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The fund (before charges and tax) aims to provide returns in line with the performance of Euro Government Bond markets with a maturity of over 5 years by investing mainly in a representative sample of Euro Government securities.

The fund may use derivatives for the purpose of efficient portfolio management, reduction of risk or to meet its investment objective if this is permitted and appropriate.

Standard Life
Ireland
Investment Fund

Bond Fund

Monthly

Fund Manager	Derek Quinn
Launch Date	1 Oct 2004
Current Fund Size	€30.8m
Underlying Fund Size	€31.2m
Base Currency	EUR
AMC	1.00%

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Fund Information *

Composition by Region

	Fund %
France	24.3
Italy	22.9
Germany	21.2
Spain	9.2
Netherlands	6.9
Belgium	6.6
Austria	4.8
Ireland	1.8
Finland	1.6
EU	0.7

Composition by Maturity

	Fund %
0-5yrs	9.8
5-10yrs	29.4
15-20yrs	45.6
>20yrs	15.2

Top Ten Holdings

Bonds	Fund %
France (Govt of) 5.75% 2032	13.0
France (Rep of) 3.75% OAT 2017	9.1
Italy (Rep of) 6.5% 2027	8.1
Italy (Rep of) 5.25% 2017	7.1
Germany (Fed Rep) 5.625% 2028	7.1
Germany (Fed Rep) 4.25% 2017	6.5
Germany (Fed Rep) 5.5% 2031	5.3
Spain (Govt of) 6% 2029	5.1
Belgium (Kingdom) 5.5% 2028	4.4
Netherlands (Kingdom of) 5.5% 2028	4.3
Assets in top ten holdings	70.0

Fund Performance *

Cumulative Performance

Source: Standard Life Investments (Fund) and Thomson Datastream (Benchmark)

	1 Month (%)	YTD (%)	1 Year (%)	3 Years (% p.a)	5 Years (% p.a)
Synergy European Government Bond Tracker	-0.5	3.4	7.9	3.0	3.7
ML EMU DG >5 years	-0.2	4.7	9.4	4.3	4.9

Year on Year Performance

Source: Standard Life Investments (Fund) and Thomson Datastream (Benchmark)

	Year to 30/04/2012 (%)	Year to 30/04/2011 (%)	Year to 30/04/2010 (%)	Year to 30/04/2009 (%)	Year to 30/04/2008 (%)
Synergy European Government Bond Tracker	7.9	-3.1	4.5	7.8	1.7
ML EMU DG >5 years	9.4	-1.9	5.7	9.4	2.6

Note: The Performance figures quoted are calculated over the stated period to 30 April 2012 with gross income reinvested. Figures are based on units which contain 1.00% AMC. For the relevant charges on your policy please refer to your policy documentation. Performance excludes policy charges or tax which may apply. It is not the return on a premium.

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