



# FTSE Fixed Income Core Infrastructure Index (FFICII)

Multi-Sector | Multi-Currency

The FTSE Fixed Income Core Infrastructure Index (FFICII) is a comprehensive, broad market multi-currency index diversified across three FTSE Russell-defined infrastructure sectors. The Index is designed to reflect the performance of infrastructure debt securities worldwide, including coverage of Investment-Grade and High-Yield markets across a number of major currencies, from both corporate and quasi-government issuers. The Index covers a broad array of sectors, and sub-indices are available in any combination of currency, maturity, sector and rating.

The Index benefits from FTSE Russell's two step approach to defining "core" infrastructure, which considers both industry classification (COBS) and revenue derived from core infrastructure activities, and is aligned with the equity FTSE Core Infrastructure Index Series in both design and classification.

## INDEX CONSTRUCTION

FTSE Russell defines infrastructure issuers as those that own, manage or operate structures or networks which are used for the processing or movement of goods, services, information/data, people, energy or necessities from one location to another. A detailed definition of infrastructure is available in the Index Ground Rules on [www.lseg.com](http://www.lseg.com).

The base universe for the Index is derived from FTSE Russell's extensive fixed income market coverage, including the AUD, EUR, GBP, JPY and USD Investment-Grade markets, and CHF, EUR, GBP and USD High-Yield markets. Once the base universe is defined, FTSE Russell then applies a two-step process to identify issuers which satisfy infrastructure related criteria.

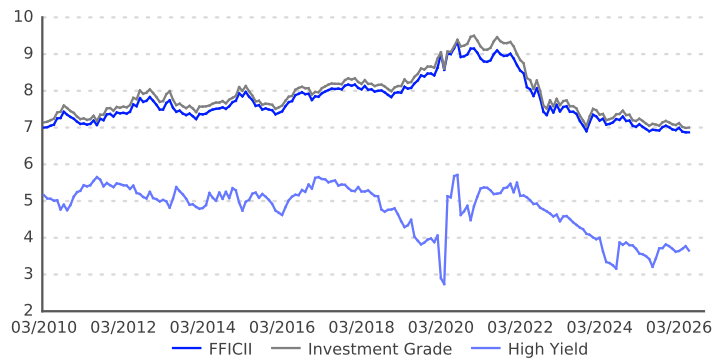
- Firstly, the base index universe is refined according to a list of eligible COBS classification sectors, selected to capture issuers consistent with the above definition of infrastructure.
- Secondly, proprietary research is undertaken to determine the percentage of each issuer's revenue derived from core infrastructure activities (see Ground Rules for a full list); these revenue percentages determine whether an issuer will be included in the core infrastructure index. The current revenue threshold from core infrastructure activities to be included in the FTSE Fixed Income Core Infrastructure Index Series is 65%.

## INDEX PROFILE

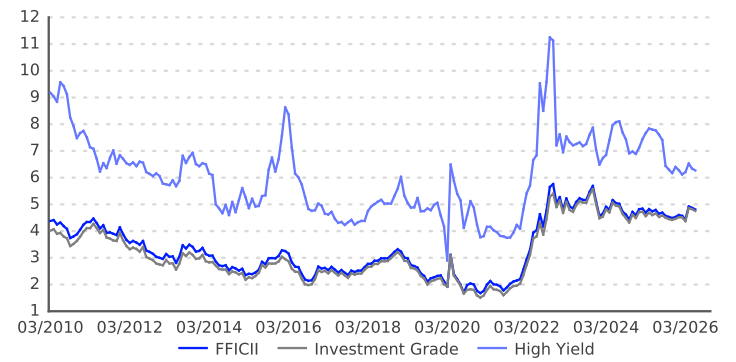
Description	# of Issuers	# of Issues	Par Amount*	Market Value*	Market Weight (%)	Average Coupon (%)	Average Life (Years)	Yield to Maturity (%)	Effective Duration	OAS (bps)
<b>FFICII</b>	<b>202</b>	<b>2,077</b>	<b>1,501.83</b>	<b>1,423.82</b>	<b>100.00</b>	<b>4.07</b>	<b>10.78</b>	<b>4.81</b>	<b>6.87</b>	<b>82</b>
Investment-Grade	187	1,995	1,444.43	1,369.08	96.16	4.03	10.99	4.75	7.00	75
AA	20	139	125.79	109.52	7.69	2.51	11.27	3.92	7.53	39
A	73	752	492.72	457.22	32.11	3.76	13.21	4.62	8.11	60
BBB	124	1,104	825.93	802.34	56.35	4.42	9.63	4.94	6.30	88
High-Yield	21	82	57.40	54.74	3.84	5.12	5.54	6.27	3.65	278
BB	17	51	36.39	36.95	2.60	4.61	4.47	4.70	3.58	161
B	4	9	8.65	8.97	0.63	7.19	4.04	6.56	2.22	204
CCC	3	22	12.36	8.83	0.62	5.19	9.76	12.54	5.44	840
1-3 Years	131	349	247.17	247.00	17.35	3.45	2.04	4.05	1.87	64
3-5 Years	144	392	281.07	275.19	19.33	3.51	4.02	4.36	3.58	81
5-7 Years	131	285	198.91	194.22	13.64	3.76	6.03	4.47	5.25	84
7-10 Years	135	368	277.82	279.45	19.63	4.74	8.48	4.85	6.82	87
10+ Years	100	683	496.85	427.97	30.06	4.45	22.15	5.66	12.64	90
AUD	36	99	27.89	27.45	1.93	4.93	5.40	5.71	4.43	112
EUR	81	515	418.75	395.56	27.78	2.63	7.22	3.60	5.65	74
GBP	39	171	95.75	87.07	6.11	4.73	11.26	6.19	7.34	142
JPY	5	74	35.20	33.49	2.35	1.13	5.74	2.07	4.82	23
USD	91	1,218	924.24	880.25	61.82	4.75	12.70	5.29	7.53	82
Government Related	31	280	219.70	198.16	13.92	2.34	9.57	3.50	6.71	41
Corporate	169	1,797	1,282.13	1,225.66	86.08	4.37	10.99	5.02	6.90	89
Energy Infrastructure	124	1,468	1,050.74	1,007.38	70.75	4.48	11.18	5.09	7.07	89
Telecommunications Infrastructure	14	115	87.41	85.31	5.99	3.99	5.59	4.61	4.17	101
Transportation Infrastructurezd	65	494	363.68	331.13	23.26	2.91	10.89	4.00	6.96	56

\* In USD billions

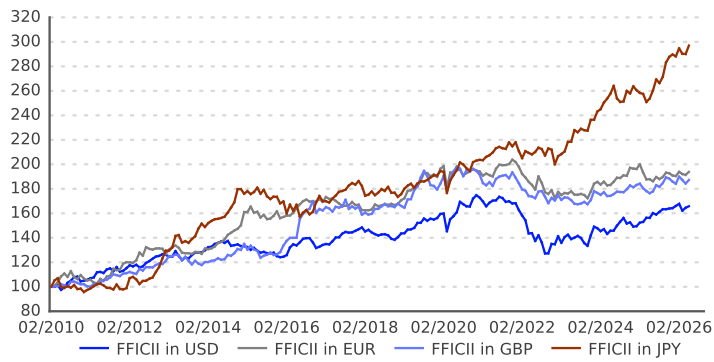
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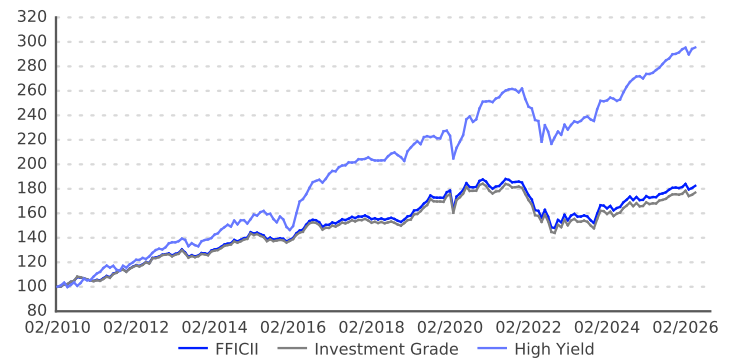
**HISTORICAL YIELD TO MATURITY**



**HISTORICAL INDEX LEVEL (By Currency)**



**HISTORICAL INDEX LEVEL (By Sector, in USD)**



**ANNUALIZED RETURNS (in %)**

	USD		JPY		GBP		EUR	
	Unhedged	Hedged	Unhedged	Hedged	Unhedged	Hedged	Unhedged	Hedged
YTD*	0.93	1.26	2.51	-0.09	0.71	1.23	1.58	0.47
1 Year	6.10	6.09	17.05	2.31	6.14	5.95	3.21	3.86
3 Years	6.06	5.79	10.78	0.59	3.13	5.44	2.91	3.75
5 Years	-0.54	0.69	7.21	-3.48	0.53	0.07	0.39	-1.32

\* Not annualized

**DESIGN CRITERIA AND CALCULATION METHODOLOGY**

Universe:	Multi-currency fixed-rate, investment-grade and high-yield credit universe, covering corporate and quasi-government core infrastructure issuers
Defining Infrastructure:	<p>FTSE Russell defines infrastructure issuers as those that own, manage or operate structures or networks, which are used for the processing or movement of goods, services, information/data, people, energy and necessities from one location to another.</p> <p>FTSE Russell applies a two-step process to identify issuers which satisfy infrastructure related criteria. Firstly, the eligible universe is defined according to a list of eligible COBS classification sectors, selected to capture issuers consistent with the above definition. Secondly, proprietary research is undertaken to determine the percentage of a company's revenue derived from core infrastructure activities (see ground rules for a full list of these); these revenue percentages determine whether a company will be included in the core infrastructure universe.</p>
Coupon:	<p>Investment Grade: Fixed-rate and fixed-to-floating rate bonds.</p> <p>High Yield: Fixed rate and fixed-to-floating rate cash-pay bonds, Zero-to-Full (ZTF), Pay-in-Kind (PIK), step-coupon bonds</p>
Minimum Maturity:	At least one year
Minimum Issue Size:	<p>Investment-Grade: AUD 250 million (Semi-Gov) / AUD 100 million (Corporate), EUR 500 million, GBP 300 million, JPY 50 billion, USD 500 million</p> <p>High-Yield: CHF 100 million, EUR 200 million, GBP 150 million, USD 250 million</p>
Minimum Quality:	Minimum C by S&P and Ca by Moody's (excludes defaulted bonds)
Weighting:	Market capitalization
Rebalancing:	Once a month at month end
Reinvestment of cash flows:	Intra-month cash flows from interest and principal payments are not reinvested as part of monthly index total return calculations.
Pricing:	<p>Investment-Grade: LSEG Pricing Service</p> <p>High-Yield: Interactive Data (USD bonds) and LSEG Pricing Service (non-USD bonds)</p>
Calculation Frequency:	Daily
Settlement Date:	<p>Monthly – Settlement is on the last calendar day of the month.</p> <p>Daily – Same day settlement except if the last business day of the month is not the last calendar day of the month; then, settlement is on the last calendar day of the month.</p>
Base Date:	February 28, 2010

**VENDOR CODES**

SBCIADU	FTSE FI Core Infrastructure Bond Index in AUD	SBCIADC	FTSE FI Core Infrastructure Bond Index in AUD Hedged
SBCIEU	FTSE FI Core Infrastructure Bond Index in EUR	SBCIEC	FTSE FI Core Infrastructure Bond Index in EUR Hedged
SBCIGU	FTSE FI Core Infrastructure Bond Index in GBP	SBCIGC	FTSE FI Core Infrastructure Bond Index in GBP Hedged
SBCIJYU	FTSE FI Core Infrastructure Bond Index in JPY	SBCIJYC	FTSE FI Core Infrastructure Bond Index in JPY Hedged
SBCIUU	FTSE FI Core Infrastructure Bond Index in USD	SBCIUC	FTSE FI Core Infrastructure Bond Index in USD Hedged
SBCIIGAU	FTSE FI Core Infrastructure Bond IG Index in AUD	SBCIIGAC	FTSE FI Core Infrastructure Bond IG Index in AUD Hedged
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SBCIAUDL	FTSE FI Core Infrastructure AUD Bond Index in AUD		
SBCICHFL	FTSE FI Core Infrastructure CHF Bond Index in CHF		
SBCIEURL	FTSE FI Core Infrastructure EUR Bond Index in EUR		
SBCIGBPL	FTSE FI Core Infrastructure GBP Bond Index in GBP		
SBCIJPYL	FTSE FI Core Infrastructure JPY Bond Index in JPY		
SBCIUSDL	FTSE FI Core Infrastructure USD Bond Index in USD		

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