



# **Key Information Investment Disclosure Statement**

October 30, 2025

Add reliable growth in your retirement plan through government securities



## **INVESTMENT OBJECTIVE AND SUMMARY**

The Fund intends to achieve capital appreciation and income derived from a diversified portfolio of primarily long-term fixed income securities issued by the Republic of the Philippines. The Fund aims to provide returns in excess of the return of the BPI Philippine Government Bond Index.

#### **FUND FACTS**

Classification	PERA Fixed Income Fund
Total Fund NAV	PHP 39.47
Dealing Day	Daily up to 2:00PM
Redemption Settlement	Day 2 End-of-Day
Min. Holding Period / Early Redemption Charge	None
NAVPU	PHP 1.48
Launch Date	December 19, 2016
Minimum Investment	PHP 1,000
Additional Investment	No minimum

## **FEES**

Trustee Fees	Monthly rate: 0.0849% <sup>1</sup> Annual fee: 1.00% p.a.	BPI Wealth
Custodianship and Accounting Fee	0.0017%²	DB AG Manila
External Audit Fee	0.0056%3	Isla Lipana
Other Fees	0%	None

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Monthly Rate: Billings received for October divided by the average daily NAV for the same month valued at USD 38.95Mn

#### **CLIENT SUITABILITY**

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

This Fund is for investors who:

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

## **KEY RISKS AND RISK MANAGEMENT**

**Interest Rate Risk**: Investors are exposed to adverse changes in the prices of domestic fixed income securities due to a rise in interest rates, which generally causes fixed income security prices to decline. Factors/events that may lead to a rise in interest rates include adverse market conditions, issuer-specific factors / events and/or negative developments in domestic 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:** Investors are exposed to actual or potential conflicts of interest in the handling of related party transactions by the Trustee, specifically, time deposit placements with the Trustee's own bank and/ or its subsidiary, purchase of debt securities issued by related parties, as well as the execution of trade transactions with related counterparties.

**Credit/Default Risk:** 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 UNIT INVESTMENT TRUST FUND (UITF) 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.

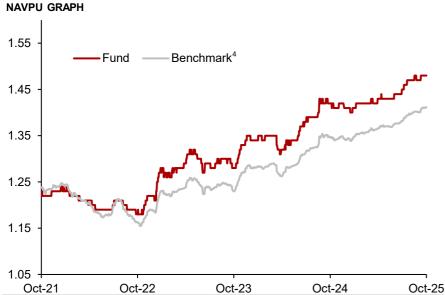
 $<sup>^2</sup>$  Monthly Rate: Billings received for September 2025 divided by the average daily NAV for the same month valued at USD 38.50Mn

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> Billing is received at the last quarter of the year



## **FUND PERFORMANCE AND STATISTICS**

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



NAVPU OVER THE PAST 12 MONTHS				
Highest	1.48			
Lowest	1.40			
STATISTICS				
Weighted Ave Duration (Yrs.)	7.03			
Volatility, Past 1 Year (%) <sup>6</sup>	3.23			
Sharpe Ratio <sup>7</sup>	-0.30			
Information Ratio <sup>8</sup>	-0.20			
Portfolio Weighted Yield to Maturity (%)	6.31			
Current Number of Holdings	26			
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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>5</sup> Since Inception.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>8</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.

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	1M	3M	6M	1Y	3Y	S.I. <sup>5</sup>	1Y	3Y	5Y	S.I. <sup>5</sup>	YTD	2024	2023	2022	2021	2020
Fund (Gross%)	0.68	2.07	3.50	4.23	25.42	48.00	4.23	7.84	3.44	4.52	4.96	4.44	10.66	-0.81	-2.38	11.50
Benchmark	0.79	2.14	3.33	4.83	21.38	41.18	4.83	6.67	2.19	3.96	5.27	4.32	8.24	-4.22	-2.96	10.52

#### <sup>4</sup>BENCHMARK INFORMATION

Name: BPI Philippine Government Bond Index

Description and Key Characteristics: The BPI Philippine Government Bond Index (the BPI Index) is sponsored by the Bank of the Philippine Islands (the Sponsor).

The BPI Index is intended to reflect the performance of Philippine Government, fixed-rate straight bonds denominated in Philippine Peso. It is intended to be a template for passive, diversified fixed income investment portfolios where securities are held in proportion to the market value (Market Capitalization) of the issued securities. It aims to provide accurate and objective benchmarks by which to assess the performance of the Philippine Government bond market.

The BPI Index comprises of the BPI Philippine Government Bond Index as the primary index and five other indices, each with constituents covering more specific asset segments.

Relation to the Fund's Objective or Investment Strategy: The Fund is actively managed, which allows the Trustee full discretion on security selection. The Trustee will use the BPI Philippine Government Bond Index as reference during portfolio construction to ensure that the active risk taken is commensurate to the Fund's objective and investor profile. Moreover, given the active nature of the Fund, the Trustee may select securities which are not within the benchmark index to take advantage of any opportunities available. Investors may use the Index to gauge the Fund's performance.

For more information on BPI Indices, participants may contact, the calculating agent, BPI Investment Management Inc. at bpi\_investment@bpi.com.ph. Alternatively, participants may request information from BPI Wealth at bpiwealth@bpi.com.ph.

#### **PORTFOLIO COMPOSITION**



TOP TEN HOLDINGS						
Name	Maturity	% of Fund				
Retail Treasury Bond	11/05/34	33.69				
Retail Treasury Bond	05/23/44	10.58				
Retail Treasury Bond	01/26/31	10.29				
Retail Treasury Bond	12/16/35	6.75				
Retail Treasury Bond	09/30/35	6.09				
Retail Treasury Bond	01/24/39	5.27				
Retail Treasury Bond	11/24/42	3.56				
Retail Treasury Bond	01/30/50	3.50				
Retail Treasury Bond	08/20/30	3.15				
Retail Treasury Bond	04/28/35	2.08				

 $<sup>^{\</sup>rm 6}$  Measures the degree to which the Fund fluctuates vis-à-vis its average return over a period of time.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>7</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



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

No related party holdings

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

#### **OUTLOOK AND STRATEGY**

**Market Review**. Local government bond yields declined by an average of nine basis points after the Bangko Sentral ng Pilipinas (BSP) surprised markets with a 25-basis point policy rate cut, lowering the benchmark interest rate from 5.00% to 4.75%. Beyond the rate decision, investors reacted positively to BSP's guidance, signaling further easing to support growth. The central bank highlighted economic growth risks amid dampened business sentiment due to public infrastructure issues. As bond yields fell and prices rose, the BPI Government Bond Index returned 0.79% for the month.

Headline inflation rose to 1.7% in September from 1.5% in August, driven by higher transport costs and faster food inflation due to surging vegetable prices. The figure was below market expectations of 1.9% and the BSP's 2–4% target range, reinforcing room for continued policy rate cuts.

The Bureau of the Treasury (BTr) issued Php70 billion worth of FXTNs across 3-, 7-, 10-, and 25-year tenors, notably lower than the previous monthly average of Php120 billion. Demand was strong for most maturities, with bids roughly double the offer size, except for the 25-year FXTN, which drew Php18.6 billion in tenders versus a Php15 billion offer.

Fund Performance. The Fund returned 0.68% during the month of October, underperforming its benchmark by 11 basis points.

**Fund Strategy**. The Fund looks to maintain its duration position as interest rates are expected to decline in the medium term. The BSP has already decreased its policy rates by 25bps last April and is expected to continue on the cutting cycle as long as inflation remains on target. The central bank remains vigilant in monitoring inflation figures. 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) Primarily tradable fixed-income instruments issued or guaranteed by the Philippine government or the BSP; 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;
- (b) Money market instruments;
- (c) Deposit products;
- (d) Such other investments suitable to the nature, classification, and strategy of the Fund, as allowed by prevailing regulations.

## **IMPORTANT NOTICES**

BPI Wealth is a subsidiary of the Bank of the Philippine Islands. For inquiries and comments, please send us a message through bpiwealth@bpi.com.ph or by visiting www.bpi.com.ph/contactus. You may also call our 24-hour BPI Contact Center at (+632) 889 10000.

BPI Wealth as Trustee/Investment Manager is regulated by the Bangko Sentral ng Pilipinas. https://www.bsp.gov.ph