

# FlexShares ESG & Climate Investment Grade Corporate Core Index Fund

FEIG

ALL DATA AS OF DECEMBER 31, 2025

## INVESTMENT OBJECTIVE

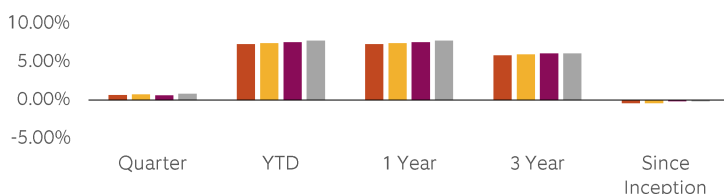
The Fund seeks investment results that correspond generally to the price and yield performance, before fees and expenses, of the Northern Trust ESG & Climate Investment Grade U.S Corporate Core Index<sup>SM</sup> (the "Underlying Index").

## INVESTMENT APPROACH

The Northern Trust ESG & Climate Investment Grade U.S. Corporate Core Index is designed to measure the performance of a diversified universe of US-dollar denominated bonds of companies with investment grade credit quality, that also possess environmental, social, and governance (ESG) characteristics.

## INVESTMENT PERFORMANCE% — As of December 31, 2025

- FlexShares ESG & Climate Investment Grade Corporate Core Index Fund (Market Price)
- FlexShares ESG & Climate Investment Grade Corporate Core Index Fund (NAV Price)
- Northern Trust ESG & Climate Investment Grade U.S. Corporate Core Index Return
- Bloomberg US Corporate Total Return Value Unhedged Index Return



	Average Annual Returns				
Market Return	0.65	7.30	7.30	5.84	-0.42
NAV Return	0.75	7.43	7.43	5.97	-0.41
HOAO	0.64	7.54	7.54	6.10	-0.16
Benchmark	0.84	7.77	7.77	6.09	-0.15

Index performance returns do not reflect any fees, transaction costs, expenses or taxes.

**Performance is historical and does not guarantee future results. Current performance may be lower or higher than quoted investment returns and principal value of an investment will fluctuate so that an investor's shares, when redeemed, may be worth more or less than their original cost. Performance data for the latest month end is available at <https://www.flexshares.com/us/en/individual/funds>. It is not possible to invest directly in an index.**

FlexShares shares are bought and sold at market price (not NAV) and are not individually redeemed from the Fund. Total Returns are calculated using the daily 4:00 pm EST Net Asset Value. Beginning July 1, 2024, market price performance is determined using the closing price on the primary exchange. Prior to July 1, 2024, market price performance was determined using the bid/ask midpoint at 4:00pm EST, when the NAV is typically calculated. Market price returns do not represent the returns you would receive if you traded shares at other times.

Bloomberg US Corporate Total Return Value Unhedged USD Index tracks the performance of the investment grade, fixed-rate, taxable corporate bond market. It includes USD denominated securities publicly issued by US and non-US industrial, utility and financial issuers. All data provided by: Northern Trust, J.P. Morgan, Rimes, Morningstar and Refinitiv.

**30-Day SEC Subsidized Yield** reflects the dividends and interest earned during the period, after the deduction of the fund's expenses. This is also referred to as the "standardized yield."

**30-Day SEC Unsubsidized Yield** does not reflect fee waivers in effect.

## FUND OVERVIEW

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Ticker	FEIG
Inception	09/20/2021
CUSIP	33939L571
Exchange	NYSE Arca
Net Assets	\$43,436,389
No. of Holdings	739
Gross Expense Ratio	0.13
Net Expense Ratio	0.12

## FUND CHARACTERISTICS

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Weighted Average Maturity (years)	10.21
SEC Subsidized Yield	4.56%
SEC Unsubsidized Yield	4.56%

Northern Trust Investments, Inc. ("NTI" or the "Adviser") has contractually agreed to reimburse certain expenses (other than Acquired Fund Fees and Expenses) to the extent the "Total Annual Fund Operating Expenses" exceed 0.12% until March 1, 2026. NTI also has contractually agreed until March 1, 2026 to waive a portion of its Management Fees and/or reimburse certain expenses in an amount equal to the Acquired Fund Fees and Expenses attributable to the Fund's investments in the Underlying Fund(s). Performance would have been lower without fee waivers and expense reimbursements in effect.

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## TOP FUND HOLDINGS (%)

Name	Coupon (%)	Maturity	Weight (%)
CASH	0.000		4.449
GOLDMAN SACHS GROUP INC/THE CALLABLE NOTES	4.482	8/23/28	1.208
FORD MOTOR CREDIT CO LLC CALLABLE NOTES FIXED 7.2%	7.200	6/10/30	0.987
VERIZON COMMUNICATIONS INC CALLABLE NOTES FIXED	2.550	3/21/31	0.920
JPMORGAN CHASE & CO CALLABLE NOTES VARIABLE	5.581	4/22/30	0.805
HSBC HOLDINGS PLC CALLABLE NOTES VARIABLE	5.450	3/3/36	0.738
JPMORGAN CHASE & CO CALLABLE NOTES VARIABLE	4.995	7/22/30	0.721
DUKE ENERGY CORP CALLABLE NOTES FIXED 5.45%	5.450	6/15/34	0.697
TAKEDA PHARMACEUTICAL CO LTD CALLABLE NOTES FIXED	2.050	3/31/30	0.674
DIAGEO CAPITAL PLC CALLABLE NOTES FIXED 5.3%	5.300	10/24/27	0.660
Total			11.859

## SECTOR (%)

Financials	30.49
Consumer	21.23
Technology, Telecomm & Media	16.52
Industrial	13.30
Energy	9.96
Other	8.50

## SUB-SECTOR %

Banking	22.73
Technology	12.65
Health Care	6.11
Pharmaceuticals	5.79
Electric	4.10
Wirelines	3.56
Retailers	3.06
Midstream	3.02
Food and Beverage	2.96
Life Insurance	2.12
Cash/Derivatives and Others	33.90

## COUNTRY (%)

United States	78.36
United Kingdom	3.92
Canada	2.53
Japan	1.81
Australia	0.87
Spain	0.83
Switzerland	0.60
Belgium	0.57
Taiwan	0.46
Germany	0.42
All Others	9.63

## MATURITY (%)

0 - 1 Years	0.00
1 - 2 Years	4.02
2 - 3 Years	8.76
3 - 5 Years	19.82
5 - 7 Years	11.69
7 - 10 Years	17.25
10 - 15 Years	7.91
15 - 20 Years	5.82
20+ Years	20.28
Cash and/or Derivatives	4.45

Holdings are subject to change without notice.

Sectors may include many industries and weights are subject to change without notice.

Country allocations subject to change without notice.

Percentages for some of the tables on this page may not total 100 due to rounding.



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## IMPORTANT INFORMATION

**ESG Investing** is defined as utilizing environmental, social, and governance (ESG) criteria as a set of standards for a company's operations that socially conscious investors use to screen potential investments.

**Weighted Average Maturity** is calculated by weighing each bond's maturity by its market value with respect to the portfolio, as well as the likelihood of any of the bonds being called.

**Before investing, carefully read the fund prospectus and consider the investment objectives, risks, charges and expenses. This and more complete information about the fund is in the prospectus and a summary prospectus, copies of which may be obtained by visiting [www.flexshares.com](http://www.flexshares.com). Read the prospectus carefully before you invest.**

**Foreside Fund Services, LLC, distributor. FlexShares and Foreside are not related.**

An investment in FlexShares is subject to numerous risks, including possible loss of principal.

FlexShares ESG & Climate Investment Grade Corporate Core Index Fund (FEIG) is a passively managed fund that invests in United States fixed income securities and use a representative sampling strategy to track its underlying index. Use of a representative sampling strategy creates **Tracking Risk** where the Fund's performance could vary substantially from the performance of the underlying index along with the risk of high portfolio turnover.

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As with any investment, you could lose all or part of your investment in a FlexShares ETF, and the ETF's performance could trail that of other investments. An ETF is subject to certain risks, including the principal risks noted below, any of which may adversely affect the ETF's net asset value ("NAV"), trading price, yield, total return and ability to meet its investment objective.

For more complete information on the Fund's Principal Risks, please read the prospectus and summary prospectus, including all principal risk information such as: **Credit (or Default) Risk, Interest Rate/ Maturity Risk, Debt Extension Risk, Prepayment (or Call) Risk, Income Risk, Foreign Securities Risk, Concentration Risk** and other principal risks. Copies of the prospectus and summary prospectus may be obtained by visiting [www.flexshares.com](http://www.flexshares.com). Read the prospectus carefully before you invest.

**ESG Investment Risk** is the risk that because the Index Provider includes and excludes issuers and assigns weights to issuers in the Underlying Index by applying non-financial factors, the Fund may underperform the broader equity market or other funds that do or do not use ESG investment criteria. There is no assurance that the Underlying Index or Fund will be comprised of such securities or that companies that have historically exhibited such characteristics will continue to exhibit such characteristics. **Corporate Bond Risk** is the risk the Fund faces because it invests primarily in bonds issued by corporations. **Authorized Participant Concentration Risk** is the risk that the Fund may be adversely affected because it has a limited number of institutions that act as authorized participants. **Market Trading Risk** is the risk that the Fund faces because its shares are listed on a securities exchange, including the potential lack of an active market for Fund shares, losses from trading in secondary markets, periods of high volatility and disruption in the creation/redemption process of the Fund. ANY OF THESE FACTORS MAY LEAD TO THE FUND'S SHARES TRADING AT A PREMIUM OR DISCOUNT TO NAV.



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