

# SPDR<sup>®</sup> Portfolio Short Term Treasury ETF

## Key Features

- The SPDR<sup>®</sup> Portfolio Short Term Treasury ETF seeks to provide investment results that, before fees and expenses, correspond generally to the price and yield performance of the Bloomberg 1-3 Year U.S. Treasury Index (the "Index")
- One of the low cost core SPDR Portfolio ETFs, a suite of portfolio building blocks designed to provide broad, diversified exposure to core asset classes
- A low cost ETF that seeks to offer precise, comprehensive exposure to U.S. Treasuries that have a remaining maturity between 1 and 3 years
- May be less sensitive to interest rate fluctuations than vehicles with longer duration, and is market cap weighted and reconstituted on the last business day of the month

## About This Benchmark

The Bloomberg 1-3 Year U.S. Treasury Index is designed to measure the performance of short term (1-3 years) public obligations of the U.S. Treasury. The Index includes all publicly issued U.S. Treasury securities that have a remaining maturity of greater than or equal to 1 year and less than 3 years, are rated investment grade and have \$300 million or more of outstanding face value. In addition, the securities must be denominated in U.S. dollars, fixed rate and non-convertible. Securities excluded from the Index include state and local government series bonds, inflation protected public obligations of the U.S. Treasury, commonly known as "TIPS," floating rate bonds and coupon issues that have been stripped from bonds included in the Index. The Index is market capitalization weighted and the securities in the Index are updated on the last business day of each month.

## Fund Information

Inception Date	11/30/2011
CUSIP	78468R101

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Fact Sheet

Fixed Income

As of 12/31/2021

## Total Return (As of 12/31/2021)

	NAV (%)	Market Value (%)	Index (%)
<b>Cumulative</b>			
QTD	-0.59	-0.58	-0.58
YTD	-0.64	-0.66	-0.60
<b>Annualized</b>			
1 Year	-0.64	-0.66	-0.60
3 Year	2.00	1.99	2.03
5 Year	1.53	1.53	1.58
10 Year	1.10	1.11	1.17

Gross Expense Ratio (%)	0.06
Net Expense Ratio (%)	0.06
30 Day SEC Yield (%)	0.62

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The Bloomberg 1-3 Year U.S. Treasury Index reflects linked performance returns of both the Bloomberg 1-3 Year U.S. Treasury Index and the Bloomberg 1-5 Year U.S. Treasury Index. The index returns are reflective of the Bloomberg 1-5 Year U.S. Treasury Index from fund inception until 4/30/2018 and of the Bloomberg 1-3 Year U.S. Treasury Index effective 4/30/2018.

Prior to 8/24/2021, the Bloomberg 1-3 Year U.S. Treasury Index was known as the Bloomberg Barclays 1-3 Year U.S. Treasury Index.

## Characteristics

Average Yield To Worst	0.72%
Number of Holdings	100
Option Adjusted Duration	1.96
Option Adjusted Spread	-0.5

Top Sectors	Weight (%)
Treasury	99.97
Cash	0.03

Quality Breakdown	Weight (%)
Aaa	100.00

Totals may not equal 100 due to rounding.

Maturity Ladder	Weight (%)
0 - 1 Year	0.03
1 - 2 Years	53.26
2 - 3 Years	46.71

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### Information Classification: General

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### Glossary

**NAV** The market value of a mutual fund's or ETFs total assets, minus liabilities, divided by the number of shares outstanding.

**Market Value** Determined by the midpoint between the bid/offer prices as of the closing time of the New York Stock Exchange (typically 4:00PM EST) on business days.

**Gross Expense Ratio** The fund's total annual operating expense ratio. It is gross of any fee waivers or expense reimbursements. It can be found in the fund's most recent prospectus.

**30 Day SEC Yield** (Also known as Standardized Yield) An annualized yield that is calculated by dividing the net investment income earned by the fund over the most recent 30-day period by the current maximum offering price.

**Index Average Yield to Worst** The lowest potential yield that can be received on a bond without the issuer actually defaulting. The YTW is calculated by making worst-case scenario assumptions on the issue by calculating the return that would be received if the issuer uses provisions, including prepayments. When aggregating YTW for a portfolio level statistic, the weighted average of the YTW and market value for each security is used.

**Option Adjusted Duration** An option-adjusted measure of a bond's (or portfolio's) sensitivity to changes in interest rates calculated as the average percentage change in a bond's value (price plus accrued interest) under shifts of the Treasury curve +/- 100 bps. Incorporates the effect of embedded options for corporate bonds and changes in

prepayments for mortgage-backed securities. **Option Adjusted Spread** A measurement of a fixed-income security rate and the risk-free rate of return, which is then adjusted to take into account an embedded option.

**Quality Breakdown** Bloomberg uses the "middle rating" of Moody's, S&P, and Fitch to determine a security's index classification. If only two of the agencies rate a security, then the most conservative (lowest) rating will be used. If only one rating agency rates a security, that one rating will be used. Where there are no security level ratings, an issuer rating may be used to determine index classification. Bloomberg Index breakdowns are grouped into larger categories. For example, AAA+ and AAA are listed as Aaa; AA1, AA2, and AA3 are listed as Aa, etc.

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