

# Franklin U.S. Government Fund

# A (Mdis) USD: LU0029872446

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#### **Investment Overview**

To seek to maximise income while maintaining some degree of capital preservation. The Fund mainly invests in US government bonds, including mortgage-backed securities, issued or guaranteed by the US government or related agencies.

## Past performance does not predict future returns.

## Performance Over 5 Years in Share Class Currency (%)



## **Total Returns (%)**

|                                       | Cumulative |       |      |       |       |       | Average Annual |      |       |           |                   |
|---------------------------------------|------------|-------|------|-------|-------|-------|----------------|------|-------|-----------|-------------------|
|                                       | 1-Mo       | 3-Мо  | YTD  | 1-Yr  | 3-Yr  | 5-Yr  | Inception      | 3-Yr | 5-Yr  | Inception | Inception<br>Date |
| A (Mdis)<br>USD-Net of<br>Fees        | 0.90       | 2.03  | 5.81 | 2.38  | 11.26 | -4.32 | 176.66         | 3.62 | -0.88 | 2.99      | 28/02/1991        |
| A (Mdis)<br>USD-After<br>Sales Charge | -4.15      | -3.07 | 0.52 | -2.74 | 5.70  | -9.10 | 162.83         | 1.87 | -1.89 |           | 28/02/1991        |
| Benchmark<br>(USD)                    | 0.29       | 1.26  | 5.28 | 3.51  | 13.63 | 1.82  | 317.27         | 4.35 | 0.36  | 4.22      | _                 |

Performance details provided are in the share class currency, based on NAV-NAV and include reinvested dividends. Performances of different share classes will vary. References to indices are made for comparative purposes only and are provided to represent the investment environment existing during the time periods shown. When performance for either the portfolio or its benchmark has been converted, different foreign exchange closing rates may be used between the portfolio and its benchmark.

After Sales Charge: Calculated based on initial sales charge of 5%.

# **Government** | Factsheet as of 30 September 2025

| Fund Overview          |                     |  |  |
|------------------------|---------------------|--|--|
| Umbrella               | Franklin Templetor  |  |  |
|                        | Investment Funds    |  |  |
| Fund Base Currency     | USD                 |  |  |
| Fund Inception Date    | 28/02/1991          |  |  |
| Share Class Inception  |                     |  |  |
| Date                   | 28/02/1991          |  |  |
| Dividend Frequency     | Monthly             |  |  |
| Minimum Investment     |                     |  |  |
| (USD)                  | 1000                |  |  |
| Subscription Type      | Cash                |  |  |
| ISIN                   | LU0029872446        |  |  |
| Bloomberg              | TEMUSGI LX          |  |  |
| Morningstar Peer Group | USD Government Bond |  |  |
| EU SFDR Category       | Article 6           |  |  |
|                        |                     |  |  |

## Benchmark(s) and Type

Bloomberg US Government Intermediate Index Comparator

## **Charges**

| Maximum Initial Charge | 5.00% |
|------------------------|-------|
| Exit Charge            | _     |
| Ongoing Charges Figure | 1.01% |
| Performance Fee        | _     |

The charges are the fees the Fund charges to investors to cover the costs of running the Fund. Additional costs, including transaction fees, will also be incurred. These costs are paid out by the Fund, which will impact on the overall return of the Fund. Fund charges will be incurred in multiple currencies, meaning that payments may increase or decrease as a result of currency exchange fluctuations.

| <b>Fund Characteristics</b> | Fund             |
|-----------------------------|------------------|
| NAV-A (Mdis) USD            | \$7.22           |
| Total Net Assets (USD)      | \$711.22 Million |
| Number of Holdings          | 574              |
| Average Credit Quality      | AA+              |
| Weighted Average Maturity   | 6.35 Yrs         |
| Effective Duration          | 5.71 Yrs         |
| Standard Deviation (5 Yr)   | 6.15%            |

| Geographic Exposure (% | 6 <b>of</b> 1 | 「otal) |
|------------------------|---------------|--------|
|------------------------|---------------|--------|

|                         | Fund   |
|-------------------------|--------|
| United States           | 101.12 |
| Cash & Cash Equivalents | 5.10   |

## **Sector Exposure (% of Total)**

|                            | Fund  |
|----------------------------|-------|
| Mortgage-Backed Securities | 94.86 |
| U.S. Treasuries            | 6.26  |
| Cash & Cash Equivalents    | 5.10  |

#### **Portfolio Management**

|                       | Years with<br>Firm | Years of<br>Experience | Years with<br>Firm |    | Years of<br>Experience |
|-----------------------|--------------------|------------------------|--------------------|----|------------------------|
| Michael V Salm        | 27                 | 36                     | Paul Varunok       | 24 | 33                     |
| Jatin Misra, PhD, CFA | 21                 | 21                     | Neil Dhruv         | 23 | 23                     |

#### What are the Risks?

The value of shares in the Fund and income received from it can go down as well as up and investors may not get back the full amount invested. **Liquidity risk**: the risk that arises when adverse market conditions affect the ability to sell assets when necessary. Such risk may be triggered by (but not limited to) unexpected events such as environmental disasters or pandemics. Reduced liquidity may have a negative impact on the price of the assets. **Securitisation risk**: investment in securities which generate return from various underlying groups of assets such as mortgages, loans or other assets may bear a greater risk of loss due to possible default of some of the underlying assets.

Complete information on the risks of investing in the Fund are set out in the Fund's prospectus.

#### **Glossary**

Ongoing Charges Figure (OCF): The Ongoing Charges Figure (OCF) includes the fees paid to the management company, the investment manager and the depository, as well as certain other expenses. The OCF is calculated by taking the relevant main material costs paid out over the 12-month period indicated and dividing them by the average net assets over the same period. The OCF does not include all expenses paid by the fund (for example, it does not include what the fund pays for buying and selling securities). For a comprehensive list of the types of costs deducted from fund assets, see the prospectus. For recent all-in annual costs, see the relevant offering documents. **Comparator:** Benchmark is used for comparing Fund performance, but is not a constraint to Fund Investment. Average Credit Quality: The average credit quality reflects the holdings of the underlying issues, based on the size of each holding and ratings assigned to each based on rating agency assessments of its creditworthiness. Weighted Average Maturity: An estimate of the number of years to maturity, taking the possibility of early payments into account, for the underlying holdings. Effective Duration is a duration calculation for bonds with embedded options. Effective duration takes into account that expected cash flows will fluctuate as interest rates change. Duration measures the sensitivity of price (the value of principal) of a fixed-income investment to a change in interest rates. The higher the duration number, the more sensitive a fixed-income investment will be to interest rate changes. Standard Deviation: Measure of the degree to which a fund's return varies from the average of its previous returns. The larger the standard deviation, the greater the likelihood (and risk) that a fund's performance will fluctuate from the average return.

## **Portfolio Data Information**

**Exposure:** Notional exposure figures are estimated and are intended to show the portfolio's direct exposure to securities and indirect exposure, through derivatives. Direct and indirect exposures are subject to change over time and methodologies for calculating indirect exposures vary by derivative type. Portfolio breakdown percentages may not total 100% and may be negative due to rounding, use of derivatives, unsettled trades or other factors.

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