# **Roytrin USD Income Fund**

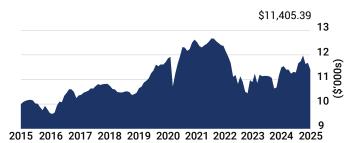
**December 31, 2024**Quarterly Portfolio Statement



## **Investment Objective**

To provide a high level of interest income in keeping with the highest short-term interest rates available whilst ensuring greater safety of capital.

## Growth of \$10,000



Note: Based on investment returns from Jan 02, 2015 to Jan 02, 2025

#### **Fund Performance**

Simple Returns	Average Annualised Returns				
1 year	3 year	5 year	10 year	From Inception	
-0.79%	-2.66%	-0.51%	1.32%	3.19%	

Note: As of Jan 02, 2025 (includes income distribution)

## Top 10 Holdings

Description	Coupon	<b>Maturity Date</b>	% of NAV
Cash	n/a	n/a	3.80%
Abu Dhabi National Oil Co.	6.500	10/27/2036	3.44%
JPMorgan Chase & Co.	3.625	12/01/2027	2.81%
Discover Financial Services	2.700	02/06/2030	2.77%
Energy Transfer LP	4.200	04/15/2027	2.74%
Netflix Inc.	4.875	06/15/2030	2.66%
Goldman Sachs Group Inc.	6.450	05/01/2036	2.63%
Constellation Brands Inc.	3.500	05/09/2027	2.58%
State of Qatar	6.400	01/20/2040	2.42%
Republic of Colombia	7.375	09/18/2037	2.31%

#### **Risk Level**

Low	Low to Medium	Medium	Medium to High	High

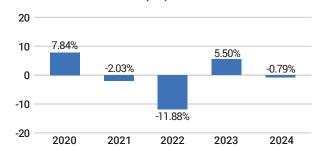
Note: For specific details on the risk of the fund, please review the Prospectus and Key Facts Statement.

### **Fund Details**

Inception Date: May 11, 2001
Total Net Asset Value (NAV): US\$ 207.29 million
NAV per unit: US\$ 23.891

Management Expense Ratio: 2.17% (as of Dec 31, 2023)

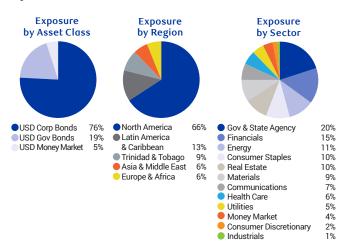
## Calendar Returns (%)



#### **Fixed Income Metrics**

Weighted Average Life	7.96
Weighted Average Duration	5.59
Weighted Average Yield	5.60%
Average Credit Rating	BBB

## **Exposure**



Note: The portfolio only holds long positions.

## **Market Update**

Data from the Bureau of Labor Statistics (BLS) showed that the US economy delivered a strong finish to the year, having added approximately 256,000 jobs, sharply beating expectations for 153,000 and marking the largest increase since March 2024. November 2024's job gains were revised down by 15,000 to 212,000, while October 2024's gains were revised up by 7,000 to 43,000, bringing the three-month average payroll growth to just over 170,000.

On the inflation front, recent data showed that the personal consumption expenditure price (PCE) index increased 0.3% month-over-month in December 2024, after a 0.2% rise in November. Service prices rose by 0.3%, while goods prices rose by 0.2%. The much-preferred core PCE index (which excludes food and energy), rose 0.2% in December. Food prices increased 0.2% and energy prices increased 2.7%. Annually, the PCE inflation rose to 2.6%, in line with forecasts and following an increase of 2.4% in November. The core inflation rate came in at 2.8%, matching forecasts and the same increase in November. The Federal Reserve (the Fed) has forecast only two rate cuts in 2025, down from the four it had projected in September. That reflected uncertainty on the economic impact of President Donald Trump's plans for tax cuts, broad tariffs on imports and an immigration crackdown, which economists view as inflationary.



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