Data as of September 30, 2024



# Seeks to provide current income, consistent with preservation of capital

# **Model description**

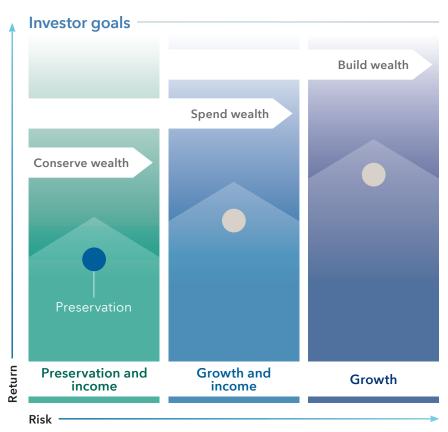
Seeks primarily preservation of capital and secondarily current income that is exempt from regular federal income tax through a diversified portfolio of high-quality fixed income securities.

## **Created by Capital Group**

In creating the American Funds Preservation Model Portfolio, our seasoned portfolio managers relied on their in-depth understanding of the underlying funds. The models are constructed and monitored by the Portfolio Solutions Committee, with support from the Capital Solutions Group, while the underlying funds are actively managed by their respective portfolio managers. The Portfolio Solutions Committee has an average of 31 years of investment industry experience.\*

## For investors who ...

- Seek an all fixed income investment that is managed with a focus on the preservation of capital.
- Are willing to assume some principal risk while seeking relative stability during equity market declines.
- Seek some current income through a diversified portfolio of high quality bonds.
- Value a diversified and experienced active investment manager to help them accomplish their goals.



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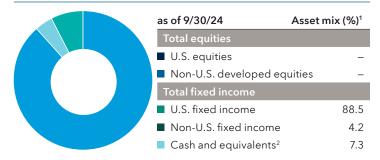
<sup>\*</sup>As of December 31, 2023.

Underlying funds	Weight (%)
Short-Term Bond Fund of America®	55
Intermediate Bond Fund of America®	45

Bond breakdown	at 9/30/24
Mortgage-backed securities	33.1%
U.S. Treasuries	28.5
Asset-backed obligations	23.4
U.S. corporate bonds	9.8
Non-U.S. corporate/government bonds	2.9
Agency notes & bonds	1.1
Government agency securities	0.6
Non-U.S. government/agencies	0.4
Municipal securities	0.2

Fixed income quality breakdown <sup>3</sup>	at 9/30/24
Investment grade (BBB/Baa and above)	96.9%
Non-Investment grade (BB/Ba and below)	3.0

#### **American Funds Preservation Model Portfolio**



### The Portfolio Solutions Committee

This model is actively monitored by the committee – a group of senior investment professionals with varied backgrounds and approaches, and decades of investment industry experience. They regularly review the model's results and holdings to keep it aligned with its objectives.



Alan Berro 38 years



Michelle Black Brittain Ezzes **29** years



26 years



Samir Mathur 31 years



Wesley Phoa 30 years



John Queen 34 years



Andrew Suzman 30 years

Investment industry experience as of December 31, 2023.

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Portfolios are managed, so holdings will change. Holdings-based information is based on the weighted average of the underlying funds.

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