

# Franklin U.S. Government Fund

W (acc) USD: LU0889564273

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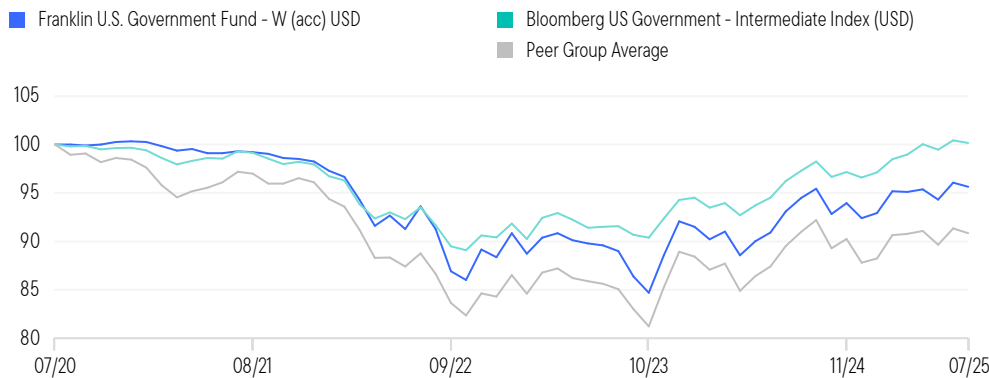
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## Investment Overview

To seek to maximise income while maintaining some degree of capital preservation. The Fund mainly invests in US government bonds, including mortgage-backed securities, issued or guaranteed by the US government or related agencies.

Past performance does not predict future returns.

## Performance Over 5 Years in Share Class Currency (%)



## Discrete Annual Performance (%)

	07/24	07/23	07/22	07/21	07/20	07/19	07/18	07/17	07/16	07/15
	07/25	07/24	07/23	07/22	07/21	07/20	07/19	07/18	07/17	07/16
W (acc) USD	2.72	3.90	-4.29	-5.72	-0.70	4.18	5.67	-0.95	-0.47	2.13
Benchmark (USD)	4.08	5.18	-2.18	-5.80	-0.69	7.54	6.17	-1.24	-0.97	3.55
Peer Group Average	1.48	4.53	-3.54	-8.65	-2.82	10.62	6.98	-1.39	-1.34	3.72

## Total Returns (%)

	Cumulative						Average Annual				Inception Date
	1-Mo	3-Mo	YTD	1-Yr	3-Yr	5-Yr	Inception	3-Yr	5-Yr	Inception	
W (acc) USD	-0.45	0.27	3.50	2.72	2.15	-4.37	17.60	0.71	-0.89	1.10	30/09/2010
Benchmark (USD)	-0.26	0.12	3.70	4.08	7.09	0.17	26.12	2.31	0.03	1.58	—
Peer Group Average	-0.57	-0.26	3.46	1.48	2.32	-9.16	16.85	0.77	-1.90	1.06	—
Quartile Ranking	2	1	2	2	2	1	—	2	1	—	—

The value of shares in the Fund and income received from it can go down as well as up, and investors may not get back the full amount invested.

Performance details provided are in share class currency, include the reinvested dividends gross of tax and are net of management fees. Sales charges, taxes and other locally applied costs have not been deducted. The fund's returns may increase or decrease as a result of changes to foreign exchange rates.

Up to date performance figures can be found on our website.

When performance for either the portfolio or its benchmark has been converted, different foreign exchange closing rates may be used between the portfolio and its benchmark.

The W (acc) USD share class launched on 2013-02-26. Performance data prior to that date is for the A (acc) USD share class launched on 2010-09-30 which had higher annual charges.

## Fund Overview

Umbrella	Franklin Templeton Investment Funds
Fund Base Currency	USD
Fund Inception Date	28/02/1991
Share Class Inception Date	26/02/2013
Minimum Investment	USD 1000
ISIN	LU0889564273
Bloomberg	FUSGWAU LX
Morningstar Peer Group	USD Government Bond

## Benchmark(s) and Type

Bloomberg US Government - Intermediate Index	Comparator
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## Charges

Maximum Initial Charge	0.00%
Exit Charge	—
Ongoing Charges Figure	0.65%
Performance Fee	—

The charges are the fees the Fund charges to investors to cover the costs of running the Fund. Additional costs, including transaction fees, will also be incurred. These costs are paid out by the Fund, which will impact on the overall return of the Fund. Fund charges will be incurred in multiple currencies, meaning that payments may increase or decrease as a result of currency exchange fluctuations.

## Fund Characteristics

	Fund
NAV-W (acc) USD	\$10.95
Total Net Assets (USD)	\$703.35 Million
Number of Holdings	576
Average Credit Quality	AA+
Weighted Average Maturity	7.16 Yrs
Effective Duration	6.16 Yrs
Yield to Maturity	5.05%
Standard Deviation (5 Yr)	6.06%

Geographic Exposure (% of Total)

	Fund
United States	103.08
Cash & Cash Equivalents	3.94

Sector Exposure (% of Total)

	Fund
Mortgage-Backed Securities	95.98
U.S. Treasuries	7.10
Cash & Cash Equivalents	3.94

Portfolio Management

	Years with Firm	Years of Experience		Years with Firm	Years of Experience
Neil Dhruv	23	23	Michael V Salm	27	36
Paul Varunok	24	33	Jatin Misra, PhD, CFA	21	21

What are the Risks?

The Fund does not offer any capital guarantee or protection and you may not get back the amount invested. The Fund is subject to the following risks which are materially relevant: **Liquidity risk:** the risk that arises when adverse market conditions affect the ability to sell assets when necessary. Such risk may be triggered by (but not limited to) unexpected events such as environmental disasters or pandemics. Reduced liquidity may have a negative impact on the price of the assets. **Securitisation risk:** investment in securities which generate return from various underlying groups of assets such as mortgages, loans or other assets may bear a greater risk of loss due to possible default of some of the underlying assets. Complete information on the risks of investing in the Fund are set out in the Fund's prospectus.

Glossary

**Ongoing Charges Figure (OCF):** The Ongoing Charges Figure (OCF) includes the fees paid to the management company, the investment manager and the depository, as well as certain other expenses. The OCF is calculated by taking the relevant main material costs paid out over the 12-month period indicated and dividing them by the average net assets over the same period. The OCF does not include all expenses paid by the fund (for example, it does not include what the fund pays for buying and selling securities). For a comprehensive list of the types of costs deducted from fund assets, see the prospectus. For recent all-in annual costs, as well as hypothetical performance scenarios that show the effects that different levels of return could have on an investment in the fund, where applicable, see the KID. **Comparator:** Benchmark is used for comparing Fund performance, but is not a constraint to Fund Investment. **Average Credit Quality:** The average credit quality reflects the holdings of the underlying issues, based on the size of each holding and ratings assigned to each based on rating agency assessments of its creditworthiness. **Weighted Average Maturity:** An estimate of the number of years to maturity, taking the possibility of early payments into account, for the underlying holdings. **Effective Duration** is a duration calculation for bonds with embedded options. Effective duration takes into account that expected cash flows will fluctuate as interest rates change. Duration measures the sensitivity of price (the value of principal) of a fixed-income investment to a change in interest rates. The higher the duration number, the more sensitive a fixed-income investment will be to interest rate changes. **Yield to Maturity ('YTM'):** is the rate of return anticipated on a bond if it is held until the maturity date. YTM is considered a long-term bond yield expressed as an annual rate. The calculation of YTM takes into account the current market price, par value, coupon interest rate and time to maturity. It is also assumed that all coupons are reinvested at the same rate. Yield figures quoted should not be used as an indication of the income that has or will be received. Yield figures are based on the portfolio's underlying holdings and do not represent a payout of the portfolio. **Yield to Maturity is calculated without the deduction of fees and expenses.** **Standard Deviation:** Measure of the degree to which a fund's return varies from the average of its previous returns. The larger the standard deviation, the greater the likelihood (and risk) that a fund's performance will fluctuate from the average return.

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