

Key Information and Investment Disclosure Statement As of February 28, 2025

### **FUND FACTS**

Classification: Multi-Asset Fund-of-Funds

Launch Date: March 28, 2022

Minimum Investment:USD 100Dealing Day:Daily up to 2:00 PMAdditional Investment:No minimumRedemption Settlement:T+5 End-of-Day

NAVPU:

Total Fund NAV (Mn):

USD 110.58

USD 0.25

Minimum Holding Period: None Early Redemption Charge: None

#### **FEES**

Trustee Fees: 0.0574%\* External Auditor Fees: 0.0000%\*\* Other Fees: 0.0483%\*\*\*

0.75% per annum - BPI Wealth Isla Lipana Index Licensing Fees

\*Billings received for February 2025 divided by the average daily NAV for the same month valued at USD 0.23 Mn

# **INVESTMENT OBJECTIVE AND STRATEGY**

The Fund, operating as a Fund-of-Funds, seeks to achieve long-term capital growth by investing in a diversified portfolio of global equity and fixed income collective investment schemes which integrate environmental, social, and governance in its process, investment criteria the of incorporation including sustainability goals and facilitation of flow of funds towards green economic activities, climate change mitigation and projects, and other adaptation positive environmental and social impact initiatives.

### **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 Sustainable Global Balanced Fund-of-Funds 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.

	investors are exposed to adverse changes in the prices of foreign currency denominated fixed income instruments of the target funds
Market/Price Risk:	due to a rise in interest rates as a result of adverse market conditions, unfavorable developments in the political and economic
	conditions of countries where the underlying securities of the target funds are issued or traded, or other issuer-specific factors.

Investors are exposed to the risk of loss due to the inability of the target funds to convert security holdings to cash 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.

Investors are exposed to adverse changes in the prices of fixed income securities of the target funds due to a rise in interest rates,

Interest Rate Risk: 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 political and economic conditions.

Credit/ Default

Risk: Co

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 political and economic conditions.

FX Risk:

Investors are exposed to the risk of loss from a decline in the market value of the target fund when the underlying securities of the target funds 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.

<sup>\*\*</sup>Billing is received at the last quarter of the year

<sup>\*\*\*</sup>Based on latest billing received from provider/s

#### FUND PERFORMANCE AND STATISTICS AS OF FEBRUARY 28, 2025

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



\*50% MSCI AC World Index + 50% Bloomberg Barclays Global Aggregate Bond Index (Unhedged)

CUMULATIVE PERFORMANCE (%) 12						
	1 mo	3 mos	6 mos	1YR	3YRS	S.I. <sup>3</sup>
Fund	0.07	0.05	0.23	6.03	-	10.58
Benchmark	0.37	0.04	1.24	8.97	-	10.99
ANNUALIZED PERFORMANCE (%) 12						
	1YR	2YRS	3YRS	4YRS	5YRS	S.I. <sup>3</sup>
Fund	6.03	9.26	-	-	-	3.50
Benchmark	8.97	10.89	-	-	-	3.63
CALENDAR YEAR PERFORMANCE (%) 12						
	YTD	2024	2023	2022³	2021	2020
Fund	2.10	5.87	13.34	-9.74	-	-
Benchmark	1.77	8.24	13.61	-11.31	-	-

PORTFOLIO COMPOSITI	ION		
Allocation	•	% of Fund	
Bonds			45.29
Equities		46.27	
Cash and Cash Equivale		8.44	
Fixed Income Alloca	tion	<b>Equity Allocation</b>	
Government Debt	15.84	North America	29.42
Corporate Bonds	14.99	Asia Pacific/Other EM	2.94
Securitized Debt	7.99	Europe	2.07
Emerging Market Debt	6.47	Other Countries	11.84

NAVPu over the past 12 months	
Highest	111.78
Lowest	102.52
STATISTICS	
Effective Duration	6.10
Volatility, Past 1 Year (%) 4	6.92
Sharpe Ratio <sup>5</sup>	0.16
Information Ratio <sup>6</sup>	-0.45
Portfolio Weighted Yield to Maturity (%)	6.02
Current Number of Holdings	9

- <sup>1</sup> Differences in the returns of the fund and its benchmark may be affected by factors such as composition/allocation, fees, tenor, duration, and dividend disposition, among other factors.
- <sup>2</sup> Returns are net of fees.
- <sup>3</sup> Since Inception.
- <sup>4</sup> Measures the degree to which the Fund fluctuates vis-à-vis its average return over a period of time.
- <sup>5</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>6</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.
- <sup>7</sup> The "Cash and equivalents" sector includes the payables and receivables from regular day-to-day operations.
- <sup>8</sup> Includes accrued income, investment securities purchased, accrued expenses, etc.
- \*Declaration of Trust is available upon request through branch of account.

TOP HOLDINGS	
Name	% of Holdings
Janus Henderson Horizon Global Sustainable Equity	29.09
Wellington Global Impact Bond Fund	14.65
PIMCO Global Bond ESG Fund	11.17
PIMCO Global Investment Grade Credit ESG Fund	9.95
Wellington Global Stewards Fund	7.66

### OTHER FUND FACTS

Fund Currency: US Dollar

\*\*Benchmark: 50% MSCI AC World Net Total Return Index + 50% Bloomberg Barclays Global Aggregate Bond Index (Unhedged)

Fixed Income Benchmark's Weighted Average Duration (Yrs): 6.60

# SELECT SUSTAINABILITY CHARACTERISTICS 1

	Carbon Footprint <sup>2</sup>	Relative to Benchmark (%)	Carbon Intensity <sup>3</sup>	Relative to Benchmark (%)
Fund	19	-65	44	-68
Benchmark	54		139	

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> The values presented consider direct emissions controlled by the companies (where the target funds are invested in) through their operations, products and services, and indirect emissions generated by production of energy that the said companies consume. The Fund-of-Funds' portfolio values for each metric is derived from the weighted average of the Fund-of-Funds' exposure to the respective target funds. Data contained herein is based solely on information provided by the target fund managers (as of the specified reporting date) which BPI Wealth considers reliable. BPI Wealth does not make any representation or warranty, express or implied, as to the information's accuracy, timeliness or completeness for any purpose. Any information herein is subject to change without notice, and BPI Wealth is not under any obligation to update or keep current the information contained herein. This sustainability disclosure does not guarantee or purport that the Fund-of-Funds will have the same target funds, underlying securities, or characteristics moving forward.

### **RELATED PARTY TRANSACTIONS\***

The Fund has no transactions and outstanding investments with entities related to BPI Wealth - A Trust Corporation ("BPI Wealth").

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

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> In tons CO2e/USD1Mn invested, measures the portfolio's exposure to climate risk using various metrics such as, but not limited to, carbon emissions and carbon intensity.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> In tons CO2e/USD1Mn revenue, measures how efficient the portfolio is in terms of carbon emissions per unit of output.

# **OUTLOOK AND STRATEGY**

**Market Review.** Global equities experienced a slight decline in February 2025, with the MSCI World Index down by 0.72%. The month was marked by profit-taking in large-cap US technology stocks and a shift towards value stocks amid economic uncertainties.

US equities struggled due to concerns over stretched valuations in mega-cap tech stocks and signs of weakening consumer demand. Retail sales declined by 0.8%, and consumer confidence softened, reinforcing investor caution. The US Federal Reserve maintained its focus on promoting maximum employment and stable prices. US inflation moderated but remained slightly above the 2% target, prompting the Fed to re-emphasize its commitment to using all available tools to support economic stability. Meanwhile, European equities outperformed as UK stocks reached record highs. Optimism was driven by the likelihood of a ceasefire in Ukraine and strong earnings in the defense and financial sectors. In Asia, Japanese equities showed resilience amid a mix of macroeconomic and geopolitical factors. The Tokyo Stock Price Index (TOPIX) saw a modest gain, driven by strong performances in the technology and consumer sectors. The Bank of Japan's decision to raise its unsecured overnight call rate to 0.5%, the highest in 17 years, was a significant move towards monetary policy normalization. This rate hike, along with positive earnings reports from major companies, bolstered investor confidence.

The JP Morgan Asia Credit Index (JACI) Philippines rose by 1.77% in February, bringing the year-to-date gain to 1.99%. Philippine dollar-denominated bond yields declined as US Treasury yields fell by 21 basis points on average for the month.

Market participants raised their policy rate cut expectations in the US after a slew of weaker-than-expected economic data. US consumer confidence dropped by 7 points to 98.3 in February, the lowest level in eight months. At the same time, the US Composite S&P Purchasing Managers' Index declined to 50.4, also the lowest in 17 months. Later in the month, it was reported that US Personal Consumption Expenditures (PCE) Price Index eased from 2.9% in December to 2.6% in January, closer to the central bank's inflation target of 2%.

**Fund Performance.** The fund returned 0.07%, lagging the benchmark by 30 basis points. Security selection within the fund detracted from performance.

**Fund Strategy.** We expect major structural trends in sustainability, such as increasing market share of electric vehicles and record installation of wind turbines and solar panels, to continue. The ongoing Russia-Ukraine war, has resulted in the world, particularly Europe, determined to reduce their reliance on traditional sources of energy such as oil in gas, requiring large investments in renewable energy in the coming years. In addition, we continue to see support for green technologies through government policies across the globe. We believe that strong ESG companies are likely to generate positive financial performance over time as investing in sustainability can deliver higher growth and returns through innovation, higher operational efficiency and better risk management.

# LIST OF PROSPECTIVE INVESTMENTS

- (a) 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:
- (b) Primarily in more than one collective investment scheme managed using a sustainable investment strategy aligned with sustainability metrics or frameworks such as the European Union Sustainable Finance Disclosure Regulation (SFDR), United Nations Sustainable Development Goals(SDG), and other globally recognized fund rating agencies or companies, that are approved or registered and supervised by regulatory authorities that is a member of the International Organization of Securities Commissions (IOSCO) and managed by reputable fund manager/s the investment objectives and policies of which are generally consistent with those of the Fund; provided further that such combined investment in collective investment schemes should not fall below ninety percent (90%) of the net asset value 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.
- (c) Deposit products;
- (d) Money market instruments;
- (e) 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;
- (f) Such other investments suitable to the nature, classification, and strategy of the Fund, as allowed by prevailing regulations.
- (g) The principal investments of the Fund will be denominated in, but not limited to, the following major currencies: U.S. Dollar, Euro, British Pound, Canadian Dollar, Australian Dollar, Swiss Franc, Danish Kroner, and Japanese Yen.

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### **FOREIGN FUND MANAGERS OF TARGET FUNDS**

PIMCO Neuberger Berman <u>Janus Henderson Investors</u> <u>Wellington Management</u> Schroder Investment Management

INVESTMENT OBJECTIV	ES OF TARGE	I FUNDS	EU		
Name	Domicile	Regulator	Sustainable Finance Disclosure Regulation	Theme	Objective
Janus Henderson Horizon Global Sustainable Equity Fund	Luxembourg	CSSF	Article 9	Global Sustainable	Aims to provide capital growth over the long term I investing in companies whose products and servic are considered by the investment manager as contributing to positive environmental or social change and thereby have an impact on the development of a sustainable global economy.
Wellington Global Impact Bond Fund	Ireland	Central Bank of Ireland	Article 9	Impact Investing	Seeks long-term returns by investing primarily in investment grade rated global fixed income securities issued by organisations whose core business, in the opinion of the investment manage aims to address some of the world's major socia and environmental challenges.
PIMCO Global Bond ESG Fund	Ireland	Central Bank of Ireland	Article 8	Global ESG	Seeks to maximize total return, consistent with the preservation of capital, prudent investment management and sustainable investing.
PIMCO Investment Grade Credit ESG Fund	Ireland	Central Bank of Ireland	Article 8	Global ESG	Seeks to maximize total return by investing primarin investment grade global corporate instruments while focusing on environmental-, social-, and governance oriented (ESG) principles.
Wellington Global Stewards Fund	Ireland	Central Bank of Ireland	Article 9	Stewardship	Seeks to deliver long-term total returns in excess the MSCI All Country World Index by investing in the equities of companies globally, that generate high return on capital relative to their peers, and whose management teams and boards display superior stewardship to sustain those returns over time.
PIMCO Emerging Markets Bond ESG Fund	Ireland	Central Bank of Ireland	Article 8	Global ESG	Aims to offer efficient exposure to emerging markets, potentially attractive risk-adjusted return and moderate correlations to other asset classes while also making a positive social and environmental impact.
Schroder ISF Global Sustainable Growth Fund	Luxembourg	CSSF	Article 8	Global Sustainable	Aims to provide capital growth by investing in equities worldwide which meet the manager's sustainability criteria. The manager believes that companies demonstrating positive sustainability characteristics are better-placed to maintain grow & returns.
NB Short Duration High Yield Bond Fund	Luxembourg	CSSF	Article 8	Global Sustainable	& returns.  Aims to provide capital growth by investing in equities worldwide which meet the manager's sustainability criteria. The manager believes that companies demonstrating positive sustainability characteristics are better-placed to maintain growth.  & returns.
Wellington Climate Strategy Fund	Luxembourg	CSSF	Article 9	Climate	Seeks to deliver long-term total returns in excess the MSCI All Country World Index while contributi to the environmental objective of climate risk mitigation and adaptation by investing in the equiti of companies worldwide.

#### SPECIFIC RISKS IN INVESTING IN A FUND-OF-FUNDS

- The performance of the underlying Target Fund/s on an individual or collective basis impacts the performance of the BPI Sustainable Global Balanced Fund-of-Funds.
- The BPI Sustainable Global Balanced Fund-of-Funds incurs trust fee payable to the Trustee on top of the management fee/s charged by the Target Fund/s. Said fees and other expenses are already included in the computation of the Net Asset Value per Unit, which is the price at which investors subscribe and redeem units of the Fund.
- DUE TO THE FUND-OF-FUNDS STRUCTURE OR LAYERED INVESTMENT STRUCTURE OF THE FUND, PARTICIPANTS MAY BE SUBJECTED TO HIGHER FEES WITH THE ADDITION OF FEES AND EXPENSES IMPOSED BY THE TARGET FUNDS. PARTICIPANTS ARE ADVISED TO CONSIDER THESE FEES AND EXPENSES BEFORE INVESTING.