abrdn Short Duration Municipal High Yield Strategy

Municipal SMA

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Q2 2026 Performance Data and Portfolio Composition

Objective

The Strategy seeks a high level of current income exempt from federal income tax consistent with preservation of capital.

Strategy

Under normal circumstances, the Strategy aims to invest at least 80% of its net assets (plus borrowings for investment purposes) in municipal obligations that are exempt from federal income tax (including securities subject to the federal alternative minimum tax ("AMT")). The Strategy may invest in obligations of any credit quality. Under normal circumstances, the Strategy aims to invest at least 50% of its assets in municipal bonds rated BBB+ or lower by S&P Global Rating, advisory of S&P Global Inc., or Baa1 or lower by Moody's Investor Service, Inc., at the time of investment, or the equivalent by another independent rating agency or the unrated equivalent as determined by the Adviser. Under normal market conditions, the Strategy aims to maintain an investment portfolio with a weighted average effective duration of less than 4.5 years, and a dollar weighted average maturity of more than 2 years but less than 8 years. However, the Strategy can buy securities of any maturity. The Strategy may invest up to 25% of the portfolio in tobacco-related bonds without an appropriation pledge that makes payments only from a state's interest in the Tobacco Master Settlement Agreement. The Adviser may also consider the most material potential ESG (Environmental, Social and Governance) risks and opportunities impacting issuers, where relevant. The relevance of ESG factors to the investment process varies across issuers and instrument types.

Strategy information

Number of positions	8-20
Average duration target (years)	0-4.5
Average maturity target (years)	2-8
Average credit quality target	BBB
Average annual turnover	15-40%
SMA Fee	35bps
Minimum Initial Investment	$500,000

Historical Composite Performance (%)

	QTR	Year to date	1 year	3 years	5 years	10 years	Since inception
Composite net performance	2.28	2.50	5.16	3.70	0.76	1.91	2.64
Composite gross performance	2.42	2.78	5.74	4.29	1.37	2.55	3.29
S&P Municipal Bond Short Intermediate Index	1.22	1.08	4.12	3.57	1.54	1.85	2.07

Composite Calendar Year Returns (%) as of 03/31/26

	2025	2024	2023	2022	2021	2020	2019	2018	2017	2016
Composite net performance	1.83	4.39	3.63	-8.66	4.16	2.01	5.56	1.52	4.43	2.09
Composite gross performance	2.39	4.99	4.30	-8.07	4.84	2.67	6.25	2.18	5.11	2.76
S&P Municipal Bond Short Intermediate Index	4.95	1.89	3.92	-3.99	0.47	3.59	4.73	1.78	2.39	0.05

Source: Aberdeen (strategy) and FACTSET (benchmark). Returns are in US Dollars.
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Key facts

Investment Advisor	**US Municipals Team**
Primary Benchmark	**S&P Municipal Bond Short Intermediate Index**

Portfolio Characteristics

Standard Deviation	3.35
Effective Duration	3.84
Years to Maturity	5.02
Yield to Maturity	6.22
Yield to Worst	6.21

Source: Aberdeen, as of Jun 30, 2026
Standard Deviation is based on the three year performance of the composite.
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Quality distribution (%)

	Strategy
AAA	0.0
AA	9.9
A	14.3
BBB	15.6
BB	30.0
B	1.8
Below B	0.0
N/R	28.4

Effective Duration (%)

	Strategy
0-1 years	13.34
1-3 years	15.79
3-5 years	20.04
5-7 years	12.93
7-10 years	31.44
10-20 years	6.03
20+ years	0.43

Sector (%)

Continuing Care Retirement Communities	26.2
Charter School	17.3
Local Authorities	12.5
Higher Education	9.5
Airport	5.8
Transportation	5.0
Gas Contract	4.7
Public Power Systems	3.9
Other	14.9
Cash	0.2

Source : Aberdeen as of Jun 30, 2026.

For illustrative purposes only. Sector weight information shown is that of a representative account which is a US Mutual Fund vehicle used for illustrative purposes only. Sector weight information is subject to change and your portfolio may not have the same characteristics and allocations. The above is supplemental info and supplements the complete composite presentation (as provided in the GIPS disclosures) which can be found at the end of this document. Please refer to Important Information section and the composite for explanation and disclosures regarding representative account.

Below investment-grade is represented by a rating of BB or lower. Ratings and portfolio credit quality will vary over time.

Credit quality ratings on the underlying securities of the Strategy are received from S&P, Moody's and Fitch and are an indication of the issuer's creditworthiness. The chart reflects the highest security rating provided by one or more of these rating agencies. The Strategy itself has not been rated by an independent rating agency. Standard & Poor's credit ratings are expressed as letter grades that range from "AAA" to "D" to communicate the agency's opinion of relative level of credit risk. Ratings from 'AA' to 'CCC' may be modified by the addition of a plus (+) or minus (-) sign to show relative standing within the major rating categories. The investment grade category is a rating from AAA to BBB-.

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Figures may not always sum to 100 due to rounding.

Risk Considerations

(a) **Market Risk:** Potential losses that may arise from changes in the market conditions which in turn affect the market prices of the investments of the Strategy.

(b) **Fixed Income Securities Risk:** Fixed income securities are subject to, among other risks, credit risk, extension risk, issuer risk, interest rate risk, market risk and prepayment risk.

(c) **Active Management Risk:** The Strategy is subject to the risk that the Adviser or Subadviser may make poor security selections.

(d) **Municipal Securities Risk:** Municipal bonds can be significantly affected by political and economic changes, including inflation, as well as uncertainties in the municipal market related to taxation, legislative changes, or the rights of municipal security holders.

(e) **High-Yield Bonds and Other Lower-Rated Securities Risk:** The Strategy's investments in high-yield bonds (commonly referred to as junk bonds) and other lower-rated securities will subject the Strategy to substantial risk of loss.

Composite information

Firm: Aberdeen Composite Name: Short Duration High Yield Municipal Composite Composite Inception: Jul 01, 2013 As of: Jun 30, 2026

Year	Composite Return Gross	Composite Return Net	Benchmark Return	Composite St Dev (%)	Benchmark St Dev (%)	No. of Portfolios*	Dispersion (%)	Market Value at end of Period	Firm Assets (%)	Total Firm Assets (Legacy History)
3 Months	2.42	2.28	1.22			<=5 (<=5)		26,643,098		
Year to date	2.78	2.50	1.08			<=5 (<=5)		26,643,098		
1 Year	5.74	5.16	4.12			<=5 (<=5)		26,643,098		
2 Years p.a.	3.76	3.19	4.03			<=5 (<=5)		26,643,098		
3 Years p.a.	4.29	3.70	3.57	3.35	2.98	<=5 (<=5)		26,643,098		
4 Years p.a.	3.35	2.75	3.05	3.94	3.57	<=5 (<=5)		26,643,098		
5 Years p.a.	1.37	0.76	1.54	4.04	3.57	<=5 (<=5)		26,643,098		
7 Years p.a.	2.25	1.62	1.87	3.99	3.30	<=5 (<=5)		26,643,098		
10 Years p.a.	2.55	1.91	1.85	3.47	2.98	<=5 (<=5)		26,643,098		
Since inception p.a.	3.29	2.64	2.07	3.14	2.71	<=5 (<=5)		26,643,098		
2025	2.39	1.83	4.95	3.38	3.16	<=5 (<=5)		36,178,401	0.01	505,982,058,075
2024	4.99	4.39	1.89	4.71	4.23	<=5 (<=5)		109,299,451	0.02	445,780,815,871
2023	4.30	3.63	3.92	4.64	4.08	<=5 (<=5)		109,936,707	0.02	447,924,747,030
2022	-8.07	-8.66	-3.99	4.78	3.55	<=5 (<=5)		165,202,556	0.04	427,856,340,835
2021	4.84	4.16	0.47	3.26	2.16	<=5 (<=5)		448,294,973	0.07	599,611,223,443
2020	2.67	2.01	3.59	3.13	2.19	<=5 (<=5)		309,269,091	0.05	601,184,070,867
2019	6.25	5.56	4.73	1.18	1.59	<=5 (<=5)		268,080,015	0.04	599,561,039,999
2018	2.18	1.52	1.78	1.69	2.03	<=5 (<=5)		207,501,638	0.03	606,245,078,792
2017	5.11	4.43	2.39	1.76	2.02	<=5 (<=5)		251,000,836	6.14	4,088,000,000
2016	2.76	2.09	0.05	1.97	1.92	<=5 (<=5)		172,278,550	4.76	3,623,000,000

Note: Where a calendar year return is shown the annualized standard deviation presented is of 36 monthly returns to the calendar year end. *throughout period

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Change of Ownership
On 4th of May 2018, Aberdeen Asset Management purchased Alpine Woods Capital Investors, LLC. Prior to the acquisition this composite was the track record of Alpine Woods Capital Investors, LLC. Portablility criteria were satisfied.

Composite methodology
Returns are time-weighted total rates of return including cash and cash equivalents, income and realised and unrealised gains and losses. Returns are shown net of non-recoverable tax, whilst recoverable tax is included on a cash basis. Composites results are weighted by individual portfolio size, using start of period market values. Annual returns are calculated using geometric linking of monthly returns. Exchange rates used are WMR 16:00 Closing Spot Rates. Composites may contain portfolios of different base currencies, translated into a common currency for composite returns using the exchange rates stated above. A fund becomes eligible for inclusion the first full calendar month after funding. Inclusion may be deferred in cases where it has not been possible to implement the investment strategy. Terminated funds leave composites at the end of the calendar month before official notification of termination is received. Results include all discretionary, fee paying accounts of the Firm.

Composite description
The Short Duration High Yield Municipal Composite invests at least 80% of its net assets (plus borrowings for investment purposes) in municipal obligations that are exempt from federal income tax (excluding securities subject to the alternative minimum tax). It has flexible investment strategies and may invest in obligations of any credit quality duration (although it will seek to maintain an effective portfolio for a duration no longer than 4.5 years).

Presentation of results
Gross returns are presented before management, performance, custodial and other fees but after all trading expenses. Net returns are calculated after the deduction of a representative management fee. Risk Statistics are presented gross of fees.

Primary index name
Bloomberg Municipal Bond Inter-Short (1-10 Y) Index, prior 31/03/2025 S&P Municipal Bond Short Intermediate Index .

Representative fee description
The Composite Representative Fee is 0.55%. A pooled fund following this strategy has a highest institutional investment management fee of 0.55% and an OCF (TER) of 0.68%. The fee prior to 1st April 2024 was 0.64%.

Derivatives instruments
Leverage is used infrequently. A bank of line of credit is the type used. Derivatives are not used.

Composite description footnote
The description of this composite changed from "The High Yield Managed Duration composite invests at least 80% of its net assets (plus borrowings for investment purposes) in municipal obligations that are exempt from federal income tax (excluding securities subject to the alternative minimum tax). It has flexible investment strategies and may invest in obligations of any credit quality duration (although it will seek to maintain an effective portfolio duration between 2 and 7 years)." to "The Short Duration High Yield Municipal Composite invests at least 80% of its net assets (plus borrowings for investment purposes) in municipal obligations that are exempt from federal income tax (excluding securities subject to the alternative minimum tax). It has flexible investment strategies and may invest in obligations of any credit quality duration (although it will seek to maintain an effective portfolio for a duration no longer than 4.5 years)." as of February 2018.

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Performance and Fees: Past performance is not an indication of future results. Returns herein reflect performance associated with the abrdn Short Duration High Income Municipal Composite / Representative Account and not those of the SMA offering. All returns assume the reinvestment of dividends, interest, and realized and unrealized capital gains and losses. Gross returns are presented before management, performance, custodial and other fees but after all trading expenses. Net returns are calculated after the deduction of a representative management fee.

Note: Net returns include the fee for the composite's representative account (64bps - annual) and not those associated with the Aberdeen SMA offering (35bps - annual). Performance shown would be different and adjusted accordingly if the Firm had applied the fee associated with our SMA offering. The SMA fee reflects the management fee of Aberdeen for SMA offering and does take into account fees charged by the sponsor. Actual fees may vary from sponsor to sponsor. Please refer to Part 2A of Aberdeen's Form ADV for additional information regarding fees, sponsor arrangements, and other important disclosures for the Firm's SMA offering.

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The S&P Municipal Bond Index is a broad, comprehensive, market value-weighted index following bond issues that are exempt from U.S. federal income taxes or subject to the alternative minimum tax (AMT). Provided for comparison purposes only and one cannot invest directly in an index.

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