

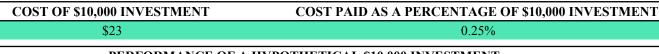
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Maturity ETF
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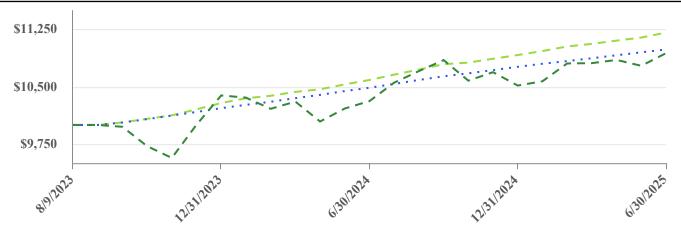
June 30, 2025 Annual Shareholder Report https://www.strivefunds.com/buxx

This annual shareholder report contains important information about the Strive Enhanced Income Short Maturity ETF (the "Fund") for the period of August 1, 2024 to June 30, 2025 (the "Period"). You can find additional information about the Fund at https://www.strivefunds.com/buxx. You can also request this information by contacting us at (215) 330-4476. This report describes changes to the Fund that occurred during the Period.





# PERFORMANCE OF A HYPOTHETICAL \$10,000 INVESTMENT



- Strive Enhanced Income Short Maturity ETF NAV (\$11,207)
- Bloomberg US Treasury Bill Index (\$10,987)
- - Bloomberg U.S. Aggregate Bond Index (\$10,938)

# AVERAGE ANNUAL TOTAL RETURNS One Year Since Inception (8/9/2023) Strive Enhanced Income Short Maturity ETF - NAV 5.84% 6.20% Bloomberg US Treasury Bill Index 4.77% 5.10% Bloomberg U.S. Aggregate Bond Index 6.08% 4.85%

The Fund's past performance is not a good predictor of how the Fund will perform in the future. The graph and table do not reflect the deduction of taxes that a shareholder would pay on Fund distributions or redemption of Fund shares. Visit www.strivefunds.com/buxx for more recent performance information.

### WHAT FACTORS INFLUENCED PERFORMANCE FOR THE PERIOD?

The Fund provides exposure to short-term investment grade assets in structured credit and investment grade corporate sectors to provide durable enhanced yield and outperformance over a full market cycle. The Fund's return was positively impacted by interest rates declining over the period.

The Fund's allocations to asset-backed securities (ABS), investment-grade corporate bonds, and agency commercial mortgage-backed securities were the most significant drivers of positive performance, while exposure to collateralized loan obligations (CLOs), non-agency residential mortgage-backed securities, and Treasuries were smaller positive contributions to overall performance. ABS was the most significant contributor to positive performance, specifically with income generation coming from an overweight to short-duration consumer and auto credits that benefited from the attractive higher yields on the front end of the yield curve. The Fund's higher yield profile, duration, and tighter spreads all contributed to relative outperformance versus the benchmark. The Fund's allocations to Treasuries and CLOs led to less relative outperformance versus other fixed income sectors like securitized credit that had higher total returns during the period.

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KEY FUND STATISTICS (as of Period End)			
Net Assets	\$315,185,367	Portfolio Turnover Rate*	54%
# of Portfolio Holdings	303	Advisory Fees Paid	\$454,013

<sup>\*</sup>Portfolio turnover is not annualized and is calculated without regard to short-term securities having a maturity of less than one year. Excludes impact of in-kind transactions.

INVESTMENT WEIGHTING (as a % of Net Assets)	;
Asset-Backed Securities	28.4%
Corporate Bonds	26.4%
Collateralized Mortgage Obligations	18.9%
Collateralized Loan Obligations	15.5%
Cash and Cash Equivalents	5.0%
Mortgage-Backed Securities	3.0%
U.S. Treasury Bills	2.8%

### **Material Fund Changes**

This is a summary of certain changes to the Fund since August 1, 2024. Effective February 1, 2025, the Fund's fiscal year end changed from July 31 to June 30. For more complete information, you may review the Fund's next prospectus, which we expect to be available by October 31, 2025 at www.strivefunds.com/buxx or by calling (215) 330-4476.

## **Availability of Additional Information**

For additional information about the Fund, including its prospectus, financial information, holdings, and proxy information, visit https://www.strivefunds.com/buxx. You can also request information by calling (215) 330-4476.

### Householding

Householding is an option available to certain investors of the Fund. Householding is a method of delivery, based on the preference of the individual investor, in which a single copy of certain shareholder documents can be delivered to investors who share the same address, even if their accounts are registered under different names. Householding for the Fund is available through certain broker-dealers. If you are interested in enrolling in householding and receiving a single copy of prospectuses and other shareholder documents or you are currently enrolled in householding and wish to change your householding status, please contact your broker-dealer.

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