

Core Plus Fixed Income Strategy

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INVESTMENTS

PORTFOLIO MANAGEMENT

- » Matt Freund, CFA, Co-CIO, Head of Fixed Income Strategies, Senior Co-Portfolio Manager
- » Charles E. Carmody, CFA, Vice President, Co-Portfolio Manager and Senior Fixed Income Trader

The team leverages the insights and analysis of the Calamos Investment Committee, as well as dedicated research, risk management, trading and portfolio specialist team support.

CALAMOS PROFILE

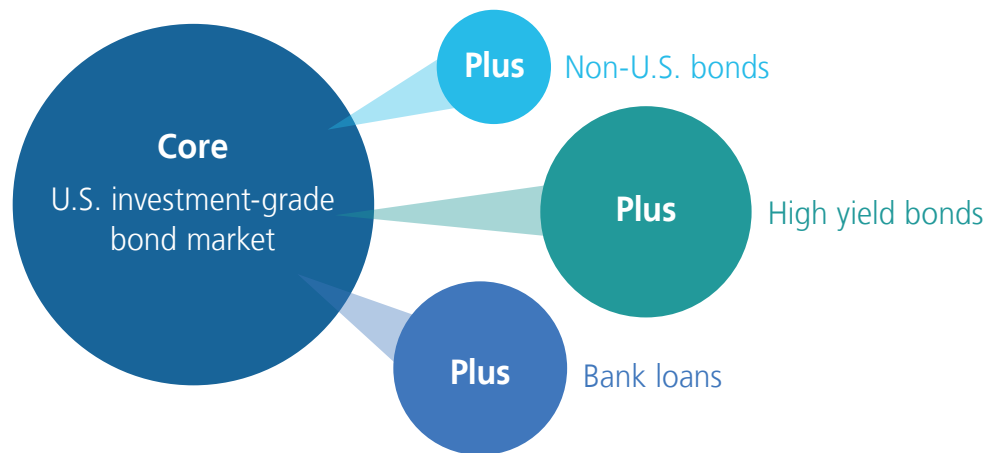
- » Multi-disciplined, global asset manager
- » Headquartered in Chicago-metro area, with offices in New York, San Francisco and London
- » Founded in 1977
- » AUM of U.S. \$23.6 billion
- » Institutional Assets[†] of U.S. \$10.5 billion
- » 327 employees*, 63 investment professionals

[†]Institutional Assets include institutional share classes of open-end funds and assets managed for institutions.

*Information as of 9/30/18. Total represents full-time employees of the operating subsidiaries of Calamos Asset Management, Inc. Part-time employees and consultants are excluded.

Synthesizing Opportunities

The Strategy diversifies the majority of its assets across the “core” areas of U.S. bond market. Complementary, specialized “plus” allocations seek to increase return potential and enhance risk management. Allocations to core and plus are dynamically managed, based on our view of the investment landscape.



Core

- » U.S. Treasury and agency bonds
- » Mortgage-backed securities
- » Investment-grade corporate bonds
- » Commercial mortgage-backed securities
- » Asset-backed securities

Plus

- » High-yield bonds
- » Non-U.S. bonds
- » Bank loans
- » Other, such as preferred shares and convertible securities

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SECURITY TYPE

	REPRESENTATIVE PORTFOLIO %
Investment Grade Corporate Debt	46.8
High Yield Corporate Debt	9.3
Government Debt	15.1
Securitized Debt	25.4
Syndicated Loans	3.4
U.S. Municipal Debt	0.0
Cash and Receivables/Payables	-0.2
TOTAL	100.0

YIELD

	REPRESENTATIVE PORTFOLIO %	BBB/BARC U.S. AGG BOND INDEX %
Current Yield	3.66	3.18
Yield to Worst	3.86	3.46
Average Coupon	3.57	3.14

MATURITY SCHEDULE

	REPRESENTATIVE PORTFOLIO %
Under 1 Year	1.2
1 To 3 Years	22.7
3 To 5 Years	16.6
5 To 7 Years	19.1
7 To 10 Years	22.2
10 To 20 Years	4.0
Over 20 Years	12.9
Equity & Other	1.4

Portfolio percent includes cash.

REPRESENTATIVE PORTFOLIO LARGEST 10 HOLDINGS

	COUPON %	MATURITY	REPRESENTATIVE PORTFOLIO %
Federal National Mortgage Association FN MA3087	3.00%	07/01/46	1.8
Government National Mortgage Association II Pool	3.50%	08/01/47	1.6
Private Export Funding	2.65%	10/20/47	1.4
FHMS K069 A1	2.89%	02/16/21	1.4
SBIC 2017-10B 1	2.52%	06/25/27	1.4
Federal National Mortgage Association	2.52%	09/10/27	1.2
Federal National Mortgage Association	4.00%	04/01/48	1.2
Ally Master Owner Trust Series 2018-1, Class A2	2.70%	01/17/23	1.1
Federal National Mortgage Association	4.50%	04/01/48	1.0
Federal National Mortgage Association	3.50%	11/01/47	1.0
TOTAL			13.1

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CREDIT QUALITY ALLOCATION

	REPRESENTATIVE PORTFOLIO %
AAA	10.8
AA	13.2
A	16.0
BBB	26.3
BB	9.1
B	2.2
CCC and below	0.0
Government Securities	15.1
Unrated Securities	7.3

Bond credit quality allocation reflects information from nationally recognized rating agencies including Standard & Poor's Corporation. Ratings are relative, subjective and not absolute standards of quality. Excludes equity securities and cash.

CHARACTERISTICS

	REPRESENTATIVE PORTFOLIO	BBB/BARC U.S. AGG BOND INDEX
Assets in Strategy (mil) ¹	\$58.6	N/A
Total Number of Holdings	181	10,108
Annual Turnover	72.34%	N/A
Average Effective Duration	5.8 years	5.96 years
Average Maturity	8.93 years	8.35 years
Option Adjusted Spread (OAS)	82 bps	31 bps

¹Strategy AUM reflects all assets that are currently being managed (collectively) under the Calamos Core Plus Fixed Income Strategy.

RISK STATISTICS

	REPRESENTATIVE PORTFOLIO	BBB/BARC U.S. AGG BOND INDEX
Annualized Standard Deviation (5-Year)	2.67%	2.70%
Beta (5-Year)	0.84	1.00

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ANNUALIZED TOTAL RETURNS

	1-YEAR	3-YEAR	5-YEAR	10-YEAR	SINCE INCEPTION (7/07)
Calamos Core Plus Fixed Income (gross of fees)	-0.67	2.42	2.98	4.61	4.71
Calamos Core Plus Fixed Income (net of fees)	-1.22	1.86	2.41	4.04	4.14
BBgBarc U.S. Aggregate Bond Index	-1.22	1.31	2.16	3.77	3.93

CALENDAR YEAR RETURNS

	YTD 2018	2017	2016	2015	2014	2013	2012	2011	2010	2009	2008
Calamos Core Plus Fixed Income (gross of fees)	-0.98%	3.90%	4.24%	2.06%	4.67%	1.08%	4.98%	4.32%	6.87%	9.15%	9.15%
Calamos Core Plus Fixed Income (net of fees)	-1.39	3.33	3.67	1.50	4.10	0.53	4.40	3.75	6.29	8.56	8.56
BBgBarc U.S. Aggregate Bond Index	-1.60	3.54	2.64	0.55	5.96	-2.02	4.22	7.84	6.54	5.93	5.93

Portfolio Manager Biographies



MATT FREUND, CFA

CO-CIO, HEAD OF FIXED INCOME STRATEGIES, SENIOR CO-PORTFOLIO MANAGER

As a Co-Chief Investment Officer, Matt Freund is responsible for oversight of investment team resources, investment processes, performance and risk. As Head of Fixed Income Strategies, he manages investment team members and has portfolio management responsibilities. He is also a member of the Calamos Investment Committee, which is charged with providing a top-down framework, maintaining oversight of risk and performance metrics, and evaluating investment process. Matt joined Calamos in 2016 and has 29 years of industry experience. Prior to joining Calamos, he was Chief Investment Officer of USAA Investments, leading the teams responsible for the portfolio management of USAA's mutual funds and affiliated portfolios, including P&C and life insurance products, and overseeing more than \$140 billion in assets. During this time, he also served as lead portfolio manager for several highly regarded fixed income mutual funds. Earlier in his career, Matt served as a senior investment analyst for MetLife in the Capital Markets Group. He received a B.A. in Accounting from Franklin & Marshall College and an M.B.A. from Indiana University.



CHARLES E. CARMODY, CFA

VICE PRESIDENT, CO-PORTFOLIO MANAGER AND SENIOR FIXED INCOME TRADER

Charles Carmody is responsible for portfolio management and investment research, as well as fixed income trading. He joined Calamos in 2004 and has 20 years of experience. Prior to joining Calamos, he served as vice president of fixed income trading at Arbor Research and Trading and worked at Van Kampen Investments. Charles holds a B.S. in Finance from St. Joseph's College. He is a CFA charterholder and holds Series 7 and 63 licenses.

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Fees include the investment advisory fee charge by Calamos Advisors LLC. Returns greater than 12 months are annualized. Chart Data Sources: Mellon Analytical Solutions, LLC and Calamos Advisors LLC.

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