# FUND PERFORMANCE REPORT DOLLAR BOND FUND

January 2024



This document contains key information concerning the underlying funds of Sun Life's unit-linked policies.

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Launch Date	Sentember 2004	Flind Size	USD 33 343 723

Net Asset Value Per Unit USD 1.8758

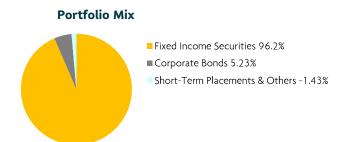
### What does the Fund invest in?

The Dollar Bond Fund is offered as a fund option exclusive to Sun FlexiDollar and Sun FlexiDollar1, which are investment-linked life insurance products regulated by the Insurance Commission. The Fund is invested only in high-quality fixed income instruments that are classified as below average risk.

The Fund is suitable for clients with a **moderate risk profile** and a medium-term investment horizon. This is for clients who want relatively stable and reasonable returns.

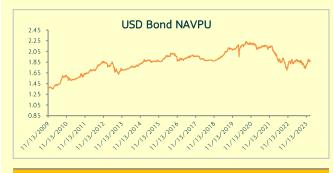
#### **Top Fixed Income Holdings:**

ROP 2033 (USD), 22.78% RDB 2026 (USD), 10.93% INDON 2034 (USD), 9.48% UST 2024 (USD), 8.10% ROP 2048 (USD), 7.36%



\*Portfolio Mix may shift depending on market conditions.

# How has the Fund performed?



VUL Dollar Bond Fund Absolute Return					
Since Inception	YTD	1-Year	3-Year	5-Year	
89.63%	-1.53%	0.23%	-14.04%	-2.04%	

## Market Review

- The yield on U.S. Treasuries and Philippine-issued dollar-denominated debt was relatively unchanged month-on-month.
- However, January was a volatile month for U.S. rates as investors repriced expectations of when the U.S. Federal Reserve (Fed) will begin reducing its policy rate.
- Fed Chair Powell signaled that a rate cut was unlikely in March, and this pushed investors to firm up bets that the first cut will come in May instead.
- It is likely that policy rate cuts will come sooner rather than later which means that rates are likely to trend lower for the rest of the year.