# **BPI PERA Equity Fund**

KEY INFORMATION AND INVESTMENT DISCLOSURE

## BPI Asset Management and Trust Corporation

As of September 30, 2021

## FUND FACTS

Classification:	PERA Equity Fund	Net Asset Value per Unit (NAVPU):	PHP 0.97
Launch Date:	December 19, 2016	Total Fund NAV (Mn):	PHP 71.29
Minimum Investment:	PHP 1,000	Dealing Day:	Daily up to 2:30PM
Additional Investment:	PHP 1,000	Redemption Settlement:	T+3 End-of-Day
Minimum Holding	None	Early Redemption Charge:	None
FEES*			
Trustee Fees: 1.500%	Custodianship Fees: .00139	<b>External Auditor Fees:</b> 1.59%***	Other Fees: 0%
BPI Asset Management	HSBC	Isla Lipana	None

\*As a percentage of average daily NAV for the quarter valued at PHP67.82 million

\*\*Monthly rate: billings received for April 2021 divided by the average daily NAV for the month

\*\*\*Billings received for 2018 are divided by the average daily NAV

## INVESTMENT OBJECTIVE AND STRATEGY

The Fund intends to achieve for its participants long term capital growth derived from a diversified portfolio of equity securities issued by Philippine domiciled companies. The Fund aims to provide returns in excess of the return of the Philippine Stock Exchange Index.

## 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 PERA Equity Fund is suitable only for investors who:

- · Are classified as aggressive based on their risk profile
- Have an investment horizon of at least 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.

**Equity Price Risk:** Investors are exposed to adverse changes in the prices of stocks listed in the Philippine Stock Exchange, which 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 Risk: Possibility to experience losses due to the fund's inability to convert assets into cash immediately or in instances where conversion to cash is possible but at a highly disadvantageous price.

**Related Party Risk:** Risk of any actual or potential conflicts of interest in handling of related party transactions.

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.

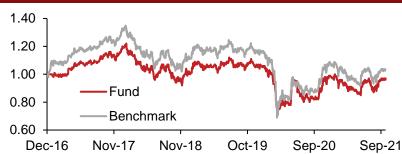
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## FUND PERFORMANCE AND STATISTICS AS OF SEPTEMBER 30, 2021

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





\* Benchmark is Philippine Stock Exchange Index.

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CUMULATIVE PERFORMANCE (%) <sup>1</sup>									
	1 mo	3 mos	6 mos	1YR	3YRS	S.I	vis-à-vis its average return over a pe		
Fund	1.04	2.11	8.99	18.29	-2.02	-3.00	<sup>4</sup> Used to characterize how well the return of a Fund		
Benchmark 1.42 0.74 7.91 18.56					-4.45	3.56	compensates the investor for the level of risk taken.		
ANNUALIZED PERFORMANCE (%) <sup>1</sup>						The higher the number, the better.			
		1YR	2YRS	3YRS	4YRS	S.I. <sup>2</sup>	<sup>5</sup> Measures reward-to-risk efficiency	of the portfolio	
Fund		18.29	-4.34	-0.68	-3.31	-0.63	relative to the benchmark. The higher the number,		
Benchmark		18.56	-5.46	-1.51	-3.96	0.73	the higher the reward per unit of risk.		
CALENDAR YE	EAR PER		ICE(%) <sup>1</sup>				<sup>6</sup> Includes accrued income, investment securities		
		YTD	2020	2019	2018	2017	purchased, accrued expenses, etc.		
Fund		0.00	-8.49	4.95	-12.93	16.00	*Declaration of Trust is available upon request		
Benchmark		-2.62	-8.64	4.68	-12.76	25.11	through branch of account.	upon request	
PORTFOLIO C	OMPOSI	ΓΙΟΝ					TOP TEN HOLDINGS		
Allocation					% of	Fund	Name	% of Fund	
Equities						04 40		<i>,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,</i>	
						94.43	SM Investments Corporation	14.34	
Time deposits a	ind money	y market				94.43 5.37	SM Investments Corporation	14.34 8.36	
· ·	nd money	y market					SM Prime Holdings, Inc.	8.36	
Time deposits a						5.37	SM Prime Holdings, Inc. Ayala Land, Inc.	8.36 7.39	
Time deposits a Cash	es - net lia	abilities	(Equity	Portion)		5.37 0.29	SM Prime Holdings, Inc. Ayala Land, Inc. Ayala Corporation	8.36 7.39 7.21	
Time deposits a Cash	es - net lia		(Equity	Portion)		5.37 0.29	SM Prime Holdings, Inc. Ayala Land, Inc.	8.36 7.39	
Time deposits a Cash Other receivable	es - net lia	abilities	(Equity	Portion)		5.37 0.29 -0.10	SM Prime Holdings, Inc. Ayala Land, Inc. Ayala Corporation BDO Unibank, Inc.	8.36 7.39 7.21 6.18	
Time deposits a Cash Other receivable Holding Firms	es - net lia	abilities	(Equity	Portion)		5.37 0.29 -0.10 33.15	SM Prime Holdings, Inc. Ayala Land, Inc. Ayala Corporation BDO Unibank, Inc. PLDT Inc. Time Deposit	8.36 7.39 7.21 6.18 5.89 5.37	
Time deposits a Cash Other receivable Holding Firms Property	es - net lia	abilities	(Equity	Portion)		5.37 0.29 -0.10 33.15 17.28	SM Prime Holdings, Inc. Ayala Land, Inc. Ayala Corporation BDO Unibank, Inc. PLDT Inc.	8.36 7.39 7.21 6.18 5.89 5.37 5.07	
Time deposits a Cash Other receivable Holding Firms Property Financials	es - net lia	abilities	(Equity	Portion)		5.37 0.29 -0.10 33.15 17.28 14.13	SM Prime Holdings, Inc. Ayala Land, Inc. Ayala Corporation BDO Unibank, Inc. PLDT Inc. Time Deposit JG Summit Holdings, Inc.	8.36 7.39 7.21 6.18 5.89 5.37	

NAVPu over the past 12 months

Volatility, Past 1 Year (%)<sup>3</sup>

**Current Number of Holdings** 

<sup>1</sup> Returns are net of fees.

1.00

0.82

0.97

19.65

0.88

(0.08)

26

Highest

Lowest

**STATISTICS** 

Portfolio Beta

Sharpe Ratio<sup>4</sup>

Information Ratio<sup>5</sup>

## **RELATED PARTY TRANSACTIONS\***

The Fund has transactions and outstanding investments including deposits, investment in the share/s of stocks, and/or debt

issuances of the following companies related to the BPI Asset Management and Trust Corporation (BPI AMTC):

Ayala Corporation – PHP 5.14Mn Ayala Land – PHP 5.27Mn Bank of the Philippine Islands – PHP 7.08Mn Globe Telecom, Inc. – PHP 3.16Mn

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 Philippine Stock Exchange continued to rise for another month, climbing by 1.4% to 6,952.88 in September. This was mainly attributed to passive flows (FTSE rebalancing) coupled with improved market sentiment due to easing of quarantine restrictions in the Nation's capital. The index was knocking on the 7,000 door but can't get over hump as selling pressure was apparent. Moreover, concerns on the global front kept investors grounded with China Evergrande and worries on the U.S Federal Reserve Tightening.

September saw an increase in activity level with Average Daily Turnover registering at US\$175 million or 16.7% higher than in August. Foreigners turned net sellers yet again at US\$47.7 million.

In terms of individual stock performance, main advancers were :CNVRG (+29.03%), followed by FGEN (+19.96%) and LTG (+18.13%). Meanwhile, the biggest laggard were the following: URC (-9.88%), SECB (-6.36%) and GTCAP (-5.56%).

Fund Performance. The fund underperformed its benchmark by 38 basis points in September with a return of 1.04%.

**Fund Strategy.** While the market continues to rise taking cue on a seemingly improving environment, we will still anticipate volatility as COVID-19 is not fully under control. However, we remain strategic long-term buyers of Philippine equities that favor quality names and with position on cyclicals. We will continue to be nimble and buy on market dips.

## 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, including preferred stocks, which are already listed or being offered publicly and soon to be listed in the Philippine stock market.
- b) Primarily tradable fixed-income instruments issued or guaranteed by the Philippine government or the BSP; marketable instruments that are traded in an organized exchange; investment outlets/ categories the BSP allow. Provided, that, a financial instrument is regarded as tradable if quoted two-way prices are readily available and 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) Primarily 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 or any such instrument as may be allowed under BSP regulations. Investment with related interests shall be in accordance with Subsection X 410.12 (a) of the Manual of Regulations for Banks.
- d) Bank deposits or tradable debt instruments issued by the BSP.
- e) Such other investments allowed under regulations issued by the BSP.

BPI Asset Management and Trust Corporation (BPI AMTC) is a subsidiary of the Bank of the Philippine Islands. For inquiries and comments, please send an email to bpi\_asset\_management@bpi.com.ph or call us at (02) 8580-AMTC (2682).

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