

Invesco BulletShares Corporate Portfolios

2025

Key takeaways

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Global markets in Q4 2025 saw equities edge higher amid easing rate expectations, resilient growth, and ongoing geopolitical uncertainty.
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All four of the Invesco BulletShares Corporate Portfolios produced positive returns, although all underperformed their custom benchmarks for the year on a net of fees basis.
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With exposure to a wide range of maturities, the corporate bond ladder portfolio delivered a balanced blend that generated dependable income and competitive returns while adapting to an evolving interest rate landscape.

What this model does

The Invesco BulletShares Corporate Model Portfolios invest in BulletShares Corporate Bond ETFs to create bond ladders, offering investors a cost-effective and convenient approach to portfolio laddering. These portfolios provide customized corporate bond portfolios tailored to specific maturity profiles, risk preferences, and investment goals. The portfolios are designed to be evergreen across four maturity bands: 0-3, 0-5, 0-7, and 0-10 taxable years.

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Market Overview

Both equity and bond markets registered positive gains, driven by easing inflation, Fed rate cuts in October and December, and resilient corporate earnings, even as delayed economic data and persistent geopolitical and trade uncertainties posed risks. Non-US equities once again outperformed the broad US equity market. The Fed lowered rates by 50 basis points and signaled a cautious stance going forward. The US dollar held firm on strong growth and safe-haven demand, while commodities advanced broadly, with precious metals benefiting from shifting monetary expectations. Key themes included optimism around AI-driven growth, volatility from fiscal gridlock, and investor positioning for a changing interest rate environment.

US Equity

Domestic markets were marked by volatility, a brief late November dip, and a market environment focused on quality and earnings strength during the fourth quarter. Despite the longest government shutdown on record, the S&P 500 advanced, helping the market achieve another year of double-digit returns. Health care and communication services led performance, driven by steady demand, innovation, and strong digital platform growth alongside improving consumer sentiment. Real estate and utilities lagged as falling interest rates and monetary easing reduced the appeal of traditionally defensive, rate-sensitive sectors. Collectively, value stocks outpaced growth, and large-caps led the market, followed by small-caps.

International Equity

International equities maintained their strong performance and outpaced US markets for a fourth consecutive quarter. Emerging markets outperformed, driven by attractive valuations and strong earnings momentum, with India and South Korea among the best performers thanks to robust technology and export sectors. China lagged due to regulatory pressures and slower economic recovery, while Mexico underperformed amid trade-related headwinds. Geopolitical tensions and trade uncertainties persisted, encouraging investors to favor diversified, high-quality exposure while remaining cautious on regions sensitive to policy risk. Overall, sentiment improved as monetary easing and stabilizing fundamentals boosted confidence across global markets.

Fixed Income

Bond markets ended Q4 on a positive note as global monetary easing gained momentum. US Treasuries posted modest gains as front-end yields declined following multiple Fed rate cuts, while longer maturities held firm, resulting in a steeper curve. Credit markets strengthened, with investment-grade and high yield spreads tightening on solid corporate fundamentals. Inflation-linked bonds underperformed as price pressures continued to ease. European government bonds rallied on dovish central bank signals and stabilizing growth. Emerging market debt saw robust inflows, supported by a weaker dollar and improving risk sentiment. Investors focused on duration and credit opportunities as rate normalization accelerated worldwide.



Portfolio performance for the year

- Fixed income performance was driven in part by intermediate-term investment grade bonds, while short-term and long-term investment grade bonds weighed on the total portfolio returns.
- The Invesco BulletShares Corporate 0-3 Year Portfolio produced a return of 5.05% (1.95% net-of-fees) for the year and underperformed its custom benchmark which returned 6.81%. The custom benchmark consists of 100% Bloomberg US Corporate 1-5 Year Total Return Index.
- The Invesco BulletShares Corporate 0-5 Year Portfolio produced a return of 5.88% (2.76% net-of-fees) for the year and underperformed its custom benchmark which returned 6.81%. The custom benchmark consists of 100% Bloomberg US Corporate 1-5 Year Total Return Index.
- The Invesco BulletShares Corporate 0-7 Year Portfolio produced a return of 6.61% (3.47% net-of-fees) for the year and underperformed its custom benchmark which returned 6.81%. The custom benchmark consists of 100% Bloomberg US Corporate 1-5 Year Total Return Index.
- The Invesco BulletShares Corporate 0-10 Year Portfolio produced a return of 7.29% (4.14% net-of-fees) for the year and underperformed its custom benchmark which returned 7.95%. The custom benchmark consists of 100% Bloomberg US Corporate Intermediate Total Return Index.

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Holdings and characteristics

Portfolio holdings (%)

Underlying investment	Ticker	0-3	0-5	0-7	0-10
Fixed Income		98.0	98.0	98.0	98.0
Invesco BulletShares 2026 Corporate Bond ETF	BSCQ	32.7	19.6	14.0	9.8
Invesco BulletShares 2027 Corporate Bond ETF	BSCR	32.7	19.6	14.0	9.8
Invesco BulletShares 2028 Corporate Bond ETF	BSCS	32.7	19.6	14.0	9.8
Invesco BulletShares 2029 Corporate Bond ETF	BSCT	0.0	19.6	14.0	9.8
Invesco BulletShares 2030 Corporate Bond ETF	BSCU	0.0	19.6	14.0	9.8
Invesco BulletShares 2031 Corporate Bond ETF	BSCV	0.0	0.0	14.0	9.8
Invesco BulletShares 2032 Corporate Bond ETF	BSCW	0.0	0.0	14.0	9.8
Invesco BulletShares 2033 Corporate Bond ETF	BSCX	0.0	0.0	0.0	9.8
Invesco BulletShares 2034 Corporate Bond ETF	BSCY	0.0	0.0	0.0	9.8
Invesco BulletShares 2035 Corporate Bond ETF	BSCZ	0.0	0.0	0.0	9.8
Cash		2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0
Total		100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0

Portfolio characteristics

	0-3	0-5	0-7	0-10
% ETFs	98	98	98	98
Weighted average expenses (%)	0.10	0.10	0.10	0.10
Total number of holdings (excluding cash)	3	5	7	10

Source: Invesco, as of December 31, 2025. Holdings are subject to change and are not buy/sell recommendations. Totals may not equal 100% due to rounding. The model portfolio expense ratio is a weighted average net expense ratio of the underlying holdings. The expenses do not include transaction costs. Brokerage commissions may or may not apply. The table above reflects all recommended securities in the strategy and their allocation as of the date of this document. Where cash is shown, it is for the model level. It does not include possible amounts held within each underlying fund.

Composite performance

Performance (%) as of December 31, 2025

Period		0-3	0-5	0-7	0-10
3-month	"Pure" Gross Return*	1.17	1.19	1.20	1.18
	Net Return	0.42	0.44	0.45	0.42
	Benchmark Return	1.26	1.26	1.26	1.29
1-year	"Pure" Gross Return*	5.05	5.88	6.61	7.29
	Net Return	1.95	2.76	3.47	4.14
	Benchmark Return	6.81	6.81	6.81	7.95
3-year	"Pure" Gross Return*	5.21	5.56	5.94	6.21
	Net Return	2.11	2.45	2.82	3.09
	Benchmark Return	5.98	5.98	5.98	6.47
5-year	"Pure" Gross Return*	2.89	2.57	2.30	1.80
	Net Return	-0.15	-0.46	-0.73	-1.21
	Benchmark Return	2.40	2.32	2.24	1.60
Since inception (12/10/19)	"Pure" Gross Return*	2.82	2.81	2.80	2.60
	Net Return	-0.21	-0.23	-0.23	-0.43
	Benchmark Return	2.46	2.65	2.82	2.51

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**"Pure" gross of fees returns reflect the deduction of trading costs but do not reflect any other expenses, outside of the operational expenses, and are supplemental to net returns. See note 4 on the following page.

Model launch date December 10, 2019. Performance reporting began December 31, 2019, the month-end following launch.

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3. Composite information for Invesco BulletShares Corporate Portfolio Wrap Composites is representative of Invesco BulletShares Corporate 0-3 Year Portfolio Wrap Composite, Invesco BulletShares Corporate 0-5 Year Portfolio Wrap Composite, Invesco BulletShares Corporate 0-7 Year Portfolio Wrap Composite, and Invesco BulletShares Corporate 0-10 Year Portfolio Wrap Composite. Invesco BulletShares Corporate Portfolio Wrap Composites include all discretionary accounts styled after the corresponding Invesco BulletShares Corporate Model Portfolio. The portfolios seek to track the investment results (before fees and expenses) of the appropriate broad-based market indexes that represent the duration and style of the relative BulletShares. For periods beginning June 1, 2024, the composite is composed of 100% non-fee paying discretionary wrap accounts. Prior to June 1, 2024, the composite was composed of 100% non-fee paying discretionary institutional accounts. The historical performance results are those of the four bond ladders in the Invesco BulletShares Corporate Portfolio Institutional Composites noted above. The composites are managed in comparison to, not duplication of, the respective benchmarks. The composites were created in January 2020.
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5. The Invesco BulletShares® Corporate Custom Indexes (thru 12/31/2021) were used solely prior to January 1, 2022 and Bloomberg U.S. Corporate TR Indexes Value Unhedged USD are used thereafter. The benchmarks were changed to broad-based market indexes that better represent the duration and style of the relative corporate BulletShares portfolio. BulletShares® indexes are designed to provide maturity-targeted exposure to the US dollar-denominated investment grade corporate bond market. Each index tracks a diversified basket of bonds with the same annual maturity and is designed to have a return profile similar to that of an individually held-to-maturity bond. The benchmarks are used for comparative purposes only and generally reflect the risk or investment style of the product. The custom indexes are rebalanced daily. For comparison purposes the indexes are fully invested, which includes reinvestment of income. The returns for the indexes do not include any transaction costs, management fees or other costs.
6. In September 2023 the composite changed names from the Invesco BulletShares Corporate SMA Wrap Composite to the Invesco BulletShares Corporate Portfolio Wrap Composite.
7. The following are available on request:
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