

Institutional Long Duration Credit Fund (RPLCX)

As of December 31, 2025



T. Rowe Price

Portfolio Management	Managed Since	Joined Firm
Rob Larkins	2018	2003
Yong Lee	2024	2010

Investment Objective

The fund seeks to provide high income.

General Information

CUSIP	77958B600
Inception Date	June 03, 2013
Benchmark	Bloomberg US Long Credit Index
Expense Information (as of the most recent Prospectus)	0.45%

Market Commentary

Investment-grade (IG) corporate bonds, as represented by the Bloomberg U.S. Corporate Investment Grade Bond Index, generated modest negative total returns in December. Higher yields at the long end of the U.S. Treasury curve weighed on absolute results, although credit sectors remained resilient and posted positive excess returns.

In terms of monetary policy, the Federal Reserve, as was widely expected, lowered its target range for the federal funds rate by 25 basis points to the 3.50%-3.75% range. Notably, however, three policymakers dissented for the first time in six years, with two officials favoring no change to the policy rate and one preferring a 50-basis-point cut. Fed Chair Jerome Powell's post-meeting press conference offered somewhat mixed messages, though ultimately appeared to be less hawkish than some investors were anticipating. While Powell noted that the Fed funds rate is "within a broad range of estimates of its neutral value" and that policymakers are "well positioned to wait and see how the economy evolves," he also referenced concerns about "significant downside risks" to the labor market.

U.S. IG corporates saw positive excess returns in December as spreads ended tighter as demand remained relatively steady and supply slowed as it typically does in the final month of the year. Financials made up the majority of issuance, followed by industrials and utilities. December's gross new issuance was above estimates at USD 38 billion.

Economic data releases, including delayed data due to the government shutdown, provided mixed signals during the month. October data was not released due to the shutdown. Annual headline inflation registered lower at 2.7% in November, down from 3.0% in September. Meanwhile, the annual core consumer price index decreased to 2.6% in November, down from 3.0% in September. In terms of November's employment data, nonfarm payrolls were slightly higher than expected at 64,000, while the unemployment rate rose above expectations to 4.6%, its highest since 2021.

Performance (%) (NAV, total return Performance > 1yr is Annualized)

	1m	3m	1yr	3yrs	5yrs	10yrs	Since Inception	30-Day SEC Yield
Institutional Long Duration Credit Fund (RPLCX)	-0.84	0.15	7.63	5.25	-2.99	3.36	3.36	5.14
Bloomberg U.S. Long Credit Bond Index (BULCI)	-1.01	0.00	7.77	5.35	-2.90	3.36	3.19	N/A

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The Fund's total return figures reflect the reinvestment of dividends and capital gains, if any.

The fund(s) may have other share classes available that offer different investment minimums and fees. See the prospectus for details.

Risks: Interest rates: A rise in interest rates typically causes the price of a fixed rate debt instrument to fall and its yield to rise. Conversely, a decline in interest rates typically causes the price of a fixed rate debt instrument to rise and the yield to fall. **Derivatives:** The use of derivatives exposes the fund to additional volatility and potential losses. A derivative involves risks different from, and possibly greater than, the risks associated with investing directly in the assets on which the derivative is based, including liquidity risk, valuation risk, correlation risk, market risk, interest rate risk, leverage risk, counterparty and credit risk, operational risk, management risk, legal risk, and regulatory risk. See the prospectus for more detail on the fund's principal risks.

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Risk Return Characteristics (Five Years ended December 31, 2025)

	Annualized Std. Deviation (%)	Alpha (%)	Beta	R-Squared	Information Ratio	Sharpe Ratio	Tracking Error (%)
Institutional Long Duration Credit Fund	13.01	-0.20	0.98	0.99	-0.10	-0.48	0.94
Bloomberg US Long Credit Index	13.19	0.00	1.00	1.00	0.00	-0.47	0.00

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Top 10 Issuers (%)	Industry	Fund
U.S. Treasuries	Treasuries	9.6
UnitedHealth Group	Insurance	2.2
AT&T	Communications	2.2
Comcast	Communications	1.7
Oracle	Technology	1.7
CVS Health	Consumer Cyclical	1.6
Anheuser-Busch InBev SA/NV	Consumer Non Cyclical	1.5
Goldman Sachs	Banking	1.5
JPMorgan Chase	Banking	1.4
Berkshire Hathaway CL A	Insurance	1.4

Comprising 24.8% of total net assets.

Portfolio Characteristics	Fund	BULCI
Number of Holdings	425	3,456
Weighted Average Maturity	19.55 years	22.15 years
Weighted Average Effective Duration	12.58 years	12.49 years
Weighted Average Coupon	5.43%	4.63%
Yield to Maturity	5.77%	5.64%
Total Assets (all share classes)	\$209,709,692	N/A
Percent of Portfolio in Cash	-0.1%	N/A

Sector Diversification (%)	Fund	BULCI
Non Corporate	11.4	10.3
Energy	10.1	8.5
US Treasuries	9.6	0.0
Electric Utility	9.5	11.2
Banking	9.5	7.4
Health/ Pharma	8.0	12.1
Insurance	6.6	5.9
Telecom	6.3	5.5
Technology	4.4	9.0
Media	4.2	4.9
Other	20.3	25.3

Credit Quality

Credit Quality Diversification (%)	Fund	BULCI
U.S. Treas	9.6	0.0
U.S. Govt Ag	0.3	0.0
AAA	0.9	3.8
AA	9.0	17.7
A	34.7	42.2
BBB	45.0	36.2
Not Rated	0.5	0.0
Reserves	-0.1	0.0

Maturity

Maturity Diversification (%)	Fund	Fund vs. BULCI
0-1 Year	-0.1	-0.1
1-3 Years	0.2	0.2
3-5 Years	0.8	0.8
5-7 Years	1.7	1.7
7-10 Years	18.3	18.3
10-20 Years	32.0	-8.8
20-30 Years	44.2	-6.6
30+ Years	2.9	-5.5

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