

FORMERLY BPI-PHILAM LIFE ASSURANCE CORPORATIO

### **FUND FACT SHEET**

All data as of May 31, 2024 unless otherwise stated

### **Fund Objective and Strategy**

The Fund aims to achieve long-term capital and income growth by investing in a diversified portfolio of fixed income and equity securities. The Fund aims to outperform its benchmark, which is composed of 70% BPI Philippine Government Bond Index and 30% Philippine Stock Exchange Index.

### **Fund Details**

Fund Manager	BPI WEALTH – A Trust Corporation
Inception Date	September 11, 2012
Fund Classification	Balanced Fund
Fund Size	PHP 739.44 Million
Fund Currency	Philippine Peso
No. of Holdings	
Fund Management Fee	1.50% per annum

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

Initial (11 September 2012)	1.0000
Highest (08 January 2021)	1.2422
Lowest (10 October 2012)	0.9829
NAVPU - 31 May 2024	1.1877

#### **Risk Classification**

The Fund is suitable for investors with an aggressive profile or for those who take medium- to long-term views. As a marked-to-market UITF, the Fund's net asset value and total return may fall as well as rise as a result of stock prices and interest rates movements. On redemption of units, an investor may receive an amount less than the original amount of investment. 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.

# **BPI-Philam Odyssey Balanced Fund Market Commentary**

The BPI Government Bond Index rose 1.49% in May as the local yield curve fell by 22.28 basis points (bps) on average. Average daily trading volume for the month amounted to Php23.86 billion, higher than April's Php14.73 billion with trades mostly seen on the short-end of the curve.

The Bureau of the Treasury (BTr) held four FXTN auctions in May. The 10-year FXTN 10-72 and 25-year FXTN 20-23 were fully awarded at average yields of 6.825% and 6.950%, respectively. Meanwhile, the new 20-year issuance, FXTN 20-27, was only partially awarded and priced at a coupon of 6.875%. The final bond auction for the month was FXTN 3-30, fully awarded at an average rate of 6.347%. Demand was generally healthy for the bonds issued throughout the month.

In the local space, April headline inflation rose by 3.8% year-on-year from the previous month's 3.7%. Food, transport, and restaurants were the main driver of inflation, though the increase in rice prices slowed for the first time in six months. Nonetheless, the inflation print remained within the central bank's 2 to 40 ktarget range. The country's economy grew by 5.7% year-on-year for the first quarter of 2024, lower than consensus estimate of 5.9%. While net exports contributed positively for the period, other sectors such as private consumption and government spending appeared to be slowing. The first quarter GDP growth figure falls short of the government's official target of 6-7% for the year.

The Philippine Stock Exchange sharply dropped for the month on large foreign selling. Market sentiment went down largely due to the depreciation of the local currency when it traded north of Php58 against the dollar. This was mostly driven by a strong dollar after the US Federal Reserve (The Fed), according to the FOMC minutes of the meeting, said they may consider pushing back the rate cut amid growing inflation concerns. Moreover, MSCI rebalancing further added to the volatility of the market where the Philippines was estimated to have a US\$100-120-million worth of outflow. The PSEI closed the month of May at 6,433.10 or 3.9% lower on a month-or-month basis.

Trading activity improved mostly due to the MSCI rebalancing. Average Daily Turnover registered at Php7.6 billion. Meanwhile, foreigners continued to be big sellers at US\$174 million recorded in May. MSCI related name – AEV, was the top sold name after its deletion in the Standard Index. Property names were also sold heavily, while telecommunications were top foreign bought names. Consumer names, on the other hand, were mixed. Foreign participation declined to 46%.

On a per name basis, the top three index gainers for the month include: WLCON (+19.76%), ACEN (+15.66%) and CNVRG (+14.47%). Meanwhile, the bottom three performers were: AEV (-16.55%), BDO (-12.28%) and MBT (-11.36%).

### **Cumulative Performance (%)**

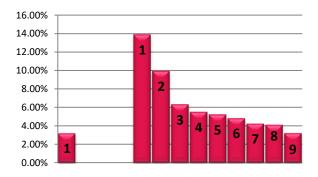
YTD 6 Months 1YR 2YR Inception -1.51 0.42 -0.39 2.85 18.77

### **NAVPU Graph**



PORTFOLIO COMPOSITION			
Allocation	% of Fund		
Equities	27.16		
Government Bonds	62.22		
Corporate Bonds	5.35		
Cash	0.67		
Time Deposits and Money Market	4.23		
Other Receivables - Net of Liabilities	0.37		

## **TOP HOLDINGS Asset Allocation**



### **Top Equity Holdings**

	1 SM Investments Corporation	3.19%
Top Fixed Income Holdings		
	1) Fixed Rate Treasury Note 07/19/2031	13.93%
	② Fixed Rate Treasury Note 11/24/2042	9.96%
	③ Fixed Rate Treasury Note 10/20/2032	6.34%
	4 Retail Treasury Bond 02/28/2029	5.52%
	(5) Retail Treasury Bond 08/22/2028	5.25%
	6 Fixed Rate Treasury Note 01/10/2029	4.83%
	7)Time Deposit	4.23%
	8) Fixed Rate Treasury Note 01/25/2034	4.11%
	(9) Retail Treasury Bond 06/02/2027	3.21%

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