

# Aberdeen Private Credit

The opportunities presented by the banking and advisory community remain instrumental to our investment process.

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#### Aberdeen Private Credit

- The Private Credit franchise has AUM GBP 10.5bn eqv.- testament to the depth of the team's relationships with industry contacts.
- 17 private credit specialists spread across US and UK.
- GBP 7.8bn eqv. of private placements and infrastructure debt underwritten since inception across EUR, GBP and USD.
- In 2024, we activated' to 'Active currencies: GBP, EUR, USD, YEN, AUD and CAD funding.

#### Private Placement and Infrastructure Debt Investment Criteria

- We are a relative value investor assessing pick up against public/ private comparable set in the currency of denomination and GBP eqv. term.
- Our investment funds are GBP denominated. We can provide EUR, USD, YEN, AUD and CAD.
- Our focus is deploying into investment grade opportunities with a strong appetite for duration where we are able to invest out to as far as 40 years. For opportunities in the ultra-long end i.e. c.25 years+, we would prefer the rating outcome to be single A- or better.
- We often invest in unrated transactions provided we have the relevant methodology in place. We currently have 22 industry methodologies approved with the repository continuing to grow.
- We are very interested in structured/esoteric transactions and are happy to work with our partners in designing a bespoke structure that accommodates the needs and objectives of all parties.
- As ever, ESG risk considerations remain integral to our investment process with annual targets set for sustainable investments for some accounts we manage.
- Necessarily, our range and depth of appetite continues to change over time so we will continue to keep you updated.

#### About Aberdeen

- We manage and administer GBP370bn eqv. of assets for our clients.
- A connected global team of over 4,300 employees.
- At Aberdeen, we empower our clients to plan, save and invest for their futures. To do this, we structure our business into three areas: Investments, Adviser and Personal.

## GBP10.5bn eqv

Private Credit AUM as at 31 December 2024

# GBP472m eqv

2024 Private Placement investments volume

### Investment Grade

With the ability to rate unrated names internally

# Out to 40 years

Ability to invest out to the ultra-long part of the curve

## GBP50-150m

Typical bite size ticket for investment grade opportunities

## Sector Agnostic

Supported by 125+ fixed income sector specialists located in all major markets globally



## GBP370bn eqv

AUM as at 31 December 2024

4,300+ employees Globally located in all major markets





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