 |
| Short-Term and Other Assets | 3.2 |

(a) Excludes money market funds.

* Credit quality ratings shown reflect the ratings assigned by Moody's Investors Service ("Moody's"), a widely used independent, nationally recognized statistical rating organization. Moody's credit ratings are opinions of the credit quality of individual obligations or of an issuer's general creditworthiness. Investment grade ratings are credit ratings of Baa or higher. Below investment grade ratings are credit ratings of Ba or lower. Unrated investments do not necessarily indicate low credit quality. Credit quality ratings are subject to change.

Additional information

If you wish to view additional information about the Fund, including but not limited to financial statements, the Fund's prospectus, and proxy voting policies and procedures, please visit [blackrock.com/fundreports](https://www.blackrock.com/fundreports). For proxy voting records, visit [blackrock.com/proxyrecords](https://www.blackrock.com/proxyrecords).

Householding

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Key Fund statistics

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|------------------------------------|---------------|
| Net Assets | \$994,085,441 |
| Number of Portfolio Holdings | 358 |
| Net Investment Advisory Fees | \$2,767,023 |
| Portfolio Turnover Rate | 70% |

Ten largest holdings

| Security ^(a) | Percent of Net Assets |
|---|-----------------------|
| Sirius XM Radio LLC, 3.13%, 09/01/26 | 2.6% |
| Rocket Mortgage LLC/Rocket Mortgage Co-Issuer Inc., 2.88%, 10/15/26 | 2.6 |
| Block Inc., 2.75%, 06/01/26 | 2.5 |
| IQVIA Inc., 5.00%, 10/15/26 | 2.5 |
| Air Canada, 3.88%, 08/15/26 | 2.1 |
| Brookfield Property REIT Inc./BPR Cumulus LLC/BPR Nimbus LLC/GGSI Sellco LLC, 5.75%, 05/15/26 | 2.1 |
| Travel + Leisure Co., 6.63%, 07/31/26 | 1.9 |
| Albertsons Companies Inc./Safeway Inc./New Albertsons LP/Albertsons LLC, 3.25%, 03/15/26 | 1.8 |
| SCIL IV LLC/SCIL USA Holdings LLC, Class-H, 5.38%, 11/01/26 | 1.8 |
| MGM China Holdings Ltd., 5.88%, 05/15/26 | 1.8 |

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