

Invesco Short Term Municipal Fund

Quarterly Performance Commentary

Mutual Fund Retail Share Classes
Data as of Sept. 30, 2022



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Class Y shares (ORSYX): Best among 29 Short Municipal Debt Funds for the 10-year period ending 11/30/21 based on consistently strong risk-adjusted performance.

Investment objective

The fund seeks tax-free income.

Portfolio management

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Fund facts

Total Net Assets	\$2,523,604,106
Total Number of Holdings	673

Fund characteristics

Average Effective Maturity	1.23
Option Adjusted Duration	0.91

Investment categories (%)

Revenue Bonds	75.44
General Obligation Bonds	17.28
Prerefunded/ETM	1.58
Cash/Other	5.71

May not equal 100% due to rounding.

Credit quality breakdown (% total)¹

Cash	3.98
Prerefunded/ETM	1.58
AAA	11.91
AA	45.80
A	25.69
BBB	5.47
BB	1.63
B	1.80
Other	0.33
Not Rated	1.80

Not a deposit; Not FDIC insured; Not guaranteed by the bank; May lose value; Not insured by any federal agency

Market overview

- + For the third quarter of 2022, the Bloomberg Municipal Bond Index and the Bloomberg High Yield Municipal Bond Index returned -3.46% and -4.83%, respectively, while the Bloomberg Taxable Municipal Index returned -6.18%.² These negative results reflect investors' ongoing concerns about inflation, volatility and the Federal Reserve's (Fed) monetary tightening.
- + Continuing its efforts to stem inflation, the Fed raised the federal funds rate by 0.75% twice during the quarter, in July and again in September, bringing the target rate to 3.25%, the highest since 2008.³ With five rate increases so far in 2022, this is the Fed's most aggressive monetary policy since the 1980s.
- + On August 16th, President Biden signed into law the Inflation Reduction Act of 2022, which aims to lower costs for families, create jobs and reduce the deficit while addressing climate change. The act imposes a 15% minimum tax on companies that report over \$1 billion in profits to shareholders in an effort to ensure that large, profitable companies pay a minimum amount of tax.
- + As of quarter end, the yield ratio between 30-year AAA municipals and 30-year Treasuries (the M/T yield ratio) was 104%, 5% higher than its long-term average and 26% higher than the beginning of 2022. When M/T ratios are higher than historical averages, municipal bonds are considered inexpensive compared to Treasuries. Under normal market conditions, these levels typically spur demand from crossover buyers such as hedge funds, banks and insurance companies. However, due to heightened macroeconomic concerns, that was not the case this quarter. Rather, municipal fund outflows continued, totaling approximately \$94 billion year-to-date.⁴
- + New municipal issuance was \$90.5 billion in the third quarter, down 32.5% from the same period in 2021, with tax-exempt supply accounting for \$80.2 billion of the total.⁵ Taxable municipal issuance fell 70% compared to the third quarter of 2021.⁵ Municipal borrowers have been reluctant to issue new bonds or advance refund existing bonds given higher interest rates.
- + Despite various headwinds, municipal credit fundamentals are strong and continue to improve, as evidenced by S&P ratings, where upgrades exceeded downgrades by a 3:1 ratio in the last two quarters.⁶ This favorable dynamic likely stems from the benefits of various fiscal stimulus programs, as well as higher revenues collected by state and local governments.

Positioning and outlook

- + We maintain the portfolio's preference for revenue bonds over general obligation bonds.
- + The fund will not invest more than 5% of its total assets in securities rated below investment-grade.
- + We believe the valuable benefits of municipal bonds, including tax-exempt income, low correlations to other asset classes and low default rates, will eventually prevail over current market volatility and economic uncertainty. We continue to rely on our experienced portfolio managers and credit analysts to weather the challenges while identifying marketplace opportunities to add long-term value for shareholders.

Performance highlights

- + Invesco Short Term Municipal Fund Class A shares at net asset value (NAV) returned -0.52% for the third quarter, compared to its style-specific benchmark, the S&P Municipal Bond Short Index, which returned -1.44%. (Please see the investment results table on page 2 for fund and index performance.)

Contributors to performance

- + Underweight exposure to bonds rated AA and higher added to relative return during the quarter.
- + An overweight allocation to pre-refunded bonds and security selection among local general obligation bonds also added to relative performance.
- + At the state level, an underweight in California-domiciled bonds added to relative return.

Detractors from performance

- + Overweight exposure to bonds rated B and BB detracted from relative return during the quarter.
- + Overweight allocations to the toll road and life care sectors also detracted from relative return.
- + At the state level, overweight exposure to bonds domiciled in New Jersey detracted from relative performance.

Expense ratios	% net	% total
Class A Shares	0.78	0.78
Class Y Shares	0.53	0.53

Per the current prospectus

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Investment results

Average annual total returns (%) as of Sept. 30, 2022

Period	Class A Shares		Class Y Shares		Style-Specific Index
	Inception: 12/06/10	Max Load	NAV	NAV	
					S&P Municipal Bond Short Index
Inception	1.80	1.80	2.05		-
10 Years	1.43	1.43	1.71		0.84
5 Years	1.10	1.10	1.35		0.65
3 Years	0.57	0.57	0.82		-0.11
1 Year	-1.52	-1.52	-1.26		-3.60
Quarter	-0.52	-0.52	-0.46		-1.44

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2 Source: Bloomberg

3 Source: US Federal Reserve

4 Source: Lipper

5 Source: JP Morgan

6 Source: Standard & Poor's

Class C shares of the fund are closed to new investors, effective January 18, 2022. See the prospectus for more information.

The fund holdings are organized according to the Global Industry Classification Standard, which was developed by and is the exclusive property and service mark of MSCI Inc. and Standard & Poor's.

S&P Municipal Bond Short Index consists of bonds in the S&P Municipal Bond Index with a minimum maturity of 6 months and a maximum maturity of 4 years. An investment cannot be made directly in an index.

Option adjusted duration is a measure, as estimated by the fund's portfolio managers, of a bond fund's price sensitivity to changes in interest rates. It takes into account mortgage prepayments, puts, adjustable coupons and potential call dates. **Average effective maturity (AEM)** is a weighted average of all the maturities of the bonds in a portfolio, computed by weighting each bond's effective maturity by the market value of the security. It takes into account mortgage prepayments, puts, adjustable coupons and potential call dates.

About risk

All or a portion of the fund's otherwise tax-exempt income may be subject to the federal alternative minimum tax.

The fund may use leverage to seek to enhance income, which creates the likelihood of greater volatility of the fund's shares and may also impair the ability to maintain its qualification for federal income tax purposes as a regulated investment company.

An issuer may be unable to meet interest and/or principal payments, thereby causing its instruments to decrease in value and lowering the issuer's credit rating.

Derivatives may be more volatile and less liquid than traditional investments and are subject to market, interest rate, credit, leverage, counterparty and management risks. An investment in a derivative could lose more than the cash amount invested.

Junk bonds involve a greater risk of default or price changes due to changes in the issuer's credit quality. The values of junk bonds fluctuate more than those of high quality bonds and can decline significantly over short time periods.

Interest rate risk refers to the risk that bond prices generally fall as interest rates rise and vice versa.

The fund invests in financial instruments that use the London Interbank Offered Rate ("LIBOR") as a reference or benchmark rate for variable interest rate calculations. LIBOR will be phased out by the end of 2021, and it's anticipated that LIBOR will cease to be published after that time. To assist with the transition, US dollar LIBOR rates will continue to be published until June 2023. There is uncertainty on the effects of the LIBOR transition process, therefore any impact of the LIBOR transition on the fund or its investments cannot yet be determined. There is no assurance an alternative rate will be similar to, produce the same value or economic equivalence or instruments using the rate will have the same volume or liquidity as LIBOR. Any effects of LIBOR transition and the adoption of alternative rates could result in losses to the fund.

Municipal securities have the risk that legislative or economic conditions could affect an issuer's ability to make principal and/or interest payments.

Certain of the municipalities in which the Fund invests, including Puerto Rico, currently experience significant financial difficulties. Puerto Rico's economic problems increase the risk of investing in Puerto Rican municipal obligations, including the risk of potential issuer default, heightens the risk that the prices of Puerto Rican municipal obligations, and the Fund's net asset value, will experience greater volatility. See the prospectus for more information.

The fund is subject to certain other risks. Please see the current prospectus for more information regarding the risks associated with an investment in the fund.

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