# PIMCO Asia High Yield Bond Fund

- The Fund may primarily invest in Asian higher yielding fixed income instruments (i.e. fixed income instruments that are below investment grade and unrated securities of similar credit rating).
- Investments in fixed income securities are subject to interest rate, credit, credit rating, valuation and downgrade risks. The Fund is also subject to risks of investing in high yield, below investment grade and unrated securities.
- It is subject to risks associated with emerging markets, concentration, sovereign debt, mortgage-related and other asset-backed securities, currency, liquidity and repurchase / reverse repurchase transactions.
- It is also subject to risks relating to Mainland debt securities and direct access to the China Inter-Bank Bond Market and PRC tax risk.
- It may invest more than 10% in non-investment grade securities issued or guaranteed by a single sovereign issuer (e.g. Maldives, Mongolia, Pakistan, Sri Lanka, and Vietnam) which may be subject to increased credit risk and risk of default
- It may invest in financial derivative instruments which may involve additional risks (e.g. market, counterparty, liquidity, volatility and leverage risks).
- It may at its discretion pay dividends out of capital directly or effectively, which amounts to a return or withdrawal of part of an investor's original investment or from any capital gains attributable to the original investment.
   Any distributions involving the payment of dividends out of the Fund's capital may result in an immediate reduction of the Fund's net asset value per share.
- Investments involve risks and your investment may suffer significant losses.
- Investors should not rely solely on this material and should read the offering document of the Fund for further details including the risk factors.

#### E CLASS ACCUMULATION AND INCOME SHARES

Morningstar Rating™ ★ ★ ★

#### **Fund Description**

The Asia High Yield Bond Fund is an actively managed portfolio that invests primarily in Asia high yield bonds. The fund is diversified broadly across industries, issuers, and countries in Asia on the basis of PIMCO's top-down and bottom-up processes.

This fund offers compelling diversification benefits and the opportunity to gain exposure to different sectors of Asian markets.

The fund employs PIMCO's fundamental research process, including top-down economic views, bottom-up security selection and extensive global resources. The Fund may use or invest in financial derivatives.

### **About the Benchmark**

The J.P. Morgan JACI Non-Investment Grade Index comprises fixed rate US Dollar-denominated high yield bonds issued by Asia sovereigns, quasi-sovereigns, banks and corporates. The existing JACI Non-IG contains both fixed and floating rate bonds issued by Asia-domiciled entities having a nominal outstanding of at least US\$150 million and more than one year to maturity.

Unless otherwise stated in the prospectus, the Fund is not managed against a particular benchmark or index, and any reference to a particular benchmark or index in this factsheet is made solely for risk or performance comparison purposes.

#### **Key Facts**

	Accumulation	Income		
Bloomberg Ticker	PIAHYEA	PIAHYEI		
ISIN	IE00BGSXQR19	IE00BGSXQS26		
Sedol	BGSXQR1	BGSXQS2		
CUSIP	G7S11T796	G7S11T663		
Valoren	45166626	45167013		
WKN	A2PAD1	A2PAD2		
Inception Date	01/07/2020	14/02/2019		
Distribution	-	monthly <sup>1</sup>		
Unified Management Fee	1.55% p.a.	1.55% p.a.		
Fund Type	UCITS			
Portfolio Manager Stephen Chang-S, Abhijeet Neogy. Mohit Mittal				
Total Net Assets	2.4 (USD in Billions)			
Fund Base Currency	USD			
Share Class Currency	USD			
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Fund Statistics	
Effective Duration (yrs) <sup>††</sup>	2.24
Benchmark Duration (yrs)	2.67
Current Yield (%)⊕	7.29
Estimated Yield to Maturity (%)⊕	10.77
Annualised Distribution Yield (%)†	6.62
Average Coupon (%)	5.66
Effective Maturity (yrs)	4.59
Average Credit Quality	BA+

<sup>1</sup>This share class aims to pay dividend on a monthly basis. Dividend payout is not guaranteed.

#### MANAGER

PIMCO Global Advisors (Ireland) Limited

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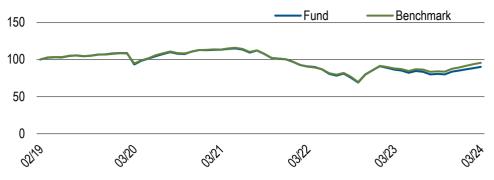


Chart shows performance from the first month-end, rebased to 100, for the E Inc USD class. Past Performance is not a guarantee or reliable indicator of future results and no guarantee is being made that similar returns will be achieved in the future. Source: PIMCO

Performance (Net of Fees)	1 Mo.	3 Mos.	6 Mos.	1 Yr.	3 Yrs.	5 Yrs.	SI
E, Acc (%)	1.89	5.90	11.82	4.36	-7.30	_	-3.91
E, Inc (%)	1.89	5.91	11.91	4.35	-7.32	-2.55	-1.90
Benchmark (%)	1.81	6.83	13.53	8.60	-5.60	-1.48	_

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Calendar Year (Net of Fees)	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	YTD
E, Acc (%)	_	7.90*	-11.12	-14.81	-0.49	5.90
E, Inc (%)	8.89*	4.25	-11.12	-14.76	-0.48	5.91
Benchmark (%)	12.76	4.94	-11.05	-15.09	4.76	6.83

<sup>&#</sup>x27;Since launch date to end of launch year. Past Performance is not a guarantee or reliable indicator of future results and no guarantee is being made that similar returns will be achieved in the future. The benchmark is the J.P. Morgan JACI Non-Investment Grade Index

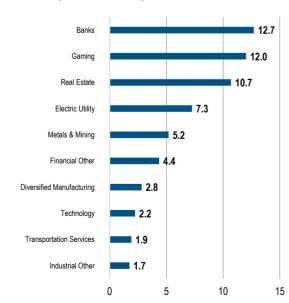
All periods longer than one year are annualised. SI is the performance since inception. Performance shown is on a NAV-to-NAV basis in the denominated currency and are net of fees and other expenses and include reinvestment of dividends, as applicable.

**Top 10 Corporate Holdings\*** 

STANDARD CHARTERED PLC	2.5
PERIAMA HOLDINGS LLC/DE SR UNSEC	2.1
GREENKO WIND PROJECTS MU 1L REGS	1.8
MELCO RESORTS FINANCE SR UNSEC REGS	1.8
NWD FINANCE (BVI) LTD SR UNSEC	1.4
MGM CHINA HOLDINGS LTD SR UNSEC REGS	1.4
SHRIRAM FINANCE LTD SEC REGS	1.3
STANDARD CHARTERED PLC	1.2
VEDANTA RESOURCES	1.2
KASIKORNBANK PCL HK RVC	1.2

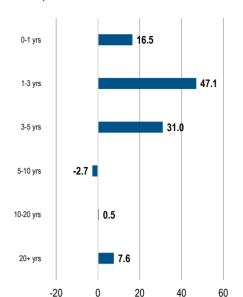
<sup>\*</sup>Top 10 corporate holdings as of 31/12/2023, excluding derivatives.

**Top 10 Industries (% Market Value)** 

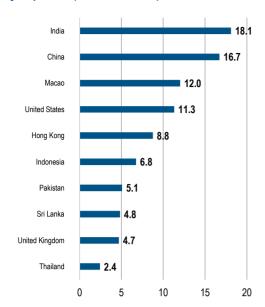


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#### Maturity (% Market Value)



Top 10 Country Exposure (% Market Value)



Market Value % may not equal 100 due to rounding

The country exposures exclude cash and cash equivalents Source: PIMCO

Source: PIMCO, index provider for benchmark data.

PIMCO calculates a Fund's Estimated Yield to Maturity by averaging the yield to maturity of each security, held in the Fund on a market weighted basis. PIMCO sources each security's yield to maturity from PIMCO's Portfolio Analytics database. When not available in PIMCO's Portfolio Analytics database, PIMCO sources the security's yield to maturity from Bloomberg. When not available in either database, PIMCO will assign a yield to maturity for that security from a PIMCO mature based on prior data. The source data used in such circumstances is a static metric and PIMCO makes no representation as to the accuracy of the data for the purposes of calculating the Estimated Yield to Maturity. The Estimated Yield to Maturity is provided for illustrative purposes only and should not be relied upon as a primary basis for an investment decision and should not be interpreted as a guarantee or prediction of future performance of the Fund or the likely returns of any investment. "Where permitted by the investment guidelines stated in the portfolio's price sensitivity expressed in years. PIMCO duration calculation that adjusts the durations of credit securities to account for the potential that in the event of default investors will receive the recovery amount prior to the maturity of the security. Differences in the Fund's performance versus the index and related attribution information with respect to particular categories of securities or individual positions may be attributable, in part, to differences in the pricing methodologies used by the Fund and the index. Negative allocations may result from derivative positions and unsettled trades and does not imply the fund is short cash, is levered, or that the derivatives are not fully cash backed. Duration is the sensitivity of a fixed income security to a change in interest rates. The longer the duration of a fixed income security, the higher its sensitivity to interest rates. Duration weighted Exposure (DWE%) is the percenta

†Annualised distribution yield= ( Dividend Rate \* 12 ) / NAV on ex-dividend day. Annualised Distribution Yield is as of 31/03/2024. Dividend is not guaranteed. A positive distribution yield does not imply a positive return. Investment involves risk. Past performance is not a guarantee or a reliable indicator of future results and no guarantee is being made that similar returns will be achieved in the future. Investment returns not denominated in US/HK dollar will expose US/HK dollar-based investors to exchange rate fluctuations. The Funds typically offer different share classes, which are subject to different fees and expenses (which may affect performance), have different minimum investment requirements and are entitled to different services. In an environment where interest rates may trend upward, rising rates will negatively impact most bond funds, and fixed income securities held by a fund are likely to descrease in value. Bond funds and individual bonds with a longer duration (a measure of the expected life of a security) tend to be more sensitive to changes in interest rates, usually making them more volatile than securities with shorter durations.

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