# CPP Investments Debt Issuance Program

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# Overview

- Canada Pension Plan Investment Board (CPP Investments) is a Canadian federal Crown corporation whose legislated mandate is to invest the net contributions of the Canada Pension Plan (CPP).
- All Canadian employers, employees, and self-employed persons, except those in the Province of Quebec, make mandatory contributions to the CPP.
- The funds of the CPP invested by CPP Investments are fully segregated from all government accounts.
- Current net assets of C\$576 billion<sup>1</sup> are projected to grow to C\$3.6 trillion<sup>2</sup> by 2050.

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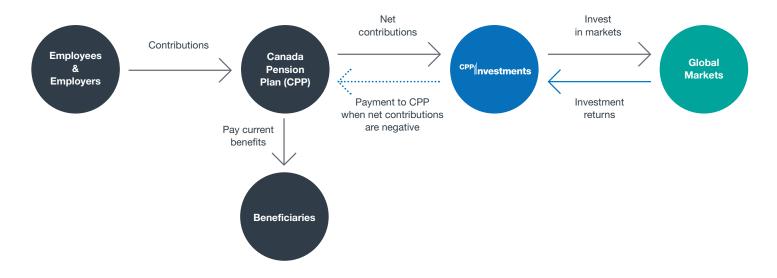




<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> C\$576 billion represents actual total Fund net assets as at September 30, 2023, CPP Investments Q2 Fiscal 2024 Results.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> C\$3.6 trillion represents projected total Fund net assets from the 31st Actuarial Report on the Canada Pension Plan at the legislated contribution rates.

# Relationship Between Canada Pension Plan and CPP Investments

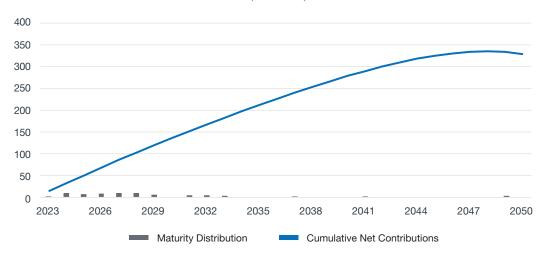


Note that the above graphic is a simplified representation of the relationship between CPP and CPP Investments

# **Cumulative Net CPP Contributions**

#### **CPP Investments Bond Maturities vs. Cumulative Net Contributions**

(C\$ Billions)



Maturities between 2049 and 2071 are summed and represented as a single data point in 2049.

# **CPP Investments Credit Highlights**

#### MINIMUM ASSETS HELD

#### Under the statutory framework

"Any amounts standing to the credit of the Canada Pension Plan Account that exceed the immediate obligations of that Account shall be transferred to the Investment Board" (Canada Pension Plan, s. 108.1(1)), ensuring CPP contributions are legally mandated to go to CPP Investments

#### Additionally

"No payment shall be made out of the Consolidated Revenue Fund under (Canada Pension Plan, s. 108) in excess of the total of:

- a) The amount of the balance to the credit of the Canada Pension Plan Account, and
- b) The fair market value of the assets of the Investment Board less its liabilities" (Canada Pension Plan, s. 108(4))

Accordingly, under the statutory framework, only assets having a fair market value in excess of CPP Investments' liabilities are available to the Government of Canada to satisfy its obligations under the CPP.

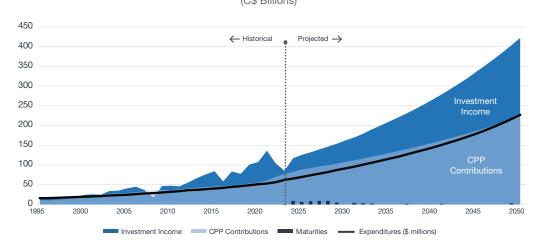
#### TRIENNIAL REVIEW

- The Chief Actuary of Canada, an independent official within the
  Office of the Superintendent of Financial Institutions, prepares
  a report every three years setting out the results of an actuarial
  examination of the Canada Pension Plan based on the state of
  the Canada Pension Plan Account and the investments of
  CPP Investments, including the minimum contribution rates required
  to sustain the Canada Pension Plan. (Canada Pension Plan, s. 115)
- Based on the review of the financial state of the Canada Pension
  Plan conducted by the Office of the Chief Actuary, CPP Investments'
  stewards the federal and provincial finance ministers may make
  recommendations as to whether contribution rates should be
  changed to support the sustainability of the CPP. The Insufficient
  Rates Provisions (in the case of the base CPP) and the Financial
  Sustainability Provisions (in the case of the additional CPP) would
  be automatically invoked if necessary to support the sustainability
  of the CPP.
- In December 2022, the Office of the Chief Actuary reaffirmed through its latest triennial review that the CPP – both the base and additional portions – remains sustainable at the current legislated contribution rates throughout the 75-year period of the report, based on actuarially accepted assumptions.

# Revenues & Expenditures of the Fund

Net contributions and projected investment returns are projected to continue to materially exceed expenditures.

# CPP Investments' Revenues and Expenditures vs. Bond Maturities (C\$ Billions)



Projected Investment Income & Projected CPP Contributions from 31st Actuarial Report on the Canada Pension Plan at the legislated contribution rates. Maturities between 2049 and 2071 are summed and represented as a single data point in 2049.

# **Amending Formula**

Parliament cannot amend the Canada Pension Plan Investment Board Act (CPPIB Act), or pass any other laws which directly or indirectly alter the CPPIB Act, without approval "of at least two thirds of the included provinces, having in the aggregate not less than two thirds of the population of all of the included provinces."

(Canada Pension Plan, s. 114(4))

- This is the cornerstone of CPP Investments' legislative framework.
- Changing the legislation governing CPP Investments requires
  the cooperation of the stewards the federal and provincial
  finance ministers who oversee the CPP. This process is more
  onerous than the constitutional amending formula and
  requires agreement among the federal government and
  two-thirds of the provinces representing two-thirds of the
  population.
- "No Act relating to the insolvency or winding-up of any corporation applies to the Board and in no case shall the affairs of the Board be wound up unless Parliament so provides." (Canada Pension Plan, s. 55)
- The certainty around its legislative framework enables CPP Investments to invest for the long term.

# **Projected Assets of CPP Fund**

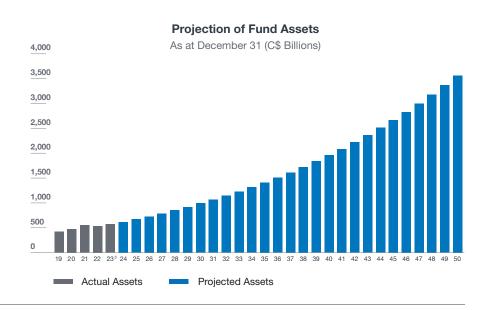
The chart below illustrates the combined projections of assets from the Chief Actuary's 31st Report, which considers future changes in demographics, the economy and investment environments. The Fund has two sources of growth: net contributions from CPP participants and net income earned from investments.

#### **Current Net Assets of**

C\$576 billion<sup>1</sup>

are projected to grow to

C\$3.6 trillion<sup>2</sup>



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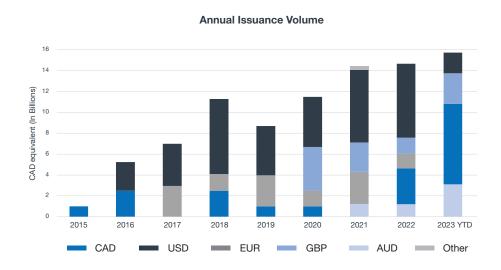
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# Global Debt Issuance Programme

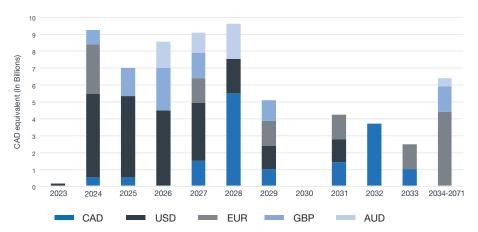
- CPP Investments has been an issuer in the debt markets since 2015, issuing 67 bonds totaling ~C\$89 billion (based on FX rate on issue date)
- Issuance volumes have grown materially since 2015, and are projected to continue to grow with the growth of the Fund
- CPP Investments is the largest Canadian issuer in foreign markets



# **Core Currencies**

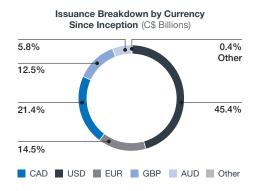
CPP Investments offers a C\$75 billion multi-currency programme focused on building liquid benchmarks in five core currencies: AUD, CAD, EUR, GBP, and USD.

## **Current CPP Investments Outstanding by Currency/Term**



# Distribution by Investor Type 6% 13% 28% 33% 20% Asset Manager Bank Treasury/Private Bank

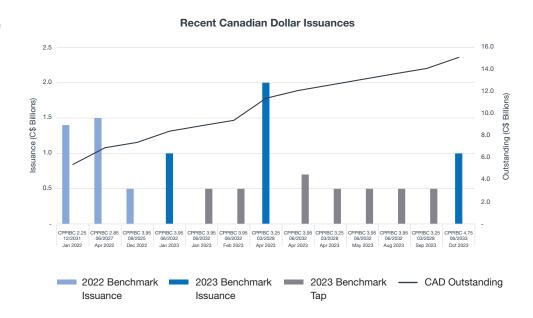
Other



Central Bank/Official Institution

# Canadian Dollar Issuance Programme

- The growth in Canadian Dollar issuance demonstrates CPP Investments'
   commitment to the market
- CPP Investments intends to source up to 50% of its issuance programme in CAD, with a focus on building large, liquid benchmarks
- The current five- and ten-year benchmarks are 3.25% 03/2028 and 4.75% 06/2033 with final target benchmark size of C\$3-4 billion each





# **Key Milestones**

#### 2006

Carbon Disclosure Project signatory



Founding signatory of U.N. Principles for Responsible Investing



#### 2011

Responsible Investing Committee formed

#### 2014

Responsible Investing group renamed Sustainable Investina, reflectina our view that ESG factors are fundamental to enhance long-term returns

#### 2017

Formed cross-functional Climate Change Working Group

One of two global pension fund managers that are members of the Task Force on Climate-related Financial Disclosures (TCFD) which released its recommendations at the G20 Summit



Introduced our gender diversity voting practices in Canada

#### 2019

Introduced our global gender diversity voting practices

Head of Sustainable Investing became member of SASB's Investor Advisory Group



SASB STANDARDS Now part of IFRS Foundation

Launched two new strategies:

- . Innovation, Technology and Services (ITS) with a mandate to seek early stage investments aligned to the energy evolution
- Climate Change Opportunities to identify companies responding to physical changes in our environment; regulatory and technological changes; and evolving consumer preferences

#### 2021

Appointed inaugural Chief Sustainability

Launched new Sustainable Energies Group

Introduced Climate Change Voting Policy

Founding member of the ESG Data Convergence Initiative, a group of leading global private equity GPs and LPs to create a standardized set of metrics for tracking portfolio companies' ESG progress



Introduced new decarbonization investment approach and Abatement Capacity Assessment Framework



# 2012

Inaugural Head of Responsible Investina appointed

Issued first Responsible Investing Report. Climate change highlighted as a focus area of engagement with portfolio companies

#### 2008

#### 2016

Co-founded FCLTGlobal, a non-profit organization that develops actionable research and tools to drive long-term value creation for savers and communities

\* FCLTGLOBAL

#### 2018

First pension fund to issue areen bond

Started implementing the TCFD's recommendation

Member of the Investor Leadership Network (ILN) created during Canada's G7 presidency to promote collaboration between large investors on sustainability and long-term growth



#### 2020

Signed BlackNorth Initiative's CEO Pledge committing to specific actions and targets designed to remove barriers and dismantle systemic anti-Black racism in the workplace ckno



Our President and CFO is named 2020. Catalyst Honours Champion for leading a workplace that advances women into leadership positions and champions gender equity

CATALYST



Committed our portfolio and operations to being net zero of greenhouse gas emissions across all scopes by 2050

Head of Sustainable Investing appointed Chair of SASB's Investor Advisory Group<sup>1</sup>



SASB STANDARDS Now part of IFBS Foundation

Updated our Maintaining Effective Boards Policy to indicate that we will vote against the re-election of a director who underperforms or contributes to a material environmental, social or governance failure. and we may also vote against the most appropriate incumbent director for failing to promptly remove that director from the board

Became a member of the Delivery Group for the UK's Transition Plan Taskforce



<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> The SASB Standards Investor Advisory Group will transition to become the ISSB Investor Advisory Group (IIAG) in late 2022. Richard Manley, Managing Director, Head of Sustainable Investing, Global Leadership Team, will serve as Chair of the IIAG following this transition.

# Investing in the Path to Net Zero

We have committed to achieving net-zero greenhouse gas (GHG) emissions across the Fund and our operations by 2050

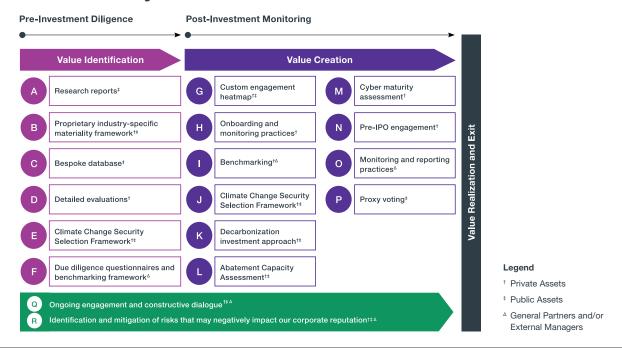
#### Actions include:

- Continuing to invest and exert our influence in the whole economy transition as active investors, rather than through blanket divestment
- Maintaining carbon neutrality for our internal operations (Scope 1, 2 and 3 business travel)<sup>1</sup>, from fiscal 2023 onward
- Continuing to increase our green and transition asset portfolio from \$79 billion at end of fiscal 2023 to at least \$130 billion by 2030
- Scaling our decarbonization investment approach that seeks attractive returns enabling emissions reduction and business information in high-emitting sectors

# **OUR CLIMATE CHANGE PRINCIPLES** PRINCIPLE 1: Invest for a whole economy transition required by climate change **PRINCIPLE 2:** Evolve our strategy as transition pathways emerge and global standards for decarbonization materialize PRINCIPLE 3: Exert influence to create value and mitigate risk PRINCIPLE 4: Support a responsible transition based on our investment beliefs and expertise PRINCIPLE 5: Report on our actions, their impacts and our portfolio emissions © 2023, Canada Pension Plan Investment Board, All rights reserved

Scope 1 refers to direct GHG emissions from an organization's owned and controlled sources. Scope 2 refers to indirect emissions from the generation of purchased energy. Scope 3 refers to all indirect emissions (not included in Scope 2) that occur in the value chain of the reporting company, including both upstream and downstream emissions.

# Embedding Sustainability-related Considerations into the Investment Life Cycle





# **CPP Investments Green Bond Framework**

Developed in accordance with the Green Bond Principles as set out by the International Capital Markets Association with a Second Opinion provided by CICERO

#### **Used to Finance or Re-Finance Eligible Investments**

New and existing assets may qualify. Eligible assets will have a two-year lookback period from issuance date. An amount equal to net proceeds raised through a green bond issuance will be notionally allocated within one year of issuance. Eligible use of proceeds excludes direct investments in fossil fuel infrastructure.

#### **Eligible Investments**

- Renewable Energy
- Low Carbon / Clean Transportation
- Green Buildings
- Energy Efficiency

Eligible Investments may not be evaluated against the broader sustainability strategy as described in the first section of the Green Bond Framework and throughout this presentation. CPP Investments will exercise its judgment and sole discretion in determining the Eligible Investments. Investors should read the Green Bond Framework and the Programme Offering Memorandum in their entirety.

# **Transparency & Reporting**

CPP Investments will report annually on notional allocation of proceeds and associated impact, where feasible, for the preceding 12 months per green bond issued until an amount equal to the net proceeds of the green bond issuance has been notionally allocated. An external verification of the notional allocation of net proceeds and, where feasible, impact metrics, will be carried out by an independent, qualified third-party on an annual basis until all net proceeds have been notionally allocated.



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#### **SHADES OF GREEN**



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#### **GOVERNANCE ASSESSMENT**

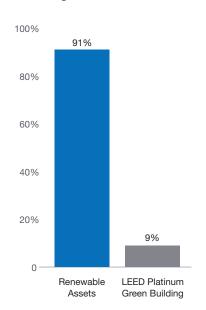


#### **GREEN BOND PRINCIPLES**

Based on this review, this framework is found in alignment with the principles.

# **Green Bond Assets**

#### **Percentage of Total Green Assets**



Investment amounts are as of March 31, 2023



The North American portfolio includes 14 long-term fully contracted operating wind and solar assets with a 1.3GW capacity.

CPP Investments acquired 49% of Enbridge's interest in select North American onshore renewable power assets and two German offshore wind projects.

Date of investment: 2018 Investment: C\$2.25B



A joint venture between Enbridge Inc. and CPP Investments with the objective of investing in and managing offshore wind projects in Europe.

Date of investment: 2019 Investment: C\$1.1B+



Leading U.S.-based renewable energy company with 3.4GW of wind and solar projects.

Date of investment: 2020 Investment: US\$2.6B

# octopusenergy

A global energy tech pioneer, launched in 2016 that focuses on customer driven and affordable green energy.

Date of investment: 2021 Investment: GBP 211M



Richmond-Adelaide Centre is an office complex in the heart of Toronto's downtown core. EY Tower, the newest addition completed in 2017, was built to LEED Platinum specifications.

Date of investment: 2016 Investment: C\$650M



# Performance - Fiscal 2023

Our active investing strategy and innovative approach to portfolio management enable our commitment to deliver the performance levels needed to keep the CPP financially sustainable over many generations.

Fiscal 2023 Net Income

(after all expenses)

C\$8E

Cumulative Net Income for 10-Year Period

(after all expenses)

C\$320B

10-Year Annualized Rate of Return

(net nominal)

10.0%

Fiscal 2023 Rate of Return (net nominal)

1.3%

5-Year Annualized Rate of Return

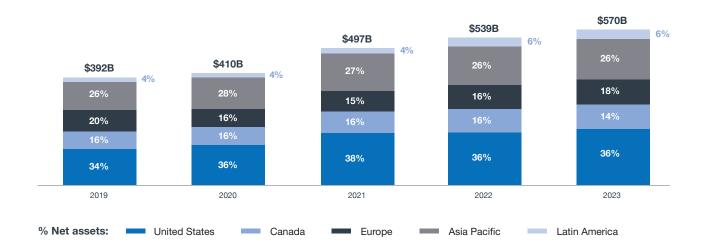
(net nominal)

7.9%

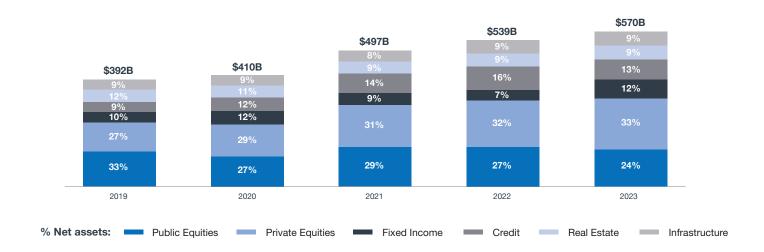
As at March 31, 2023 - CPP Investments Fiscal 2023 Results



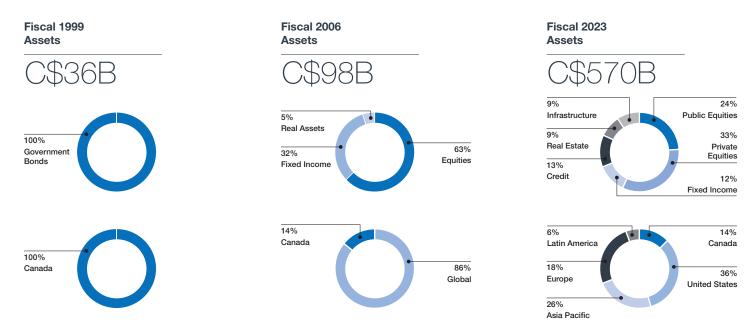
# Five-Year Historical Fund Composition by Geography



# Five-Year Historical Fund Composition by Asset Class



# As Assets Scale, Investment Strategies Have Evolved

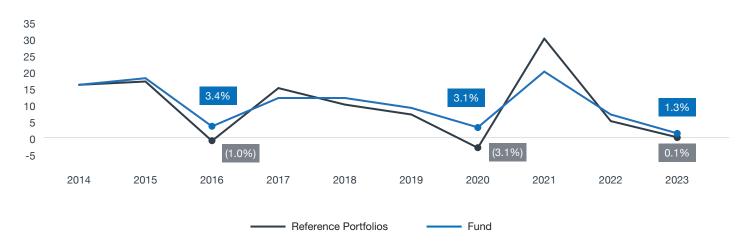


Fiscal 2023 Fixed Income exposure of 12% represents a figure net of fixed income liabilities. Total Fixed Income (gross) exposure was C\$179.5B.

# **Delivering Long-Term Returns**

## **Resiliency of the Fund During Historical Market Downturns**

(1-year Fiscal, % returns)





# **Key Links\***

## **Performance and Sustainability**

Financial Highlights: www.cppinvestments.com/the-fund/our-performance

Quarterly and Annual Results: www.cppinvestments.com/the-fund/our-performance/financial-results

Actuary and Special Exam Reports: <a href="https://www.cppinvestments.com/the-fund/our-performance/actuary-special-exam-reports">www.cppinvestments.com/the-fund/our-performance/actuary-special-exam-reports</a>

Sustainability of the CPP: www.cppinvestments.com/the-fund/our-performance

Chief Actuary Reports: www.osfi-bsif.gc.ca/Eng/oca-bac/ar-ra/cpp-rpc/Pages/default.aspx

## **Legislation and Regulations**

Canada Pension Plan: laws-lois.justice.gc.ca/eng/acts/c-8/index.html

 $Canada\ Pension\ Plan\ Regulations: \underline{laws-lois.justice.gc.ca/eng/regulations/C.R.C.,\ c.\ 385/index.html}$ 

Canada Pension Plan Investment Board Act: <a href="mailto:laws-lois.justice.gc.ca/eng/acts/c-8.3/index.html">laws-lois.justice.gc.ca/eng/acts/c-8.3/index.html</a>

Canada Pension Plan Investment Board Regulations: <a href="laws-lois.justice.gc.ca/eng/regulations/sor-99-190/page-1.html">laws-lois.justice.gc.ca/eng/regulations/sor-99-190/page-1.html</a>

#### Governance

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#### Green

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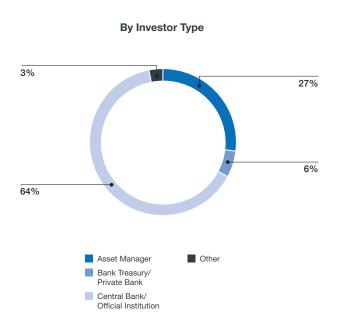
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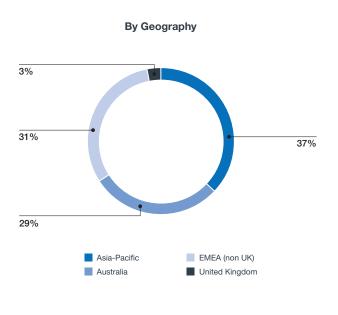
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Net Zero Commitment: www.cppinvestments.com/the-fund/sustainable-investing#net-zero

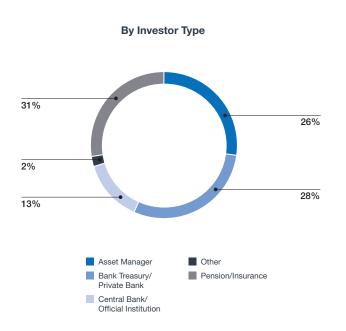
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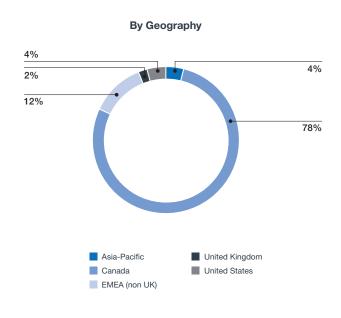
# **Outstanding AUD Debt Profile**



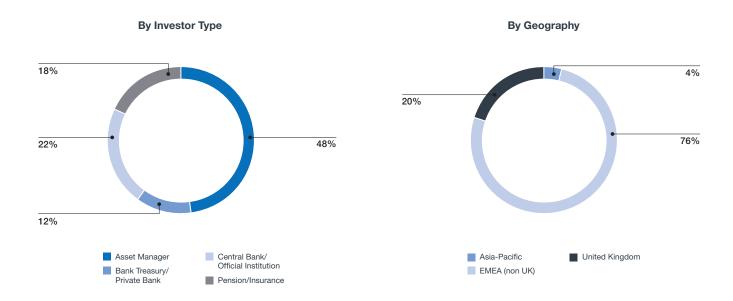


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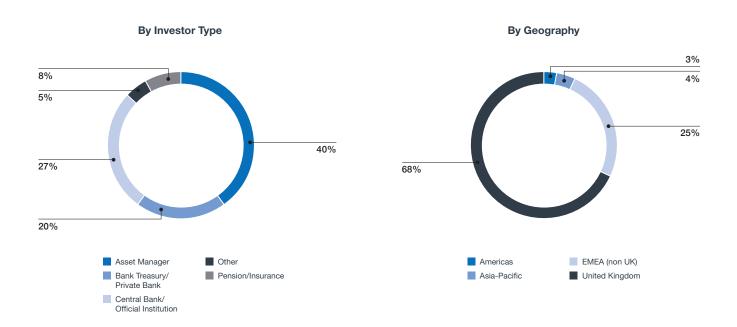




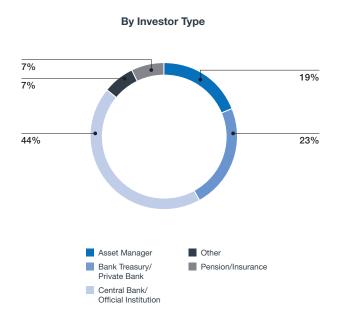
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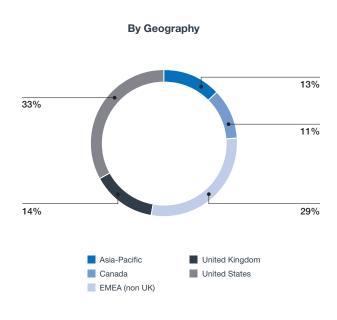


# **Outstanding GBP Debt Profile**



# **Outstanding USD Debt Profile**





# **Debt Issuance Indices**

#### **EUR**

- Bloomberg Indices
- CITI (FTSE)
- ICE BofA
- Morningstar
- NASDAQ Global Market

#### **USD**

- Bloomberg Indices
- ICE BofA
- Morningstar

# **GBP**

- Bloomberg Indices
- iBoxx
- ICE BofA
- Morningstar
- NASDAQ Global Market

### CAD

- FTSF
- Bloomberg Indices
- ICE (BofA)
- Morningstar
- NASDAQ Global Market

#### **AUD**

- ICE (BofA)
- Bloomberg Aus Bond Composite Index

#### **Green Bonds**

- Bloomberg / MSCI
- JP Morgan
- Solactive

