

## Vanguard Short-Term Bond Index Fund Admiral Shares

**VBIRX** 

as of 03/31/2024

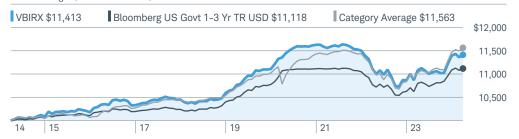
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# Schwab Mutual Fund Report Card™

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### Growth of a Hypothetical \$10,000 Investment

Fund Manager (since 02/22/2013): Joshua Barrickman



This graph represents the growth of a hypothetical investment of \$10,000. It assumes reinvestment of dividends and capital gains, and does not reflect sales loads, redemption fees or the effects of taxes on any capital gains and/or distributions.

#### Category: Short-Term Bond

Morningstar Category: Short-term bond portfolios invest primarily in corporate and other investment-grade U.S. fixed-income issues and typically have durations of 1.0 to 3.5 years. These portfolios are attractive to fairly conservative investors, because they are less sensitive to interest rates than portfolios with longer durations. Morningstar calculates monthly breakpoints using the effective duration of the Morningstar Core Bond Index in determining duration assignment. Short-term is defined as 25% to 75% of the three-year average effective duration of the MCBI.

#### Performance Returns 12



#### Rank Within Category For Annual Total Return %

Rank within Category compares this fund's total annual return to that of other funds in the same category, and its figures are not adjusted for load, sales charge, or taxes.



#### Fund Comparison 1,2

This section compares the fund to its benchmark and alternatives from our Mutual Fund OneSource Select List.

Fund Name Inception	Ticker	Exp Ratio	1 Year	3 Year	5 Year	10 Year	Since Incep.
Vanguard Short-Term Bond Index Fund Admiral Shares (11/01)	VBIRX	0.07	3.06	-0.42	1.17	1.33	2.49
PGIM Short Duration Multi-Sector Bond Fund- Class Z (12/13)	SDMZX	0.40	7.03	1.26	2.17	2.35	2.30
Thrivent Limited Maturity Bond Fund Class S (10/99)	THLIX	0.43	5.79	1.07	1.99	1.95	3.15
Category Average		0.65	4.59	0.40	1.63	1.57	-
Bloomberg US Govt 1-3 Yr TR USD		_	2.98	0.03	1.14	1.07	

<sup>1</sup> Numbers are adjusted for possible sales charges, and assume reinvestment of dividends and capital gains over each time period. 2 Index figures do not reflect deductions for fees or expenses

Past performance does not guarantee future performance. Investment value will fluctuate, and shares, when redeemed, may be worth more or less than original cost. If an expense waiver was in place during the period, the net expense ratio was used to calculate fund performance. Please visit http://www.Schwab.com for more recent month-end performance information.

Investors should consider carefully information contained in the prospectus, including investment objectives, risks, charges, fees and expenses. You can request a prospectus by calling 1-800-435-4000. Please read the prospectus carefully before investing.

#### **FUND PROFILE**

as of 03/31/2024

Available at Schwab	Yes
Inception Date	11/12/2001
Status	Open
Category	Short-Term Bond
Index Fund	Yes
Fund Company	Vanguard
Portfolio Turnover	64%

#### **MORNINGSTAR RATING**

as of 03/31/2024

Overall Rating	Out of 534 Funds			
* **	*** **** ****			
3 Year Rating	Out of 534 Funds			
* **	*** **** ****			
5 Year Rating	Out of 494 Funds			
* **	***   ****   *****			
10 Year Rating	Out of 359 Funds			
* **	*** **** ****			
Historical Return	Low High			
Historical Risk	Low High			

The ratings reflect historical risk-adjusted performance and the overall Morningstar Rating™ is derived from a weighted average of the performance figures associated with fund's 3, 5 and 10 year rating metrics.

#### **QUARTERLY AVERAGE ANNUAL TOTAL RETURN**

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1 Year	3.06%
5 Years	1.17%
10 Years	1.33%
Since Inception	2.49%

Numbers are adjusted for possible sales charges, and assume reinvestment of dividends & capital gains over each time period.

#### **EXPENSES**

Gross Expense Ratio (before waivers)	0.07%
Net Expense Ratio (after waivers)	0.07%
Category Average Expense Ratio	0.64952%
12b-1 Fees	None
Max Front Load	None
Max Back Load	None
Redemption Fee	0%

A net expense ratio lower than the gross expense ratio may reflect a cap on or contractual waiver of fund expense. Please read the fund prospectus for details on limits or expiration dates for any such



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## **Top Ten Holdings**

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Top 10 Holdings in VBIRX	8.29602%
Category Average	40.03%

Top 10 holdings are 8.29602% of the total portfolio assets. The category average percent of Portfolio in top 10 holdings is 40.03%

Symbol	Company Name	Industry	Percent of Assets		
	United States Treasury Notes		1.84851%		
	United States Treasury Notes		1.06414%		
	United States Treasury Notes		0.7335%		
	United States Treasury Notes		0.70337%		
	United States Treasury Notes		0.67684%		
	United States Treasury Notes		0.6727%		
	United States Treasury Notes		0.65388%		
	United States Treasury Notes		0.64906%		
	United States Treasury Notes		0.64838%		
	United States Treasury Notes		0.64564%		

Fund holdings subject to change and not a recommendation to transact in any security.

#### **SECTOR WEIGHTINGS**

DATA NOT AVAILABLE

#### **ASSET BREAKDOWN**

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	% Long	% Short	% Net
Domestic Bond	87.49	0.0	87.49
Non-US* Bond	10.57	0.0	10.57
Convertible	0.01	0.0	0.01
Cash Investments	1.94	0.0	1.94

\*Non-US assets include assets without a specific country classification



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