



# **Global Bond Fund**

## Investment Objective

The sub-fund aims to provide a medium to long-term rate of return by investing mainly in global bonds.

## **Investment Scope**

The sub-fund will invest primarily in global investment grade corporate bonds. The sub-fund may also invest in global government bonds, mortgage backed securities and asset backed securities. The portfolio will have an average investment grade rating by Standard and Poor's and the Sub-Investment Managers are allowed to have some currency exposure. The sub-fund is denominated in Singapore Dollars.

## **Fund Details**

Launch Date 2 January 2003
Fund Size \$\$207.18 million

Initial Sales Charge Please refer to "Fees and Charges" in section 4 of the Product Summary for ILP.

0.85% p.a. The Annual Management Fee is not guaranteed and may be reviewed from time to time.

Annual Management Fee However, it shall not exceed 2.0% of the sub-fund balance at any point in time

The annual management fee will be 0.90% p.a. from 17 August 2022

Custodian The Bank of New York Mellon<sup>[1]</sup>

Dealing Frequency Every business day

Inclusion in CPFIS Yes (CPF OA and CPF SA)

CPFIS Risk Classification Low to Medium Risk, Broadly Diversified

Fund Manager NTUC Income Insurance Co-operative Limited

PIMCO Asia Pte Ltd

Sub Investment Managers

Invesco Asset Management Singapore Ltd (with effect from 17 August 2021)

Benchmark Bloomberg Barclays Global Aggregate Credit Index (SGD Hedged)

Structure Single Fund. The units in the sub-fund are not classified as Excluded Investment Products

With effect from 3 August 2020, the benchmark has been changed from Barclays Global Aggregate Index (SGD Hedged) to Bloomberg Barclays Global Aggregate Credit Index (SGD Hedged).

## Top 10 holdings as of 30 April 2022

	S\$ (mil)	% of NAV		S\$ (mil)	% of NAV
US Treasury Bill 070722	9.38	4.53	Broadcom Inc 4.15% 150432	1.09	0.53
UK TSY Gilt 1% 220424	2.40	1.16	US Treasury Note 2/5% 310327	1.02	0.49
Wells Fargo & Company 3.526% 240328	1.33	0.64	Equinix Inc 3.9% 150432	0.98	0.47
Toyota Motor 3.05% 220327	1.23	0.59	US Treasury Note 1.5% 290224	0.95	0.46
Ultra 10-Year US Treasury Note Future Jun22	1.15	0.56	Societe Generale 3.625% 010341	0.92	0.45

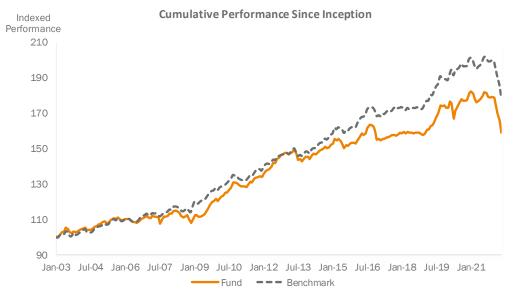
Important: Any differences in the total and percentage of the Net Asset figures are the result of rounding.

## Fund performance vs benchmark

	1-month	3-month	6-month	1-year	3-year^	5-year^	10-year^	Since inception^
Global Bond Fund	-4.10	-8.94	-11.13	-10.33	-0.93	0.34	1.30	2.42
Benchmark	-4.04	-8.42	-10.52	-9.19	-0.36	0.87	2.28	3.04



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The returns are calculated using bid-to-bid prices, in Singapore dollar terms, with dividends and distributions reinvested.

^Returns above one year are annualized. Past performance is not indicative of future performance. Fees & charges payable through deduction of premium or cancellation of units are excluded from this calculation.

## Volatility

	3-year (annualised)
Global Bond Fund	6.00

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# Asset allocation as of 30 April 2022

	Market Value S\$ (mil)	% of Net Asset Value
Corporate Bonds	180.87	87.30
Government Bonds	23.94	11.56
Other Structured Bonds	0.44	0.21
Cash & Others	1.93	0.93
Total	207.18	100.00

## Country allocation as of 30 April 2022

	Market Value S\$ (mil)	% of Net Asset Value
Australia	4.51	2.17
Britain	21.69	10.47
Canada	2.33	1.13
China	6.84	3.30
France	11.16	5.39
Germany	4.07	1.96
Hong Kong	3.28	1.58
Ireland	3.87	1.87
Japan	5.22	2.52
Luxembourg	3.89	1.88
Mexico	1.15	0.56
Netherlands	14.54	7.02
Singapore	2.11	1.02
Switzerland	4.53	2.18
United States	90.15	43.51
Others	25.91	12.51
Cash & Others	1.93	0.93
Total	207.18	100.00

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#### IMPORTANT NOTES

The Global Bond Fund is an Investment-Linked Plan (ILP) fund issued by NTUC Income Insurance Co-operative Limited (Unique Entity Number No. S97CS0162D), a co-operative society registered in Singapore and having its registered address office at 75 Bras Basah Road, NTUC Income Centre, Singapore 189557. The information in this fund factsheet is for informational use only. A product summary relating to the fund is available and may be obtained through NTUC Income. A potential investor should read the product summary before deciding whether to subscribe for units in the fund. Investments are subject to investment risks including the possible loss of the principal amount invested. Past performance, as well as the prediction, projection or forecast on the economy, securities markets or the economic trends of the markets targeted by the fund are not necessarily indicative of the future or likely performance of the fund. The fund returns are calculated on the assumption that all dividends and distributions are reinvested, taking into account all charges which would have been payable upon such reinvestment. The performance of the fund is not guaranteed and the value of units in the fund and the income accruing to the units, if any, may fall or rise. Any opinion or estimate contained in this document is subject to change without notice.

- [1] Effective 2 July 2018, the custodian of the sub-fund is The Bank of New York Mellon.
- [2] From 3 August 2020, PIMCO Asia Pte Ltd has replaced Amundi Singapore Limited as the Sub-Investment Manager of the sub-fund. Information correct as of 30 April 2022

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