# **BPI** Invest

PHILIPPINE INFRASTRUCTURE EQUITY INDEX FUND

Key Information and Investment Disclosure Statement As of April 28, 2023

#### FUND FACTS

Classification:	Equity Index Fund	Net Asset Value per Unit (NAVPU):	PHP 117.12
Launch Date:	January 16, 2017	Total Fund NAV (Mn):	PHP 861.54
Minimum Investment:	PHP 10,000	Dealing Day:	Daily up to 1:30PM
Additional Investment:	PHP 1,000	Redemption Settlement:	T+3 End-of Day
Minimum Holding Period:	None	Early Redemption Charge:	None
FEES*			
Trustee Fees: 0.0828%	Custodianship Fees: 0.0000	<b>External Auditor Fees:</b> 0%***	Other Fees: 0%

BPI Asset Management

Isla Lipana

None

PI Wealth

Monthly rate: billings received for April 2023 divided by the average daily NAV for the same month valued at PHP854.7 million

\*\*Monthly rate: billings received for March 2023 divided by the average daily NAV for the same month valued at PHP854.96 million

\*\*\*Billing is received at the last quarter of the year

## INVESTMENT OBJECTIVE AND STRATEGY

The Fund intends to achieve for its participants investment returns that track the performance of the BPI Philippine Infrastructure Equity Index by investing in a diversified portfolio of stocks in the same weights as the index, to the extent practicable.

## **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 Philippine Infrastructure Equity Index Fund is suitable only for investors who:

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

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## 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<br/>Exchange, which may be brought about by adverse stock market conditions, unfavorable company<br/>earnings and valuations and/ or negative developments in domestic and global political and<br/>economic conditions.Liquidity Risk:Possibility to experience losses due to the fund's inability to convert assets into cash immediately<br/>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.

Index TrackingInvestors are exposed to the risk of not being able to achieve a level of return that matches the<br/>index being tracked by the Fund due primarily to operating and fund management expenses.

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.

•THIS PRODUCT CANNOT BE SOLD TO YOU UNLESS ITS BENEFITS AND RISKS HAVE BEEN THOROUGHLY EXPLAINED. IF YOU DO NOT FULLY UNDERSTAND THIS PRODUCT, DO NOT PURCHASE OR INVEST IN IT.

## FUND PERFORMANCE AND STATISTICS AS OF April 28, 2023

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

NAVPu over the past 12 months **NAVPU GRAPH** Highest 122.87 103.29 135 Lowest Fund Benchmark 125 **STATISTICS** 115 Portfolio Beta 0.90 105 Volatility, Past 1 Year (%)<sup>3</sup> 21.01 95 Current Number of Holdings 12 85 Tracking Error, Since Inception (%)<sup>4</sup> 0.75 75 65 <sup>1</sup> Returns are net of fees. 55 <sup>2</sup> Since Inception Apr-17 Apr-18 Apr-19 Apr-20 Apr-21 Apr-22 Apr-23 <sup>3</sup> Measures the degree to which the Fund fluctuates vis-à-vis its average return over a period of time. \*Benchmark is the BPI Infrastructure Index CUMULATIVE PERFORMANCE (%) 1 <sup>4</sup> Measures of deviation between the Fund's return 1 YR 3YRS S.I.<sup>2</sup> and benchmark returns. A lower number means the 1 mo 3 mo 6 mo Fund's return is closely aligned with the benchmark. 1.50 3.37 4.45 -0.35 58.89 17.12 Fund 15.29 <sup>5</sup>Includes accrued income, investment securities **Benchmark** 1.57 3.62 5.16 0.66 65.36 **ANNUALIZED PERFORMANCE (%)**<sup>1</sup> purchased, accrued expenses, etc. S.I 3YRS 4YRS 5YRS <sup>6</sup>Effective March 1, 2022, transaction cut off times of 1YR 2YRS 3.99 2.55 the Fund have been temporarily adjusted until Fund -0.35 20.04 16.69 5.16 further notice. Announcements for changes of Fund 2.29 0.66 22.03 18.25 5.68 4.06 Benchmark cut off times shall be available on our website. CALENDAR YEAR PERFORMANCE(%)<sup>1</sup> YTD 2022 2021 2020 2019 2018 Fund -0.91 32.32 -7.47 -14.78 \*Declaration of Trust is available upon request 3.44 3.92 **Benchmark** 3.85 0.42 35.31 1.33 -8.92 -15.70 through branch of account. PORTFOLIO COMPOSITION **TOP TEN HOLDINGS** Allocation % of Fund % of Fund Name 98.96 Equities 27.36 Int'l Container Terminal Services, Inc. 0.15 Cash Aboitiz Equity Ventures, Inc. 17.56 2.07 Time Deposits and Money Market PLDT Inc. 13.23 -1.19 Manila Electric Company 12.05 Other Receivables – Net of Liabilities Aboitiz Power Corp. 6.78 Sector Holdings (Equity Portion) Services 47.00 Globe Telecom, Inc. 6.41 Holding Firms 27.38 Metro Pacific Investments Corp. 5.74 Industrials 21.30 DMCI Holdings, Inc. 4.07 Mining and Oil 3.28 Semirara Mining Corp. 3.28 Property 0.00 Manila Water Company, Inc. 2.47 Financials 0.00

## **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 Wealth – A Trust Corporation ("BPI Wealth"):

Globe Telecom, Inc. – Php55.21 Mn, Bank of the Philippine Islands – Php9.87 Mn, Manila Water Company, Inc. – Php21.31 Mn

Investments in the said outlets were approved by the BPI Wealth'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 Wealth's internal policy.

#### **OUTLOOK AND STRATEGY**

**Market Review**. The Philippine Stock Exchange Index (PSEi) finally broke from a two-month decline after posting a 1.9% climb for the month of April. The rally was supported by decelerated inflation prints and a strong start of the 1st quarter earnings results. Local Philippines inflation in March registered at 7.6% or slower than 8.6% mark in February. Meanwhile, the US Consumer Price Index dropped to 5% in March, lower than 5.1% consensus estimate and 6% figure in February. Adding to the positive sentiment is the strong start of the 1Q 2023 earnings reports with banking names at the forefront as BDO and BPI posted better-than-expected results. The PSEi closed at 6,625.08 in April.

Infrastructure index rallied led by MPI which climbed following the tender offer. Top three Infrastructure Index Constituents include:

- MPI (+20.38%),
- AEV (+13.12%)
- MER (+9.00%)

**Fund Performance**. The fund returned 1.50% in the month, underperforming the Philippine Infrastructure Index by 7 bps. Year to date, the fund returned 3.44%, behind the benchmark by 41 bps.

Fund Strategy. The fund will continue to track the Philippine Infrastructure Index.

#### 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 the Philippine stock market.
- b) Primarily short-term tradable fixed-income instruments issued or guaranteed by the Philippine government or the BSP; 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. 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) Primarily 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 Subsection X410.12 (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.

The Fund shall be primarily invested in a diversified portfolio of equities listed at the Philippine Stock Exchange. Portfolio composition and weightings will be the same as that of the BPI Philippine Infrastructure Equity Index.

BPI Wealth is a subsidiary of the Bank of the Philippine Islands. For inquiries and comments, please send an email to bpiwealth@bpi.com.ph or call us at (632) 8580-AMTC (2682). Regulated by the Bangko Sentral ng Pilipinas. https://www.bsp.gov.ph, BSP Webchat https://www.bsp.gov.ph SMS: 021582277 & BSP CAMS Facebook https://www.facebook.com/BangkoSentralngPilipinas

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