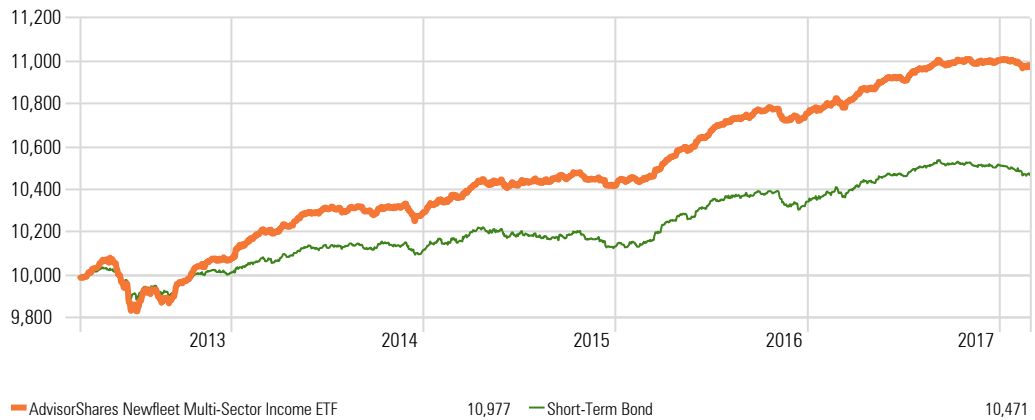


### Investment Strategy

MINC provides exposure to low duration fixed income consistent with preservation of capital, while limiting fluctuations in net asset value due to changes in interest rates. The portfolio manager uses an active sector rotation process to identify areas of the fixed income market that they believe may outperform. The fund employs a disciplined risk management approach that seeks to minimize exposure to higher risks sectors of the market. MINC can be used to provide conservative income to a portfolio.

### Investment Growth

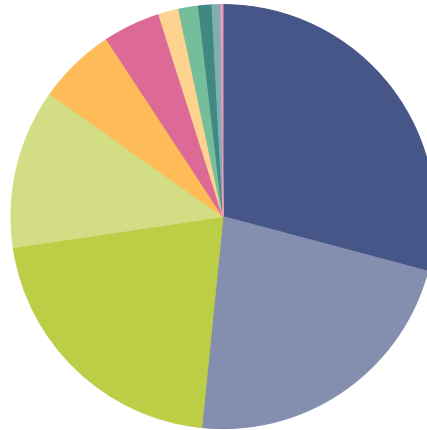
Time Period: 3/20/2013 to 2/28/2018



### Snapshot

Ticker	MINC
Morningstar Rating 3 Yr	★★★★
Morningstar Rating Overall	★★★★
Morningstar Risk Rating Overall	Average
Category	Short-Term Bond
# in Category	464
Inception Date	3/19/2013
Management Fee	0.65
Assets Under Management	182,922,424

### Fixed Income Sector Allocation



Asset Backed Securities	29.14
Corporate High Quality	22.46
Residential Mortgage Backed Securities	21.05
Loans	12.16
Commercial Mortgage Backed Securities	5.94
Corporate High Yield	4.35
Mortgage Backed Securities	1.55
US Treasuries	1.50
Yankee High Quality	1.02
Emerging Markets High Yield	0.66
Non USD	0.17
<b>Total</b>	<b>100.00</b>

30 Day Unsubsidized SEC Yield	2.50	Prospectus Net Expense Ratio	0.76	Average Eff Duration	1.80
30 Day Subsidized SEC Yield	2.63	Prospectus Gross Expense Ratio	0.81		

### Trailing Returns Month-End (Annualized over 1 year)

As of Date: 2/28/2018

	1 Year	2 Year	3 Year	4 Year	Since Inception
AdvisorShares Newfleet Multi-Sector Income ETF (NAV)	1.45	2.48	1.89	1.82	1.90
AdvisorShares Newfleet Multi-Sector Income ETF (Market)	1.29	2.18	1.79	1.70	1.80
ICE BofAML 1-5Y A US Corp TR USD	0.72	1.53	1.48	1.61	1.64
Bloomberg Barclays US Agg Bond TR USD	0.51	0.96	1.14	2.10	1.73
Short-Term Bond	0.67	1.54	0.97	0.96	0.93

### Trailing Returns Quarter-End (Annualized over 1 year)

As of Date: 12/31/2017

	1 Year	2 Year	3 Year	4 Year	Since Inception
AdvisorShares Newfleet Multi-Sector Income ETF (NAV)	2.31	2.77	2.27	2.23	2.02
AdvisorShares Newfleet Multi-Sector Income ETF (Market)	2.12	2.46	2.04	2.06	1.90
ICE BofAML 1-5Y A US Corp TR USD	2.36	2.33	2.06	2.09	1.88
Bloomberg Barclays US Agg Bond TR USD	3.54	3.09	2.24	3.16	2.24
Short-Term Bond	1.67	1.87	1.31	1.24	1.06

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Duration is the change of a fixed income security that will result from a 1% change in interest rates, and is based on the yield to worst date. 30-Day SEC Yield (Standardized Yield) is an annualized yield that is calculated by dividing the investment income earned by the Fund less expenses over the most recent 30-day period by the current maximum offering price. The Subsidized Yield reflects fee waivers and/or expense reimbursements recorded by the Fund during the period. Without waivers and/or reimbursements, yields would be reduced. The Unsubsidized Yield does not adjust for any fee waivers and/or expense reimbursements in effect. If the Fund does not incur any fee waivers and/or expense reimbursements during the period, the 30-Day Subsidized Yield and 30-Day Unsubsidized Yield will be identical.

### Calendar Year Returns

	3/20/2013 - 12/31/2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	YTD
AdvisorShares Newfleet Multi-Sector Income ETF (NAV)	0.74	2.11	1.27	3.24	2.31	-0.25
AdvisorShares Newfleet Multi-Sector Income ETF (Market)	0.86	2.11	1.20	2.82	2.12	-0.19
ICE BofAML 1-5Y A US Corp TR USD	0.63	2.18	1.54	2.30	2.36	-0.85
Bloomberg Barclays US Agg Bond TR USD	-1.82	5.97	0.55	2.65	3.54	-2.09
Short-Term Bond	0.11	1.03	0.20	2.07	1.67	-0.43

### Risk

	MINC	BofAML US Corp 1-3yr	Bloomberg Barclays US Agg
Alpha	0.86	0.00	-1.10
Beta	0.53	1.00	1.95
Std Dev	1.10	1.77	3.86
Information Ratio (arith)	0.37		0.06
Sortino Ratio (arith)	2.47	1.27	0.60
Sharpe Ratio (arith)	2.06	1.07	0.52
Down Capture Ratio	44.84	100.00	211.44
Correlation	0.85	1.00	0.90
Tracking Error	1.02	0.00	2.38
R2	71.82	100.00	80.56

### Top 10 Holdings

Holdings are subject to change.	Value (mil)	Weight %
US Treasury Note 1.375%	2.71	1.47
Morgan Stanley FRN	2.01	1.10
Jp Morgan Mtg Tr 2017-5 CMO	1.61	0.88
Avis Budget Rental Fdg 2013-2 2.97%	1.47	0.80
Santander Drive Auto 2016-1 3.09%	1.38	0.75
Petroleos Mexicanos 4.875%	1.34	0.73
Westlake Auto Recv Tr 2016-3 2.07%	1.23	0.67
Avis Budget Rental Fdg 2013-1 1.92%	1.14	0.62
Exeter Auto Recv Tr 2015-2 3.9%	1.13	0.61
Novastar Heq Ln Tr 2004-4 FRN	1.09	0.60

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Shares are bought and sold at market price (closing price) not net asset value (NAV) and are not individually redeemed from the Fund. Market price returns are based on the midpoint of the bid/ask spread at 4:00 pm Eastern Time (when NAV is normally determined) and do not represent the return you would receive if you traded at other times.

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