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	US Stock Market	International Developed Stocks	Emerging Markets Stocks	Global Real Estate	US Bond Market	Global Bond Market ex US
2025	STOCKS				BONDS	
	17.15%	31.85%	33.57%	7.67%	7.30%	2.80%
Since Jan. 2001						
Average Yearly Return	10.5%	7.5%	12.0%	8.9%	3.9%	3.8%
Best Year	33.6%	39.4%	78.5%	37.4%	10.3%	8.8%
	2013	**2003**	**2009**	**2006**	**2002**	**2014**
Worst Year	-37.3%	-43.6%	-53.3%	-45.7%	-13.0%	-9.8%
	2008	**2008**	**2008**	**2008**	**2022**	**2022**

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US Stocks

2025 index returns

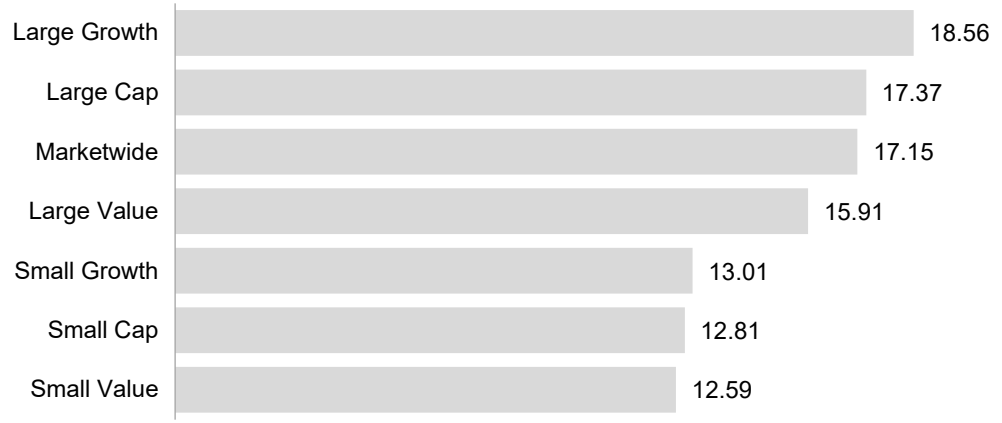
The US equity market posted positive returns for the year and underperformed both non-US developed and emerging markets.

Value underperformed growth.

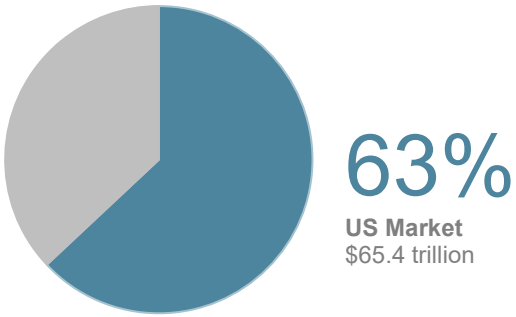
Small caps underperformed large caps.

REIT indices underperformed equity market indices.

Ranked Returns (%)



World Market Capitalization—US



63%

US Market

$65.4 trillion

Period Returns (%)

		Annualized				
Asset Class	1 Year	3 Years	5 Years	10 Years	15 Years	20 Years
Large Growth	18.56	31.15	15.32	18.13	16.58	13.23
Large Cap	17.37	22.74	13.59	14.59	13.87	10.94
Marketwide	17.15	22.25	13.15	14.29	13.58	10.77
Large Value	15.91	13.90	11.33	10.53	10.78	8.32
Small Growth	13.01	15.59	3.18	9.57	9.94	8.76
Small Cap	12.81	13.73	6.09	9.62	9.47	8.20
Small Value	12.59	11.73	8.88	9.27	8.73	7.40

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International Developed Stocks

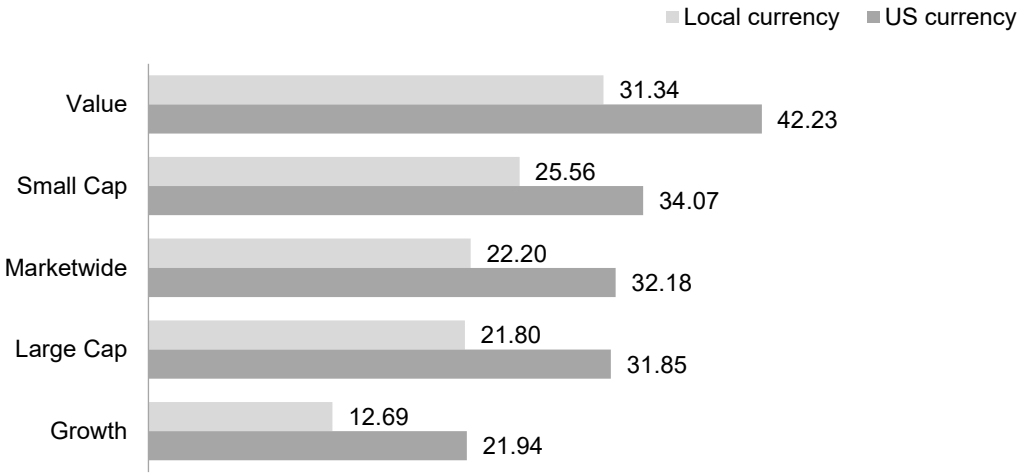
2025 index returns

Developed markets outside the US posted positive returns for the year and outperformed US markets, but underperformed emerging markets.

Value outperformed growth.

Small caps outperformed large caps.

Ranked Returns (%)



World Market Capitalization—International Developed

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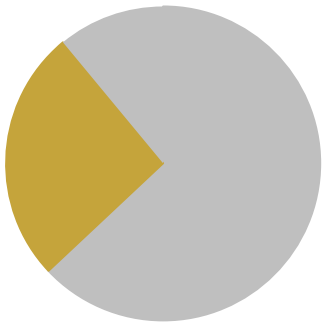
International Developed Markets
$27.1 trillion



Period Returns (%)

		Annualized				
Asset Class	1 Year	3 Years	5 Years	10 Years	15 Years	20 Years
Value	42.23	21.58	13.94	9.16	6.68	5.49
Small Cap	34.07	15.77	6.49	8.05	6.82	6.05
Marketwide	32.18	17.39	9.03	8.47	6.62	5.78
Large Cap	31.85	17.64	9.46	8.55	6.59	5.69
Growth	21.94	13.77	4.90	7.67	6.30	5.72

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Emerging Markets Stocks

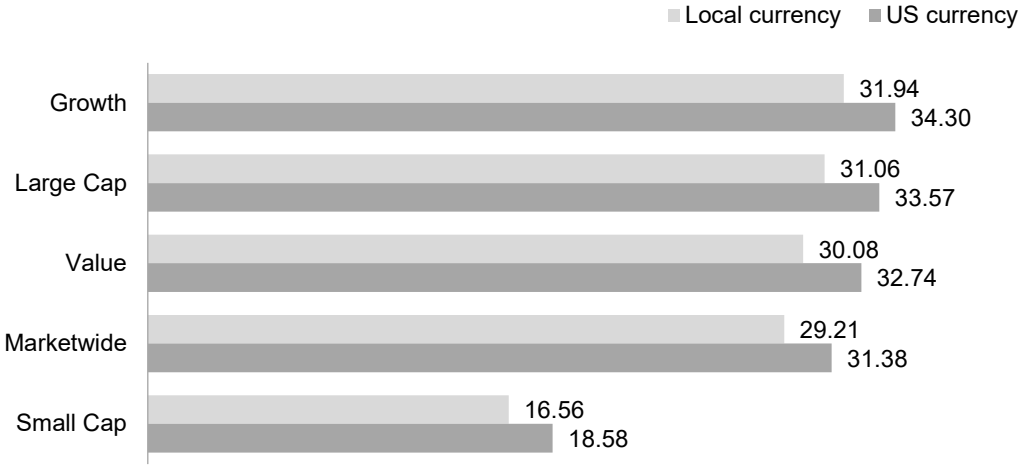
2025 index returns

Emerging markets posted positive returns for the year and outperformed both US and non-US developed markets.

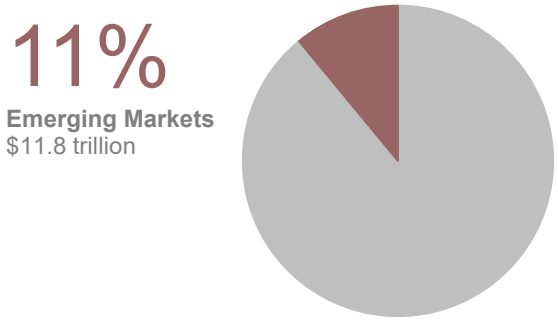
Value underperformed growth.

Small caps underperformed large caps.

Ranked Returns (%)



World Market Capitalization—Emerging Markets



Period Returns (%)

		Annualized				
Asset Class	1 Year	3 Years	5 Years	10 Years	15 Years	20 Years
Growth	34.30	16.17	1.77	8.76	4.71	6.23
Large Cap	33.57	16.40	4.20	8.42	3.82	5.99
Value	32.74	16.58	6.76	7.96	2.82	5.65
Marketwide	31.38	16.25	4.66	8.37	3.87	6.13
Small Cap	18.58	15.47	8.43	8.31	4.30	7.20

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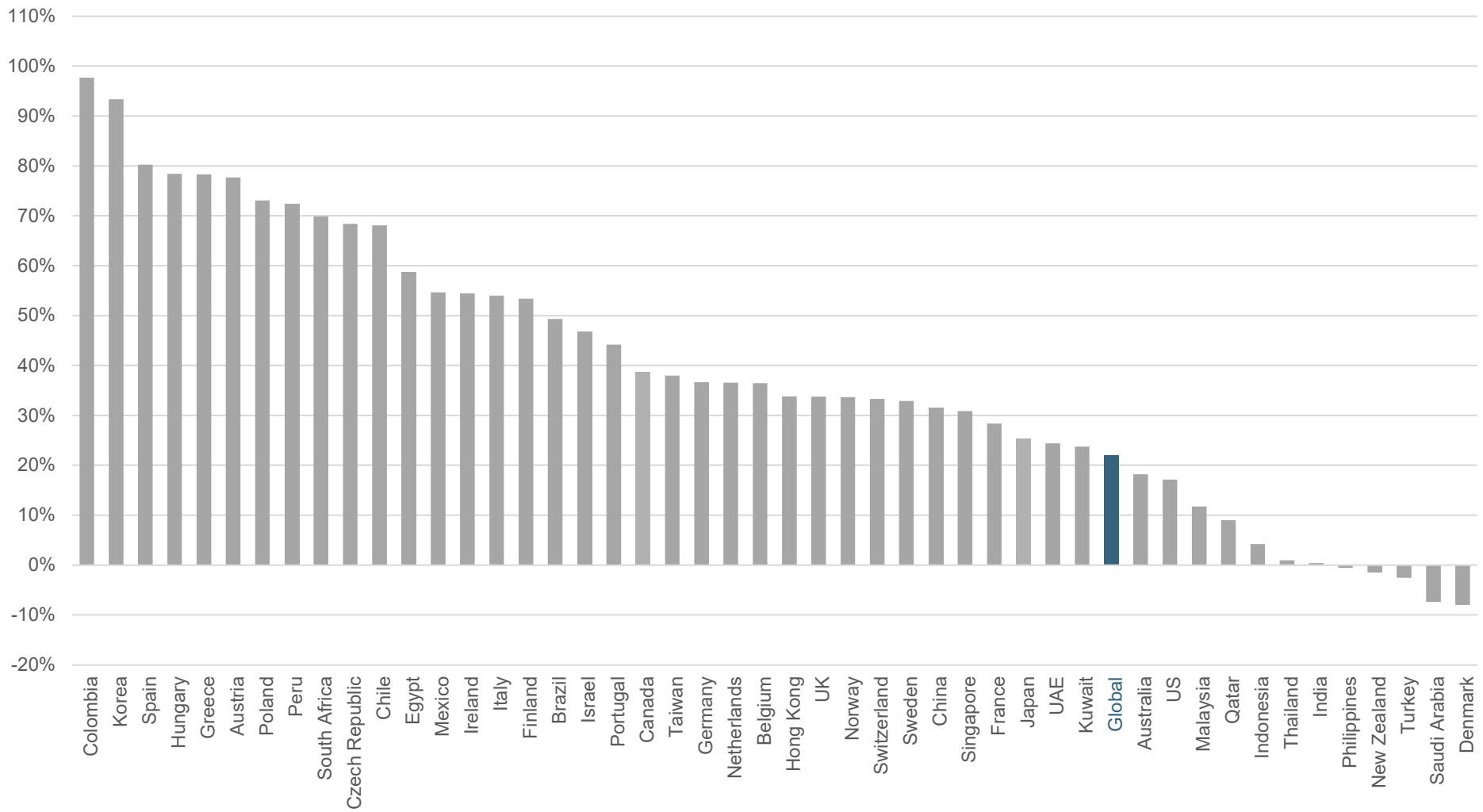
Country Returns

2025 index returns



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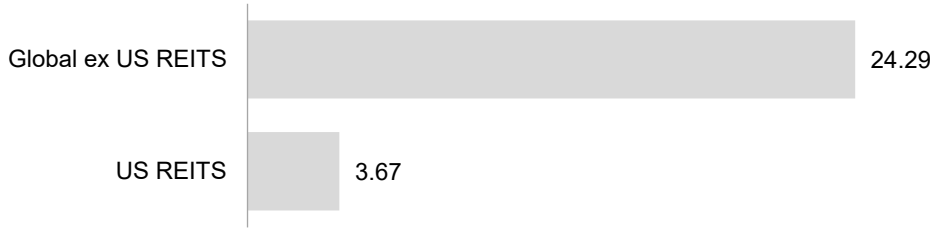
Real Estate Investment Trusts (REITs)

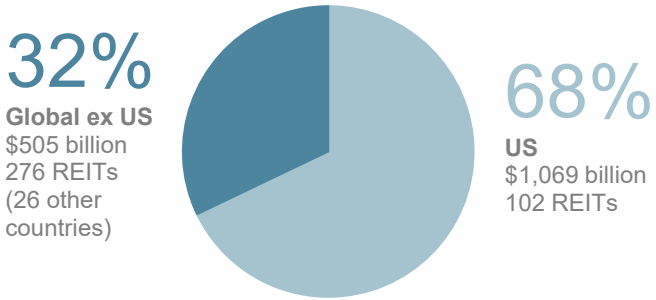
2025 index returns

US real estate investment trusts underperformed non-US REITs during the year.

Ranked Returns (%)



Total Value of REIT Stocks



Period Returns (%)

		Annualized				
Asset Class	1 Year	3 Years	5 Years	10 Years	15 Years	20 Years
Global ex US REITS	24.29	6.55	1.09	2.62	3.64	2.97
US REITS	3.67	8.50	6.65	4.81	7.26	6.00

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Number of REIT stocks and total value based on the two indices. All index returns are net of withholding tax on dividends. Total value of REIT stocks represented by Dow Jones US Select REIT Index and the S&P Global ex US REIT Index. Dow Jones US Select REIT Index used as proxy for the US market, and S&P Global ex US REIT Index used as proxy for the World ex US market. Dow Jones and S&P data © 2026 S&P Dow Jones Indices LLC, a division of S&P Global. All rights reserved.

Commodities

2025 index returns

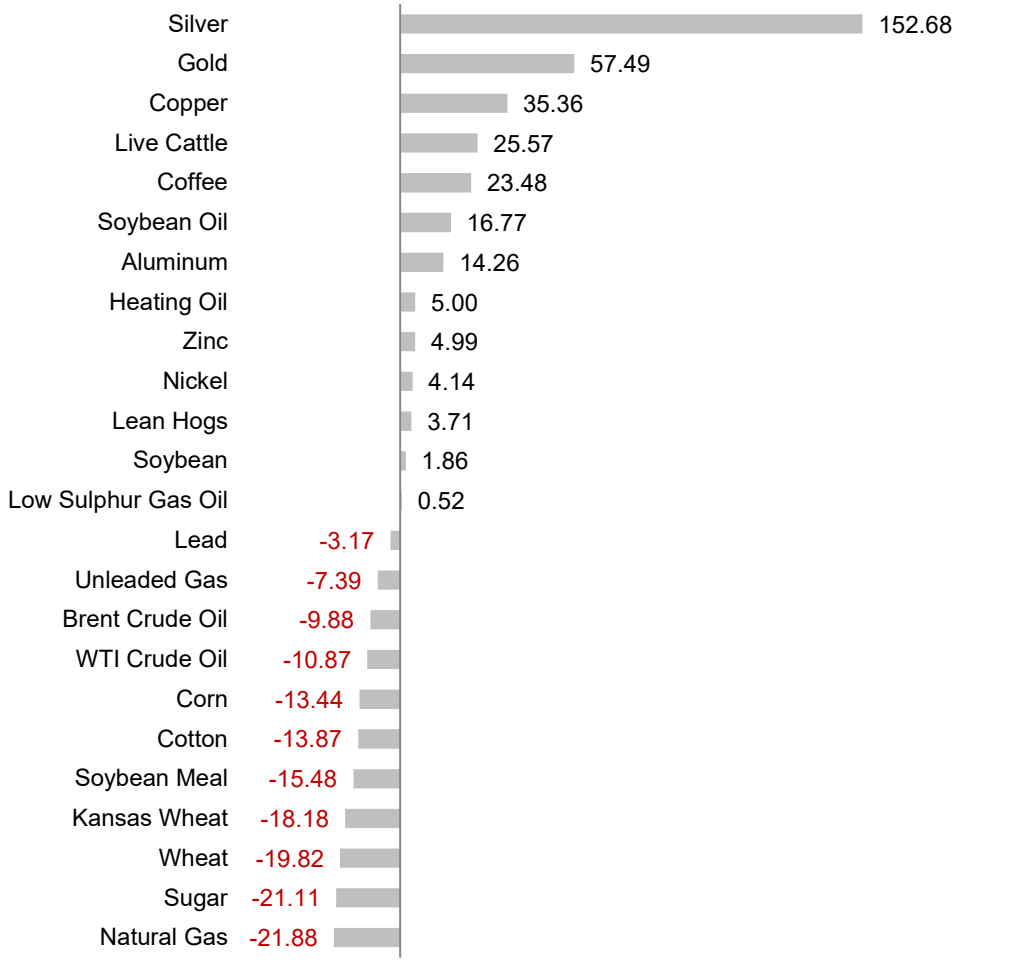
The Bloomberg Commodity Total Return Index returned +15.77% for the year.

Silver and Gold were the best performers, returning +152.68% and +57.49% for the year, respectively. Natural Gas and Sugar were the worst performers, returning -21.88% and -21.11% for the year, respectively.

Period Returns (%)

		Annualized				
Asset Class	1 Year	3 Years	5 Years	10 Years	15 Years	20 Years
Commodities	15.77	3.96	10.64	5.73	-1.10	-0.54

Ranked Returns for Individual Commodities (%)



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Fixed Income

2025 index returns

Within the US Treasury market, interest rates generally decreased during the year.

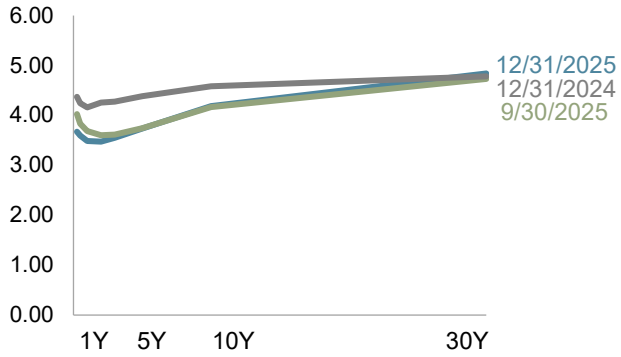
On the short end of the yield curve, the 1-Month US Treasury Bill yield decreased 66 basis points (bps) to 3.74%. The 1-Year US Treasury Bill yield decreased 68 bps to 3.48%. The yield on the 2-Year US Treasury Note decreased 78 bps to 3.47%.

The yield on the 5-Year US Treasury Note decreased 65 bps to 3.73%. The yield on the 10-Year US Treasury Note decreased 40 bps to 4.18%. The yield on the 30-Year US Treasury Bond increased 6 bps to 4.84%.

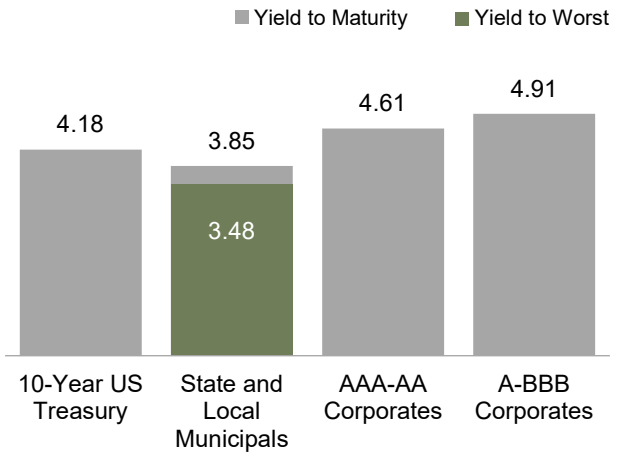
In terms of total returns, short-term US treasury bonds returned +5.84% while intermediate-term US treasury bonds returned +6.51%. Short-term corporate bonds returned +6.81% and intermediate-term corporate bonds returned +7.95%.[1]

The total returns for short- and intermediate-term municipal bonds were +4.11% and +5.75%, respectively. Within the municipal fixed income market, general obligation bonds returned +4.31% while revenue bonds returned +4.21%.[2]

US Treasury Yield Curve (%)



Bond Yield Across Issuers (%)



Period Returns (%)

		Annualized				
Asset Class	1 Year	3 Years	5 Years	10 Years	15 Years	20 Years
Bloomberg U.S. High Yield Corporate Bond Index	8.62	10.06	4.51	6.53	6.03	6.74
FTSE World Government Bond Index 1-5 Years	8.56	4.43	-0.13	1.27	0.24	1.86
Bloomberg U.S. Aggregate Bond Index	7.30	4.66	-0.36	2.01	2.42	3.25
Bloomberg U.S. TIPS Index	7.01	4.23	1.12	3.09	2.91	3.51
Bloomberg U.S. Government Bond Index Long	5.61	0.65	-7.18	0.05	2.52	3.30
FTSE World Government Bond Index 1-5 Years (hedged to USD)	5.12	4.89	1.80	2.08	1.91	2.49
Bloomberg Municipal Bond Index	4.25	3.88	0.80	2.34	3.34	3.52
ICE BofA US 3-Month Treasury Bill Index	4.18	4.81	3.17	2.18	1.47	1.71
ICE BofA 1-Year US Treasury Note Index	4.15	4.54	2.48	2.03	1.44	1.90

1. Bloomberg US Treasury and US Corporate Bond Indices.
2. Bloomberg Municipal Bond Index.

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Global Fixed Income

2025 yield curves

Except for the UK and US, interest rates generally increased across global developed markets for the year.

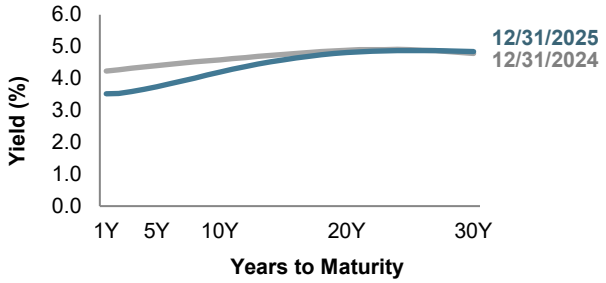
In the US, interest rates generally decreased. In the UK, short- to intermediate-term interest rates decreased, and long-term interest rates increased. In Canada, Germany, UK and Australia, the short-term maturity range of their yield curves was generally flat but steepened in the three- to five-year maturity range.

On aggregate, global term premiums were mixed. Realized term premiums were mixed in the US and UK, as intermediate-term bonds generally outperformed shorter and longer-term bonds. However, realized term premiums were generally negative in Canada, Germany and Japan, as longer-term bonds generally underperformed shorter-term bonds for the year.

Changes in Yield (bps) Since 12/31/2024

	1Y	5Y	10Y	20Y	30Y
US	-70.7	-66.6	-38.5	-7.7	5.6
UK	-65.5	-30.6	-5.0	5.3	9.6
Germany	-15.1	34.8	49.9	75.0	84.4
Japan	48.1	81.8	97.6	102.9	106.4
Canada	-55.7	2.8	19.7	42.7	51.4
Australia	-2.6	32.2	36.5	36.4	36.8

US



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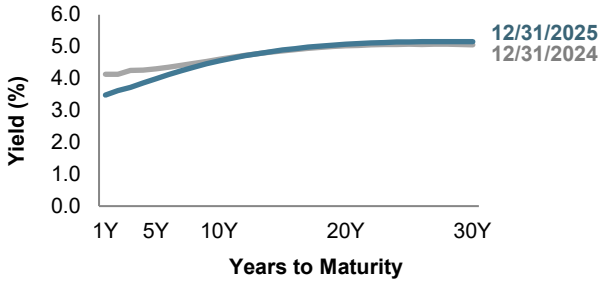

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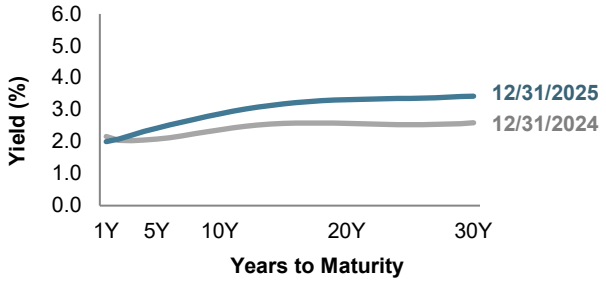

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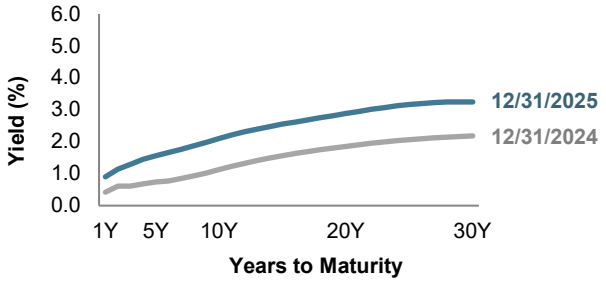

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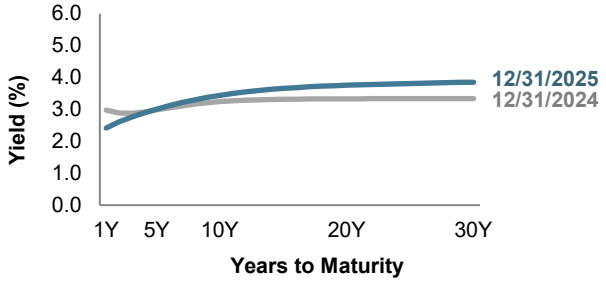

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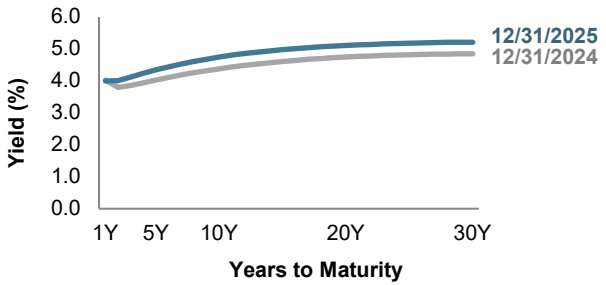

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