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FTSE World High-Yield Bond Index

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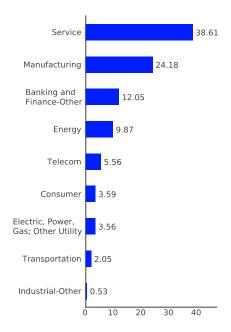
The FTSE World High-Yield Bond Index is a multi-currency benchmark which measures the performance of CHF-, EUR-, GBP-, and USD- denominated high-yield debt tracked by the FTSE US High-Yield Market Index and the Pan-European High-Yield Bond Index. As a broad measure of the global high-yield market, the index covers cash-pay, deferred-interest, pay-in-kind (PIK) securities. Sub-indices are available in any combination of currency, industry sector, maturity, and rating.

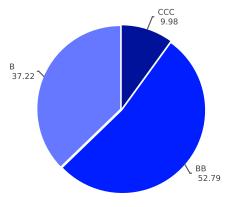
INDEX PROFILE

Description	# of	Par	Market	Market	Average	Average	Yield to	Effective	OAS
Description	Issues	Amount*	Value*	Weight (%)	Coupon (%)	Life (Years)	Maturity (%)	Duration	(bps)
World High-Yield Bond Index	2,485	1,696.88	1,605.37	100.00	5.80	4.53	7.78	3.26	358
USD	1,764	1,276.41	1,208.09	75.25	6.21	4.84	8.01	3.39	344
EUR	629	367.98	348.03	21.68	4.42	3.60	6.86	2.86	394
GBP	89	51.65	48.42	3.02	5.77	3.57	8.84	2.82	473
CHF	3	0.83	0.83	0.05	2.62	2.01	3.52	1.35	247
Cash Pay	2,408	1,650.72	1,566.29	97.57	5.78	4.53	7.67	3.26	354
Deferred Interest	77	46.15	39.08	2.43	6.73	4.54	12.34	3.11	541
1-3 Years	696	429.33	409.16	25.49	5.37	2.09	8.36	1.62	397
3-5 Years	943	637.98	606.81	37.80	6.00	4.06	7.74	3.00	367
5-7 Years	623	467.37	436.71	27.20	5.81	5.82	7.50	4.25	333
7-10 Years	175	139.63	133.62	8.32	6.17	7.80	7.17	5.25	285
10+ Years	48	22.56	19.06	1.19	5.96	17.05	7.71	9.61	348
Industrial	1,942	1,337.94	1,265.62	78.84	5.90	4.52	7.86	3.22	363
Utility	196	156.60	146.35	9.12	5.11	4.83	7.18	3.57	362
Finance	347	202.33	193.40	12.05	5.74	4.32	7.72	3.23	326

^{*} In USD billions

ASSET CLASS AND QUALITY COMPOSITION (Market Weight %)





Index Quality: Index quality is defined to be the rating assigned by Standard and Poor's Financial Services LLC ("S&P") when it exists. If a bond is not rated by S&P but it is rated by Moody's Investor Service, Inc ("Moody's"), the S&P equivalent of the Moody's rating is assigned. If a bond is split-rated, that is rated investment grade by S&P or Moody's and high yield by the other, index quality is taken to be S&P equivalent of the investment grade rating.

HISTORICAL INDEX LEVEL



OPTION ADJUSTED SPREAD*



^{*} OAS to the US Government Curve

TOP 10 ISSUERS (By Market Weight)

Description	# of Issues	Par Amount*	Market Value*	Market Weight (%)	Average Coupon (%)	Average Life (Years)	Yield to Maturity (%)	Effective Duration	OAS (bps)
CHARTER COMMUNICATIONS INC	13	27.24	23.86	1.52	4.91	6.21	7.55	4.84	328
TELECOM ITALIA SPA	17	16.68	16.55	1.05	4.75	6.72	5.46	4.68	241
TRANSDIGM GROUP INC	9	14.65	14.74	0.94	6.23	5.35	6.45	3.48	198
VENTURE GLOBAL LNG INC	8	14.25	14.66	0.93	7.47	6.27	7.31	4.06	285
NEW ALTICE EUROPE BV	19	21.71	14.47	0.92	5.77	4.26	17.75	3.35	1,454
CARNIVAL CORP	9	13.66	13.84	0.88	6.61	3.97	6.68	2.35	168
ALTICE USA INC	14	17.70	13.41	0.85	6.33	5.42	12.57	3.91	828
TENET HEALTHCARE CORP	9	12.66	12.64	0.81	5.63	5.04	6.15	3.09	183
ECHOSTAR CORP	8	14.75	11.29	0.72	7.42	3.51	17.49	2.45	1,296
BROOKFIELD ASSET MANAGEMENT INC	16	11.09	10.89	0.69	6.06	3.49	7.12	2.22	258

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DESIGN CRITERIA AND CALCULATION METHODOLOGY

Fixed-rate, fixed-to-floating rate and zero coupon			
CHF, EUR, GBP, and USD			
At least one year Fixed-to-floating rate bonds are removed one year prior to the fixed-to-floating rate start date.			
CHF: 100 million, EUR: 200 million, GBP: 150 million, USD: 250 million			
BB+ by S&P and Ba1 by Moody's			
C by S&P and Ca by Moody's (excludes defaulted bonds)			
Market capitalization			
Once a month at month end			
Intra-month cash flows from interest and principal payments are not reinvested as part of monthly index total retu calculations.			
Refinitiv			
Daily			
Monthly – Settlement is on the last calendar day of the month. 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.			
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VENDOR CODES

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