MSCI Fixed Income Analytics

Covering the full range of fixed income instruments, designed to support your investment process across your front and middle office teams, and delivered directly into your existing workflow.

For today's investment manager, it is important to provide differentiated fixed income portfolios, manage them efficiently and clearly communicate an integrated view of risk and return to their clients and internal stakeholders.

Investment managers need high-quality and consistent risk and performance analytics across the complete range of their investment solutions that easily integrates with their existing workflows and infrastructure to support the full investment process.

We offer a broad range of analytical capabilities designed to support your full investment process

- **Design**
  - Construct active and passive fixed income portfolios using proven single security analytics, risk models and portfolio optimization capabilities

- **Monitor**
  - Understand and monitor portfolio performance using an industry-leading performance attribution model and interactively tailor the return decomposition to match investment strategy

- **Analyze**
  - Award-winning risk analytics powered by single security analytics, high-quality data and an extensive stress test library offering flexibility in defining hypothetical events and multi-period stress test scenarios

- **Rebalance**
  - Access to preliminary fixed income indexes and incorporation of transaction costs in portfolio construction and optimization processes

- **Execute**
  - Partnership with OMS providers; easily export recommended trade list

- **Communicate**
  - Produce client reports and simplified communication of key exposures with the appropriate level of granularity for asset allocation decisions and manager selection

Comprehensive sector coverage to power your front and middle office

Our integrated models, covering all asset classes and different levels of granularity, facilitates both collaboration between front office and middle office teams dedicated to different asset classes, and client communication.

**Fixed income instrument coverage across markets and regions with unique capabilities**
- **Corporate and sovereign bonds** including 9,000+ issuer-level spread curves (700K+ active)
- **Mortgage-backed securities** including prepayment model for Agency MBS (1M+ active securities)
- **Municipal bonds** including dedicated implied volatility factors (1M+ active)
- **Syndicated (bank) loans** including proprietary prepayment estimations (25K+ active)

**Developed in collaboration with leading providers:**

- INTEX
- ICE
- IHS Markit
- REFINITIV

**Linked to with 3rd party data:**
- **60K+ benchmarks** (reconciled daily to 1bp)
- Credit ratings from major rating agencies
- MSCI climate and ESG data
Easily access and integrate fixed income content
Integrate MSCI content into your workflows without disrupting your existing investment processes.

Build and manage differentiated fixed income portfolios
MSCI’s Fixed Income Analytics are part of a broader, integrated solution set that enables investment managers to build and manage differentiated fixed income portfolios.

**Interactive applications**
MSCI applications, including BarraOne, Single Security Analyzer and Excel plug-in, enable portfolio managers to receive fixed income analytics directly in the Order Management System (OMS).
Examples of strategic partnerships:

**Large-scale batch reporting**
MSCI managed production of standardized and custom reports in PDF, Excel, CSV, XML and other formats for thousands of portfolios.

**APs**
Direct, intraday access to MSCI’s data and calculation engines via modern API’s that maximize speed of delivery.

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**Managed Solutions**
MSCI Managed Solutions is designed to help you reduce the cost of ownership of data, reduce the processing time, integrate front and middle offices and set up a reporting architecture. Within Managed Solutions we offer high-quality data management enabling you to keep your focus on critical areas of the business.

**Integrate ESG and Climate in your portfolios**
MSCI’s Climate (VaR) and ESG data points can be used as inputs to your portfolio construction process as well as high volume client and regulatory reporting. Our climate risk reports include analysis of an extensive set of carbon risk management and exposure metrics, sourced from sophisticated in-house research and climate models.

**MSCI Fixed Income Indexes**
MSCI’s suite of Fixed Income Indexes leverages MSCI’s 50 years of benchmarking leadership, core strength in ESG and Factors, as well as strong expertise in fixed income risk and performance analytics. Our fixed income indexes are built using the same Single Security Analytics as provided to clients.

**MSCI Client Services and Support**
- Support from a highly trained 24x5 client service team working from multiple offices around the world
- Client services professionals to help clients ensure business continuity, provide expertise, and disseminate best practices
- Trained professionals to help clients implement and utilize our products effectively

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