

FUND OVERVIEW

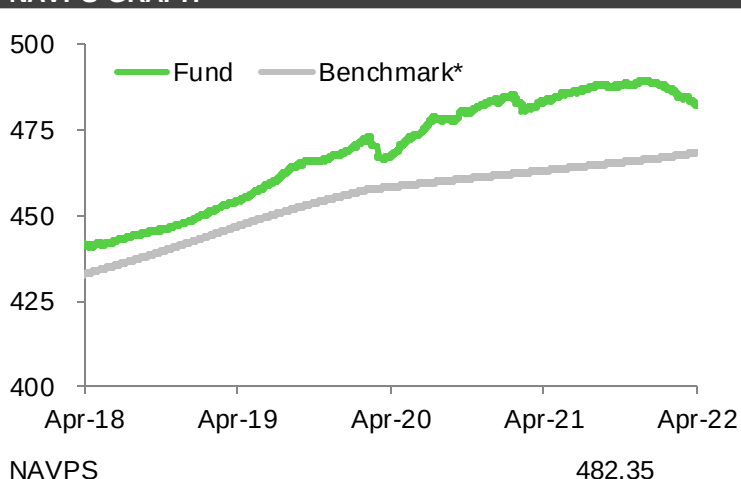
The Fund aims to achieve capital preservation through a steady stream of income by investing in a diversified portfolio of fixed income instruments issued by foreign and local entities.

The fund is suitable for investors who:

- Are at least classified as **moderately aggressive** based on their risk profile.
- Have an investment horizon of up **at least three (3) years**.

FUND FACTS

Classification:	Medium-Term Bond Fund
Launch Date:	February 5, 2002
Dealing Day:	Daily up to 1:30 PM
Minimum Investment:	USD 1,000.00 ¹
Min. Subsequent Order:	USD 1,000.00 ¹
Minimum Holding Period:	180 calendar days
Redemption Settlement:	T+0 End-of-Day
Early Redemption Charge:	1.00%
Total Management Fee²:	1.25% per annum
Total Fund NAV (Mn) :	USD 279.35

FUND PERFORMANCE AND STATISTICS *(Purely for reference purposes and is not a guarantee of future results)*
NAVPS GRAPH

STATISTICS

Weighted Ave Duration (Yrs)	4.45
Volatility, Past 1 Year (%) ⁵	0.53
Sharpe Ratio ⁶	-0.69
Information Ratio ⁷	-2.56
Port. Weighted Yield to Maturity (%)	3.20
Number of Holdings	56

PORTFOLIO COMPOSITION

Allocation	% of Fund
Government	23.53
Corporates	65.88
Fixed Income Funds	4.51
Cash & Cash Equivalents ⁸	6.08

Asset Valuation

Marked-to-Market	25.08
Amortized Cost	74.92

Maturity Profile

Less than 1 year	25.12
1 – 3 years	17.19
3 – 5 years	9.56
More than 5 years	48.13

CUMULATIVE PERFORMANCE (%) ³

	1 mo	6 mos	1 YR	3 YRS	5 YRS	S.I. ⁴
Fund	-0.56	-1.23	-0.22	6.09	10.28	112.02
Benchmark	0.14	0.63	1.14	4.80	10.36	48.08

ANNUALIZED PERFORMANCE (%) ³

	1 YR	2 YRS	3 YRS	4 YRS	5 YRS	S.I. ⁴
Fund	-0.22	1.53	1.99	2.21	1.98	3.78
Benchmark	1.14	1.10	1.58	1.96	1.99	1.96

CALENDAR YEAR PERFORMANCE(%) ³

	YTD	2021	2020	2019	2018	2017
Fund	-1.48	1.19	3.34	4.45	0.55	3.15
Benchmark	0.45	1.03	1.37	3.09	2.94	1.93

BENCHMARK

3-month US Treasury bill plus 1.00%

TOP HOLDINGS

Name	Maturity	%
Aboitiz Equity Ventures, Inc. Bond	2030	6.97
Ayala Corporation Bond	2022	6.17
First Pacific Bond	2027	4.63
Fixed Income Fund		4.35
JG Summit Holdings Bond	2030	4.04

¹Contribution rounded down/redemption rounded off to the nearest whole share. Mutual Fund shares do not issue fractional shares.

²Management, Distribution & Transfer Agency Fees

³Returns are net of fees.

⁴Since Inception.

⁵Measures the degree to which the Fund fluctuates vis-à-vis its average return over a period of time.

⁶Used to characterize how well the return of a Fund compensates the investor for the level of risk taken.

⁷Measures reward-to-risk efficiency of the portfolio relative to the benchmark. The higher the number, the higher the reward per unit of risk.

⁸Includes time deposits, other receivables (accrued income, investment securities purchased, accrued expenses, etc.) Net of Liabilities⁸

Fund prospectus is available upon request through BPI Investment Management Inc. (BIMI), authorized distributors and sales agents.

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- RETURNS CANNOT BE GUARANTEED AND HISTORICAL NAVPS IS FOR ILLUSTRATION OF NAVPS MOVEMENTS/ FLUCTUATIONS ONLY.
- WHEN REDEEMING, THE PROCEEDS MAY BE WORTH LESS THAN THE ORIGINAL INVESTMENT AND ANY LOSSES WILL BE SOLELY FOR THE ACCOUNT OF THE CLIENT.
- THE FUND MANAGER IS NOT LIABLE FOR ANY LOSS UNLESS UPON WILLFUL DEFAULT, BAD FAITH OR GROSS NEGLIGENCE.

OUTLOOK AND STRATEGY

Market Review. U.S. March inflation intensified to 8.5%, reaching its highest level since 1981 due to increasing energy and food costs, supply constraints, and strong consumer demand. U.S. inflation has been persistent, with six consecutive months of inflation exceeding 6%, well above the Fed's average 2% target. Before the release of March inflation figure, minutes of the Fed's March 15-16 meeting hinted at potential rate hikes of 50 basis points at upcoming meetings to address inflation pressures. Fed officials also reached a consensus to reduce its balance sheet at a maximum pace of \$95 billion per month, which is likely to start in May 2022. Month-on-month, yields on the 10-year U.S. Treasury rose to 2.94% as of April 29, up by about 60 basis points.

Fund Performance. The Fund returned -0.56% for the month, underperforming its benchmark by 70 basis points. Year-to-date, return amounted to -1.48%, underperforming its benchmark by 193 basis points.

Fund Strategy. The fund will maintain its current duration. Investors in the bond fund must be prepared to withstand short-term volatility as higher investment value is normally achieved over the medium- to long-term.