



UNIONBANK OF THE PHILIPPINES – TRUST AND INVESTMENT SERVICES GROUP
UNIONBANK DOLLAR BOND PORTFOLIO
 KEY INFORMATION AND INVESTMENT DISCLOSURE STATEMENT
 As of February 28, 2018

FUND FACTS			
Classification:	Medium-term Dollar Bond Fund	Net Asset Value per Unit (NAVPU):	USD 2.084507
Launch Date:	January 12, 2004	Total Fund NAV:	USD 7,718,839.13
Minimum Investment:	USD 2,000	Dealing Day:	Up to 2:30 pm, any banking day
Additional Investment:	Not Applicable	Redemption Settlement:	One (1) banking day after initial notice
Minimum Holding Period:	90 calendar days	Early Redemption Charge:	0.25% flat on redeemed amount or USD 10, whichever is higher

FEES*			
Trust Fees: 0.75% per annum	Custodianship Fees: 0.001%	Audit Fees: 0.002%	
<i>UnionBank of the Philippines</i>	<i>HSBC, Ltd. Philippines</i>	<i>Punongbayan & Araullo</i>	

*As a percentage of the total market value of the fund for the month valued at USD 7.72 Mn

INVESTMENT OBJECTIVE AND STRATEGY

The UnionBank Dollar Bond Portfolio is a US Dollar-denominated bond fund designed to provide investors with higher returns than traditional fixed-income savings products. Earnings volatility is kept at moderate levels, through disciplined investment selection and tenor diversification.

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 UnionBank Dollar Bond Portfolio is suitable only for investors who:
 - Are individuals of legal age and corporations with a medium to long-term investment horizon
 - Have a moderately conservative risk profile
- The principal is at risk. Loss in the original investment may arise due to market fluctuations and price volatility of the securities held by the fund.

KEY RISKS AND RISK MANAGEMENT

You should not invest in this Fund if you do not understand or are comfortable with the accompanying risks.

Some of the key risks associated with this Fund are listed below:

- **Interest Rate Risk:** This is the possibility to experience losses due to changes in interest rates. The purchase and sale of a debt instrument may result in profit or loss because the value of a debt instrument changes inversely with prevailing interest rates.
- **Market/Price Risk:** This is the possibility to experience losses due to adverse changes in market prices of securities. It is the exposure to the uncertain market value of a portfolio due to price fluctuations.
- **Liquidity Risk:** This is the possibility to experience losses due to the fund's inability to sell and convert assets into cash immediately or in instances where conversion to cash is possible but at a highly disadvantageous price.
- **Credit/Default Risk:** This is the possibility for an investor to experience losses due to a borrower's failure to pay principal and/or interest in a timely manner on instruments such as bonds, loans, or other forms of security which the borrower issued.

The Fund invests in quality assets which are evaluated under the Trust Department's accreditation process and BSP regulations. Internal risk limits, together with regulatory exposure limits, are monitored, reviewed and strictly adhered to on a daily basis.

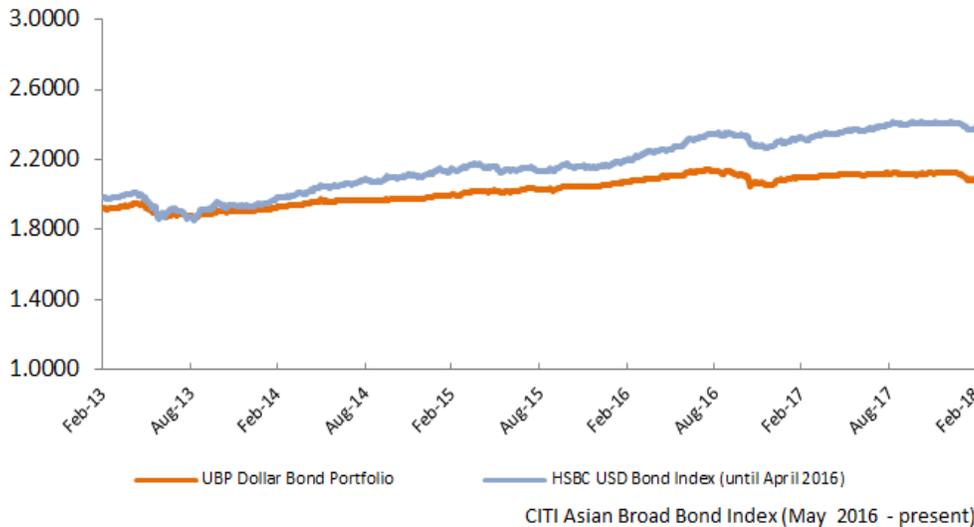
❖ THE UIT FUND IS NOT A DEPOSIT AND IS NOT INSURED BY THE PHILIPPINE DEPOSIT INSURANCE CORPORATION (PDIC)
❖ RETURNS CANNOT BE GUARANTEED AND HISTORICAL NAVPU IS FOR ILLUSTRATION OF NAVPU MOVEMENTS/FLUCTUATIONS ONLY
❖ WHEN REDEEMING, THE PROCEEDS MAY BE WORTH LESS THAN THE ORIGINAL INVESTMENT AND ANY 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

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FUND PERFORMANCE AND STATISTICS AS OF FEBRUARY 28, 2018

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

Net Asset Value per Unit



NAVPu over the past 12 months

Highest	2.129582
Lowest	2.081419

Statistics

Weighted Ave. Duration	4.5749
Volatility, Past 1 Year*	2.34%
Sharpe Ratio**	-0.61
Information Ratio***	-0.09

*Volatility measures the degree to which the Fund fluctuates vis-a-vis its average return over a period of time.

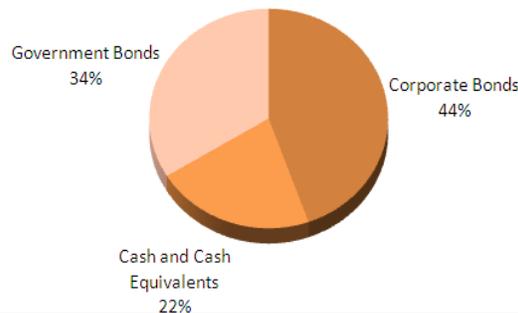
**Sharpe Ratio is used to characterize how well the return of Fund compensates the investor for the level of risk taken. The higher the number, the better. (Risk Free Rate = 0.6566%)

***Information Ratio measures reward-to-risk efficiency of the portfolio relative to the benchmark. The higher the number, the higher the reward per unit of risk.

Fund Performance Vs. Benchmark (%)								Top Ten Holdings (%)		
Period	Cumulative Return					Annualized Return		SMCPM 4.875 04/26/2023	15.03	
	1mos	3mos	6mos	1yr	3yrs	3yrs	5yrs			
Fund	-1.19	-1.78	-1.72	-0.78	4.32	1.42	1.67	VLLPM 5.750 11/28/2024	13.01	
Benchmark*	-0.99	-1.44	-1.17	1.88	10.76	3.46	3.69	ROP 28 USD 3.000 02/01/2028	12.54	
Calendar Year Return										
Period	YTD	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	ROP 24NEW USD 4.200 01/21/2024	10.19	
Fund	-1.94	10.19	-0.82	3.80	3.51	0.50	3.26	UNIONBANK OF THE PHILIPPINES	9.88	
Benchmark*	-1.53	12.73	-2.39	8.86	2.12	5.59	5.88	SMPM 4.250 10/17/2019	8.57	
									RCBPM 4.250 01/22/2020	7.96
									ROP 42 USD 3.700 02/02/2042	6.13
									CHINA BANK	5.91
									ROP 30 USD 9.500 02/02/2030	4.89
									Total	94.12

*HSBC USD Bond Index (until April 2016)
CITI Asian Broad Bond Index (May 2016 – present)

PORTFOLIO COMPOSITION



OTHER DISCLOSURES

RELATED PARTY TRANSACTIONS

The fund has time deposits with UnionBank of the Philippines amounting to USD 757,602.30. This investment outlet was approved by the Trust Committee. Likewise, all related parties transactions are conducted on an arm's length basis.

OUTLOOK AND STRATEGY

US President Trump announced tariffs on foreign steel and aluminum importations. The steep 25% tax on steel and 10% for aluminum were Trump's vow to fight back against "assault on our country by foreign competitors". Industries from canning, beer to automobiles claimed with multiple exporting countries expected to retaliate.

Meanwhile, Jerome Powell's first testimony in front of the congress unexpectedly took a more hawkish turn stating that "The things we don't want to have happen is to get behind the curve, have inflation move up and have to raise rates too quickly and cause recession." He also stated that the fiscal policy is becoming more stimulative and he anticipates inflation to move up.

US CPI increased 2.1% in January above market consensus of 1.9%. Core CPI increased at an annual pace of 3.6% (beyond 2%) in January.

US treasury market again saw great volatility in February as market events triggered two way action most of the month. Yields are still biased on the upside as uncertainties on the impact of the new tax bill, inflation concerns and global growth concerns are taken into consideration. Forecasts are all over the place as to how the Fed will balance inflation concerns, tightening labor market and the impact of the aggressive fiscal policy of the Trump administration. ROP's remain battered as it tracks movement in the US treasury market. The 10 year benchmark is 70bps higher YTD at 3.7%. We remain cautious and defensive as we see further direction after the next FOMC meeting on March 21.