

About the Fund: The Fund is a low risk, open ended mutual fund that invests in a broad range of money market securities such as NTBs, Commercial Papers, Bankers Acceptances and Fixed Deposits.

MONTHLY **FACTSHEET**

FUND OBJECTIVE

The objective of the Fund is to preserve investors' capital by generating income in excess of the prevailing Nigerian Treasury Bill (NTB) rate, while maintaining high liquidity and credit quality.

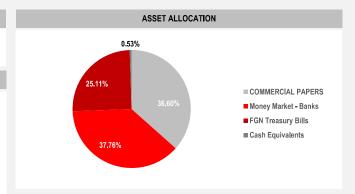
MARKET COMMENTARY

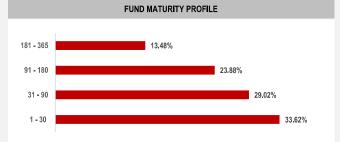
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Average NTB Primary Market Auction stop rate was 8.16%, compared to the previous month of 7.98%, as the stop rate for 91day, 182 day and 364 day closed at 4.99%, 6.55% and 11.37% respectively. A total of ₹544.15Bn was offered across tenors and the same was allotted.

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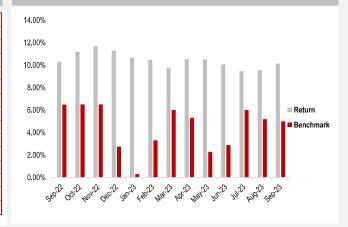




FUND FACTS

Base Currency	Ħ
Fund Managers	Emmanuel Ajasa, CFA, Adetumi Atayero, CFA.
Launch Date	December-17
Fund Size	≒ 26.86Bn
Minimum Investments	₦ 10,000
NAV per units	₦ 1.00
Minimum Holding Period	30 Days
Early liquidation charge	10% on income earned
Income Accrual	Daily
Income Distribution	Quarterly
Annual Management Fees	1% p.a.
Benchmark	90 days NTB bills
Auditors	PricewaterhouseCoopers Nigeria Limited
Trustees	Vetiva Trustees Limited
Custodians	Stanbic IBTC Bank Plc

HISTORICAL FUND PERFORMANCE

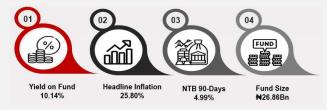


ASSET ALLOCATION

FGN Treasury Bills	25% - 100%
Other Money Markets	10% - 75%
Bank Placements	10% - 75%
Cash & Receivables	0% - 5%

PERFORMANCE INDICATORS

Monetary Policy Rate	18.75%
Headline Inflation	25.80%
Yield on Fund	10.14%
Benchmark (91-day NTB)	4.99%
Fund Size	₩ 26.86Bn





September 2023

About the Fund: The Fund is a low to medium risk, open ended mutual fund that invests in Federal, State and Corporate bonds that are of investment grade, and a broad range of money market securities. It is authorized and registered in Nigeria as a unit trust scheme.

MONTHLY FACTSHEET

FUND OBJECTIVE

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The objective of the Fund is to preserve and grow investors' capital by generating income from high quality long tenured debt securities, while maintaining decent liquidity in short-term debt instruments.

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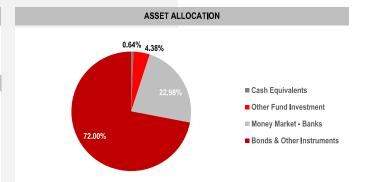
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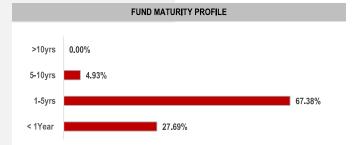
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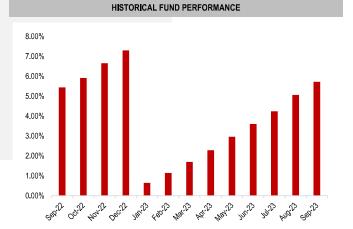
Base Currency	N
Fund Managers	Emmanuel Ajasa, CFA, Adetumi Atayero, CFA.
_Launch Date	November-18
Fund Size	¥ 2.58Bn
Minimum Investments	₩ 10,000
_NAV per units	₩ 24.91
Minimum Holding Period	180 Days
Early liquidation charge	10% on income earned
Income Accrual	Daily
Income Distribution	Quarterly
Annual Management Fees	1.5% p.a.
Auditors	PricewaterhouseCoopers Nigeria Limited
Trustees	GTL Trustees Limited
Custodians	Citibank Nigeria P I c

ASSET ALLOCATION

Money Market (+Call)	10% -30%
Bond & Other Debt Instrument	65% - 100%
Other Funds	0% - 10%
Cash & Receivables	0% - 5%



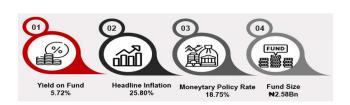




Monetary Policy Rate 18.75% Headline Inflation 25.80% Yield on Fund 5.72%

₩2.58Bn

PERFORMANCE INDICATORS





About the Fund: The Fund is a medium to high risk, open ended mutual fund that invests in a diversified selection of companies listed on the Nigerian Stock Exchange. The Fund manages liquidity and market expectations by providing a fair allowance for fixed income.

MONTHLY FACTSHEET

FUND OBJECTIVE

The objective of the Fund is to grow investors' capital over the long term by maximizing total returns on portfolio equity holdings. It targets profitable businesses which are relatively underpriced.

MARKET COMMENTARY

In September, the bears dominated the local bourse, halting four months of consecutive gains as the All Share index fell by 0.25% to 66,382.14 points from 66,548.99 points. Sectoral performance was bullish as three indices advanced while the Industrial index (-6.92%) and Oil & Gas index (-2.75%) lagged the market. The Consumer Goods Index (+6.53%) recorded the largest gains, followed by the Insurance Index (+5.30%), and Banking Index (3.08%).

Average FGN Primary Market Auction marginal rate expanded by 84bps to 15.44%, compared to the 14.60% recorded the previous month, as the stop rate for April 2029, June 2033, June 2038, and June 2053 closed at 14.50%, 15.45%, 15.55% and 16.25% respectively. A total of \(\mathbf{\text{\tex

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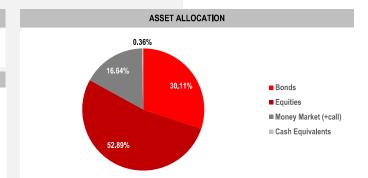
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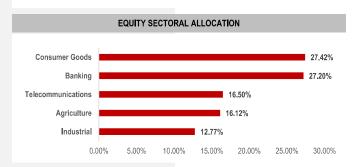
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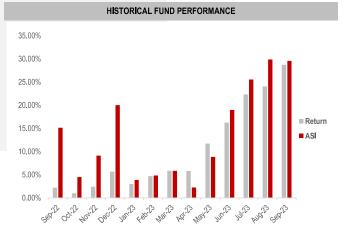
Base Currency	N
Fund Managers	Emmanuel Ajasa, CFA, Adetumi Atayero, CFA.
Launch Date	November-18
Fund Size	₦ 3.22Bn
Minimum Investments	₩ 10,000
NAV per units	₩ 17.94
Minimum Holding Period	180 Days
Early liquidation charge	10% on income earned
Income Distribution	Yearly
Annual Management Fees	1.5% p.a.
Auditors	PricewaterhouseCoopers Nigeria Limited
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ASSET ALLOCATION

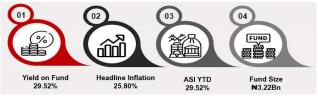
Bonds	20% - 60%
Equities	40% - 60%
Money Market (+Call)	0% - 40%
Cash & Equivalents	0% - 5%







PERFORMANCE INDICATORS	
Monetary Policy Rate	18.75%
Headline Inflation	25.80%
Yield on Fund	28.72%
NGX ASI YTD	29.52%



Zenith ESG Fund

September 2023

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MONTHLY FACTSHEET

FUND OBJECTIVE

The objective of the Fund is to enable investors to preserve capital and achieve stable income flows. This is because the Fund will invest in 100% quoted equity securities. The objective of the Fund is to provide an investment vehicle that will enable the unitholders of the fund achieve consistent capital appreciation over the long term.

MARKET COMMENTARY

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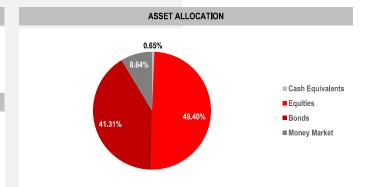
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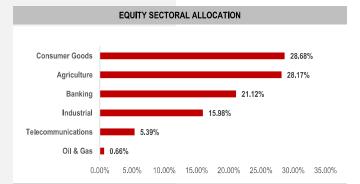
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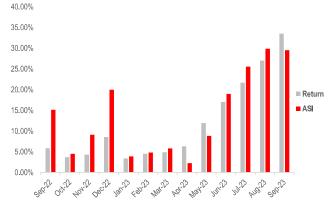
ASSET ALLOCATION

Bonds	40% - 60%
Equities	40% - 60%
Money Market - Banks	5% - 20%
Cash & Equivalents	0% - 5%



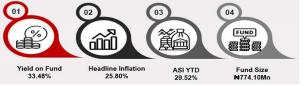


HISTORICAL FUND PERFORMANCE



PERFORMANCE INDICATORS

Monetary Policy Rate	18.75%
Headline Inflation	25.80%
Yield on Fund	33.48%
NGX ASI YTD	29.52%





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