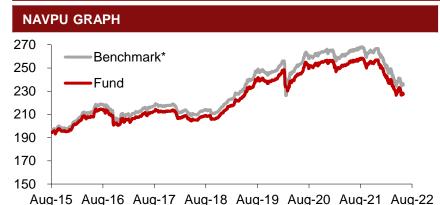
				BP	Asset Managen and Trust Corpo	nent oration	
KEY INFORM	ATION AND I	PPINE DOLLAR I NVESTMENT DISCLOSU			As of August	31, 2022	
FUND FACTS Classification: Launch Date: Minimum Investment: Additional Investment: Minimum Holding Period:		Index Tracker Bond Fund December 31, 2006 USD 500.00 USD 200.00 None	Net Asset Value per Unit (NAVPU) Total Fund NAV (Mn): Dealing Day: Redemption Settlement: Early Redemption Charge:		VPU): USD 231.13 USD 37.55 Daily up to 2 T+3 End-of-I None	::30 PM	
for the quarter willion	agement ge of ave. daily valued at USD	HSBC NAV *Monthly rate: Billing 38.31 for April 2021 divided average daily NAV	s received	External Auditor Fee Isla Lipana *Billings for 2018 divid average daily NAV	None	<b>∋s:</b> 0.00%	
The Fund aims Morgan Asia Ci sovereign and c CLIENT SUITA	to achieve inv redit Philippine corporate fixed BILITY	ND STRATEGY vestment returns that close is Total Return Index, befor income instruments.	e fees and	taxes, by investing in a	a diversified portfolio of	Philippine	
suited to his/her the Fund, which The BPI Invest • Are at least • Have an inv KEY RISKS AN	r investment ok n may be obtain Philippine Doll classified as <u>a</u> vestment horizo ID RISK MAN	be performed prior to partic pjectives and risk tolerance. and from the Trustee, before ar Bond Index Fund is suita aggressive based on their ris on of more than five (5) yea AGEMENT Fund if you do not understar	Clients are e deciding to ble only for sk profile rs	advised to read the De o invest. investors who:	claration of Trust/Plan I		
Interest Rate Risk:	The fund invests in a portfolio of Philippine Sovereign and corporate securities comprising the JP Morgan Asia Credit Philippines Total Return Index, exposing investors to the risk of loss arising from a rise in 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 and global political and economic conditions.						
Liquidity Risk:	immediately of	vestors are exposed to the risk of loss due to the fund's inability to convert security holdings to cash mediately or in instances where conversion to cash is possible but at a highly disadvantageous price due limited buyers/ sellers in the market, low trading volumes or market disruptions, among other reasons/ ctors.					
Related Party Risk:	Investors are exposed to actual or potential conflicts of interest in the handling of related party transactions by the Trustee, specifically, the execution of trade transactions with related counterparties.						
Risk:	and/ or princ deterioration ability to repa economic cor	nvestors 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 and global political and economic conditions.					
Index Tracking Risk:		stors are exposed to the risk of not being able to achieve a level of return that matches the index being sed by the fund due primarily to operating and fund management expenses.					
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## FUND PERFORMANCE AND STATISTICS AS OF August 31, 2022

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



\*Benchmark is the JP Morgan Asia Credit Philippines Total Return

3 mo

-0.87

-0.94

2YRS

-3.75

-3.75

2021

0.26

0.58

6 mo

-4.22

-4.43

3YRS

-1.36

-1.23

2020

6.87

7.30

1YR

-10.54

-10.81

4YRS

2.55

2.81

2019

13.27

13.95

3YRS

-4.01

-3.64

5YRS

1.67

1.90

2018

-0.73

-0.61

CUMULATIVE PERFORMANCE (%) 1

1 mo

-0.58

-0.99

1YR

-10.54

-10.81

YTD

-9.94

-10.33

CALENDAR YEAR PERFORMANCE (%)<sup>1</sup>

ANNUALIZED PERFORMANCE (%) 1

Index

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**Benchmark** 

NAVPU over the past 12 months	
Highest	258.40
Lowest	225.79
STATISTICS	
Weighted Ave Duration (Yrs)	6.59
Volatility, Past 1 Year (%) <sup>3</sup>	5.15
Port. Weighted Yield to Maturity (%)	5.10
Current Number of Holdings	71
Tracking Error (3-Yr) <sup>4</sup> (%)	0.54

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

<sup>2</sup>Since Inception

<sup>3</sup>Measures the degree to which the Fund fluctuates vis-à-vis its average return over a period of time.

<sup>4</sup>Measure of deviation between the Fund's return and benchmark returns. A lower number means the Fund's return is closely aligned with the benchmark. <sup>5</sup>Includes accrued income, investment securities purchased, accrued expenses, etc.

\*Declaration of Trust is available upon request through branch of account.

PORTFOLIO COMPOSITION	TOP TEN HOLDINGS			
Allocation	% of Fund	Name	Maturity	% of Fund
Government	58.23	RoP Bonds	2/2/2030	5.58
Corporates	38.51	RoP Bonds	10/23/2034	4.26
Cash	0.28		1/14/2031	
Time Deposits and Money Market	1.85	RoP Bonds		4.18
Other Receivables – Net of Liabilities 6	1.13	RoP Bonds	3/16/2025	3.70
Maturity Profile		RoP Bonds	1/20/2040	3.67
Cash and less than 1 year	6.78	RoP Bonds	2/1/2028	3.60
Between 1 and 3 years	22.53	RoP Bonds	2/2/2042	3.23
Between 3 and 5 years	15.17	RoP Bonds	3/1/2041	3.15
Between 5 and 7 years	6.25	RoP Bonds	7/6/2046	2.94
Between 7 and 10 years	21.62		1/13/2037	
More than 10 years	27.65	RoP Bonds	1,10,2001	2.73

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131.13

144.34

S.I.

5.49

5.86

2017

5.85

6.36

## **RELATED PARTY TRANSACTIONS\***

The Fund has investments and trade transactions with BPI Asset Management and Trust Corporation (BPI AMTC):

Ayala Corporation – USD 0.58 million, Bank of the Philippine Islands – USD 0.69 million, Globe Telecom – USD 0.81 million, ACEN Corporation – USD0.71 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 JP Morgan Asia Credit Index (JACI) Philippines declined by 0.99% in August as Philippine dollar-denominated bonds tracked movements in US Treasuries. ROP yields rose by an average of 19.6 basis points month-on-month.

It was another volatile month for global bonds markets as uncertainty in the overall economic outlook prevailed. In Europe, the Russia-Ukraine conflict trudged on with no signs of ceasefire 6 months into the war. Concerns on potential hawkish central bank actions globally likewise weighed on market sentiment. During the much-awaited annual Jackson Hole Symposium held towards the latter part of August, US Fed Chair Jerome Powell reiterated that they remained committed to curbing inflation. This was despite US inflation having increased by 8.5% year-on-year in July, lower than the 9.1% figure recorded in June as core inflation persisted above the Fed's target. All this caused heightened volatility in rates, with the 10-year US Treasury benchmark yield trading as low as 2.57% before rising to close the month at the 3.19% level.

In the local economic space, inflation for the month of June rose by 6.4% year-on-year, higher than the 6.1% in June. This was on the back of rising food and fuel costs, as supply side pressures pushed prices higher. Consequently, the BSP hiked rates by another 50 basis points to 3.75%. The central bank will continue to monitor economic data and adjust policy settings as needed.

**Fund Performance.** The fund returned -0.58% in August, outperforming its benchmark by 41 bps. Year-to-date, it outperformed the benchmark by 39 basis points with a return of -9.94%.

**Fund Strategy**. The Fund will continue to closely track the JPMorgan Asia Credit Total Return Index. 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) Primarily long 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.
- (b) 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
- (c) The principal investments of the Fund will be in fixed-income instruments denominated in, but are not limited to, the following major currencies: U.S. Dollar, Euro, British Pound, Canadian Dollar, Australian Dollar, Swiss Franc, Danish Kroner, and Japanese Yen.
- (d) Bank deposits and such other investments allowed under regulations issued by the BSP.

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