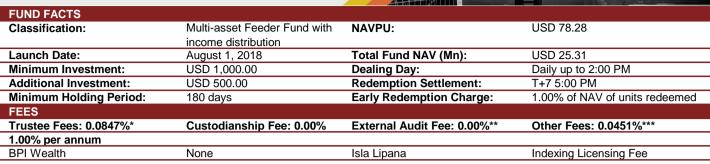


Key Information and Investment Disclosure Statement As of December 27, 2024



**BPI** WEALTH

\*Monthly rate: billings received for December 2024 divided by the average daily NAV for the same month valued at USD 25.51 Mn \*\*Billing is received at the last quarter of the year

\*\*\*Based on latest billing received from provider/s

### INVESTMENT OBJECTIVE AND STRATEGY

The Fund, operating as a Feeder Fund, aims to achieve stable income with a secondary focus on long term capital growth by investing in a Target Fund that invests in diversified portfolio of global equity and fixed income instruments. The Fund shall use 35% MSCI World Index (USD Hedged) + 5% MSCI Emerging Markets Index (Unhedged) + 25% Bloomberg Barclays Global Aggregate Corporate Index (USD Hedged) + 15% Bloomberg Barclays Global High Yield Index (USD Hedged) + 20% FTSE World Government Bond 10+ Years Index (USD Hedged) only as a reference benchmark. Given its focus on income, the Fund does not intend to outperform this benchmark.

#### **CLIENT SUITABILITY**

A client profiling process should 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 US Dollar Income Feeder Fund is suitable only for investors who:

• Are classified as aggressive based on their risk profile.

• Seek regular income with a secondary focus on capital appreciation over the medium to long term.

• Are comfortable with the risks of a global multi-asset fund.

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**

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You should not invest	t in this Fund if you do not understand or are not comfortable with the accompanying risks.
Market/Price Risk:	Investors are exposed to adverse changes in the prices of global equities and foreign currency denominated fixed income securities due to adverse market conditions, rising interest rates, unfavorable developments in the political and economic conditions of the countries where the underlying securities of the target fund are issued or traded, unfavorable company earnings and valuations for equities, and other issuer-specific factors for fixed income.
Liquidity Risk:	Investors are exposed to the risk of loss due to the Fund's inability 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 buyers/ sellers in the market, low trading volumes or market disruptions, among other reasons/ factors.
Country Risk:	Investors are exposed to the risk of loss arising from negative developments in the political, economic and social conditions of countries, which may adversely affect the value of the feeder fund.
FX Risk:	Investors are exposed to the risk of loss from a decline in the fund value when the exchange rates between the target fund or class currency and the portfolio currency fluctuates. The foreign currency exposure of the target fund may be hedged and may adopt an active or passive currency management approach, however, may not be fully hedged depending on the circumstances of each case. Such circumstances include but are not limited to the outlook, hedging costs, and market liquidity of the relevant currency.
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• THE UIT FUND IS NOT A DEPOSIT AND IS NOT INSURED BY THE PHILIPPINE DEPOSIT INSURANCE CORP. (PDIC).

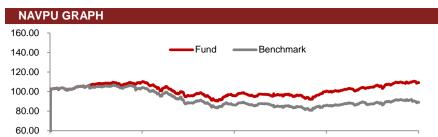
• RETURNS CANNOT BE GUARANTEED AND HISTORICAL NAVPU IS FOR ILLUSTRATION OF NAVPU MOVEMENTS/ FLUCTUATIONS ONLY.

• WHEN REDEEMING, THE PROCEEDS MAY BE WORTH LESS THAN THE ORIGINAL INVESTMENT AND ANY LOSSES WILL 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 DECEMBER 27, 2024

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



 Dec-20
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 Dec-24

 Benchmark:35% MSCI World Index (USD Hedged) + 5% MSCI Emerging Markets Index (Unhedged) + 25% Bloomberg Barclays
 Global Aggregate Corporate Index (USD Hedged) + 15% Bloomberg Barclays Global High Yield Index (USD Hedged) + 20% FTSE
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World Government Bond 10	+ Years Index (USI	D Hedged)				
CUMULATIVE PERFORMANCE (%) <sup>1</sup>						
	1 mo	3 mo	6 mo	1YR	3YRS	S.I.
Fund	-0.71	-0.36	4.50	8.48	-1.02	9.14
Benchmark	-1.28	-0.29	5.11	10.25	5.91	61.90
ANNUALIZED PERFORMANCE (%) <sup>1</sup>						
	1 YR	2 YRS	3 YRS	4 YRS	5 YRS	S.I. <sup>2</sup>
Fund	8.48	6.78	-0.34	1.54	0.63	1.37
Benchmark	10.25	12.28	1.93	3.29	6.83	7.80
CALENDAR YEAR PERFORMANCE (%) <sup>1</sup>						
	YTD	2023	2022	2021	2020	2019
Fund	8.48	5.09	-13.18	7.41	-2.92	13.34
Benchmark	10.25	14.35	-15.99	7.47	22.25	17.59

NAVPu over the past 12 months	
Highest	80.72
Lowest	74.72
STATISTICS	
Volatility, Past 1 Year (%) <sup>3</sup>	6.13
Sharpe Ratio	-0.27
Information Ratio	-1.61
Annualized Distribution Yield	5.06
Distribution Frequency	Semi-annual
<ol> <li>Returns are net of fees and inclusive of r distributions.</li> <li>Since Inception</li> <li>Measures the degree to which the Fund</li> </ol>	

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

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

\*\*Unit income received per unit invested as of record date.

#### **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.

PORTFOLIO COMPOSITIO	ON			TOP TEN HOLDINGS	
Allocation (%)		<b>Target Fund Allocation (%)</b>		Name	% of Target Fund
Target Fund	99.37	Equities	41.77	iShares JP Morgan USD Emergi.	3.36
Cash and Equivalents	0.93	Bonds	49.40	Microsoft Corp.	0.90
Others-net of liabilities	-0.29	Cash and equivalents	8.83	Apple Inc.	0.89
				Procter & Gamble Co.	0.73
Holdings by Country		% of T	arget Fund	Treasury Bill 02/24	0.69
USA			50.81	Merck & Co Inc.	0.68
UK			6.06	Exxon Mobil Corp	0.65
France			3.29	Coca-Cola	0.62
Other Countries			31.00	Amazon Inc.	0.55
Cash			8.84	Texas Instruments Inc.	0.51
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FUND DISTRIBUTION SCHEDULE				
Record Date	Ex- Date	Payment Date	Unit Income**	Cash Equivalent
29-Nov-2021	1-Dec-2021	15-Dec-2021	0.0278	USD 2.55
31-May-2022	1-Jun-2022	14-Jun-2022	0.0233	USD 1.93
29-Nov-2022	1-Dec-2022	15-Dec-2022	0.0247	USD 1.92
31-May-2023	1-Jun-2023	15-Jun-2023	0.0251	USD 1.90
30-Nov-2023	1-Dec-2023	15-Dec-2023	0.0253	USD 1.90

• THE FUND SHALL ONLY DISTRIBUTE INCOME TO ELIGIBLE PARTICIPANTS FROM DISTRIBUTIONS RECEIVED FROM THE TARGET FUND IN THE FORM OF UNIT INCOME ON A SEMI-ANNUAL BASIS, I.E. EVERY JUNE AND DECEMBER.

• PAYMENT OF INCOME WILL DEPEND ON THE FUND'S INCOME FOR THE RELEVANT PERIOD AND WILL BE DISTRIBUTED PROPORTIONATELY TO ELIGIBLE PARTICIPANTS.

• PAYMENT OF INCOME MAY REDUCE THE NAVPU OF THE FUND. THE NAVPU ALSO REFLECTS THE DAILY MARKING-TO-MARKET OF THE UNDERLYING INVESTMENTS OF THE FUND.

• THIS PAYMENT OF INCOME DOES NOT IN ANY WAY GUARANTEE OR PURPORT THAT FURTHER DISTRIBUTIONS WILL BE MADE.

Fund Currency:	US Dollar	Fund structure:	Unit Trust
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Name of Target Fund:	United Income Focus Trust	Inception Date:	November 2015
Regulator:	Monetary Authority of Singapore (MAS)	Total Expense Ratio:	0.80%
Fund Manager:	UOB Asset Management, Ltd.	Early Redemption Charge:	None

### **OUTLOOK AND STRATEGY**

**Market Review.** Global equities fell in December. Market sentiment was tempered by mixed economic data and hawkish signals from the US Federal Reserve, which unnerved global markets and curbed US-investor enthusiasm for the pro-business policies of the incoming US administration. Global sovereign yield curves steepened markedly despite a tilt towards hawkish rhetoric from major central banks as term premium rose in response to deteriorating fiscal trajectory. Global credit outperformed duration-equivalent government bonds. Within the securitized sectors, agency mortgage-backed, commercial mortgage-backed, and assetbacked securities each outperformed duration-equivalent government bonds.

**Fund Performance.** The fund fell by -0.71% in December. Within global equities, US was the key detractor following the Fed's Summary of Economic Projections revealing a markedly more gradual and shallower path of interest-rate cuts in the coming years. Most sectors generated negative returns over the month, led by real estate and energy while modestly offset by consumer discretionary. Within global fixed income, investment grade credit pulled back as yields rose and spreads widened. Lastly, active asset allocation was flat as gains from our short US duration and long Japan equity positions were offset by our long US equity position.

**Fund Strategy.** Looking ahead, our base case is a soft landing with steady economic growth and low recession risk. That said, we do expect bouts of volatility to continue which may present opportunities for long-term investors. We remain optimistic on equities as the economic growth backdrop remains constructive and disinflationary trend remains in place. However, we tread with caution in anticipation of continued regional divergence and signs of inflation re-emerging. Within defensive fixed income, we are currently neutral. On a relative basis, we are moderately overweight on Europe as weaker growth and more progress on inflation in the region suggests further potential for rates to decline. On the other hand, we are moderately underweight on US due to persistently strong economic growth and rising concerns around debt sustainability following a Republican sweep in the US elections. We maintain a neutral posture on investment grade credit and high yield credit given tighter valuations. During this volatile period, we have focused on risk management to help mitigate downside risks. Against this backdrop, income investors will be best served through a highly diversified portfolio of multi-asset income producing assets that can be dynamically adjusted as market conditions evolve.

# 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 in a single collective investment scheme whose investment objective is to provide investment results that maximize income; provided further that such CIS is approved or registered and supervised by a regulatory authority that is a member of the International Organization of Securities Commissions (IOSCO) and managed by reputable fund manager/s; provided further that the investment in the said collective investment scheme should at least be ninety percent (90%) of the total assets 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 the CIS.
- (b) Primarily short-term tradable fixed-income instruments issued or guaranteed by the Philippine government or the BSP; tradable securities issued by the government of a foreign country, any political subdivision/agency of a foreign country or any supranational entity; tradable fixed- income instruments issued by foreign or local 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 investments 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) The principal investments of the Fund will be denominated in, but not limited to the US Dollar. The target fund invests in securities denominated in other currencies.
- (e) Bank deposits or tradable debt instruments issued by the BSP.
- (f) Such other investments allowed under regulations issued by the BSP.

## INVESTMENT OBJECTIVE OF TARGET FUND

The United Income Focus Trust, as the Target Fund, aims to provide regular income to investors with a secondary focus on capital appreciation over the medium to long term by investing globally in a diverse set of traditional and alternative asset classes.

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.

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