Rathbone Strategic Bond Fund

Task Force on Climate-Related Financial Disclosures Product Report

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Your portfolio's impact on climate change

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Weighted Average Carbon Intensity (WACI)

The carbon intensity of the fund weighted by the amount invested in each company, which serve as a measurement of emissions performance of the fund (for Scope 1+ Scope 2). This is calculated in tonnes CO_2e divided by £M sales.

2025	2024	2023
10.7	7.8	12.1
tonnes CO_2e/£M sales	**tonnes CO_2e/£M sales**	**tonnes CO_2e/£M sales**
Data coverage 57%	Data coverage 57%	Data coverage 54%

Fund Manager's Commentary: The fund's weighted average carbon intensity increased in 2025, although it remains below the 2023 level. This measure can move year to year due to changes in portfolio holdings, company revenues and reported emissions data, so it should be viewed alongside the fund's broader climate metrics and data coverage.

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Total Carbon Footprint

The total carbon emissions of the fund divided by the total value of the fund. This is calculated in tonnes CO2e divided per £M invested.

2025	2024	2023
4.2	4.2	5.0
tonnes CO_2e/£M sales	**tonnes CO_2e/£M sales**	**tonnes CO_2e/£M sales**
Data coverage 50%	Data coverage 57%	Data coverage 42%*

Fund Manager's Commentary: The fund's total carbon footprint was unchanged in 2025 compared with 2024 and remains below the 2023 level. Data coverage reduced during the year, so the figure should be interpreted with some caution and alongside the other emissions measures shown in this report.

* If a datapoint has less than 50% coverage, we don't consider the data to be credible enough but have published the metric for consideration only.

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Scope 1 and 2 Greenhouse Gas Emissions

The sum of the total operational emissions from securities within the fund. This is calculated in tonnes CO_2e

2025	2024	2023
503	466	581
tonnes CO_2e	**tonnes CO_2e**	**tonnes CO_2e**
Data coverage 50%	Data coverage 57%	Data coverage 42%*

Fund Manager's Commentary: Scope 1 and 2 emissions increased in 2025 but remain below the 2023 level. The movement reflects changes in the companies held in the portfolio, their reported operational emissions and the level of available data coverage.

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Scope 3 Greenhouse Gas Emissions

The total indirect emissions that the fund is responsible for, within its value chain, including: employee travel, waste disposal, leased assets and franchises.

2025	2024	2023
11,490	10,689	12,469
tonnes CO_2e	**tonnes CO_2e**	**tonnes CO_2e**
Data coverage 50%	Data coverage 57%	Data coverage 42%*

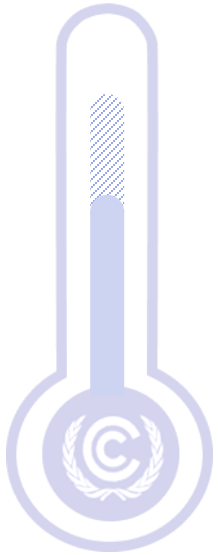
Fund Manager's Commentary: Scope 3 emissions increased in 2025, although they remain below the 2023 level. Scope 3 data is still developing and can be volatile, as it depends on companies' wider value-chain reporting and the availability of reliable emissions data.

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Implied temperature rise

The Implied Temperature Rise (ITR) is a forward- looking metric which provides an indication of how well the fund aligns with the ambitions of the Paris Agreement calculated in degrees Celsius.



2.2°C ITR Figure

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1.5 - 2°C

Paris Agreement target

How do these scenarios align to Paris Agreement commitments?

The Paris Agreement's central aim is to strengthen the global response to the threat of climate change by keeping the global temperature rise this century to well below 2 degrees Celsius above pre-industrial levels.

Scenario analysis

Climate value-at-risk attempts to assess the potential financial loss or gain from the fund as a result of climate change, including the impact of: climate policy; new technology opportunities; physical risks.

The 3 scenarios of climate change which we have assessed shows how a global temperature increase of between 1.5^{0}C and 3^{0}C by 2100 may impact the fund. We calculate these using the Network for Greening the Financial System (NGFS) REMIND model, accessed through MSCI.

	Orderly Transition	Disorderly Transition	Hot House World
Global temperature rise	+ 1.5C	+ 1.5C	+ 3.0C
Application of climate policies	Climate policies are introduced and gradually become more stringent	Climate policies are delayed or inconsistent across countries	Global efforts are insufficient to halt significant global warming
Your portfolio Climate value at risk (Data coverage: 51%)	**2025** -1.7%	**2025** -2.1%	**2025** -1.5%
Climate scenarios Climate scenario analysis helps us understand the implications of possible climate scenarios on our investment portfolio, and the resilience of our investment strategies in the transition to a net zero economy. Our approach to scenario analysis involves assessing the exposure of our equity and corporate bonds holdings by applying MSCI's Climate Value-at-Risk (Climate VaR) methodology.	Orderly transition scenarios assume climate scenarios assume climate policies are introduced early and become gradually more stringent. Both physical and transition risks are relatively subdued	Disorderly scenarios explore higher transition risk due to policies being delayed or divergent across countries and sectors. Carbon prices are typically higher for a given temperature outcome	Hot house world scenarios assume that some climate policies are implemented in some jurisdictions, but global efforts are insufficient to halt significant global warming. Critical temperature thresholds are exceeded, leading to severe physical risks and irreversible impacts like sea-level rise.

Fund Manager's Commentary: The fund shows a low negative climate value-at-risk across the orderly transition, disorderly transition and hothouse world scenarios. The disorderly transition scenario has the largest potential impact, reflecting the risk that delayed or uneven climate policy could create higher adjustment costs. Overall, the fund's climate risk is supported by diversified exposure and holdings that may benefit from the transition to a lower-carbon economy. The analysis is based on MSCI's climate scenario methodology and has 51% data coverage, so the results should be treated as an estimate rather than a precise forecast.

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Additional information

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