# BPI INVEST WORLD TECHNOLOGY FEEDER FUND

KEY INFORMATION AND INVESTMENT DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

As of March 31, 2021

and Trust Corporation

Asset Management

USD 93.13 USD 4.43

**FUND FACTS** 

Classification: Global Equity Feeder Fund

Launch Date: February 1, 2021

USD 1,000.00 **Minimum Investment: Dealing Day:** Daily up to 2:30 PM

Additional Investment: USD 500.00 **Redemption Settlement:** T+5 End-of-Day

**Minimum Holding Period:** None Early Redemption Charge: None

**FEES** 

Other Fees: 0.00% **Trustee Fees:** 1.00% **Custodianship Fee: 0.00%** External Audit Fee: 0.00%

NAVPU:

Total Fund NAV (Mn):

**BPI** Asset Management None Isla Lipana None

As a percentage of average To be determined upon receipt

daily NAV for the quarter of billing

### **INVESTMENT OBJECTIVE AND STRATEGY**

The Fund, operating as a Feeder Fund, intends to achieve for its Participants long term capital growth by investing in a Target Fund that invests in stocks in the technology sector. It aims to provide excess return over the MSCI AC World Information Technology Index. Pursuant to existing BSP rules and regulations, as a Feeder Fund, this Fund is mandated to invest at least 90% of its assets in a single collective investment scheme.

#### **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 World Technology Feeder Fund is for investors who:

- Are at least classified as aggressive based on their risk profile.
- Have an investment horizon of at least five (5) years.

Participation in the Fund shall be open to Participants with legal capacity to contract and who are not considered US persons under the US securities and tax laws, subject to the other conditions, rules or provisions stated in the Plan Rules and those established by the Trustee. No beneficial owner shall hold more than 10% of the Fund. Any investor who owns more than 10% shall be asked to redeem the amount (or its equivalent number of units) in excess of 10% within thirty (30) calendar days.

#### **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.

Market/Price Risk:

Investors are exposed to adverse changes in the prices of global equities in the technology sector due to adverse market conditions, unfavorable company earnings and valuations, and negative developments in the

political and economic conditions of the focus countries of the securities of the target fund.

Investors are exposed to the risk of loss due to the target fund's inability to convert security holdings to cash Liquidity Risk: immediately or in instances where conversion to cash is possible but at a highly disadvantageous price due to

limited participants in the market, low trading volumes, market disruptions, among others.

Country Risk:

Investors are exposed to the risk of loss arising from negative developments in the political, economic and social conditions of the focus countries of the underlying securities of the target fund, which may adversely affect the value of the feeder fund.

FX Risk:

Investors are exposed to the risk of loss from a decline in the market value of the target fund when the market value of foreign currency denominated securities held by the target fund are translated to USD.

The Fund's investment outlets undergo proper screening and evaluation in accordance with the Trustee's accreditation process. 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.**

For more information, you may contact us at (632) 8580-AMTC (2682), email us at bpi\_asset\_management@bpi.com.ph or visit our website, www.bpiassetmanagement.com.

# **FUND PERFORMANCE AND STATISTICS AS OF MARCH 31, 2021**

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

# NAVPU GRAPH 115 110 105 100 95 90 85 1-Feb-21 8-Feb-21 15-Feb-21 22-Feb-21 1-Mar-21 8-Mar-21 15-Mar-21 22-Mar-21 29-Mar-21

*MSCI AC World Information Technology Index	
<b>CUMULATIVE PERFORMANCE (%)</b> <sup>1</sup>	

	1 mo	3mos	6mos	1YR	3YRS	S.I. <sup>2</sup>	
Fund	-5.33	-	-	-	-	-6.87	
Benchmark	0.37	-	-	-	-	-0.78	
ANNUALIZED PERFORMANCE (%) 1							
	1YR	2YRS	3YRS	4YRS	5YR	S.I. <sup>2</sup>	
Fund	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Benchmark	-	-	-	-	-	-	
CALENDAR YEAR PERFORMANCE (%) 1							
	YTD						
Fund	-6.87						
Benchmark	-0.78						
PORTFOLIO CO	OMPOSI	TION					
Allocation					% of F	und	
Target Fund					98.39	)	
Cash and Equiva	alents				0.73		
Others – net of li	abilities				0.89		
Regional Break	kdown			%	of Targe	et Fund	
United States					68.56	<b>;</b>	
China					8.89		
South Korea					4.01		
Others					18.54		
Sector Breakdo	wn			9	ն of Targe	et Fund	
Software & Serv	rices				37.08	3	
Semiconductor 8	& Equipr	nent			19.95	5	
Media & Enterta					15.78	3	
Retailing					11.09	)	
Others					16.10	)	

NAVPu over the past 12 months					
Highest	110.04				
Lowest	98.37				
STATISTICS					
Volatility, since inception (%) <sup>3</sup>	31.78				
Sharpe Ratio <sup>4</sup>	-0.22				
Information Ratio <sup>5</sup>	-0.23				

- <sup>1</sup> Returns are net of fees.
- <sup>2</sup> Since Inception
- <sup>3</sup> Measures the degree to which the Fund fluctuates visà-vis its average return over a period of time
- <sup>4</sup>Used to characterize how well the return of a Fund compensates the investor for the level of risk taken. The higher the number, the better.
- <sup>5</sup> Measures reward-to-risk efficiency of the portfolio relative to the benchmark. The higher the number, the higher the reward per unit of risk.
- \*Declaration of Trust is available upon request through your branch of account.

TOP TEN HOLDINGS	
Name	% of Target Fund
Apple Inc.	3.77
Microsoft Corp.	3.45
Tesla Inc.	2.30
Lam Research Corp.	2.01
Alphabet Inc. A	2.00
ASML Holdings NV	1.99
Amazon.com Inc.	1.89
Kakao Corp.	1.84
Square Inc. A	1.80
Taiwan Semiconductor	
Manufacturing Corp.	1.74

# **RELATED PARTY TRANSACTIONS\***

The Fund has no transactions and outstanding investments with entities related to BPI Asset Management and Trust Corporation (BPI AMTC).

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

# **OTHER FUND FACTS**

Benchmark\*:

Fund Currency: US Dollar

MSCI AC World Information Technology

Index

Name of Target Fund: BlackRock World Technology Fund

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Regulator: Commission de Surveillance du Secteur

Financier (CSSF)

Fund structure:

**Inception Date:** 

**Custodian:** 

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UCITS (LUX)

December 30, 2011

The Bank of New York Mellon

Total Expense Ratio: 1.07%

Fund Manager: BlackRock Inc.

The Fund Performance Report and relevant information about the BlackRock World Technology Fund can be viewed and downloaded through https://www.blackrock.com/sg/en.

#### **OUTLOOK AND STRATEGY**

Market Review. Global equity markets finished March up 2.7% as new fiscal support was approved in the US and the economic reopening progressed globally. A \$1.9 trillion COVID-19 relief plan was approved by congress and signed by President Biden, authorizing a flurry of new federal spending. Interest rates increased as did inflation concerns. Markets are anticipating a sharp economic rebound, accommodative central banks, global appetite for infrastructure and the impact from stimulus payments. In March, the technology sector underperformed broader equity markets. The CEOs of Facebook, Google and Twitter testified before Congress on misinformation and extremism online. China's anti-trust regulator continued a crackdown on the country's tech giants. Fines were imposed on 12 companies, including Tencent and Baidu, for anti-competitive deals made in the past. Volkswagen detailed their plan to become the number 1 global provider of electric vehicles by 2025.

**Fund Performance.** The fund returned -5.33% in March. Security selection within internet had the largest positive effect on relative returns. Overweight in internet and security selection within software detracted from performance.

**Fund Strategy.** The fund will continue to focus on long-term secular themes, many of which are experiencing increased demand as global enterprises push for modernization and digitalization, while also taking advantage of attractive valuations of cyclical names which are expected to benefit as the market recovers. The fund will maintain its exposure to trends whose pace of adoption have accelerated due to social distance and migration to remote work, such as cloud computing, e-commerce and gaming.

## 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) Primarily in a single collective investment scheme whose investment objective is to provide investment results in excess of the return of the MSCI AC World Information Technology Index; provided further that such CIS is approved or registered and supervised by a regulatory authority that is a member of the International Organization of Securities Commissions (IOSCO) and managed by reputable fund manager/s; provided further that the investment in the said collective investment scheme should at least be ninety percent (90%) of the total assets of the Fund. The Target Fund must be recognized as a collective investment scheme in its home jurisdiction by a regulatory authority or any regulatory authority acceptable to the BSP to supervise this CIS.
- (b) Short-term tradable fixed-income instruments issued or guaranteed by the Philippine government or the BSP; tradable securities issued by the government of a foreign country, any political subdivision/agency of a foreign country or any supranational entity; tradable fixed-income instruments issued by foreign or local 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 investments outlets/ categories as the BSP may allow. Provided, that, a financial instrument is regarded as tradable if two-way prices are quoted, readily available or regularly available from an exchange, dealer, broker, industry group, pricing service or regulatory agency, and those prices represent actual and regularly occurring market transactions on an arm's length basis.
- (c) Short-term tradable fixed-income instruments 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; and, any such other instruments as may be allowed under BSP regulations. Investment with related interests shall be in accordance with Section 414-Q of the Manual of Regulations for Non-Bank Financial Institutions.
- (d) The principal investments of the Fund will be denominated in, but not limited to the U.S. Dollar. The target fund invests in securities denominated in other currencies.
- (e) Bank deposits or tradable debt instruments issued by the BSP.
- (f) Such other investments allowed under regulations issued by the BSP.

#### **INVESTMENT OBJECTIVE OF TARGET FUND**

The BlackRock World Technology Fund seeks to maximize total return. The Fund invests globally at least 70% of its total assets in the equity securities of companies whose predominant economic activity is in the technology sector.

BPI Asset Management and Trust Corporation (BPI AMTC) is a subsidiary of the Bank of the Philippine Islands. For any inquiries and complaints relating to our services and products, you may call our hotline: 889-10000, send an email to bpi\_asset\_management@bpi.com.ph or write a letter addressed to BPI Asset Management and Trust Corporation - Consumer Assistance Office, 7/F, BPI Buendia Center, Sen. Gil J. Puyat Avenue, Makati City 1209.

BPI AMTC as Trustee / Investment Manager is regulated by the Bangko Sentral ng Pilipinas (BSP) with e-mail address: consumeraffairs@bsp.gov.ph.