

FORMERLY BPI-PHILAM LIFE ASSURANCE C

# **FUND FACT SHEET**

All data as of October 31, 2023 unless otherwise stated

## Fund Objective and Strategy

The Fund aims to track the performance of the Philippine Stock Exchange Composite index (PSEi). The Fund shall substantially invest in stocks comprising the PSEi using the same weights as in the index.

### **Fund Details**

Fund Manager	BPI WEALTH – A Trust Corporation
Inception Date	October 25, 2011
Fund Classification	Equity Fund
Fund Size	PHP 2,703.29 Million
Fund Currency	Philippine Peso
No. of Holdings	32
Fund Management Fee	1.00% per annum

### **Highest and Lowest Unit Price Achieved**

Initial (25 October 2011)	1.0000
Highest (30 January 2018)	2.1502
Lowest (1 December 2011)	0.9869
NAVPU – 31 October 2023	1.4923

#### **Risk Classification**

The Fund is suitable for investors who take medium- to long-term views. Prior to investment in the Fund, the investor shall undergo a client suitability assessment procedure to determine whether the Fund is appropriate for him considering his investment objective, risk tolerance, preferences and experience. The Fund's net asset value, and total return may fluctuate as result of stock price movements. On redemption of shares, an investor may receive an amount less than the original amount of investment. Liquidity risk also needs to be taken into account.

# BPI-Philam Equity Index Fund

### **Market Commentary**

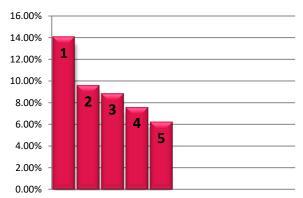
The Philippine Stock Exchange Index (PSEi) sank below the 6,000 mark as a slew of unfavorable macroeconomic developments kept investors on the edge. On the global front, weakness in US indices and global equities was evident as an effect of rising yields where 10-year US Treasury yields climbed over 5% for the first time since 2007. Moreover, the US Federal Reserve (Fed) maintained their hawkish stance as they opted to keep interest rates elevated to fight sticky inflation. The on-going geopolitical tensions between Israel and Hamas added to concerns with its potential escalation to other nations in the Middle East. This pose further risk to global oil prices. On the local economic front, the Bangko Sentral ng Pilipinas (BSP) decided to hike its policy rate by 25 basis points to 6.5% in an off-cycle meeting to counter supply-side pressures in CPI inflation. The PSEi dipped 5.5% month-on-month in October to close at 5,973.78.

Trading activity in October subsided after strong activity seen in index-rebalancing events in September. Average daily turnover registered at US\$81 million or 37.8% lower month-on-month. Meanwhile, foreigners continued to be net sellers with US\$171 million worth of outflows.

In terms of stock performance, the top three gainers for the month included: ACEN (+7.94%), TEL (+2.89%) and EMI (+0.24%). Meanwhile, the bottom three performers were: SCC (-16.91%), AGI (-13.96%) and CNVRG (-12.81%).

#### **Cumulative Performance (%)** Since YTD 6 Months 2YR 1YR Inception -7.30 -1.06 -12.86 -9.45 49.23 **NAVPU Graph** 2.3000 2.1000 1,9000 1.7000 1.5000 1.3000 1.1000 0.9000 Jul-19 Ц Jul-13 May-14 Mar-15 **T**0 Oct-17 Aug-18 May-20 Dec-22 Oct-23 Dec-16 Mar-21 22 Feb-Sep-Ct-Jan-PORTFOLIO COMPOSITION Allocation % of Fund 99.18 Eauities 0.82 Cash & Cash Equivalents

# TOP HOLDINGS Asset Allocation



SM Investments Corp.	14.11%
SM Prime Holdings, Inc.	9.63%
BDO Unibank, Inc.	8.88%
Bank of the Philippine Islands	7.61%
Int'l. Container Terminal Services, Inc.	6.26%

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