

Global High Yield Broad (Euro Hedged) Strategy



As of December 31, 2025

STRATEGY HIGHLIGHTS

Objective ¹	To maximize excess returns versus the ICE BofA Developed Markets High Yield Constrained Index (Euro Hedged) over the long term.		Inception Date	May 01, 2002
Target Sources of Excess Return	• Market / Sector Allocation & Spread Curve	20%	Strategy Assets	\$5.64 billion as of September 30, 2025
	• Industry / Issuer Specific	80%	Benchmark	ICE BofA Developed Markets High Yield Constrained Index (Euro Hedged)
	• Duration / Interest Rate / Currency	0%		

INVESTMENT PHILOSOPHY & PROCESS

- The Global High Yield Broad Strategy, which seeks to identify attractive high yield credits in multiple countries and currencies around the world, is designed to benefit from enhanced diversification and alpha through active regional and currency allocations absent from just US or European high yield.
- PGIM attempts to achieve this through well-diversified portfolios of performing credits that are carefully researched. Intensive fundamental research is conducted by a large and experienced internal credit research staff to identify strong and improving credits.
- The size and experience of the research organization permit us to apply intense focus on individual securities identified from a broad pool of investment opportunities.
- Portfolios are then actively managed to capture the best opportunities and minimize credit losses, within an environment of disciplined risk management oversight.
- PGIM does not take extremely large positions, either on an absolute basis or relative to benchmarks, in any single issuer or industry as a primary means to achieve outperformance.
- We do not hold a significant portion of the portfolio in an asset class other than US and European high yield bonds, such as common stocks or emerging markets.

1 Senior portfolio manager develops top down themes and regional views by leveraging firms resources

2 Investment Team selects securities and constructs portfolio

Fundamental Value Assessment

Credit analysts evaluate all industries and issuers in the universe. Focus on downside protection:

- Asset quality
- Capital structure
- Covenants

Relative Value Security Selection

Sector portfolio managers evaluate and maximize relative value among approved universe:

- Choose credits with strong fundamentals and best relative value

Position Sizing

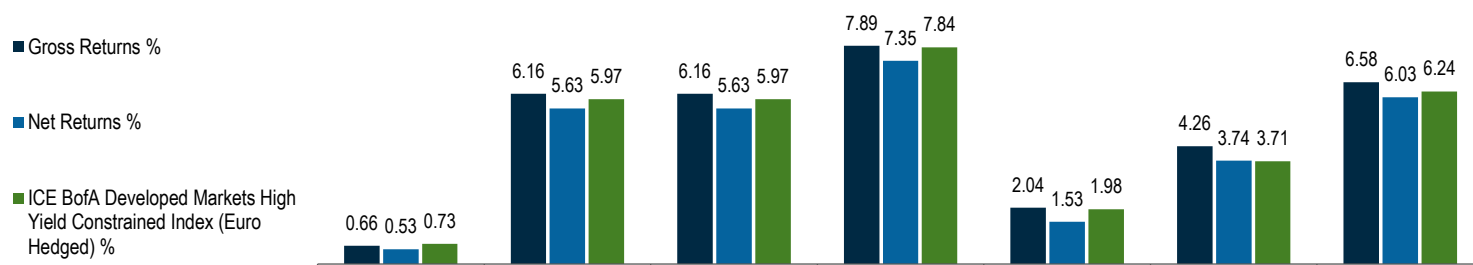
Sector portfolio managers size positions:

- Evaluate industry, issuer and market fundamentals
- Achieve top-down beta and curve positioning objectives
- Refine position sizes as risk profiles and thresholds change

3 Portfolio Managers and Risk Managers monitor portfolio risk at all levels—interest rate, beta, industry, region, issuer, and quality

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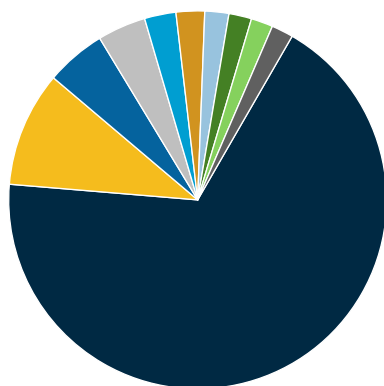
PERFORMANCE¹ | PERIODS ENDING DECEMBER 31, 2025

	QTD	YTD	1 Year	3 Year	5 Year	10 Year	Since Inception (01 May 2002)
Excess Returns - Gross (bps)	-7	+19	+19	+6	+6	+55	+34
Excess Returns - Net (bps)	-20	-34	-34	-48	-45	+3	-21
Tracking Error (%)	NM	NM	NM	0.51	0.75	1.53	1.93
Information Ratio (Gross)	NM	NM	NM	0.09	0.06	0.40	0.15
Information Ratio (Net)	NM	NM	NM	-0.90	-0.61	0.07	-0.12

Excess Returns may reflect rounding differences. Information ratio and tracking error are not meaningful (NM) for periods less than 3 years. Data is presented on both a gross and net basis, where applicable. Gross metrics do not reflect the deduction of fees and other expenses to be borne by accounts using the Strategy, which will reduce returns and, in the aggregate, may be substantial. Additional performance information is available upon request. Please visit www.pgim.com for contact information.

PORTFOLIO HIGHLIGHTS²

Top 10 Country Allocation (%)



United States United Kingdom France Canada Japan
Ireland Luxembourg Spain Netherlands Italy

Top 10 Country Allocation (%)

	Portfolio	ICE BofA Developed Markets High Yield Constrained Index (Euro Hedged)
United States	64.0	67.9
United Kingdom	9.3	5.1
France	4.8	5.6
Canada	3.9	3.7
Japan	2.5	2.0
Ireland	2.3	0.4
Luxembourg	1.9	1.6
Spain	1.8	1.2
Netherlands	1.8	1.4
Italy	1.8	3.1

Representative Characteristics (%)

	Portfolio	ICE BofA Developed Markets High Yield Constrained Index (Euro Hedged)
Effective Duration (yrs)	2.75	2.86
Effective Yield (%)	7.03	6.66
Spread (bps)	313	281
Average Coupon (%)	6.22	6.29
Average Quality (Moody's)	Ba3	B1
Number of Issuers	337	1126

Corporate Industry Allocation (%)

	Portfolio	ICE BofA Developed Markets High Yield Constrained Index (Euro Hedged)
Finance	11.5	12.0
Industrial	79.9	82.7
Utility	0.6	3.9
Non Credit	0.8	1.3

Top 10 Industries (%)

Retailers & Restaurants	7.6	5.2
Telecom	7.5	7.8
Health Care & Pharma	7.5	6.9
Building Materials & Home Cons	7.1	3.1
Consumer Non-Cyclical	5.9	7.4
Cable & Satellite	5.3	5.2
Gaming & Lodging & Leis.	4.1	5.4
Technology	4.0	7.2
Capital Goods	4.0	3.0
Finance Companies	3.8	3.3

Rating Distribution^{3,4}(%)

	Portfolio	ICE BofA Developed Markets High Yield Constrained Index (Euro Hedged)
AAA	0.0	0.0
AA	5.6	0.0
A	0.4	0.0
BBB	2.2	0.7
BB	41.7	56.9
B	37.8	32.1
CCC & Below	10.9	10.4
Not Rated	0.1	0.0

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INVESTMENT COMMENTARY

Markets

While U.S. HY bonds ended 2025 on a quiet note, December was the eighth consecutive month the market rallied. Benefiting from a backdrop of taming inflation, steady growth, and a resilient technical environment, HY spreads ended Q4 near-historic tights. European high yield bond spreads tightened in Q4, driven by a supportive market backdrop and strong technicals—primary proceeds continue to focus on refinancings and a market with ongoing inflows and solid fundamentals is absorbing the supply. A mix of top-down and bottom-up drivers helped EMD outperform other asset classes in 2025—including a combination of global/U.S. growth outperformance relative to expectations, EM growth resilience based on fundamentals and EM trade dynamics, a reversal of USD strength, healthy global liquidity that resulted in investors reaching for yield, DM/EM rate cuts, and a reframing of the new world order.

Portfolio

Overall security selection was the largest contributor to performance during the quarter, with selection in chemicals, telecom, and midstream energy contributing the most. The was partially offset by selection in cable & satellite, paper & packaging, and health care & pharmaceutical, which detracted.

Overall sector allocation contributed to performance, with an overweight to emerging market high yield bonds and an underweight to USD-denominated high yield bonds contributing the most. This was partially offset by an overweight to GBP-denominated high yield bonds, which detracted.

Overall industry allocation detracted from performance, with an overweight to chemicals, and underweights to media & entertainment and electric & water detracting the most. This was partially offset by overweights to paper & packaging and health care & pharmaceutical, which contributed.

From a market perspective, having more risk in the portfolio, on average, relative to the relevant benchmark had a negative impact on performance

PORTFOLIO MANAGERS



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