



# T. Rowe Price

## PORTFOLIO UPDATE

# Global Multi-Sector Bond Fund

As of March 31, 2024



**Portfolio Manager:**  
Kenneth Orchard

**Managed Fund Since:**  
2018

**Joined Firm:**  
2010

## INVESTMENT OBJECTIVE

The fund seeks to provide high income and some capital appreciation.

## FUND INFORMATION

Symbol	PRSNX
CUSIP	74149N106
Inception Date of Fund	December 15, 2008
Benchmark	Bloomberg Global Agg USD Hdg Index
Expense Information (as of the most recent Prospectus)*	0.71% (Gross) 0.65% (Net)
Fiscal Year End	May 31
12B-1 Fee	–

\*The Fund operates under a contractual expense limitation that expires on September 30, 2025.

## PERFORMANCE

(NAV, total return)

	One Month	Three Months	One Year	Three Years	Five Years	Ten Years	Fifteen Years	30-Day SEC Yield	30-Day SEC Yield w/o Waiver <sup>o</sup>
Global Multi-Sector Bond Fund	0.79%	0.93%	9.82%	-1.08%	2.02%	2.86%	4.83%	5.19%	5.16%
Bloomberg Global Aggregate Bond USD Hedged Index	0.90	0.01	4.14	-1.29	0.80	2.21	2.98	–	–
Linked Performance Benchmark*	0.90	0.01	4.14	-1.29	0.80	2.18	3.34	–	–

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<sup>o</sup>Excludes the effect of contractual expense limitation arrangements. If the expense waiver was not in effect for the 30-Day period shown, there may not be a difference in the 30-day SEC yields shown above.

The fund is subject to the risks of fixed income investing, including interest rate risk and credit risk. Any investments in foreign markets are also subject to political risk and currency risk.

\*Effective October 1, 2018, the benchmark for the Fund changed to the Bloomberg Global Aggregate Bond USD Hedged Index. Prior to this change, the benchmark was the Bloomberg Multiverse Index USD Hedged. Prior to February 1, 2017, the benchmark was the Bloomberg Global Aggregate ex Treasury Bond USD Hedged Index. Historical benchmark representations have not been restated.

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

## MARKET COMMENTARY

Global fixed income markets, as measured by the Bloomberg Global Aggregate Index hedged to U.S. dollars, rebounded in March and posted positive absolute and excess returns. Sovereign yields retreated across several countries after rising last month. Global credit spreads tightened for most sectors, which supported excess returns.

U.S. Treasury yields fluctuated during the month but finished slightly lower across much of the curve. Higher-than-expected inflation data helped drive up Treasury yields through the first half of the month, while a Federal Reserve meeting that was generally perceived as dovish sent rates lower toward the end of March. Eurozone and UK sovereign yields also fell over the period. The European Central Bank left policy rates on hold at its March meeting amid competing recession and inflation concerns, and policymakers also lowered their inflation forecasts. In the UK, the Bank of England (BoE) appeared surprisingly dovish following softer inflation data with the BoE voting 8 to 1 to keep rates on hold. The lone dissenter favored a rate cut. Yield movements in Japan were more muted, but rates at the very short end of the curve rose notably. Large Japanese companies agreed to labor union demands for higher wages, which played into the Bank of Japan's (BoJ) decision to deliver its first interest rate hike in 17 years. The move marked the end of the BoJ's experiment with negative interest rate policy that began in 2016. The BoJ also ended its yield-curve control program.

Broad credit spreads, as measured by the option-adjusted spread for the Bloomberg Global Aggregate Index, tightened in March. Market sentiment remained broadly supportive with investors anticipating the beginning of a global interest rate-cutting cycle. However, investors focused on the Fed's latest Summary of Economic Projections, which continued to show that the median Fed forecaster expects three interest rate cuts this year. The projections did point to stronger growth and inflation this year than previously indicated, while also removing one Fed rate cut from the forecast for 2025.

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**RISK RETURN CHARACTERISTICS**

(Five Years ended March 31, 2024)

	Annualized Std. Deviation	Alpha	Beta	R-Squared	Information Ratio	Sharpe Ratio	Tracking Error
Global Multi-Sector Bond Fund	7.42%	1.57%	1.17	0.58	0.25	-0.01	4.88%
Bloomberg Global Agg USD Hdg Index	4.87	0.00	1.00	1.00	0.00	-0.26	0.00
Global Multi-Sector Bond Fund	7.42	1.57	1.17	0.58	0.25	-0.01	4.88
Linked Performance Benchmark	4.87	0.00	1.00	1.00	0.00	-0.26	0.00

**Past performance is not a reliable indicator of future performance.** Figures are calculated using monthly data and are net of fees.

**TOP ISSUERS**

Comprising 20.1% of total net assets.

Country	% of Fund
Japan	4.9%
Federation of Malaysia	4.4
Harley-Davidson	1.7
Federal Republic of Germany	1.6
Republic of India	1.5
Kingdom of Thailand	1.4
Republic of Indonesia	1.4
Republic of Senegal	1.1
United Mexican States	1.1
Democratic Socialist Republic of Sri Lanka	1.0

Issuers are as of the date indicated and are subject to change.

**PORTFOLIO CHARACTERISTICS**

	Global Multi-Sector Bond Fund	Bloomberg Glob- al Agg USD Hdg Index
Number of Holdings	296	30,048
Weighted Average Maturity	6.49 years	8.44 years
Weighted Average Effective Duration	6.09 years	6.56 years
Weighted Average Coupon	4.15%	2.76%
Yield to Maturity	7.67%	3.74%
Percent of Portfolio in Cash	1.8%	–
Total Assets (all share classes)	1,506,232,360	–

**SECTOR DIVERSIFICATION**

	Global Sov- ereign	U.S. Mort- gage	Securi- tized	Global In- vestment Grade	Global High Yield	Emerging Market Corporates	Reserves
Global Multi-Sector Bond Fund	56.4%	0.0%	12.3%	10.7%	9.7%	9.1%	1.8%
Bloomberg Global Agg USD Hdg Index	67.6	10.7	3.1	18.0	0.0	0.6	0.0
<b>Over/Underweight</b>	<b>-11.2</b>	<b>-10.7</b>	<b>9.2</b>	<b>-7.3</b>	<b>9.7</b>	<b>8.6</b>	<b>1.8</b>

Global Sovereign includes global developed sovereign, emerging market hard currency sovereign and emerging market local sovereign bonds.

**CREDIT QUALITY DIVERSIFICATION**

	U.S. Treas*	U.S. Govt Ag**	AAA	AA	A	BBB	BB	B	CCC	C	Not Rated	Re- serves
Global Multi-Sector Bond Fund	7.4%	0.0%	10.6%	5.5%	20.2%	17.0%	15.5%	7.0%	2.6%	0.4%	1.7%	12.0%
Bloomberg Global Agg USD Hdg Index	17.2	11.1	13.2	14.3	31.2	12.8	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.3	0.0
<b>Over/Underweight</b>	<b>-9.8</b>	<b>-11.1</b>	<b>-2.6</b>	<b>-8.8</b>	<b>-11.0</b>	<b>4.2</b>	<b>15.5</b>	<b>7.0</b>	<b>2.6</b>	<b>0.4</b>	<b>1.4</b>	<b>12.0</b>

**MATURITY DIVERSIFICATION**

	0-1 Year	1-3 Years	3-5 Years	5-7 Years	7-10 Years	10-20 Years	20-30 Years	30+ Years
Global Multi-Sector Bond Fund	28.7%	6.2%	19.9%	16.0%	15.0%	6.0%	5.2%	3.0%
Bloomberg Global Agg USD Hdg Index	0.0	24.1	19.6	13.6	19.9	12.0	9.0	1.9
<b>Over/Underweight</b>	<b>28.7</b>	<b>-17.9</b>	<b>0.3</b>	<b>2.4</b>	<b>-4.8</b>	<b>-6.0</b>	<b>-3.8</b>	<b>1.1</b>

**Definitions**

Weighted Average Effective Duration is a calculation that seeks to measure the price sensitivity of a bond Fund to changes in interest rates. In general, the longer the average duration, the greater the Fund's sensitivity to interest rates.

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