

# **BPI INVEST BAYANIHAN BALANCED FUND**

KEY INFORMATION AND INVESTMENT DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

As of July 30, 2021

#### **FUND FACTS**

Classification: Net Asset Value per Unit (NAVPU): Php 112.39 Balanced Fund Launch Date: July 20, 2018 Total Fund NAV (Mn): Php 209.36 Minimum Investment: Php10,000.00 Dealing Day: Daily up to 2:30 PM Additional Investment: Php1.000.00 Redemption Settlement: T+3 End-of-Day

Minimum Holding Period: None Early Redemption Charge: None

#### FEES\*

Trustee Fees: 0.3000% Custodianship Fees: 0.0012% External Auditor Fees: 0.0075% Other Fees: 0.00%

BPI Asset Management HSBC Isla Lipana None

\* As a percentage of average daily \*Monthly rate: Billings received \*Billings for 2018 divided by

NAV for the quarter valued at Php for February 2021 divided by average daily NAV

210.05 Million average daily NAV

## **INVESTMENT OBJECTIVE AND STRATEGY**

The Fund is a balanced UITF with 5% to 20% equities exposure that intends to achieve for its Participants long term capital growth derived from a diversified portfolio of equity and fixed income securities. The Fund aims to provide absolute returns in excess of the return of the composite benchmark, 90% BPI Philippine 1-3 Year Index and 10% PSEi net of tax.

## **CLIENT SUITABILITY**

A client profiling process shall be performed prior to participating in the Fund to guide the prospective investor if the Fund is suited to his/her investment objectives and risk tolerance. Clients are advised to read the Declaration of Trust/Plan Rules of the Fund, which may be obtained from the Trustee, before deciding to invest.

The BPI Invest Bayanihan Balanced Fund is suitable for investors who:

- Are at least classified as <u>moderately aggressive</u> based on their risk profile
- Have an investment horizon of more than five (5) years

## **KEY RISKS AND RISK MANAGEMENT**

You should not invest in this Fund if you do not understand or are not comfortable with the accompanying risks.

Interest Investors are exposed to adverse changes in the prices of domestic fixed income securities due to a rise in Rate Risk: interest rates, which generally causes fixed income security prices to decline. Factors/ events that may lead to a rise interest rates include adverse market conditions, issuer-specific factors/ events and/ or negative developments in domestic political and economic conditions.

**Equity Price** Investors are exposed to adverse changes in the prices of stocks listed in the Philippine Stock Exchange, which **Risk:** may be brought about by adverse stock market conditions, unfavorable company earnings and valuations and/or negative developments in domestic and global political and economic conditions.

Liquidity Investors are exposed to the risk of loss due to the fund's inability to convert fixed income and equity security holdings to cash immediately or in instances where conversion to cash is possible but at a highly disadvantageous price due to limited buyers/ sellers in the market, low trading volumes or market disruptions, among other reasons/ factors.

Related Investors are exposed to actual or potential conflicts of interest in the handling of related party transactions by Party Risk: the Trustee, specifically, time deposit placements with the Trustee's own bank and/ or its subsidiary, purchase of debt and equity securities issued by related parties, as well as the execution of trade transactions with related counterparties.

Credit/ Investors are exposed to the risk of loss due to the failure of the borrower/ debt issuer to make timely interest and/ or principal payments on its deposit liabilities, loans, bonds or other debt instruments due to a deterioration in the borrower's/ issuer's financial condition or external factors and events that may affect its ability to repay financial obligations such as negative developments in domestic political and economic conditions.

In accordance with the provisions in the Declaration of Trust, the Fund employs a risk management policy based on duration. The Fund may also use financial derivatives to hedge the portfolio against market and credit risks

- THE UIT FUND IS NOT A DEPOSIT AND IS NOT INSURED BY THE PHILIPPINE DEPOSIT INSURANCE CORP. (PDIC).
   RETURNS CANNOT BE GUARANTEED AND HISTORICAL NAVPU IS FOR ILLUSTRATION OF NAVPU MOVEMENTS/ FLUCTUATIONS ONLY.
- WHEN REDEEMING, THE PROCEEDS MAY BE WORTH LESS THAN THE ORIGINAL INVESTMENT AND ANY LOSSES SHALL BE SOLELY FOR THE ACCOUNT OF THE CLIENT.
- •THE TRUSTEE IS NOT LIABLE FOR ANY LOSS UNLESS UPON WILLFUL DEFAULT, BAD FAITH OR GROSS NEGLIGENCE.

# FUND PERFORMANCE AND STATISTICS AS OF JULY 30, 2021

(Purely for reference purposes and is not a guarantee of future results)

NAVPU GRAPH
120.00
110.00
100.00
90.00
Apr-20 Jul-20 Oct-20 Jan-21 Apr-21 Jul-21
* Benchmark is 10% PSEi, 90% return of the BPI Phil 1-3 Year index, net of tax

CUMULATIVE PERFORMANCE (%) 1						
	1 mo	3 mos	6 mos	1 YR	3 YR	S.I. <sup>2</sup>
Fund	-1.01	0.71	-0.09	1.68	11.33	11.39
Benchmark	-0.78	0.95	0.34	2.68	12.68	20.84
ANNUALIZED PERFORMANCE (%) 1						
			1 YR	2 YRS	3 YRS	S.I. <sup>2</sup>
Fund			1.68	2.80	0.02	3.62
Benchmark			2.68	3.14	4.06	4.11
			YTD	2020	2019	2018
Fund			-0.82	4.63	7.34	-0.64
Benchmark			-0.20	4.77	8.48	-0.40

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Highest	112.73
Lowest	109.14
STATISTICS	
Portfolio Beta	0.99
Volatility, Since Inception (%) <sup>3</sup>	2.49
Sharpe Ratio <sup>4</sup>	0.29
Information Ratio 5	-2.04
Weighted Ave Duration (Yrs)	1.76
Current Number of Holdings	40

1Daturns are net of fees.

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led income, investment securities rued expenses, etc.

Trust is available upon request of account.

PORTFOLIO COMPOSITION					
Allocation	% of Fund				
Equities	73.74				
Corporates	13.06				
Cash	0.05				
Time Deposits and Money Market	1.55				
Preferreds	11.09				
Other Receivables – Net of Liabilities <sup>6</sup>	0.52				
Sector Holdings					
Holding Firms	3.85				
Property	2.44				
Services	2.01				
Financials	1.67				
Industrials	1.14				
Mining and Oil	0.00				

TOP TEN HOLDINGS		
Names	Maturity	%
Retail Treasury Bond	12/4/2022	25.12
Retail Treasury Bond	3/12/2024	20.62
Retail Treasury Bond	2/11/2023	16.26
Fixed Rate Treasury Note	3/8/2023	5.01
Retail Treasury Bond	8/12/2025	4.78
Energy Development Corp. Bond	6/25/2024	2.99
BDO Unibank, Inc.	8/3/2022	2.43
SMC Global Power Holdings Corporation	4/24/2022	2.43
China Bank	10/22/2022	2.37
Fixed Rate Treasury Note	1/19/2022	1.95

## **RELATED PARTY TRANSACTIONS\***

The Fund has transactions and outstanding investments including deposit, investments in the share/s of stock, and/or debt issuances of the following companies related to the BPI Asset Management and Trust Corporation (BPI AMTC):

Ayala Corporation — Php 5.02 Mn, Ayala Land, Inc. — Php 2.04 Mn, Bank of the Philippine Islands — Php 1.17 Mn, Globe Telecom, Inc. — Php 0.86 Mn

Investments in the said outlets were approved by the BPI AMTC's Board of Directors. Likewise, all related party transactions are conducted on an arm's length and best execution basis and within established limits.

\* Related party in accordance with BPI AMTC's internal policy.

## **OUTLOOK AND STRATEGY**

**Market Review**. The BPI Government Bond Index returned 0.50% in July, with benchmark government yields dropping 5.47 basis points (bps) on average. The yield curve flattened, with rates on the short-end of the curve rising while yields on the belly and long-end of the curve declined. Average daily trading volume fell to PHP20.60bn from June's PHP27.99bn with trades were mostly seen on the short-end (Treasury Bills) and belly (3 to 7-year papers) of the curve.

The Bureau of the Treasury (BTr) held four FXTN auctions (20-, 10- and 2 11.7-year tenors) and four Treasury Bill auctions in June. Demand was quite healthy across all four FXTNs, with bid volumes considerably higher than offered amounts. However, reception to the BTr's tap offerings were luke-warm to mixed. There were 2 newly issued papers last month, the partially awarded 20-year FXTN20-24 (coupon of 5.125% with average yield of 5.085%) and the fully awarded 10-year FXTN10-66 (coupon of 4.000% with average yield of 3.920%). Meanwhile, average yields for the twice reissued FXTN7-64 were awarded at 3.576% and 3.651%, respectively. Towards month-end, the BTr released its August auction schedule, announcing four weekly FXTN issuances (10-, 7-, 20-, and 11-year tenors) and four weekly Tbill auctions.

In the local economic space, June inflation fell to 4.1% year-on-year, compared to May's 4.5% and lower than the median forecast. Though it declined, the figure marks another month that inflation has been higher than the Bangko Senteral ng Pilipinas' (BSP) target band of 2-4% for the year. Bloated pork prices persisted due to the ongoing supply pressures brought about by the African Swine Fever outbreak. Meanwhile, transport costs eased due to base effects from last year. The BSP noted that this was still in line with its projection of elevated prices given supply side pressures on food, and that by 2022 prices should stabilize. BSP Governor Benjamin Diokno has continuously reiterated that the central bank would utilize its full arsenal of tools to support growth and stability.

The Philippine Stock Exchange (PSEi) took a huge hit in July, dropping by 9.20% to 6,270.23 on fears of another wave of COVID-19 sparked by the rising delta variant cases. Credit rating agency, Fitch, maintained the country's BBB rating but revised the outlook from stable to "negative" also weighed-in on investor concerns. Volume was thinner for July with Average Daily Turnover at US\$117 million or 19.3% lower month-on-month. Foreigners were net sellers yet again, registering at US\$184.5 million for the month.In terms of individual stock performances, main advancers were: EMP (+9.22%), and GLO (+1.09%); while the main laggards include: LTG (-24.26%), MEG (-14.24%) and SMPH (-13.04%).

**Fund Performance**. The fund returned -1.01% in July, underperforming its benchmark by 23 bps. Year-to-date, it underperformed the benchmark by 62 basis points with a return of -0.82%.

**Fund Strategy**. The Fund looks to maintain a neutral duration position given expectations of slightly accelerating local inflation amid recovering oil prices and dwindling base effects compared to prior months. Volatility may persist in the global space, and the portfolio will be actively managed to take advantage of this. Investors in a bond fund must be prepared to withstand volatility as higher investment value is typically achieved over the medium to long term.

# LIST OF PROSPECTIVE INVESTMENTS

The following are among the Fund's approved investment outlets, wherein the Trustee intends to invest depending on strategy, availability, or other market-driven circumstances:

- (a) Shares of Stock of selected corporations which are already listed or being offered publicly and soon to be listed in major capital markets.
- (b) Primarily medium term tradable fixed-income instruments issued or guaranteed by the Philippine government or the BSP; tradable fixed-income instruments issued by financial institutions or private corporations; exchange-listed securities; marketable instruments that are traded in an organized exchange; loans traded in an organized market; and, such other tradable investment outlets/ categories as the BSP may allow.
- (c) Primarily medium term tradable fixed-income securities issued, underwritten, or otherwise dealt by BPI and/or any of its subsidiaries, affiliates, their successors-in-interest or assignees, their directors, officers, stockholders, and related interest, and any of their trust and fund managed accounts, under such terms and conditions as the Trustee may deem to be in the best interest of the Fund.
- (d) Bank deposits and such other investments allowed under regulations issued by the BSP.

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