









Monthly Factsheet - 31st August 2025

Company Overvi	ew					
Fund Name:	SVS RM Infrastructure Bond Fund					
Launch Date:	15 <sup>th</sup> June 2023					
Regulatory Status:	FCA Authorised, l	ised, UCITS				
Classification:	Non-Complex					
Fund Size:	£10.3m					
Sector:	IA Sterling Strate	gic Bond				
Share Classes:	Income & Accum	ulation				
Currencies:	GBP					
Distribution Yield*	5.25%					
Number of holdings	52					
Duration	5.41 years					
Volatility 30-day av.	1.99%					
Volatility 90-day av.	1.95%					
Share Class GBP Acc (F) GBP Acc (I) GBP Income (F) GBP Income (I)	ISIN GB00BR103F36 GB00BR104F01 GB00BR104D86 GB00BR104G18	Price 118.40 118.20 104.10 105.40				
Next Dividend Ex Date:	31/10/2025					
Dividend Pay Dates, month end:	March, June, September, December.					
Annual Management	F Class: 0.45% / OCF 0.50%					
Charges <sup>1</sup> :	I Class: 0.55% / OCF 0.60%					
Transactions Costs:	0.01%					
Target Fund Objectives:	Capital preservation. Income returns greater than SONIA.					
Dealing Frequency:	Daily					
Valuation Frequency:	Daily					

The Investment Manager of the Fund has undertaken to absorb any costs that would otherwise cause the class F/I/shares of the Fund to have ongoing charges more than 0.50%. (F) and 0.60% (I) respectively.

\* Distribution yield represents the dividend paid over the last four quarters as a percentage of the GBP Income I class NAV the day following the ex-dividend date.

Fund data is based upon the SVS RM Infrastructure Bond GBP F Accumulation Class.

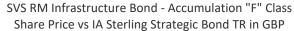
# **Overview**

The investment objective of the SVS RM Infrastructure Bond fund, "RMIBF" or "the fund" is to provide income greater than Sterling Overnight Index Average ("SONIA") whilst preserving capital over the medium to longer term (3-5 years).

In normal market conditions, the Sub-fund seeks to meet its objectives by investing at least 80% directly into fixed income securities. These may include investment grade and sub investment grade bonds issued by companies operating in the infrastructure sector, for example, economic infrastructure, social infrastructure and energy, waste and water infrastructure companies.

# **Monthly NAV Performance & Dividend**

Referencing the F Accumulation class, the fund's percentage total return for the period since the fund launch on 15<sup>th</sup> June 2023 has been 18.40% net of fees, with a percentage total return for the month of 0.42%.





Period shown from 15<sup>th</sup> June 2023 to 31<sup>st</sup> August 2025. Capital is at risk; returns are not guaranteed, and past performance is no guarantee of future performance.

1 Source: FE Fundinfo

# Portfolio Activity & Market Commentary

The portfolio underperformed the index during the month with the F Accumulation Class returning 0.42% versus the index which returned 0.71%. The shortfall was primarily driven by the portfolio's preference for higher-quality investment grade credit, which lagged as spreads in this segment experienced less tightening compared to the broader index.

Indiscriminate demand for all-in yields – irrespective of spread levels - coupled with thin net new supply have meant that credit has ground to its tightest levels in 27 years. Fundamentals across large parts of the market do not, in our view, support current pricing. Growth forecasts are being revised lower, and distress, defaults and bankruptcies are becoming more visible in the fringes of the leveraged loan market, yet spreads show little sign of acknowledgement. August was also a notably quiet month for the primary market with the fund participating in just two new deals.

Against this backdrop, selectivity remains critical. The portfolio is defensively positioned, with an emphasis on high-quality, non-cyclical names. Although spreads are historically tight, we see enough dispersion to uncover alpha opportunities through disciplined active management and continue to view the investment grade segment as offering the most attractive value, thus 85% of the portfolio is allocated into BBB or higher bonds.

In government bonds, yields were volatile, and the curve steepened, with 10s30s steepening by +6bps. As long-end yields climbed, we added longer dated risk, believing the sell-off overdone. This proved well-timed as yields retraced toward month-end, helped by US datapoints pointing to a cooling economy.

Overall, we remain cautious. While spreads suggest optimism, underlying fundamentals point to a more challenging environment ahead.

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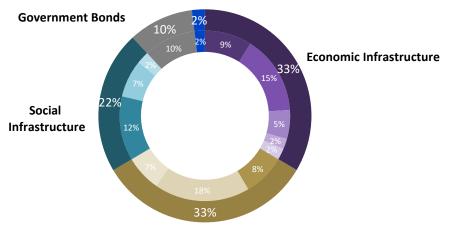
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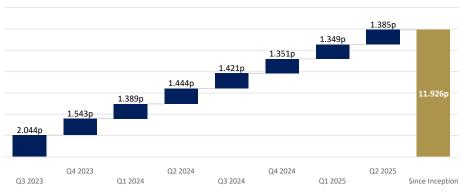
# Cash/Near Cash Notes



## **Regulated Infrastructure**

- Economic Infrastructure Airports & Seaports 9%
- Economic Infrastructure Telecoms 15%
- Economic Infrastructure Road & Rail 5%
- Economic Infrastructure Digital 2%
- Economic Infrastructure Commercial Real Estate 2%
- Regulated Infrastructure Electric Utility 8%
- Regulated Infrastructure Energy Distribution/Transmission 18%
- Regulated Infrastructure Water Utility 7%
- Social Infrastructure Healthcare 12%
- Social Infrastructure Housing Association 8%
- Social Infrastructure Education 2%
- Government Bonds 10%
- Cash/Near Cash Notes 2%

# SVS RM Infrastructure Bond - Institutional "I" Class Distribution (GBp/share)<sup>1</sup>



<sup>1</sup> Source: Tutman Fund Solutions Limited

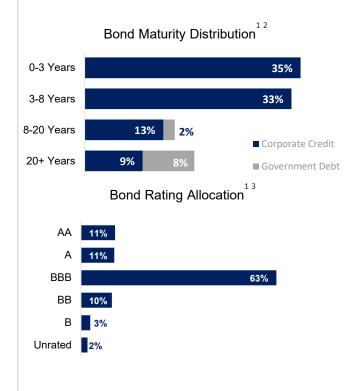
	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	YTD
Dividends p (1)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.044	-	-	2.044
NAV (2)	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.9	101.6	102.1	102.5	104.3	107.6	
NAV monthly return <sup>(2)</sup>	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.92%	0.69%	0.49%	0.39%	1.76%	3.16%	7.60%
IA £ Strategic Bond Indx <sup>(3)</sup>	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.02%	(0.05%)	(0.03%)	(0.71%)	2.65%	4.57%	6.59%

Cumulative Performance & Distribution- 2024													
	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	YTD
Dividends p (1)	1.543	-	-	1.389	-	-	1.444	-	-	1.421	-	-	5.797
NAV (2)	107.3	107.2	108.9	108.3	108.4	110.1	111.5	112.4	113.5	113.6	114.2	114.2	
NAV monthly return <sup>(2)</sup>	(0.28%)	(0.09%)	1.59%	(0.55%)	0.09%	1.57%	1.27%	0.81%	0.98%	0.09%	0.53%	0.09%	6.62%
IA £ Strategic Bond Indx <sup>(3)</sup>	(0.57%)	(0.49%)	1.41%	(1.30%)	0.71%	1.06%	0.76%	1.53%	0.60%	(0.26%)	0.58%	(0.64%)	4.00%

Cumulative Performance & Distribution – 2025													
	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	YTD
Dividends p (1)	1.351	-	-	1.349	-	-	1.385	-	-	-	-	-	4.085
NAV (2)	115.3	116.1	115.6	115.5	116.0	117.2	117.9	118.4	-	-	-	-	
NAV monthly return <sup>(2)</sup>	0.87%	0.69%	(0.43%)	(0.09%)	0.52%	1.03%	0.60%	0.42%	-	-	-	-	3.59%
IA £ Strategic Bond Indx <sup>(3)</sup>	0.79%	0.82%	(0.75%)	0.41%	0.37%	1.14%	0.36%	0.71%	-	-			3.90%

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<sup>3)</sup> Benchmark - IA Sterling Strategic Bond TR in GB



TOP TEN HOLDINGS		
Issuer	Maturity	% of Fund
Assura PLC	Jun 2033	7.3%
Scottish and Southern Energy	Nov 2028	4.3%
Thames Tideway Tunnel	Jul 2033	4.1%
UK GILT	Oct 2050	4.0%
Electricity Northwest	Mar 2026	4.0%
Vodafone	Oct 2078	3.9%
Heathrow Airport	Dec 2026	3.1%
RMPA Services	Sep 2038	3.0%
UK Power Networks	Jun 2026	3.0%
Gatwick Airport	Mar 2026	3.0%

 $^{1}$ Percentages may not add up to 100% due to rounding.

1. The target benchmark for the Sub-fund is SONIA. The ACD has selected this benchmark as the ACD believes it best reflects the target returns over the medium to longer term (3 – 5 years). Investors may also compare overall performance of the Sub-fund against the IA Sterling Strategic Bond Sector. Comparison against this benchmark will give shareholders an indication of how the Sub-fund is performing against an industry wide measure of portfolios with a similar strategy. The ACD has selected this benchmark as the ACD believes it best reflects the asset allocation of the Sub-fund. This benchmark is not a target for the Sub-fund, nor is the Sub-fund constrained by the benchmark.

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<sup>(1)</sup> GBP Income "I" Class

<sup>2)</sup> GBP Accumulation "F" Class

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Perpetual Bonds are calculated according to their first call date.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup>Bond ratings taken from Bloomberg Composite credit ratings.

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