

## **United SGD Money Market Fund**

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# About the United SGD Money Market Fund

Managed by the award-winning Fixed Income Singapore team behind our flagship United SGD Fund, the United SGD Money Market Fund (the "Fund") invests in liquid and high-quality, short-term debt securities and money market instruments. It aims to provide a return which is comparable to that of Singapore dollar short-term deposits and could be your solution to make your cash go further while you save up for an important purchase or while your business is waiting for a suitable investment.



### What is a money market fund?

Money market funds are popular cash management tools. They are an alternative to short-term deposits that provides capital preservation and is redeemable when you have a need.



# Invests in high-quality money market instruments

It holds short-term high-quality debt securities and money market instruments<sup>1</sup> to provide capital preservation.



#### Offers lower risk

As a low-risk alternative, a money market fund's main objective is to preserve capital and is suitable for both individuals and businesses.



### Targets better returns

A money market fund potentially offers better returns than savings deposits by investing in higher-yielding debt securities.

### Key features and benefits of the United SGD Money Market Fund



#### Socially responsible

The Fund is supportive of Socially Responsible Investing (SRI) and does not invest in areas such as alcohol manufacturing and retailing, military-related, gambling and tobacco.



# Highly liquid and serves as a short-term parking facility

The Fund focuses on companies that have good access to capital markets and have defensive business models. The Fund may serve as a parking facility for short-term surplus funds while investors wait for investment opportunities. Investments in the Fund have an average maturity of not more than 6 months.



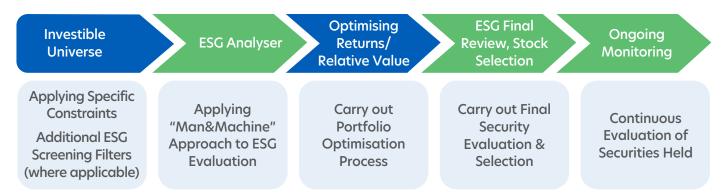
# Flexible, zero fees and minimal currency risk

You can withdraw your investments anytime and no subscription or realisation fees are charged on the investment and redemption amounts. The Fund invests in higher-yielding foreign currency securities, but hedges any foreign currency exposure back to Singapore dollar to minimise any currency risks.

### Environmental, Social and Governance (ESG) enhanced

Investors are looking to see how they can do their part for the environment, while generating investment returns. The Fund adopts UOBAM's sustainable investment framework.

UOBAM has defined a list of metrics for monitoring the ESG performance of portfolio companies and this is incorporated into our ESG evaluation process. Below is an overview of how ESG is incorporated into the investment process.



## **Consistent performance since inception**

The Fund has a proven track record since its inception in June 2018, with positive quarterly returns and an average return of 4.30% per annum (as of 31 December 2023).

	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023
Quarter 1	-	0.50%	0.65%	0.10%	0.00%	1.15%
Quarter 2	0.20%	0.89%	0.12%	0.06%	0.22%	0.92%
Quarter 3	0.30%	0.35%	0.12%	0.10%	0.50%	0.94%
Quarter 4	0.40%	0.46%	0.11%	0.09%	0.82%	1.21%

Additionally, the Fund has provided enhanced returns over bank deposits.

	2018²	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023
Calendar Year Return	0.90%	2.19%	0.99%	0.34%	1.54%	4.30%
3M Bank Deposit Rate (Benchmark) <sup>3</sup>	0.09%	0.20%	0.18%	0.12%	1.15%	3.56%
Enhanced Returns	+0.81%	+1.99%	+0.81%	+0.22%	+0.39%	+0.74%

Source: Morningstar, as of 31 December 2023. Past performance is not necessarily indicative of future performance. Performance is net of fees and is based on oldest share class, United SGD Money Market Fund - Class Z SGD portfolio in SGD basis, on a Net Asset Value (NAV) basis, with dividends and distributions reinvested, if any.

## **Award-winning expertise**

UOBAM is one of the most awarded fund managers in Singapore with over 300<sup>4</sup> awards garnered since 1986. For three consecutive years from 2019 to 2021, UOBAM was conferred Asia Fund House of the Year at the AsianInvestor Asset Management Awards.

The Fund is managed by the award-winning team behind UOBAM's flagship United SGD Fund that has clinched over 20 awards<sup>4</sup>. The portfolio manager, Joyce Tan, CFA, Head of Fixed Income Asia & Singapore at UOBAM has over 25 years of investment experience, 15 years of expertise in managing the Fund, and has received 18 individual industry awards. Notably in 2022, she received the Highly Commended Award for the Most Astute Investor in Asian local currency bonds by The Asset Benchmark Awards. This marks her 7th Most Astute Investor recognition since 2011 for this category.







### **Fund details**

Fund Name	United SGD Money Market Fund			
Investment Objective	To provide a return which is comparable to that of Singapore dollar short-term deposits.			
Fund Classes Available <sup>5</sup>	Class A1 SGD Acc Class B SGD Acc Class D SGD Acc Class Z SGD Acc Class Z USD Acc (Hedged)			
Subscription Mode	Cash - SGD SRS - SGD			
Minimum Subscription	Class A1/D: S\$1,000/US\$1,000 (initial); S\$500/US\$500 (subsequent) Class B/Z: S\$1,000,000/US\$1,000,000 (initial); S\$500,000/US\$500,000 (subsequent)			
Subscription Fee	Currently none; maximum 5%			
Management Fee	Class A1/D: Currently 0.25% p.a.; maximum 2% p.a. Class B: Currently 0.15% p.a.; maximum 2% p.a. Class Z: Currently none; maximum 2% p.a.			
Fund Classification for Retail Investors	Units of the Fund are Excluded Investments Products (EIP).			
Dealing Frequency & Deadline <sup>6</sup>	Generally every business day, on a historical pricing basis up till 3pm (Singapore time).			

- <sup>1</sup> A high-quality bond or money market instrument is one with either a minimum short-term rating of F-2 by Fitch, P-2 by Moody's or A-2 by Standard and Poor's, or where it only has a long-term rating, such as rating of A by Fitch, A by Moody's or A by Standard and Poor's.
- <sup>2</sup> For the period from inception date on 7 June 2018 to 31 December 2018.
- <sup>3</sup> Calculated based on the last available Interest Rate Data from Monetary Authority of Singapore (MAS), as at June 2021. Please note that benchmark performance from July 2021 to December 2021 was calculated without taking into account any applicable deposit rate, as no Interest Rate Data was available. Benchmark will be changed to 3M Compounded SORA with effect from 8 April 2022. Please refer to www.uobam.com.sg/web-resources/uobam/pdf/uobam/common/benchmark-updates-notice-08-mar-2022.pdf for more information.
- <sup>4</sup> Past performance is not necessarily indicative of future performance. Please refer to uobam.com.sg/awards for the latest list of UOBAM awards.
- <sup>5</sup> Investors should refer to the Fund's prospectus for more details on the different classes available.
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