# FNB NAMIBIA CORPORATE FUND

Fund Fact Sheet as at 30 September 2021



#### **Fund Details**

Domestic - Money Market Sector Inception Date 22 September 2010 Fund Manager Ralf Düvel Fund Size N\$ 737,920,163

Benchmark Namibian Repo Rate - 0.50%

ISIN Code ZAE000146148 Dividends Nature of Distributions

Accrued Daily, Paid Monthly Income Declaration

Weighted Average Duration 142 days Weighted Average Legal Maturity 142 days N\$ 75,000 Minimum Lump Sum Minimum Balance N\$ 75,000 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 annual inflation for August 2021 printed at 3.4%. This is lower than the 4.0% for July 2021 but up from the 2.4% reported August 2020. South African August 2021 inflation came in at 4.9%, up from 4.6% reported in July

The South African money market Jibar-curve steepened, with the 12-month rate increasing from 4.71% to 4.93%, throughout the month, as the market prices in repo rate hikes closer to time. In expectation of the Federal Reserve tapering its bond purchase program, global yields have increased with the 10year US Treasury Rate weakening from 1.30% to 1.46%. The South African government bond curve lifted between 27bpts and 47bpts during the month, negatively affecting the Namibian bond curve.

Given the fund's duration profile we expect a gradual increase in yield going forward.

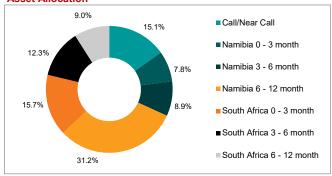
#### **Past Performance**

For the period ended 30 September 2021, annualised net of fees

Period	1-month	3-month	6-month	1-year	3-year	
Fund Performance	3.77%	3.72%	3.69%	3.88%	5.75%	
Benchmark*	2.96%	2.96%	2.96%	2.96%	4.32%	

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

## **Asset Allocation**



## **Top 10 Holdings**

37.58%		
17.89%		
13.47%		
13.04%		
9.62%		
2.22%		
1.93%		
1.38%		
0.79%		
2.07%		

# **Historical Distributions**

Month	Oct-20	Nov-20	Dec-20	Jan-21	Feb-21	Mar-21	Apr-21	May-21	Jun-21	Jul-21	Aug-21	Sep-21
Distribution (cents per unit)	0.3592	0.3670	0.3282	0.3145	0.2915	0.3326	0.2979	0.3040	0.2938	0.2977	0.3200	0.3049
Average naca Rate	4.46%	4.41%	3.93%	4.03%	3.87%	3.74%	3.68%	3.64%	3.63%	3.68%	3.71%	3.77%

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<sup>\*</sup> South African with Namibian Permanent Residence