# FNB Namibia Unit Trusts

# FNB Namibia Corporate Fund 31 August 2019



# **Fund Details**

Sector Domestic - Money Market
Inception Date 22 September 2010
Fund Manager Ralf Düvel
Fund Size N\$ 638,514,724
Benchmark Namibian Repo Rate - 0.50%

ISIN Code ZAE000146148

Nature of Distributions Dividends

Income Declaration Accrued Daily, Paid Monthly

Weighted Average Duration 161 days Weighted Average Legal Maturity 161 days N\$ 5,000 Minimum Lump Sum Minimum Additional Contribution N\$ 1,000 Minimum Debit Order N\$ 500 Annual Management Fee 0.60% Total Expense Ratio (TER) 0.66% Total Investment Charge (TIC) 0.66%

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#### Who Should Invest?

The FNB Namibia Corporate Fund is suitable for investors seeking a low risk investment that maximises income. It offers a high income yield, capital stability and good liquidity.

# **Investment Objective**

The fund's objective is to achieve an investment return in excess of general money market instruments and funds, while ensuring a high degree of liquidity, capital preservation and below average risk. The fund invests with the four major banking groups in Namibia, the five major banking groups in South Africa, Nampost Namibia and the Namibian,- and South African Reserve Bank. Securities to be included in the portfolio consist of money market instruments, participatory interests in unit trust schemes, bank call and fixed deposits, fixed income securities, government bills and bonds, quality commercial paper and repurchase agreements.

#### **Fund Commentary**

Namibian and South African inflation kept on surprising on the downside, slowing to 3.6% in Namibia and 4.0% in South Africa, during July.

Global recessionary fears and the effect of the Eskom debt restructure (implying a higher risk of possible ratings downgrade), have lifted the long end of the South African yield curve by 40bpts. The South African money market curve followed the long rates up, closing the spread between Namibian and South African sovereign and commercial paper in the twelve month area. As expected the Bank of Namibia cut its Repo Rate in August, to promote growth, in-line with South African and global quantitative easing measures.

Forward rates in the money market industry point to further rate cuts of 25-50bpts within the next twelve months.

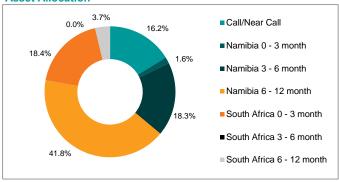
#### **Past Performance**

For the period ended 31 August 2019, annualised net of fees

Period	1-month	3-month	6-month	1-year	3-year
Fund Performance	6.98%	7.05%	7.14%	7.17%	7.16%
Benchmark*	5.40%	5.55%	5.59%	5.61%	5.69%

<sup>\*</sup>Adjusted for Withholding Tax on Interest

# **Asset Allocation**



# **Top 10 Holdings**

17.88%
17.59%
15.25%
14.63%
9.09%
8.66%
8.29%
5.20%
1.91%
1.49%

# **Historical Distributions**

Month	Sep-18	Oct-18	Nov-18	Dec-18	Jan-19	Feb-19	Mar-19	Apr-19	May-19	Jun-19	Jul-19	Aug-19
Distribution (cents per unit)	0.5330	0.6317	0.5795	0.5895	0.5951	0.5330	0.5618	0.6132	0.5882	0.5297	0.6167	0.5564
Average naca Rate	7.17%	7.21%	7.28%	7.17%	7.24%	7.17%	7.31%	7.22%	7.15%	7.13%	7.04%	6.98%

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