

# DoubleLine Flexible Income Fund



December 2022 | Non-Traditional Bond | Tickers: DFLEX/DLINX

## Investment Objective

The Fund's objective is to seek long-term total return while striving to generate current income.

## Investment Approach

The Fund is not constrained by management against any index and allows the adviser broad flexibility to invest in a wide variety of fixed income instruments. Actively managed sector betas include Agency Mortgage-Backed Securities (MBS), non-Agency MBS, commercial MBS, global developed credit, high yield, international, emerging markets fixed income and U.S. government sectors.

## Investment Process

The DoubleLine Fixed Income Asset Allocation Committee, led by Jeffrey Gundlach, determines whether to over- or underweight a sector based on economic outlook, sector fundamentals and relative value.

### TOP DOWN

#### Macroeconomic Outlook

Analysis of economic data drives views on interest rates, credit, and asset allocation

#### Sector Allocation

Sector weightings are based on relative attractiveness, respective outlooks, and current opportunity set

#### Duration Management

Overall portfolio duration is managed to target established by the Committee

#### Security Selection

Securities are selected based on factors such as sponsor, structure and collateral quality considerations

#### Scenario Analysis

Opportunities are stressed through a comprehensive scenario analysis including historical credit events

#### Market Research

Underlying market fundamentals are assessed to inform investment selections

### BOTTOM UP

Month-End Returns						Since
December 31, 2022	Dec	YTD	1-Year	3-Year	5-Year	Inception
DFLEX	0.60	-8.48	-8.48	-0.75	0.96	2.09
DLINX	0.46	-8.73	-8.73	-1.01	0.71	1.83
Primary Benchmark	0.35	-3.73	-3.73	-0.01	1.35	1.34
Secondary Benchmark	0.35	1.66	1.66	0.69	1.18	0.83
Quarter-End Returns						Since
December 31, 2022	4Q22	YTD	1-Year	3-Year	5-Year	Inception
DFLEX	1.03	-8.48	-8.48	-0.75	0.96	2.09
DLINX	0.96	-8.73	-8.73	-1.01	0.71	1.83
Primary Benchmark	1.11	-3.73	-3.73	-0.01	1.35	1.34
Secondary Benchmark	0.92	1.66	1.66	0.69	1.18	0.83
Calendar Year Returns	2022	2021	2020	2019	2018	
DFLEX	-8.48	3.79	2.92	7.21	0.10	
DLINX	-8.73	3.53	2.65	6.96	-0.15	
Primary Benchmark	-3.73	0.00	3.85	5.14	1.73	
Secondary Benchmark	1.66	0.04	0.38	2.10	1.76	
SEC 30-Day Yield (%)		3-Yr Std				
	Gross	Net	Deviation			
DFLEX	7.28	7.28	9.26			
DLINX	7.03	7.03	9.28			
Primary Benchmark			2.27			
Secondary Benchmark			0.33			

## Class I (Institutional)

Ticker	DFLEX
Minimum	\$100,000
IRA	\$5,000
Inception	4-7-2014
Gross Expense Ratio	0.75%
Net Expense Ratio <sup>1</sup>	0.73%

## Class N (Retail)

Ticker	DLINX
Minimum	\$2,000
IRA	\$500
Inception	4-7-2014
Gross Expense Ratio	1.00%
Net Expense Ratio <sup>1</sup>	0.98%

## Primary Benchmark

ICE BofA 1-3 Year Eurodollar Index

## Secondary Benchmark

ICE BofA SOFR Overnight Rate Index

## Portfolio Managers

Jeffrey Gundlach  
Jeffrey Sherman, CFA

## Portfolio Characteristics

Fund Assets	\$981.7 M
Average Price	\$87.64
Number of Holdings	1,090
Duration	1.70
WAL	5.01

## About DoubleLine

DoubleLine is an independent, employee-owned money management firm committed to helping investors achieve their goals. We offer a wide array of investment strategies and vehicles overseen by a time-tested portfolio management team.

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<sup>1</sup>The Adviser has contractually agreed to waive fees incurred from investments made in other DoubleLine Funds through July 29, 2023.

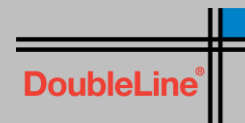
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Sector Breakdown (%)	Duration Breakdown (%)	Credit Quality Breakdown (%)
Collateralized Loan Obligations 19.15	Less than 0 21.55	Government 10.67
Non-Agency RMBS 18.56	0 to 3 years 48.11	Agency 6.42
Non-Agency CMBS 12.02	3 to 5 years 13.79	Investment Grade 35.54
Government 9.32	5 to 10 years 7.52	Below Investment Grade 34.40
Emerging Markets 8.81	10+ years 4.12	Unrated Securities 8.08
Bank Loans 8.27	N/A 0.03	Cash 4.89
Agency RMBS 6.42	Cash 4.89	<b>Total 100.00</b>
Asset-Backed Securities 5.62	<b>Total 100.00</b>	
High Yield Corporates 4.71		<b>Top 10 Holdings (%)</b>
Agency CMBS 2.14	<b>Weighted Average Life Breakdown (%)</b>	B 07/13/23 2.66
Investment Grade Corporates 0.08	0 to 3 years 27.10	T 3 1/8 08/15/25 2.47
Equities 0.01	3 to 5 years 21.84	T 3 1/8 08/31/27 2.06
Cash 4.89	5 to 10 years 42.45	B 04/20/23 1.65
<b>Total 100.00</b>	10+ years 3.69	FHR 4851 PF 1.41
	N/A 0.03	FHR 4944 F 1.30
	Cash 4.89	FHMS KF89 AS 1.02
	<b>Total 100.00</b>	MLMI 2006-HE6 A1 0.83
		MSRR 2013-R7 8B 0.73
		PROG 2021-SFR3 F 0.70
		<b>Total 14.84</b>

The Fund's investment objectives, risks, charges and expenses must be considered carefully before investing. The statutory and summary prospectus contain this and other important information about the investment company, and may be obtained by calling (877) 354-6311 / (877) DLINE11, or visiting [www.doubleline.com](http://www.doubleline.com). Read them carefully before investing.

Sector allocations and Fund holdings are subject to change at any time and should not be considered a recommendation to buy or sell any security.

Portfolio holdings generally are made available 30 days after month-end by visiting [www.doubleline.com](http://www.doubleline.com). The source for the information in this report is DoubleLine Capital, which maintains its data on a trade date basis.

**Bond Ratings** - Grades given to bonds that indicate their credit quality as determined by a private independent rating service such as Standard and Poor's. The firm evaluates a bond issuer's financial strength, or its ability to pay a bond's principal and interest in a timely fashion. Ratings are expressed as letters ranging from 'AAA', which is the highest grade, to 'D', which is the lowest grade. In limited situations when the rating agency has not issued a formal rating, the rating agency will classify the security as not-rated. Investment grade refers to bonds with ratings BBB and higher. Below investment grade refers to bonds with ratings BB and lower.

**Credit Distribution** is determined from the highest available credit rating from any Nationally Recognized Statistical Rating Agency ("NRSRO", generally S&P, Moody's and Fitch). DoubleLine chooses to display credit ratings using S&P's rating convention, although the rating itself might be sourced from another NRSRO. In limited situations when the rating agency has not issued a formal rating, the rating agency will classify the security as unrated.

#### Risk Disclosure

Mutual fund investing involves risk; Principal loss is possible. Investments in debt securities typically decrease in value when interest rates rise. This risk is usually greater for longer-term debt securities. Investments in lower-rated and non-rated securities present a greater risk of loss to principal and interest than higher-rated securities. Investments in ABS and MBS include additional risks that investors should be aware of such as credit risk, prepayment risk, possible illiquidity and default, as well as increased susceptibility to adverse economic developments. The Fund invests in foreign securities which involve greater volatility and political, economic and currency risks and differences in accounting methods. These risks are greater for investments in emerging markets. The Fund may use leverage which may cause the effect of an increase or decrease in the value of the portfolio securities to be magnified and the Fund to be more volatile than if leverage was not used. Derivatives involve special risks including correlation, counterparty, liquidity, operational, accounting and tax risks. These risks, in certain cases, may be greater than the risks presented by more traditional investments. Investing in ETFs involve additional risks such as the market price of the shares may trade at a discount to its net asset value ("NAV"), an active secondary trading market may not develop or be maintained, or trading may be halted by the exchange in which

they trade, which may impact a Funds ability to sell its shares. The fund may make short sales of securities, which involves the risk that losses may exceed the original amount invested.

#### Index Disclosure

**ICE BofA 1-3 Year Eurodollar Index** is a subset of the ICE BofA Eurodollar Index including all securities with a remaining term to final maturity less than 3 years. The ICE BofA Eurodollar Index tracks the performance of U.S. dollar-denominated investment grade quasigovernment, corporate, securitized and collateralized debt publicly issued in the eurobond markets. Qualifying securities must have investment grade rating (based on an average of Moody's, S&P & Fitch).

**ICE BofA SOFR Overnight Rate Index** - The Secured Overnight Financing Rate (SOFR) is a broad measure of the cost of borrowing cash overnight collateralized by Treasury securities. One cannot invest directly in an index.

#### Definitions

**Agency** - Mortgage securities whose principal and interest are effectively guaranteed by the U.S. Government agency including Fannie Mae (FNMA) or Freddie-Mac (FHLMC).

**Average Price** - The weighted average of the prices of the Fund's portfolio holdings.

**Beta** - Beta is the measure of a mutual funds' volatility in relation to the market. By definitions, the market has a beta of 1.0, and individual mutual funds are ranked according to how much they deviate from the market.

**Duration** - A commonly used measure of the potential volatility of the price of a debt securities, prior to maturity. Securities with a longer duration generally have more volatile prices than securities of comparable quality with a shorter duration.

**SEC Yield** - A standard yield calculation developed by the U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission (SEC) that allows for fairer comparisons of bond funds. It is based on the most recent 30-day period covered by the fund's filings with the SEC.

**Standard Deviation** - A measure of the dispersion of a set of data from its mean. The more spread apart the data, the higher the deviation. Calculated by the square-root of the variance.

**Weighted Average Life (WAL)** - The average number of years for which each dollar of unpaid principal on a loan or mortgage remains outstanding.