

# Certification

- I, <u>Candy S. Esteban</u>, the <u>Treasurer</u> of <u>Sun Life Prosperity GS Fund</u>, <u>Inc.</u>, a corporation duly registered under and by virtue of the laws of the Republic of the Philippines, with SEC registration number <u>CS200417430</u> and with principal office at <u>Sun Life Center</u>, <u>5th Ave. Cor. Rizal Drive Bonifacio Global City</u>, <u>Taguig City</u>, on oath state:
  - 1) That I have caused this <u>SEC Form 17-Q</u> to be prepared on behalf of <u>Sun Life Prosperity</u> <u>GS Fund, Inc.</u>;
  - 2) That I have read and understood its contents which are true and correct based on my own personal knowledge and/or on authentic records;
  - That the company <u>Sun Life Prosperity GS Fund, Inc.</u> will comply with the requirements set forth in SEC Notice dated <u>14 May 2021</u> to effect a complete and official submission of reports and/or documents through electronic mail;
  - 4) That I am fully aware that submitted documents which require pre-evaluation and/or payment of processing fee shall be considered complete and officially received only upon payment of a filing fee; and
  - 5) That the e-mail account designated by the company pursuant to SEC Memorandum Circular No. 28, s. 2020 shall be used by the company in its online submissions to CGFD.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand this 17th day of August, 2021.

Candy S Esteban Affiant

Name	Government ID No.	Date of Issue	Place of Issue
Candy S. Esteban	Driver's License N02-95-277891	05/08/2018	Quezon City

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# **COVER SHEET**

G R O S D В (Business Address: No. Street City / Town / Province) Merobhe T. Esmele 8555-8888 Contact Person Company Telephone Number SEC Form 17-Q Day FORM TYPE Month Month Day Fiscal Year **Annual Meeting** Mutual Fund Company Secondary License Type, If Applicable Dept. Requiring this Doc. Amended Articles Number/Section **Total Amount of Borrowings** Total No. of Stockholders Domestic Foreign To be accomplished by SEC Personnel concerned LCU Cashier Document I.D. STAMPS

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# SUN LIFE PROSPERITY GS FUND, INC. (Company's Full Name)

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(Company's Address)	
8555-8888	
(Telephone No.)	
December 31	
(Fiscal Year Ending) (Month & Day)	
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Amendment Designation (If applicable)	
June 30, 2021	
Period Ended Date	
OPEN-END INVESTMENT COMPANY	
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# SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

# SEC FORM 17-Q

# QUARTERLY REPORT PURSUANT TO SECTION 17 OF THE SECURITIES REGULATION CODE AND SRC RULE 17(2) (b) THEREUNDER

1.	For the quarterly period ended: <u>June 30, 2021</u>
2.	Commission identification number: <u>CS200417430</u> 3. BIR Tax Identification No: <u>234-719-406-000</u>
4.	Exact name of issuer as specified in its charter
	Sun Life Prosperity GS Fund, Inc.
5.	Province, country or other jurisdiction of incorporation or organization  6. Industry Classification Code: (SEC Use Only)
	<u>Philippines</u>
7.	Address of issuer's principal office: Postal Code
<u>8</u> F	Sun Life Centre 5 <sup>th</sup> Avenue cor Rizal Drive Bonifacio Global City, Taguig City 1634
8.	Issuer's telephone number, including area code
	(02) - 8555-8888
9.	Former name, former address and former fiscal year, if changed since last report
10	N.A.  Securities registered pursuant to Sections 8 and 12 of the Code, or Sections 4 and 8 of the RSA
	Title of Each Class  Number of Shares of Common Stock Outstanding and Amount of Debt Outstanding
	Common Shares (Unclassified) 122,177,914 shares (as of June 30, 2021)
11	. Are any or all of the securities listed on a Stock Exchange?
	Yes [] No [x]
	If yes, state the name of such Stock Exchange and the class/es of securities listed therein:
12	. Indicate by check mark whether the registrant:
	(a) has filed all reports required to be filed by Section 17 of the Code and SRC Rule 17 thereunder or Sections 11 of the RSA and RSA Rule 11(a)-1 thereunder, and Sections 26 and 141 of the Corporation Code of the Philippines, during the preceding twelve (12) months (or for such shorter period the registrant was required to file such reports)
	Yes [x] No []
	(b) has been subject to such filing requirements for the past ninety (90) days.
	Yes [x] No []
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# PART A - FINANCIAL INFORMATION

# ITEM 1. FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

# SUN LIFE PROSPERITY GS FUND, INC. STATEMENTS OF FINANCIAL POSITION FOR THE PERIOD ENDED JUNE 30, 2021 AND DECEMBER 31, 2020

		(Unaudited)	(Audited)
	Notes	2021	2020
ASSETS			
<b>Current Assets</b>			
Cash and cash equivalents	4	P 21,180,002	P 9,572,900
Financial assets at fair value through profit or loss	5	194,820,784	283,964,061
Accrued interest receivable	6	518,645	1,175,166
Prepayments and other current assets	7	45,470	-
		P216,564,901	P294,712,127
LIABILITIES AND EQUITY			
Current Liabilities			
Accrued expenses and other payables	8	P 2,599,127	P 459,246
Payable to fund manager	9	244,198	292,964
Income tax payable		-	694
Total Current Liabilities		2,843,325	752,904
Equity			
Share capital	10	4,031,453	4,031,453
Additional paid-in capital	11	509,648,805	509,647,036
Retained earnings		151,805,911	153,454,403
		665,486,169	667,132,892
Treasury shares	10	(451,764,593)	(373,173,669)
Total Equity		213,721,576	293,959,223
		P216,564,901	P294,712,127
Net Asset Value Per Share	12	P 1.7493	P 1.7550
Total Equity		P213,721,576	P293,959,223
Capital Stock - Php 0.01 par value		. ===,, ==,,	. 255,555,225
Authorized - 1,000,000,000 shares		122 177 014	167 404 221
Issued and Fully Paid Shares NET ASSETS VALUE PER SHARE		122,177,914 P1.7493	167,494,321 P1.7550

# SUN LIFE PROSPERITY GS FUND, INC. STATEMENTS OF COMPREHENSIVE INCOME FOR THE PERIOD ENDED JUNE 30, 2021 AND JUNE 30, 2020

		(Unaudited)	(Unaudited)
	Notes	2021	2020
Investment Income - net			
Net realized gain (losses) on investments	5	(P 1,093,338)	P 3,350,449
Interest income	13	2,686,639	4,587,842
		1,593,301	7,938,291
Operating Expenses			
Management fees	9	926,601	930,839
Distribution Fees	9	710,665	714,934
Directors' fees	9	127,535	127,535
Taxes and licenses		37,387	61,932
Professional fees		91,709	72,133
Printing and supplies		639	4,272
Custodianship fees		16,042	17,268
Miscellaneous		14,799	16,474
		1,925,377	1,945,387
Profit (Loss) Before Net Unrealized Gains (Losses)			
on Investments		(332,076)	5,992,904
Net Unrealized Gains (Losses) on Investments	5	(782,033)	2,111,275
Profit (Loss) Before Tax		(1,114,109)	8,104,179
Income Tax Expense		534,383	870,776
Total Comprehensive Income (Loss)		(P 1,648,492)	P 7,233,403
Basic Earnings (Loss) per Share	14	(P 0.011)	P 0.047

# SUN LIFE PROSPERITY GS FUND, INC. STATEMENTS OF COMPREHENSIVE INCOME FOR THE QUARTER ENDED JUNE 30, 2021 AND JUNE 30, 2020

		(Unaudited)	(Unaudited)
	Notes	2021	2020
Investment Income - net			
Net realized gain (losses) on investments		( <b>P 361,056</b> ) P	_
Interest income		1,303,990	2,021,155
Other income		-	
		942,934	2,021,155
Operating Expenses			
Management fees		417,924	506,385
Distribution Fees		320,119	388,431
Directors' fees		63,768	53,313
Taxes and licenses		18,889	31,661
Professional fees		47,376	35,986
Printing and supplies		271	2,131
Custodianship fees		6,253	6,262
Miscellaneous		6,827	6,956
		881,427	1,031,125
Profit (Loss) Before Net Unrealized Gains (Losses)			
on Investments		61,507	990,030
Net Unrealized Gains (Losses) on Investments		2,997,233	7,587,563
Profit (Loss) Before Tax		3,058,740	8,577,593
Income Tax Expense		258,679	368,629
Total Comprehensive Income		P 2,800,061	P 8,208,964
Basic Earnings (Loss) per Share		P 0.019	P 0.053

# SUN LIFE PROSPERITY GS FUND, INC STATEMENTS OF CHANGES IN EQUITY FOR THE PERIOD ENDED JUNE 30, 2021 AND JUNE 30, 2020

	NOTE	Ca	pital Stock	Capital paid in excess of par value	Ret	ained Earnings (Deficit)	Treasury Shares	Total
Balance, January 1, 2021		P	4,031,453	P 509,647,036	P	153,454,403	(P373,173,669)	P 293,959,223
Profit (Loss) for the period						(1,648,492)		(1,648,492)
Transactions with owners:								
Acquisition of Treasury shares during the period	10		-			-	(93,554,827)	(93,554,827)
Reissuance of Treasury shares during the period	10, 11		-	1,769		-	14,963,903	14,965,672
Total Transactions with owners			-	1,769		•	(78,590,924)	(78,589,155)
Balance, June 30, 2021	10, 11	P	4,031,453	P 509,648,805	P	151,805,911	(P451,764,593)	P 213,721,576

		Ca	pital Stock	Capital paid in excess of par value	Ret	ained Earnings (Deficit)	Treasury Shares	Total
Balance, January 1, 2020		P	4,031,453	P 501,240,150	P	144,367,781	(P422,692,456)	P 226,946,928
Profit for the period						7,233,403		7,233,403
Transactions with owners:								
Acquisition of Treasury shares during the period	10		-			-	(19,621,161)	(19,621,161)
Reissuance of Treasury shares during the period	10		-	(648,228)		-	71,328,780	70,680,552
Total Transactions with owners			-	(648,228)			51,707,619	51,059,391
Balance, June 30, 2020	10, 11	P	4,031,453	P 500,591,922	P	151,601,184	(P370,984,837)	P 285,239,722

# SUN LIFE PROSPERITY GS FUND, INC. STATEMENTS OF CASH FLOWS FOR THE PERIOD ENDED JUNE 30, 2021 AND JUNE 30, 2020

		(Ur	naudited)	(	Unaudited)
	Notes		2021		2020
Cash Flows from Operating Activities					
Profit (Loss) before tax		(P	1,114,109)	Р	8,104,179
Adjustments for:					
Net unrealized (gains) losses on investments	5		782,033		(2,111,275)
Net realized (gains) losses on investments	5		1,093,338		(3,350,449)
Interest income	13		(2,686,639)		(4,587,842)
Operating cash flows before working capital changes			(1,925,377)		(1,945,387)
Decrease (Increase) in Prepayments and other current assets	7		(45,470)		(62,966)
Increase (Decrease) in:					
Accrued expenses and other payables	8		2,139,881		(34,540)
Payable to fund manager	9		(48,766)		36,206
Cash used in operations			120,268		(2,006,687)
Acquisition of financial assets at fair value					
through profit or loss		(	363,275,536)		(40,000,053)
Proceeds from disposals and maturities of financial assets					
at fair value through profit or loss			450,543,442		59,926,509
Interest received			3,343,160		6,421,532
Income taxes paid			(535,077)		(867,507)
Net cash generated from (used in) operating activities			90,196,257		23,473,794
Cash Flows from Financing Activities					
Proceeds from reissuance of treasury shares	10, 11		14,965,672		70,680,552
Payments on acquisition of treasury shares	10		(93,554,827)		(19,621,161)
Net cash used in financing activities			(78,589,155)		51,059,391
Net Increase (Decrease) in Cash and cash equivalents			11,607,102		74,533,185
Cash and cash equivalents, Beginning			9,572,900		18,536,249
Cash and cash equivalents, End	4	Р	21,180,002	Р	93,069,434

#### NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

#### 1. FINANCIAL REPORTING FRAMEWORK AND BASIS OF PREPARATION AND PRESENTATION

### **Statement of Compliance**

These unaudited condensed consolidated interim financial statements of the Company as at and for the six-month period ended June 30, 2021 have been prepared in accordance with PAS 34, Interim Financial Reporting. These unaudited condensed consolidated interim financial statements do not include all the notes normally included in an annual audited financial report. Accordingly, these unaudited condensed consolidated interim financial statements are to be read in conjunction with the Annual Audited Financial Statements of the Company for the year ended December 31, 2020, which have been prepared in accordance with the Philippine Financial Reporting Standards (PRFS).

# **Basis of Preparation and Presentation**

The financial statements of the Company have been prepared on the historical cost basis, except for certain financial assets measured at fair value and certain financial instruments carried at amortized cost. Historical cost is generally based on the fair value of the consideration given in exchange for goods and services.

In preparing the condensed consolidated interim financial statements, the significant accounting estimates and judgments made by the Company in applying the Company's accounting policies and the key sources of estimation uncertainty were the same as those applied to the financial statements as at and for the year ended December 31, 2020.

#### **Functional and Presentation Currency**

These financial statements are presented in Philippine peso, the currency of the primary economic environment in which the Company operates. All amounts are recorded to the nearest peso, except when otherwise indicated.

#### 2. ADOPTION OF NEW AND REVISED ACCOUNTING STANDARDS

# Adoption of New and Revised Accounting Standards Effective in 2020

The Company adopted all accounting standards and interpretations effective as at December 31, 2020. The new and revised accounting standards and interpretations that have been published by the International Accounting Standards Board (IASB) and approved by the FRSC in the Philippines were assessed to be applicable to the Company's financial statements and are as follows:

Amendments to PAS 1 and PAS 8, Definition of Material

The amendments relate to a revised definition of 'material':

"Information is material if omitting, misstating or obscuring it could reasonably be expected to influence decisions that the primary users of general purpose financial statements make on the basis of those financial statements, which provide financial information about a specific reporting entity."

Three new aspects of the new definition include (i) obscuring; (ii) could reasonably be expected to influence; and (iii) primary users.

The amendments stress especially five ways material information can be obscured:

- if the language regarding a material item, transaction or other event is vague or unclear;
- if information regarding a material item, transaction or other event is scattered in different places in the financial statements:
- if dissimilar items, transactions or other events are inappropriately aggregated;
- if similar items, transactions or other events are inappropriately disaggregated; and
- if material information is hidden by immaterial information to the extent that it becomes unclear what information is material.

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The amendments are effective for periods beginning on or after January 1, 2020. Earlier application is permitted.

The adoption of this amendment has no effect on the Company's financial statements as of June 30, 2021 as the financial and non-financial information are properly disclosed in the financial statements.

# New Accounting Standards Effective after the Reporting Period Ended December 31, 2020

The Company will adopt the following standards when these become effective:

PFRS 17 – Insurance Contracts

PFRS 17 establishes the principles for the recognition, measurement, presentation and disclosure of insurance contracts and supersedes PFRS 4, Insurance Contracts.

PFRS 17 outlines a general model, which is modified for insurance contracts with direct participation features, described as the variable fee approach. The general model is simplified if certain criteria are met by measuring the liability for remaining coverage using the premium allocation approach.

The general model uses current assumptions to estimate the amount, timing and uncertainty of future cash flows and it explicitly measures the cost of that uncertainty. It takes into account market interest rates and the impact of policyholders' options and guarantees.

An amendment issued on June 2020 and adopted by FRSC on August 2020 addresses concerns and implementation challenges that were identified after PFRS 17 was published.

PFRS 17 must be applied retrospectively unless impracticable, in which case the modified retrospective approach or the fair value approach is applied.

For the purpose of the transition requirements, the date of initial application is the start if the annual reporting period in which the entity first applies the Standard, and the transition date is the beginning of the period immediately preceding the date of initial application.

The standard (incorporating the amendments) is effective for periods beginning on or after January 1, 2023. Earlier application is permitted.

The future adoption of the standard will have no effect on the Company's financial statements as the Company does not issue insurance contracts.

Amendments to PFRS 3, References to the Conceptual Framework

The amendments update PFRS 3 so that it refers to the 2018 Conceptual Framework instead of the 1989 Framework. They also add to PFRS 3 a requirement that, for obligations within the scope of PAS 37, an acquirer applies PAS 37 to determine whether at the acquisition date a present obligation exists as a result of past events. For a levy that would be within the scope of IFRIC 21 Levies, the acquirer applies IFRIC 21 to determine whether the obligating event that gives rise to a liability to pay the levy has occurred by the acquisition date.

The amendments also add an explicit statement that an acquirer does not recognize contingent assets acquired in a business combination.

The amendments are effective for business combinations for which the date of acquisition is on or after the beginning of the first annual period beginning on or after January 1, 2022. Early application is permitted if an entity also applies all other updated references (published together with the updated Conceptual Framework) at the same time or earlier.

The future adoption of the amendments will have no effect on the Company's financial statements as the Company is not in the process of and has no plan to enter into business combination.

Amendments to PFRS 10 and PAS 28, Sale or Contribution of Assets between and Investor and Its Associate or Joint Venture

The amendments to PFRS 10 and PAS 28 deal with situations where there is a sale or contribution of assets between an investor and its associate or joint venture. Specifically, the amendments state that gains or losses resulting from the loss of control of a subsidiary that does not contain a business in a transaction with an associate or a joint venture that is accounted for using the equity method, are recognized in the parent's profit or loss only to the extent of the unrelated investors' interests in that associate or joint venture. Similarly, gains and losses resulting from the remeasurement of investments retained in any former subsidiary (that has become an associate or a joint venture that is accounted for using the equity method) to fair value are recognized in the former parent's profit or loss only to the extent of the unrelated investors' interests in the new associate or joint venture.

The effective date of the amendments has yet to be set by the Board; however, earlier application of the amendments is permitted.

The future adoption of the amendments will have no effect on the Company's financial statements as the Company is not in the process and has no plan to acquire such investments.

Amendments to PAS 1, Classification of Liabilities as Current or Non-current

The amendments to PAS 1 affect only the presentation of liabilities as current or non-current in the statement of financial position and not the amount or timing of recognition of any asset, liability, income or expenses, or the information disclosed about those items.

The amendments clarify that the classification of liabilities as current or non-current is based on rights that are in existence at the end of the reporting period, specify that classification is unaffected by expectations about whether an entity will exercise its right to defer settlement of a liability, explain that rights are in existence if covenants are complied with at the end of the reporting period, and introduce a definition of 'settlement' to make clear that settlement refers to the transfer to the counterparty of cash, equity instruments, other assets or services.

The amendments are applied retrospectively for annual periods beginning on or after January 1, 2023, with early application permitted.

The Company will continue its assessment and will finalize the same upon the effectivity of these amendments.

Amendments to PAS 16, Property, Plant and Equipment - Proceeds before Intended Use

The amendments prohibit deducting from the cost of an item of property, plant and equipment any proceeds from selling items produced before that asset is available for use, i.e. proceeds while bringing the asset to the location and condition necessary for it to be capable of operating in the manner intended by management. Consequently, an entity recognizes such sales proceeds and related costs in profit or loss. The entity measures the cost of those items in accordance with PAS 2, Inventories.

The amendments also clarify the meaning of 'testing whether an asset is functioning properly'. PAS 16 now specifies this as assessing whether the technical and physical performance of the asset is such that it is capable of being used in the production or supply of goods or services, for rental to others, or for administrative purposes.

If not presented separately in the statement of comprehensive income, the financial statements shall disclose the amounts of proceeds and cost included in profit or loss that relate to items produced that are not an output of the entity's ordinary activities, and which line item(s) in the statement of comprehensive income include(s) such proceeds and cost.

The amendments are applied retrospectively, but only to items of property, plant and equipment that are brought to the location and condition necessary for them to be capable of operating in the manner intended by management on or after the beginning of the earliest period presented in the financial statements in which the entity first applies the amendments.

The entity shall recognize the cumulative effect of initially applying the amendments as an adjustment to the opening balance of retained earnings (or other component of equity, as appropriate) at the beginning of that earliest period presented.

The amendments are effective for annual periods beginning on or after January 1, 2022 with early application permitted.

The future adoption of the amendments will have no effect on the Company's financial statements as the Company does not have property, plant and equipment recorded in its financial statements.

Amendments to PAS 37, Onerous Contracts - Cost of Fulfilling a Contract

The amendments specify that the 'cost of fulfilling' a contract comprises the 'costs that relate directly to the contract'. Costs that relate directly to a contract consist of both the incremental costs of fulfilling that contract (examples would be direct labour or materials) and an allocation of other costs that relate directly to fulfilling contracts (an example would be the allocation of the depreciation charge for an item of property, plant and equipment used in fulfilling the contract).

The amendments apply to contracts for which the entity has not yet fulfilled all its obligations at the beginning of the annual reporting period in which the entity first applies the amendments. Comparatives are not restated. Instead, the entity shall recognize the cumulative effect of initially applying the amendments as an adjustment to the opening balance of retained earnings or other component of equity, as appropriate, at the date of initial application.

The amendments are effective for annual periods beginning on or after January 1, 2022 with early application permitted.

The future adoption of the amendments will have no effect on the Company's financial statements as the Company does not issue and enter into onerous contract.

Annual Improvements to PFRS Standards 2018-2020 Cycle

Amendments to PFRS 1 - Subsidiary as a first-time adopter

The amendment provides additional relief to a subsidiary which becomes a first-time adopter later than its parent in respect of accounting for cumulative translation differences. As a result of the amendment, a subsidiary that uses the exemption in PFRS 1:D16(a) can now also elect to measure cumulative translation differences for all foreign operations at the carrying amount that would be included in the parent's consolidated financial statements, based on the parent's date of transition to PFRS Standards, if no adjustments were made for consolidation procedures and for the effects of the business combination in which the parent acquired the subsidiary. A similar election is available to an associate or joint venture that uses the exemption in PFRS 1:D16(a).

The amendment is effective for annual periods beginning on or after January 1, 2022, with early application permitted.

Amendments to PFRS 9 - Fees in the '10 per cent' test for derecognition of financial liabilities

The amendment clarifies that in applying the '10 per cent' test to assess whether to derecognize a financial liability, an entity includes only fees paid or received between the entity (the borrower) and the lender, including fees paid or received by either the entity or the lender on the other's behalf.

The amendment is applied prospectively to modifications and exchanges that occur on or after the date the entity first applies the amendment.

The amendment is effective for annual periods beginning on or after January 1, 2022, with early application permitted.

Amendments to PFRS 16 - Lease Incentives

The amendment removes the illustration of the reimbursement of leasehold improvements. As the amendment to PFRS 16 only regards an illustrative example, no effective date is stated.

Amendments to PAS 41 - Taxation in fair value measurements

The amendment removes the requirement in PAS 41 for entities to exclude cash flows for taxation when measuring fair value. This aligns the fair value measurement in PAS 41 with the requirements of PFRS 13 Fair Value Measurement to use internally consistent cash flows and discount rates and enables preparers to determine whether to use pretax or post-tax cash flows and discount rates for the most appropriate fair value measurement.

The amendment is applied prospectively, i.e. for fair value measurements on or after the date an entity initially applies the amendment.

The amendment is effective for annual periods beginning on or after January 1, 2022, with early application permitted.

The future adoption of the amendments will have no effect on the Company's financial statements as the Company does not have subsidiary as a first time adopter; does not derecognize any liabilities; does not have lease contracts and leasehold improvements; and does not have biological assets covered by PAS 41 that need to exclude its cash flows for taxation on its financial statements.

New Accounting Standards Effective in 2020 - Adopted by Financial Reporting Standards Council (FRSC) but pending for approval by the Board of Accountancy.

PIC Q&A No. 2019-04, Conforming Changes to PIC Q&As - Cycle 2019

The interpretation sets out the changes (i.e., amendments or withdrawal) to certain interpretations. These changes are made as a consequence of the issuance of new PFRS that become effective starting January 1, 2019 and other relevant developments.

#### PIC Q&As Amended

The following table summarizes the changes made to the amended interpretations:

PIC Q&A Amended	Amendment
PIC Q&A No. 2011-05: PFRS 1 – Fair Value or Revaluation as Deemed Cost	Updated because of applying PFRS 16, Leases, for the first time starting January 1, 2019
PIC Q&A No. 2011-06: Acquisition of investment properties – asset acquisition or business combination?	Reference to PAS 40, Investment Property, has been updated because of applying PFRS 16 for the first time starting January 1, 2019.
PIC Q&A No. 2012-02: Cost of a new building constructed on the site of a previous building	Reference to PAS 40 has been updated because of applying PFRS 16 for the first time starting January 1, 2019.
PIC Q&A No. 2017-02: PAS 2 and PAS 16 - Capitalization of operating lease cost as part of construction costs of a building	Updated to comply with the provisions of PFRS 16 and renamed as PIC Q&A No. 2017-02: PAS 2 and PAS 16 - Capitalization of depreciation of right-of-use asset as part of construction costs of a building
PIC Q&A No. 2017-10: PAS 40 - Separation of property and classification as investment property	Reference to PAS 40 has been updated because of applying PFRS 16 for the first time starting January 1, 2019.
PIC Q&A No. 2018-05: PAS 37 - Liability arising from maintenance requirement of an asset held under a lease	Updated to comply with the provisions of PFRS 16
PIC Q&A No. 2018-15: PAS 1- Classification of Advances to Contractors in the Nature of Prepayments: Current vs. Non-current	Reference to PAS 40 (included as an attachment to the Q&A) has been updated because of applying PFRS 16 for the first time starting January 1, 2019.

#### PIC Q&A Withdrawn

PIC Q&A Withdrawn	Basis for Withdrawal
PIC Q&A No. 2017-09: PAS 17 and Philippine Interpretation SIC-15 - Accounting for payments between and among lessors and lessees	This PIC Q&A is considered withdrawn starting January 1, 2019, which is the effective date of PFRS 16. PFRS 16 superseded PAS 17, Leases, and Philippine Interpretation SIC-15, Operating Leases—
	Incentives
PIC Q&A No. 2018-07: PAS 27 and PAS 28 - Cost of an associate, joint venture, or subsidiary in separate financial statements	This PIC Q&A is considered withdrawn upon publication of IFRIC agenda decision - Investment in a subsidiary accounted for at cost: Step acquisition (IAS 27 Separate Financial Statements) in January 2019.

The effective date of the amendments is included in the affected interpretations.

The future adoption of the interpretations will have no effect on the Company's financial statements as the Company does not have any leased property and assets classified as investment properties or investment in associate, joint venture or subsidiary.

PIC Q&A No. 2019-06, Accounting for Step Acquisition of a Subsidiary in a Parent

The interpretation clarifies how a parent should account for the step acquisition of a subsidiary in its separate financial statements.

Salient points of the interpretation are the following:

IFRIC concluded either of the two approaches may be applied:

#### • Fair value as deemed cost approach

Under this approach, the entity is exchanging its initial interest (plus consideration paid for the additional interest) for a controlling interest in the investee (exchange view). Hence, the entity's investment in subsidiary is measured at the fair value at the time the control is acquired.

#### Accumulated cost approach

Under this approach, the entity is purchasing additional interest while retaining the initial interest (non-exchange view). Hence, the entity's investment in subsidiary is measured at the accumulated cost (original consideration).

Any difference between the fair value of the initial interest at the date of obtaining control of the subsidiary and its original consideration is taken to profit or loss, regardless of whether, before the step acquisition transaction, the entity had presented subsequent changes in fair value of its initial interest in profit or loss or other comprehensive income (OCI).

The interpretation is effective for periods beginning on or after October 19, 2019.

The future adoption of the interpretation will have no effect on the Company's financial statements since the Company is not engaged in acquisition of a subsidiary.

PIC Q&A No. 2019-07, Classification of Members' Capital Contributions of Non-Stock Savings and Loan Associations (NSSLA)

# Background:

The Bangko Sentral ng Pilipinas (BSP) issued Circular No. 1045 on August 29, 2019 to amend the Manual of Regulations for Non-Bank Financial Institutions Applicable to Non-Stock Savings and Loan Associations (MORNBFI-S) – Regulatory Capital of Non-Stock Savings and Loan Associations (NSSLAs) and Capital Contributions of Members.

Under the Circular, each qualified member of an NSSLA shall maintain only one capital contribution account representing his/her capital contribution. While only one capital account is maintained, the Circular breaks down a member's capital contributions as follows:

- a. Fixed capital which cannot be reduced for the duration of membership except upon termination of membership. The minimum amount of fixed capital is Php1,000, but a higher minimum can be prescribed under the NSSLA's by-laws.
- b. Capital contribution buffer, which pertains to capital contributions in excess of fixed capital. The capital contribution buffer can be withdrawn or reduced by the member without affecting his membership. However, the NSSLA shall establish and prescribe the conditions and/or circumstances when the NSSLA may limit the reduction of the members' capital contribution buffer, such as, when the NSSLA is under liquidity stress or is unable to meet the capital-to-risk assets ratio requirement under Sec. 4116S of the MORNBFI-S Regulations. Such conditions and/or circumstances have to be disclosed to the members upon their placement of capital contribution buffer and in manners as may be determined by the Board.

For purposes of identifying and monitoring the fixed capital and capital contribution buffer of a member's capital contribution, NSSLAs shall maintain subsidiary ledgers showing separately the fixed and capital contribution buffer of each member. Further, upon receipt of capital contributions from their members, NSSLAs shall simultaneously record the amount contributed as fixed and capital contribution buffer in the aforementioned subsidiary ledgers. However, NSSLAs may use other systems in lieu of subsidiary ledgers provided that that the system will separately show the fixed and capital contribution buffer of each member.

The interpretation assessed and concluded that both Fixed Capital and the Capital contribution buffer qualify as "equity" in the NSSLA's financial statements as they both meet all the requirements of paragraphs 16A and 16B of PAS32, Financial Instruments: Presentation.

The interpretation is effective for periods beginning on December 11, 2019, and should be applied retrospectively.

The future adoption of the interpretation will have no effect on the Company's financial statements since the Company is not classified as a non-bank financial institution under non-stock savings and loan associations.

PIC Q&A No. 2019-08, PFRS 16, Leases - Accounting for Asset Retirement or Restoration Obligation ("ARO") The interpretation clarifies the recognition of ARO under the following scenarios:

## 1) Accounting for ARO at lease commencement date

The cost of dismantling and restoration (i.e., the ARO) should be calculated and recognized as a provision in accordance with PAS 37, with a corresponding adjustment to the related right-of-use (ROU) asset as required by PFRS 16.24(d). As such, the lessee will add the amount of ARO to the cost of the ROU asset on lease commencement date, which will then form part of the amount that will be amortized over the lease term.

# 2) Change in ARO after initial recognition

- 2.1) Because ARO is not included as a component of lease liability, the measurement of such ARO is outside the scope of PFRS 16. Hence, its measurement is generally not affected by the transition to PFRS 16. Except in cases where the reassessment of lease-related assumptions (e.g., lease term) would affect the measurement of ARO-related provision, the amount of ARO existing at transition date would not be remeasured; rather, the balance of the ARO provision and any related asset will remain as previously measured. The asset will simply be reclassified from property and equipment to the related ROU asset as required under PFRS 16.24(d).
- 2.2) Assuming there is a change in lease-related assumptions that would impact the ARO measurement (e.g., change in lease term due to the new PFRS 16 requirements), the following will be the accounting treatment depending on the method used by the lessee in adopting PFRS 16:

a. Modified retrospective approach - Under this approach, the lessee uses the remaining lease term to discount back the amount of provision to transition date. Any adjustment is recognized as an adjustment to the ROU asset and ARO provision. This adjustment applies irrespective of which of the two methods in measuring the ROU asset will be chosen under the modified retrospective approach.

b. *Full retrospective approach* - The ARO provision and related asset, which gets adjusted to the ROU asset, should be remeasured from commencement of the lease, and then amortized over the revised or reassessed lease term. Because full retrospective approach is chosen, it is possible that the amount of cumulative adjustment to the ARO provision and the ROU asset at the beginning of the earliest period presented will not be the same; hence, it is possible that it might impact retained earnings.

The future adoption of the interpretation will have no effect on the Company's financial statements since the Company does not have leased property with any related ARO.

PIC Q&A No. 2019-09, Accounting for Prepaid Rent or Rent Liability Arising from Straight-lining under PAS 17 on Transition to PFRS 16 and the Related Deferred Tax Effects

The interpretation aims to provide guidance on the following:

- How a lessee should account for its transition from PAS 17 to PFRS 16 using the modified retrospective approach. Specifically, this aims to address how a lessee should, on transition, account for any existing prepaid rent or rent liability arising from straight-lining of an operating lease under PAS 17, and
- How to account for the related deferred tax effects on transition from PAS 17 to PFRS 16.

The future adoption of the interpretation will have no effect on the Company's financial statements since the company does not have prepaid rent or rent liability recognized for leased property.

PIC Q&A No. 2019-10, Accounting for variable payments with rent review

Some lease contracts provide for market rent review in the middle of the lease term to adjust the lease payments to reflect a fair market rent for the remainder of the lease term. This Q&A provides guidance on how to measure the lease liability when the contract provides for a market rent review.

The future adoption of the interpretation will have no effect on the Company's financial statements since the Company does not enter into any lease agreement.

PIC Q&A No. 2019-11, Determining the current portion of an amortizing loan/lease liability

The interpretation aims to provide guidance on how to determine the current portion of an amortizing loan/lease liability for proper classification/presentation between current and non-current in the statement of financial position.

The future adoption of the interpretation will have no effect on the Company's financial statements since the Company does not enter into any lease agreement.

PIC Q&A No. 2019-12, PFRS 16, Leases - Determining the lease term

The interpretation provides guidance how an entity determine the lease term under PFRS 16.

A contract would be considered to exist only when it creates rights and obligations that are enforceable. Therefore, any non-cancellable period or notice period in a lease would meet the definition of a contract and, thus, would be included as part of the lease term. To be part of a contract, any option to extend or terminate the lease that are included in the lease term must also be enforceable.

If optional periods are not enforceable (e.g., if the lessee cannot enforce the extension of the lease without the agreement of the lessor), the lessee does not have the right to use the asset beyond the non-cancellable period. Consequently, by definition, there is no contract beyond the non-cancellable period (plus any notice period) if there are no enforceable rights and obligations existing between the lessee and lessor beyond that term.

In assessing the enforceability of a contract, an entity should consider whether the lessor can refuse to agree to a request from the lessee to extend the lease. Accordingly, if the lessee has the right to extend or terminate the lease, there are enforceable rights and obligations beyond the initial non-cancellable period and thus, the parties to the lease would be required to consider those optional periods in their assessment of the lease term. In contrast, a lessor's right to terminate a lease is ignored when determining the lease term because, in that case, the lessee has an unconditional obligation to pay for the right to use the asset for the period of the lease, unless and until the lessor decides to terminate the lease.

In assessing whether a lessee is reasonably certain to exercise an option to extend a lease, or not to exercise an option to terminate a lease, an entity shall consider all relevant facts and circumstances (i.e., including those that are not indicated in the lease contract) that create an economic incentive for the lessee to exercise the option to extend the lease, or not to exercise the option to terminate the lease.

The future adoption of the interpretation will have no effect on the Company's financial statements since the Company does not enter into any lease agreement.

PIC Q&A No. 2019-13, PFRS 16, Leases – Determining the lease term of leases that are renewable subject to mutual agreement of the lessor and the lessee

The interpretation provides guidance how an entity determine the lease term under PFRS 16. This interpretation focuses on lease contracts that are renewable subject to mutual agreement of the parties.

A renewal option is only considered in determining the lease term if it is enforceable. A renewal that is still subject to mutual agreement of the parties is legally unenforceable under Philippine laws until both parties come to an agreement on the terms.

In instances where the lessee have known to be, historically, renewing the lease contract after securing mutual agreement with the lessor to renew the lease contract, the lessee's right to use the underlying asset does not go beyond the one-year period covered by the current contract, as any renewal still has to be agreed on by both parties. A renewal is treated as a new contract.

The future adoption of the interpretation will have no effect on the Company's financial statements since the Company does not enter into any lease agreement.

PIC Q&A No. 2020-01, Conforming Changes to PIC Q&As - Cycle 2020

The interpretation sets out the changes (i.e., amendments or withdrawal) to certain interpretations. These changes are made as a consequence of the issuance of new PFRS that become effective starting January 1, 2019 and other relevant developments.

# PIC Q&As Amended

The following table summarizes the changes made to the amended interpretations:

PIC Q&A Amended	Amendment		
Framework 4.1 and PAS 1.25 – Financial statements prepared on a basis other than going concern	References to <i>The Conceptual Framework for Financial Reporting</i> have been updated due ot the revised framework effective January 1, 2020		
PIC Q&A No. 2016-03: Accounting for common areas and the related subsequent costs by condominium corporations	References to <i>The Conceptual Framework for Financial Reporting</i> have been updated due ot the revised framework effective January 1, 2020		
PIC Q&A No. 2011-03: Accounting for intercompany loans	References to <i>The Conceptual Framework for Financial Reporting</i> have been updated due ot the revised framework effective January 1, 2020		
PIC Q&A No. 2017-08: PFRS 10 – Requirement to prepare consolidated financial statements where an entity disposes of its single investment in a subsidiary, associate or joint venture	References to <i>The Conceptual Framework for Financial Reporting</i> have been updated due ot the revised framework effective January 1, 2020		

PIC Q&A No. 2018-14: PFRS 15 – Accounting	References to <i>The Conceptual Framework for Financial Reporting</i> have been updated due
for cancellation of real estate sales	ot the revised framework effective January 1, 2020

#### PIC Q&A Withdrawn

PIC Q&A Withdrawn	Basis for Withdrawal		
PIC Q&A No. 2011-06: Acquisition of investment properties – asset acquisition or business combination?	With the amendment to PFRS 3 on the definition of a business effective January 1, 2020, there is additional guidance in paragraphs B7A-B12D of PFRS 3 in assessing whether acquisition of investment properties is an asset acquisition or business combination (i.e. optional concentration test and assessment of whether an acquired process is substantive)		

The effective date of the amendments is included in the affected interpretations.

The future adoption of the interpretation will have no effect on the Company's financial statements as the Company is not in the process of and has no plan to enter into business combination.

PIC Q&A No. 2020-02, Conclusion on PIC QA 2018-12E: On certain materials delivered on site but not yet installed

The interpretation clarifies the treatment of uninstalled materials in the measurement of the progress of the performance obligation.

The PIC has concluded that in recognizing revenue using a cost-based input method, customized materials are to be included in the measurement of the progress of work while materials that are not customized should be excluded. This is because if the materials are customized, the real estate developer is not just providing a simple procurement service to the customer as it is significantly involved in the design and details of the manufacture of the materials. As such, the costs incurred on the customized materials, even if still uninstalled, are to be included in the measurement of progress to properly capture the efforts expended by the real estate developer in completing its performance obligation.

This interpretation is effective for periods beginning on or after November 6, 2020.

The future adoption of the interpretation will have no effect on the Company's financial statements as the Company does not engaged in real estate developments and contracts.

PIC Q&A No. 2020-03, Accounting of the difference when the percentage of completion is ahead of the buyer's payment

This interpretation provides two views on the accounting treatment for the excess of the revenue recognized based on percentage of completion over the buyer's payment.

#### • View number 1

The difference is recorded as a contract asset as PFRS 15.107 states that if an entity performs by transferring goods or services to a customer before the customer pays consideration or before payment is due, the entity shall present the contract as a contract asset, excluding any amounts presented as a receivable.

#### View number 2

The difference is recorded as a receivable as PFRS 15.108 states that a receivable is an entity's right to consideration that is unconditional. A right to consideration is unconditional if only the passage of time is required before payment of that consideration is due. An entity would recognize a receivable if it has a present right to payment even though that amount may be subject to refund in the future.

This interpretation is effective for periods beginning on or after September 30, 2020.

The future adoption of the interpretation will have no effect on the Company's financial statements as the Company does not have contacts or agreements accounted for using percentage of completion method.

PIC Q&A No. 2020-04, PFRS 15 - Step 3 - Requires an Entity to Determine the Transaction Price for the Contract

The interpretation clarifies the question on whether a significant financing component exists if there is a mismatch between the Percentage-of-Completion (POC) and the schedule of payments.

There is no significant financing component, if the difference between the promised consideration and the cash selling price of the good or service arises for reasons other than the provision of finance to either the customer or the entity, and the difference between those amounts is proportional to the reason for the difference. Also, as provided under paragraph 63 of PFRS 15, an entity need not adjust the promised amount of consideration for the effects of a significant financing component if the entity expects, at contract inception that the timing difference of the receipt of full payment of the contract price and that of the completion of the project, are expected within one year and SFC is not expected to be significant.

This interpretation is effective for periods beginning on or after November 11, 2020.

The future adoption of the interpretation will have no effect on the Company's financial statements as the Company does not have contacts or agreements accounted for using percentage of completion method.

PIC Q&A No. 2020-05, PFRS 15 - Accounting for Cancellation of Real Estate Sales

The interpretation has provided three approaches for the accounting for cancellation of real estate sales and the repossession of the property, provided that an entity applies it consistently:

- The repossessed property is recognized at its fair value less cost to repossess
- The repossessed property is recognized at its fair value plus repossession cost
- The cancellation is accounted for as a modification of the contract (i.e., from non-cancellable to being cancellable).

This interpretation is effective for periods beginning on or after November 11, 2020.

The future adoption of the interpretation will have no effect on the Company's financial statements as the Company does not engaged in real estate developments and contracts.

PIC Q&A No. 2020-06, PFRS 16 - Accounting for payments between and among lessors and lessees

The interpretation provides for the treatment of payments between and among lessors and lessees as follows:

		Treatments in the financial statements of				
	Transaction	Lessor	Old lessor	New	Basis	
				Lessee		
1	Lessor pays old	i. Recalculate	i. Recognize in		• PFRS 16; par.	
	lessee - lessor	the revised	profit and loss at		87	
	intends to	leased	the date of		<ul> <li>PAS 16; pars.</li> </ul>	
	renovate the	payments (net	modification the		6, 16-17	
	building	of the one-off	difference		• PAS 40; par.	
		amount to be	between the		21	
		paid) and	proportionate		<ul> <li>PFRS 16; par.</li> </ul>	
		amortize over	decrease in the		45	
		the revised	right-of-use asset		<ul> <li>Illustrative</li> </ul>	
		lease term.	based on the		example 18	
		ii. If net	remaining right-		issued by IASB	
		payable,	of-use asset for		<ul> <li>PAS 16; pars.</li> </ul>	
		recognize as	the remaining		56-57	
		expense unless	period and			
		the amount to	remaining lease			

2	Lessor pays old	be paid qualifies as capitalizable cost under PAS 16 or PAS 40; in which case it is capitalized as part of the carrying amount of the associated property if it meets the definition of construction costs under PAS 16 or PAS 40.	liability calculated as the present value of the remaining lease payments discounted using the original discount rate of the lease. ii. Recognize the effect of remeasurement of the remaining lease liability as an adjustment to the right-of use- asset by referring to the revised lease payments (net of any amount to be received from the lessor)and using a revised discount rate. iii. Revisit the amortization period of right- of-use asset and any related leasehold improvement following the shortening of the term.	
	lessee - new lease with higher quality lessee	Same as Item 1	Same as Item 1	Same as Item 1 PFRS 16 par. 83

		,		
3	Lessor pays	i. Finance	i. Record	<ul> <li>PAS 16; par.</li> </ul>
	new lessee - an	lease:	as a	68
	incentive to	If made after	deductio	• PAS 16; par.
	occupy	commenceme	n to the	71
		nt date,	cost of	<ul> <li>PFRS 16; par.</li> </ul>
		incentive	the right-	83
		payable is	of-use	<ul> <li>PFRS 16; par.</li> </ul>
		credited with	asset.	24
		offsetting	ii. Lease	
		debit entry to	incentive	
		the net	receivabl	
		investment	e is also	
		lease.	included	
		If paid at or	as	
		prior to	reduction	
		commenceme	in	

		nt data		maggura	
		nt date, included in		measure ment of	
		the calculation		lease	
		of gain or loss		liability.	
		on disposal on		iii. When	
		finance lease.		lessee	
		ii. Operating		receives	
		lease add the		the	
		initial direct		payment	
		costs to the		of lease	
		carrying		incentive,	
		amount of		the	
		underlying		amount	
		asset and		received	
		recognize as		is debited	
		expense over		with a	
		the lease term		credit	
		either on a		entry to	
		straight-line		gross up	
		basis of		the lease	
		another		liability.	
1		systematic			
		basis.			
4	Lessor pays	Same as Item		i. Same as	<ul> <li>Same as in fact</li> </ul>
	new lessee -	3		in fact	pattern 1C.
	building			pattern	<ul> <li>PAS 40; par.</li> </ul>
	alterations			1C.	21
	specific to the			ii.	<ul> <li>PAS 16; pars.</li> </ul>
	lessee with no			Capitaliz	16-17
	further value to			e costs	
	lessor			incurred	
				by the	
				lessee for	
				alteration	
				s to the	
				building	
				as	
				leasehold	
				improve	
				ment in	
1				accordan	
				ce with	
1				PAS 16 or	
L				PAS 40.	
5	Old lessee pays	Recognize as	Recognize as		• PAS 16
	lessor to vacate	income	expense		• PAS 38
1	the leased	immediately,	immediately		• PFRS 16;
1	premises early	unless it was	unless it was		par. 18
1	r	within the	within the		F 2 3
1		original	original contract		
		contract and	and the		
		the probability	probability		
1		criterion was	criterion was		
1		previously	previously met,		
				İ	
		met, in which	in which case,		
		met, in which case, the	the financial		

		been recognized as income using either a straight-line basis or another systematic basis.	recognized already as part of the lease liability.		
6	Old lessee pays new lessee to take over the lease		Recognize as an expense immediately.	Recognize as income immediatel y.	<ul><li>PAS 16</li><li>PAS 38</li><li>PFRS 16;</li><li>Appendix A</li></ul>
7	New lessee pays lessor to secure the right to obtain a lease agreement	i. If finance lease, recognize gain or loss in the profit or loss arising from the derecognition of underlying assets ii. If operating lease, recognize as deferred revenue and amortize over the lease term on a straight-line basis or another systematic basis.		Recognize as part of the cost of the right-of-use asset.	PFRS 16; par. 24 • PAS 16; par. 71 • PFRS 16; par 81
8	New lessee pays old lessee to buy out the lease agreement		Recognize as again immediately. Any remaining lease liability and right-of-use asset will be derecognized with net amount through P&L.	Account for as initial direct cost included in the measureme nt of the right-of-use asset.	• PFRS 16; Appendix A • PFRS 16; Example 13 in par. IE5 • PFRS 16; par. 24

This interpretation is effective for periods beginning on or after December 9, 2020.

The future adoption of the interpretation will have no effect on the Company's financial statements as the Company does not enter into lease contacts or agreements.

PIC Q&A No. 2020-07, PAS 12 – Accounting for the Proposed Changes in Income Tax Rates under the Corporate Recovery and Tax Incentives for Enterprises Act (CREATE) Bill

The interpretation explained the details of the CREATE bill and its impact on the financial statements once passed.

Interpretation discussed that impact on the financial statements ending December 31, 2020 are as follows:

- Current and deferred taxes will still be measured using the applicable income tax rate as of December 31, 2020;
- If the CREATE bill is enacted before financial statements' issue date, this will be a non-adjusting event but the significant effects of changes in tax rates on current and deferred tax assets and liabilities should be disclosed; and
- If the CREATE bill is enacted after financial statements' issue date but before filing of the income tax return, this is no longer a subsequent event but companies may consider disclosing the general key feature of the bill and the expected impact on the financial statements

For the financial statements ending December 31, 2021, the impact are as follows:

- Standard provides that component of tax expense(income) may include "any adjustments recognized in the period for current tax of prior periods" and "the amount of deferred tax expense(income) relating to changes in tax rates or the imposition of new taxes";
- An explanation of changes in the applicable income tax rates to the previous accounting period is also required to be disclosed;
- The provision for current income tax for the year 2021 will include the difference between income tax per 2020 financial statements and 2020 income tax return;
- Deferred tax assets and liabilities as of December 31, 2021, will be remeasured using the new tax rates; and
- Any movement in deferred taxes arising from the change in tax rates that will form part of the provision for/benefit from deferred taxes will be included as well in the effective tax rate reconciliation.

#### 3. SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

#### **Financial Assets**

# Initial recognition and measurement

Financial assets are recognized in the Company's financial statements when the Company becomes a party to the contractual provisions of the instrument. Financial assets are recognized initially at fair value.

Transaction costs are included in the initial measurement of the Company's financial assets, except for investments classified at FVTPL. Transaction costs directly attributable to the acquisition of financial assets classified at FVTPL are recognized immediately in profit or loss.

# Classification and subsequent measurement

The Company classifies its financial assets in the following measurement categories:

- FVTPL;
- FVTOCI; and
- Amortized cost

As at June 30, 2021 and December 31, 2020, the Company does not have financial assets classified as FVTOCI.

Classification of financial assets will be driven by the entity's business model for managing the financial assets and the contractual cash flows of the financial assets. A financial asset is to be measured at amortized cost if: a) the objective of the business model is to hold the financial asset for the collection of the contractual cash flows; and b) the contractual cash flows under the instrument represent SPPI.

All other debt and equity instruments must be recognized at fair value.

All fair value movements on financial assets are taken through the statement of comprehensive income, except for equity investments that are not held for trading, which may be recorded in the statement of comprehensive income or in reserves (without subsequent recycling to profit or loss).

#### Debt instruments

Subsequent measurement of debt instruments depends on the Company's business model for managing the asset and the cash flow characteristics of the asset. There are two measurement categories into which the Company classifies its debt instruments:

- Amortized cost. Assets that are held for collection of contractual cash flows where those cash
  flows represent SPPI are measured at amortized cost. A gain or loss on a debt investment that is
  subsequently measured at amortized cost and is not part of a hedging relationship is recognized
  in profit or loss when the asset is derecognized or impaired. Interest income from these financial
  assets is included in finance income using the effective interest rate method.
- FVTPL. Assets that do not meet the criteria for amortized cost are measured at FVTPL. A gain or loss on a debt investment that is subsequently measured at FVTPL and is not part of a hedging relationship is recognized in profit or loss and presented net in the statement of comprehensive income within other gains/(losses) in the period in which it arises. Interest income from these financial assets is included in finance income.

The business model reflects how the Company manages the assets in order to generate cash flows. That is, whether the Company's objective is solely to collect the contractual cash flows from the assets or to collect both the contractual cash flows and cash flows arising from the sale of assets. If neither of these is applicable, then the financial assets are classified as part of 'other' business model and measured at FVTPL. Factors considered by the Company in determining the business model for a group of assets include past experience on how the cash flows for these assets were collected, how the asset's performance is evaluated and reported to key management personnel, how risks are assessed and managed and how managers are compensated.

Where the business model is to hold assets to collect contractual cash flows or to collect contractual cash flows and sell, the Company assesses whether the financial instruments' cash flows represent SPPI. In making this assessment, the Company considers whether the contractual cash flows are consistent with a basic lending arrangement i.e. interest includes only consideration for the time value of money, credit risk, other basic lending risks and a profit margin that is consistent with a basic lending arrangement. Where the contractual terms introduce exposure to risk or volatility that are inconsistent with a basic lending arrangement, the related financial asset is classified and measured at FVTPL.

#### Amortized cost and effective interest method

The effective interest method is a method of calculating the amortized cost of a financial asset and of allocating interest income over the relevant period.

For financial instruments other than POCI financial assets, the effective interest rate is the rate that exactly discounts estimated future cash receipts (including all fees and points paid or received that form an integral part of the effective interest rate, transaction costs and other premiums or discounts) excluding expected credit losses, through the expected life of the debt instrument, or, where appropriate, a shorter period, to the gross carrying amount of the debt instrument on initial recognition.

The amortized cost of a financial asset is the amount at which the financial asset is measured at initial recognition minus the principal repayments, plus the cumulative amortization using the effective interest method of any difference between that initial amount and the maturity amount, adjusted for any loss allowance. On the other hand, the gross carrying amount of a financial asset is the amortized cost of a financial asset before adjusting for any loss allowance.

Interest income is recognized using the effective interest method for debt instruments measured subsequently at amortized cost. For financial instruments other than POCI financial assets, interest income is calculated by applying the effective interest rate to the gross carrying amount of a financial asset, except for financial assets that have subsequently become credit-impaired. For financial assets that have subsequently become is recognized by applying the effective interest rate to the amortized cost of the financial asset. If, in subsequent reporting periods, the credit risk on the credit-impaired financial instrument improves so that the financial asset is no longer credit-impaired, interest income is recognized by applying the effective interest rate to the gross carrying amount of the financial asset.

#### **Equity instruments**

Equity instruments are instruments that meet the definition of equity from the issuer's perspective, that is, instruments that do not contain a contractual obligation to pay and that evidence a residual interest in the issuer's net assets.

The Company subsequently measures all equity investments at FVTPL, except where the Company's management has elected, at initial recognition, to irrevocably designate an equity instrument at FVTOCI. The Company's policy is to designate equity investments as FVTOCI when those investments are held for the purposes other than to generate investment returns. When the election is used, fair value gains and losses are recognized in other comprehensive income and are not subsequently reclassified to profit or loss, including disposal. Impairment losses (and reversal of impairment losses) are not reported separately from other changes in fair value. Dividends, when representing a return on such investments, continue to be recognized in profit or loss as other income when the Company's right to receive payment is established.

Changes in the fair value of financial assets at FVTPL are recognized in net realized gains (losses) on investments in the statement of comprehensive income as applicable. Impairment losses (and reversal of impairment losses) on equity investments measured at FVTOCI are not reported separately from other changes in fair value.

As at June 30, 2021 and December 31, 2020, the Company does not have financial assets at FVTOCI.

# Impairment of financial assets

The Company recognizes a loss allowance for ECL on investments in debt instruments that are measured at amortized cost. The amount of ECL is updated at each reporting date to reflect changes in credit risk since initial recognition of the respective financial instrument.

With the exception of POCI financial assets, ECLs are required to be measured through a loss allowance at an amount equal to:

- 12-month ECL, i.e. lifetime ECL that result from those default events on the financial instrument that are possible within 12 months after the reporting date, (referred to as Stage 1); or
- full lifetime ECL, i.e. lifetime ECL that result from all possible default events over the life of the financial instrument, (referred to as Stage 2 and Stage 3).

A loss allowance for full lifetime ECL is required for a financial instrument if the credit risk on that financial instrument has increased significantly since initial recognition. For all other financial instruments, ECLs are measured at an amount equal to the 12-month ECL.

ECLs are a probability-weighted estimate of the present value of credit losses. These are measured as the present value of the difference between the cash flows due to the Company under the contract and the cash flows that the Company expects to receive arising from the weighting of multiple future economic scenarios, discounted at the asset's effective interest rate.

The Company measures ECL on an individual basis, or on a collective basis for portfolios of loans that share similar economic risk characteristics. The measurement of the loss allowance is based on the present value of the asset's expected cash flows using the asset's original effective interest rate, regardless of whether it is measured on an individual basis or a collective basis.

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The Company recognizes lifetime ECL when there has been a significant increase in credit risk since initial recognition. If, on the other hand, the credit risk on the financial instrument has not increased significantly since initial recognition, the Company measures the loss allowance for that financial instrument at an amount equal to 12 month ECL. The assessment of whether lifetime ECL should be recognized is based on significant increases in the likelihood or risk of a default occurring since initial recognition instead of on evidence of a financial asset being credit-impaired at the reporting date or an actual default occurring.

Lifetime ECL represents the ECL that will result from all possible default events over the expected life of a financial instrument. In contrast, 12 month ECL represents the portion of lifetime ECL that is expected to result from default events on a financial instrument that are possible within 12 months after the reporting date.

## Significant increase in credit risk

The Company monitors all financial assets that are subject to the impairment requirements to assess whether there has been a significant increase in credit risk since initial recognition. If there has been a significant increase in credit risk the Company will measure the loss allowance based on lifetime rather than 12-month ECL.

In assessing whether the credit risk on a financial instrument has increased significantly since initial recognition, the Company compares the risk of a default occurring on the financial instrument at the reporting date based on the remaining maturity of the instrument with the risk of a default occurring that was anticipated for the remaining maturity at the current reporting date when the financial instrument was first recognized. In making this assessment, the Company considers both quantitative and qualitative information that is reasonable and supportable, including historical experience and forward-looking information that is available without undue cost or effort.

Forward-looking information considered includes the future prospects of the industries in which the Company's debtors operate, obtained from economic expert reports, financial analysts, governmental bodies, relevant think-tanks and other similar organizations, as well as consideration of various external sources of actual and forecast economic information that relate to the Company's core operations.

In particular, the following information is taken into account when assessing whether credit risk has increased significantly since initial recognition:

- an actual or expected significant deterioration in the financial instrument's external (if available) or internal credit rating;
- significant deterioration in external market indicators of credit risk for a particular financial instrument (e.g. a significant increase in the credit spread, the credit default swap prices for the debtor, or the length of time or the extent to which the fair value of a financial asset has been less than its amortized cost);
- existing or forecast adverse changes in business, financial or economic conditions that are expected to cause a significant decrease in the debtor's ability to meet its debt obligations;
- an actual or expected significant deterioration in the operating results of the debtor;
- significant increases in credit risk on other financial instruments of the same debtor;
- an actual or expected significant adverse change in the regulatory, economic, or technological environment of the debtor that results in a significant decrease in the debtor's ability to meet its debt obligations.

Irrespective of the outcome of the above assessment, the Company presumes that the credit risk on a financial asset has increased significantly since initial recognition when contractual payments are more than 30 days past due, unless the Company has reasonable and supportable information that demonstrates otherwise.

Despite the foregoing, the Company assumes that the credit risk on a financial instrument has not increased significantly since initial recognition if the financial instrument is determined to have low credit risk at the reporting date.

A financial instrument is determined to have low credit risk if:

- it has a low risk of default:
- the borrower is considered, in the short term, to have a strong capacity to meet its obligations; and
- the Company expects, in the longer term, that adverse changes in economic and business conditions might, but will not necessarily, reduce the ability of the borrower to fulfill its obligations.

The Company considers a financial asset to have low credit risk when the asset has external credit rating of 'investment grade' in accordance with the globally understood definition or if an external rating is not available, the asset has an internal rating of 'performing'. Performing means that the counterparty has a strong financial position and there is no past due amounts.

The Company regularly monitors the effectiveness of the criteria used to identify whether there has been a significant increase in credit risk and revises them as appropriate to ensure that the criteria are capable of identifying significant increase in credit risk before the amount becomes past due.

#### Default

The Company considers the following as constituting an event of default for internal credit risk management purposes as historical experience indicates that financial assets that meet either of the following criteria are generally not recoverable:

- when there is a breach of financial covenants by the debtor; or
- information developed internally or obtained from external sources indicates that the debtor is unlikely to pay its creditors, including the Company, in full (without taking into account any collateral held by the Company).

Irrespective of the above analysis, the Company considers that default has occurred when a financial asset is more than 90 days past due unless the Company has reasonable and supportable information to demonstrate that a more lagging default criterion is more appropriate.

Critical to the determination of ECL is the definition of default. The definition of default is used in measuring the amount of ECL and in the determination of whether the loss allowance is based on 12-month or lifetime ECL, as default is a component of the probability of default (PD) which affects both the measurement of ECLs and the identification of a significant increase in credit risk.

# Credit-impaired financial assets

A financial asset is credit-impaired when one or more events that have a detrimental impact on the estimated future cash flows of the financial asset have occurred. Evidence of credit-impairment includes observable data about the following events:

- significant financial difficulty of the borrower or issuer;
- a breach of contract such as a default or past due event;
- the lender of the borrower, for economic or contractual reasons relating to the borrower's financial difficulty, having granted to the borrower a concession that the lender would not otherwise consider;
- ullet it is becoming probable that the borrower will enter bankruptcy or other financial reorganization;
- the disappearance of an active market for a security because of financial difficulties; or
- the purchase of a financial asset at a deep discount that reflects the incurred credit losses.

It may not be possible to identify a single discrete event—instead, the combined effect of several events may have caused financial assets to become credit-impaired. The Company assesses whether debt instruments that are financial assets measured at amortized cost or FVTOCI are credit-impaired at each reporting date. To assess if debt instruments are credit impaired, the Company considers factors such as bond yields, credit ratings and the ability of the borrower to raise funding.

#### Write-off

The Company writes off a financial asset when there is information indicating that the debtor is in severe financial difficulty and there is no realistic prospect of recovery, such as when the debtor has been placed under liquidation or has entered into bankruptcy proceedings, or in the case of trade receivables, when the amounts are over two years past due, whichever occurs sooner.

Financial assets written off may still be subject to enforcement activities under the Company's recovery procedures, taking into account legal advice where appropriate. Any recoveries made are recognized in profit or loss.

Measurement and recognition of expected credit losses

The measurement of ECL is a function of the probability of default, loss given default (i.e. the magnitude of the loss if there is a default) and the exposure at default. The assessment of the probability of default and loss given default is based on historical data adjusted by forward-looking information.

As for the exposure at default, for financial assets, this is represented by the assets' gross carrying amount at the reporting date, the Company's understanding of the specific future financing needs of the debtors, and other relevant forward-looking information.

For financial assets, the ECL is estimated as the difference between all contractual cash flows that are due to the Company in accordance with the contract and all the cash flows that the Company expects to receive, discounted at the original effective interest rate.

If the Company has measured the loss allowance for a financial instrument at an amount equal to lifetime ECL in the previous reporting period, but determines at the current reporting date that the conditions for lifetime ECL are no longer met, the Company measures the loss allowance at an amount equal to 12-month ECL at the current reporting date, except for assets for which simplified approach was used.

The Company recognizes an impairment gain or loss in profit or loss for all financial instruments with a corresponding adjustment to their carrying amount through a loss allowance account, except for investments in debt instruments that are measured at FVTOCI, for which the loss allowance is recognized in other comprehensive income and accumulated in the investment revaluation reserve, and does not reduce the carrying amount of the financial asset in the statement of financial position.

Presentation of allowance for ECL in the statement of financial position

Loss allowances for ECL are presented in the statement of financial position as a deduction from the gross carrying amount of the assets.

#### Derecognition

The Company derecognizes a financial asset only when the contractual rights to the asset's cash flows expire or when the financial asset and substantially all the risks and rewards of ownership of the asset are transferred to another entity. If the Company neither transfers nor retains substantially all the risks and rewards of ownership and continues to control the transferred asset, the Company recognizes its retained interest in the asset and an associated liability for amounts it may have to pay. If the Company retains substantially all the risks and rewards of ownership of a transferred financial asset, the Company continues to recognize the financial asset and also recognizes a collateralized borrowing for the proceeds received.

On derecognition of a financial asset in its entirety, the difference between the asset's carrying amount and the sum of the consideration received and receivable and the cumulative gain/loss that had been recognized in OCI and accumulated in equity is recognized in profit or loss, with the exception of equity investment designated as measured at FVTOCI, where the cumulative gain/loss previously recognized in OCI is not subsequently reclassified to profit or loss.

### **Financial Liabilities and Equity Instruments**

Classification as debt or equity

Debt and equity instruments are classified as either financial liabilities or as equity in accordance with the substance of the contractual arrangements and the definitions of a financial liability and an equity instrument.

#### Financial Liabilities

All financial liabilities are measured subsequently at amortized cost using the effective interest method or at FVTPL. Financial liabilities are classified as either financial liabilities 'at FVTPL' or 'other financial liabilities'.

Financial liabilities at FVTPL

Financial liabilities are classified as at FVTPL when the financial liability is (i) held-for-trading, or (ii) it is designated as at FVTPL.

A financial liability is classified as held-for-trading if:

- it has been incurred principally for the purpose of repurchasing it in the near term; or
- on initial recognition it is part of a portfolio of identified financial instruments that the Company manages together and has a recent actual pattern of short-term profit- taking; or
- it is a derivative that is not designated and effective as a hedging instrument.

Financial liabilities at FVTPL are measured at fair value, with any gains/losses arising on remeasurement recognized in profit or loss to the extent that they are not part of a designated hedging relationship. The net gain/loss recognized in profit or loss incorporates any interest paid on the financial liability and is included in profit or loss.

However, for financial liabilities that are designated as at FVTPL, the amount of change in the fair value of the financial liability that is attributable to changes in the credit risk of that liability is recognized in OCI, unless the recognition of the effects of changes in the liability's credit risk in OCI would create or enlarge an accounting mismatch in profit or loss. The remaining amount of change in the fair value of liability is recognized in profit or loss. Changes in fair value attributable to a financial liability's credit risk that are recognized in OCI are not subsequently reclassified to profit or loss; instead, they are transferred to retained earnings upon derecognition of the financial liability.

In making the determination of whether recognizing changes in the liability's credit risk in OCI will create or enlarge an accounting mismatch in profit or loss, the Company assesses whether it expects that the effects of changes in the liability's credit risk will be offset in profit or loss by a change in the fair value of another financial instrument measured at FVTPL. This determination is made at initial recognition.

Since the company does not have financial liabilities classified at FVTPL, all financial liabilities are subsequently measured at amortized cost.

Financial liabilities measured subsequently at amortized cost

Financial liabilities that are not (i) contingent consideration of an acquirer in a business combination, (ii) held-for-trading, or (iii) designated as at FVTPL, are measured subsequently at amortized cost using the effective interest method.

The effective interest method is a method of calculating the amortized cost of a financial liability and of allocating interest expense over the relevant period. The effective interest rate is the rate that exactly discounts estimated future cash payments (including all fees and points paid or received that form an integral part of the effective interest rate, transaction costs and other premiums or discounts) through the expected life of the financial liability, or (where appropriate) a shorter period, to the amortized cost of a financial liability.

The Company's financial liabilities classified under this category include accrued expenses and other payables and payable to fund manager.

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#### Offsetting financial instruments

Financial assets and liabilities are offset and the net amount reported in the statements of financial position when there is a legally enforceable right to offset the recognized amounts and there is an intention to settle on a net basis or realize the asset and settle the liability simultaneously.

A right to offset must be available today rather than being contingent on a future event and must be exercisable by any of the counterparties, both in the normal course of business and in the event of default, insolvency or bankruptcy.

## Derecognition of financial liabilities

The Company derecognizes financial liabilities when, and only when, the Company's obligations are discharged, cancelled or have expired. The difference between the carrying amount of the financial liability derecognized and the consideration paid and payable is recognized in profit or loss.

#### **Equity instruments**

An equity instrument is any contract that evidences a residual interest in the assets of the Company after deducting all of its liabilities. Equity instruments issued by the Company are recognized at the proceeds received, net of direct issue costs.

#### Share capital

Share capital consisting of ordinary shares is classified as equity. Incremental costs directly attributable to the issue of new shares or options are shown in equity as a deduction from the proceeds, net of tax. Any excess of proceeds from issuance of shares over its par value is recognized as additional paid-in capital.

### Retained earnings

Retained earnings represent accumulated profit attributable to equity holders of the Company after deducting dividends declared. Retained earnings may also include effect of changes in accounting policy as may be required by the standard's transitional provisions.

Repurchase, disposal and reissuance of share capital (treasury shares)

When share capital recognized as equity is repurchased, the amount of the consideration paid, which includes directly attributable cost, net of any tax effects, is recognized as a reduction from equity. Repurchased shares are classified as treasury shares and are presented in the reserve for own share account. When treasury shares are sold or reissued subsequently, the amount received is recognized as increase in equity, and the resulting surplus or deficit on the transaction is presented as additional paid-in capital.

Deposits for future stock subscriptions

Deposits for future stock subscriptions are recorded at historical cost. According to Financial Reporting Bulletin (FRB) No. 6 as issued by SEC, these are classified as equity when all of the following criteria are met:

- a. the unissued authorized capital stock of the entity is insufficient to cover the amount of shares indicated in the contract;
- b. there is Board of Directors' approval on the proposed increase in authorized capital stock (for which a deposit was received by the Company);
- c. there is stockholders' approval of said proposed increase; and
- d. the application for the approval of the proposed increase has been presented for filing or has been filed with the SEC.

Deposits for future stock subscriptions are classified as liability, when any of the above criteria are not met.

# **Prepayments**

Prepayments represent expenses not yet incurred but already paid in cash. Prepayments are initially recorded as assets and measured at the amount of cash paid. Subsequently, these are charged to profit or loss as these are consumed in operations or expire with the passage of time.

Prepayments are classified in the statements of financial position as current asset when the cost of services related to the prepayments are expected to be incurred within one (1) year or the Company's normal operating cycle, whichever is longer. Otherwise, prepayments are classified as non-current assets.

#### **Contingent Liabilities and Assets**

Contingent liabilities and assets are not recognized because their existence will be confirmed only by the occurrence or non-occurrence of one or more uncertain future events not wholly within the control of the entity.

Contingent liabilities are disclosed, unless the possibility of an outflow of resources embodying economic benefits is remote.

Contingent assets are not recognized, but are disclosed only when an inflow of economic benefits is probable. When the realization of income is virtually certain, asset should be recognized.

# **Revenue Recognition**

Income is recognized to the extent that it is probable that the economic benefits will flow to the Company and the revenue can be measured reliably. Income is measured at the fair value of the consideration received or receivable and represents amounts receivable for services provided in the normal course of business.

## Transaction price

The Company considers the terms of the contract and its customary business practices to determine the transaction price. The transaction price is the amount of consideration to which the Company expects to be entitled in exchange for transferring promised goods or services to a customer, excluding amounts collected on behalf of third parties.

# Interest income

Interest income from a financial asset is recognized when it is probable that the economic benefits will flow to the Company and the amount of income can be measured reliably. Interest income is accrued on a time proportion basis, by reference to the principal outstanding and at the effective interest rate applicable, which is the rate that exactly discounts estimated future cash receipts through the expected life of the financial asset to that asset's net carrying amount.

#### Realized gains or losses

Gains or losses arising on the disposal of investments are determined as the difference between the sales proceeds and the carrying amount of the investments and is recognized in profit or loss.

### Fair value gains or losses

Gains or losses arising from changes in fair values of investments are disclosed under the policy on financial assets.

# Other income

Other income is income generated outside the normal course of business and is recognized when it is probable that the economic benefits will flow to the Company and it can be measured reliably.

# **Expense Recognition**

Expenses are recognized in profit or loss when a decrease in future economic benefit related to a decrease in an asset or an increase in a liability has arisen that can be measured reliably. Expenses are recognized in profit or loss on the basis of: (i) a direct association between the costs incurred and the earning of specific items of income; (ii) systematic and rational allocation procedures when economic benefits are expected to arise over several accounting periods and the association with income can only be broadly or indirectly determined; or, (iii) immediately when an expenditure produces no future economic benefits or when, and to the extent that, future economic benefits do not qualify, or cease to qualify, for recognition in the statements of financial position as an asset.

Expenses in the statements of comprehensive income are presented using the function of expense method. Investment expenses are transaction costs incurred in the purchase and sale of investments. Operating expenses are costs attributable to administrative and other business expenses of the Company including management fees and custodianship fees.

## Fair Value

Fair value is the price that would be received to sell an asset or paid to transfer a liability in an orderly transaction between market participants at the measurement date, regardless of whether that price is directly observable or estimated using another valuation technique. In estimating the fair value of an asset or a liability, the Company takes into account the characteristics of the asset or liability if market participants would take those characteristics into account when pricing the asset or liability at the measurement date. Fair value for measurement and/or disclosure purposes in these financial statements is determined on such basis.

In addition, for financial reporting purposes, fair value measurements are categorized into Levels 1, 2 or 3 based on the degree to which the inputs to the fair value measurements are observable and the significance of the inputs to the fair value measurement in its entirety, which are described as follows:

- Level 1 inputs are quoted prices (unadjusted) in active markets for identical assets or liabilities that the entity can access at the measurement date;
- Level 2 inputs are inputs, other than quoted prices included within Level 1, that are observable for the asset or liability, either directly or indirectly; and
- Level 3 inputs are unobservable inputs for the asset or liability.

# **Related Party Transactions**

A related party transaction is a transfer of resources, services or obligations between the Company and a related party, regardless of whether a price is charged.

Parties are considered related if one party has control, joint control, or significant influence over the other party in making financial and operating decisions. An entity that is a post-employment benefit plan for the employees of the Company and the key management personnel of the Company are also considered to be related parties.

#### **Taxation**

Income tax expense represents the sum of the current tax, final tax and deferred tax expense.

# Current tax

The current tax expense is based on taxable profit for the year. Taxable profit differs from net profit as reported in the statements of comprehensive income because it excludes items of income or expense that are taxable or deductible in other years and it further excludes items that are never taxable or deductible. The Company's current tax expense is calculated using 25% regular corporate income tax (RCIT) rate or 1% minimum corporate income tax (MCIT) rate, whichever is higher.

#### Final tax

Final tax expense represents final taxes withheld on interest income from cash in banks, special savings deposits and fixed-income securities and final taxes withheld on proceeds from sale of listed equity securities.

### Deferred tax

Deferred tax is recognized on temporary differences between the carrying amounts of assets and liabilities in the financial statements and the corresponding tax bases used in the computation of taxable profit. Deferred tax liabilities are generally recognized for all taxable temporary differences. Deferred tax assets are generally recognized for all deductible temporary differences to the extent that it is probable that taxable profits will be available against which those deductible temporary differences can be utilized. Such deferred tax assets and liabilities are not recognized if the temporary difference arises from the initial recognition (other than in a business combination) of assets and liabilities in a transaction that affects neither the taxable profit nor the accounting profit.

The carrying amount of deferred tax assets is reviewed at the end of each reporting period and reduced to the extent that it is no longer probable that sufficient taxable profits will be available to allow all or part of the asset to be recovered.

Deferred tax assets and liabilities are measured at the tax rates that are expected to apply in the period in which the liability is settled or the asset realized, based on tax rates (and tax laws) that have been enacted or substantively enacted by the end of the reporting period.

Deferred tax assets and liabilities are offset when there is a legally enforceable right to offset current tax assets against current tax liabilities and these relate to income taxes levied by the same taxation authority and the Company intends to settle its current tax assets and liabilities on a net basis.

# Current and deferred taxes for the year

Current and deferred taxes are recognized in profit or loss, except when they relate to items that are recognized in OCI or directly in equity, in which case, the current and deferred taxes are also recognized in OCI or directly in equity, respectively.

## Earnings (Loss) per Share

The Company computes its basic earnings per share by dividing profit or loss for the year attributable to ordinary equity holders of the Company by the weighted average number of ordinary shares outstanding during the period.

For the purpose of calculating diluted earnings (loss) per share, profit or loss for the year attributable to ordinary equity holders of the Company and the weighted average number of shares outstanding are adjusted for the effects of deposits for future stock subscriptions which are dilutive potential ordinary shares.

#### Net Asset Value per Share (NAVPS)

The Company computes its NAVPS by dividing the total net asset value as at the end of the reporting period by the number of issued and outstanding shares and shares to be issued on deposits for future stock subscriptions.

#### **Events After the Reporting Period**

The Company identifies events after the end of the reporting period as those events, both favorable and unfavorable, that occur between the end of the reporting period and the date when the financial statements are authorized for issue. The financial statements of the Company are adjusted to reflect those events that provide evidence of conditions that existed at the end of the reporting period. Non-adjusting events after the end of the reporting period are disclosed in the notes to the financial statements when material.

# 4. CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS

		June 2021	Dec	ember 2020
Cash in banks	P	21,180,002	P	9,572,900

# 5. FINANCIAL ASSETS AT FAIR VALUE THROUGH PROFIT OR LOSS

		June 2021	December 2020
Investment in fixed-income securities	P	153,941,740	P 281,692,550
Special savings deposits		35,527,500	-
Investment in Mutual funds		3,053,881	-
Investments in Unit Investment			
Trust Fund (UITF)		2,297,663	2,271,511
	P	194,820,784	P 283,964,061

Net gains (losses) on investments recognized in profit or loss arising from financial assets at FVTPL are as follows:

	June 2021		Dec	ember 2020
Net realized gains (losses) on investments:				
Fixed-income securities	(P	1,183,715)	P	11,891,608
Equity securities		90,377		661,553
	(	1,093,338)		12,553,161
Net unrealized gains (losses) on investments:				
Fixed-income securities		(788,021)		(5,670,452)
Equity securities		5,988		(221,775)
		(782,033)		(5,892,227)
	(P	1,875,371)	P	6,660,934

The movements in the financial assets at FVTPL are summarized as follows:

	June 2021	December 2020
Balance, January 1	P283,964,061	P205,882,754
Additions	363,275,536	396,094,143
Disposal	(451,636,780)	(312,120,609)
Unrealized gains (losses)	(782,033)	(5,892,227)
Balance, June 30	P194,820,784	P283,964,061

# 6. ACCRUED INTEREST RECEIVABLE

	June 2021	December 2020	
Fixed-income securities	P 503,697	P 1,175,166	
Special savings deposits	14,948	-	
	P 518,645	P 1,175,166	

# 7. PREPAYMENTS AND OTHER CURRENT ASSETS

	Jui	June 2021		mber 2020
Prepaid Expenses	P	44,691		
Prepaid Tax		779		
	P	45,470	P	-

## 8. ACCRUED EXPENSES AND OTHER PAYABLES

	June 2021		December 2020	
Due to investors	P	2,484,321	P	301,609
Professional fees		90,370		118,534
Withholding and documentary stamp taxes		19,407		33,589
Custodianship fees		4,715		5,514
Others		314		-
	P	2,599,127	P	459,246

Due to investors account pertains to amounts payable to investors for the redemption of their investments processed on or before the reporting period, which are usually paid four days after the transaction date.

Other accrued expenses refers to accrual of taxes and licenses and printing and supplies for the period. These payables are non-interest bearing and are normally settled within the year.

# 9. **RELATED PARTY TRANSACTIONS**

In the normal course of business, the Company transacts with entities which are considered related parties under PAS 24, *Related Party Disclosures*.

The details of transaction with related parties and the amounts paid or payable are set out below:

Nature of Transaction	Transactions as of end of the Quarter	Outstanding Balances		Terms	Condition
	Q2 2021	Q2 2021	December 2020		
SLAMCI – Fund Manager Management Distribution and Transfer fees	P 1,637,266	P 244,198	P 292,964	Non-interest bearing; Annual rate of 1.65% of average daily net assets; settled in cash on or before the 15th day of the following month	Unsecured; unguaranteed
Key Management Personnel  Directors' Fees	P 127,535	Р -	Р -	Payable on Demand: settled in cash	Unsecured: Unguaranteed

#### 10. EQUITY

	2021				
	Shares	Amount			
Authorized:					
P0.01 par value					
At January 1	1,000,000,000	P 10,000,000			
Fully paid at June 30	403,145,317	P 4,031,453			
Treasury shares: At January 1	235,650,996	P 373,173,669			
Acquired during the year	53,911,562	93,554,827			
Reissuance	(8,595,155)	(14,963,903)			
At June 30	280,967,403	P 451,764,593			

#### Incorporation

The Company was incorporated on November 3, 2004 with 200,000,000 authorized shares at a par value of P0.01 per share.

#### Approved changes

On June 27, 2011, the shareholders approved the blanket increase of the Company's authorized share capital by 800,000,000 shares (from 200,000,000 shares to 1,000,000,000 shares both with par value of P0.01).

On May 24, 2010, the Board of Directors approved the increase of share capital by 800,000,000 shares (from 200,000,000 shares to 1,000,000,000 shares both with par value of P0.01). The SEC approved the increase on December 18, 2013 and the registration statements on February 28, 2014.

#### Current state

As at June 30, 2021, the Company has 122,177,914 issued and outstanding shares out of 1,000,000,000 authorized shares with a par value of P0.01 per share.

The following table shows the number of institutional and retail investors and the percentage of their investments, and the geographic concentration of investments as of June 30, 2021.

% Ownership of	% Ownership of Retail
Institutional Investors	Investors
13.80%	86.20%

Area	Percentage of Investments
LUZON	93%
VISAYAS	5%
MINDANAO	2%
TOTAL	100%

#### 11. ADDITIONAL PAID-IN CAPITAL

	June 2021	December 2020
APIC	P 509,648,805	P 509,647,036

#### 12. NET ASSET VALUE PER SHARE

		June 2021	De	ecember 2020
Total equity	P	213,721,576	P	293,959,223
Total Outstanding Shares		122,177,914		167,494,321
NAVPS	P	1.7493	P	1.7550

#### **Net Asset Value Calculation**

The net asset value shall be calculated by adding:

- The aggregate market value of the portfolio securities and other assets;
- The cash on hand;
- Any dividends on stock trading ex-dividend; and
- Any accrued interest on portfolio securities,

#### And subtracting:

- Taxes and other charges against the fund not previously deducted;
- Liabilities
- Accrued expenses and fees; and
- Cash held for distribution to investors of the fund on a prior date.

#### Price Determination Of The Assets Of The Investment Company

The value of the assets of the Investment Company shall be determined based on the following:

- a. If quoted in an organized market, based on official closing price or last known transacted price;
- b. If unquoted or quoted investments where the transacted prices are not represented or not available to the market, based on fair value; Provided further that in determining the fair value of investments, the Fund Manager shall, with due care and good faith:
  - Have reference to the price that the Investment Company would reasonably expect to receive upon the sale of the investment at the time the fair value is determined;
  - Document the basis and approach for determining the fair value.

Below table shows the investment company return information of the Fund in the last five (5) recently completed fiscal years as at June 30, 2021:

	Yields	NAVPS	NAVPS Date
Year on year yield (1-year)	0.3212%	1.7437	June 30, 2020
3 Year - Simple	15.0023%	1.5211	June 29, 2018
5Year - Simple	9.5435%	1.5969	June 30, 2016

#### 13. INTEREST INCOME

		June 2021	June 2020		
Fixed income securities	P	2,649,986	P	4,005,796	
Special savings deposits		25,618		578,285	
Cash in banks		11,035		3,761	
	P	2,686,639	P	4,587,842	

#### 14. EARNINGS (LOSS) PER SHARE

The calculation of the earnings per share for the quarter is based on the following data:

	June 2021	June 2020
Total comprehensive income (loss)		
for the year	(P 1,648,492)	P 7,233,403
Weighted average number of outstanding shares for the purpose of computing		
earnings per share	146,276,820	153,930,879
Basic and diluted earnings (loss) per share	(P 0.011)	P 0.047

#### 15. FAIR VALUE OF FINANCIAL INSTRUMENTS

Assets and liabilities measured at fair value on a recurring basis

The following table provides an analysis of financial instruments that are measured subsequent to initial recognition at fair value classified under level 1 based on the degree to which the inputs to fair value are observable.

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	Note	Level 1
June 30, 2021		
Fixed-income securities	5	P 153,941,740
Special savings deposit	5	35,527,500
Investments in Mutual funds	5	3,053,881
Investments in UITF	5	2,297,663
		P 194,820,784
December 31, 2020		
Fixed-income securities	5	P281,692,550
Investments in UITF	5	2,271,511
		P283,964,061

The fair value of the special savings deposit is based on discounted cash flow analysis using prevailing market interest rates.

The fair values of fixed-income securities classified as Level 1 are based on quoted prices of either done deals or bid rates.

Investments in mutual funds are valued at their published NAVPS as at reporting date.

UITFs are valued at their published Net Asset Value Per Unit (NAVPUs) as at reporting date.

No transfers in fair value hierarchy were made as at June 30, 2021. Total unrealized gain or loss on investments relating to financial assets that are measured at fair value at the end of the reporting period are presented separately in the statements of comprehensive income and disclosed in Note 5.

Financial assets and liabilities not measured at fair value

The following financial assets and financial liabilities are not measured at fair values on recurring basis but the fair value disclosure is required:

					Fair Values							
	Notes	Carrying Amounts		Level 1			Level 2	Total				
June 30, 2021												
Financial Assets												
Cash in banks	4	P	21,180,002	P	21,1	80,002	P	-	P	21,180,002		
Accrued interest receivable Prepayments and other	6		518,645			-		518,645		518,645		
current assets	7		45,470			-		45,470	45,470 P 21,744,117			
		P	21,744,117	P	21,1	80,002		P 564,115				
Financial Liabilities												
Accrued expenses & other payables	8	P	2,579,720	J	P	-	P	2,579,720	P	2,579,720		
Payable to fund manager	9		244,198			-		244,198		244,198		
		P	2,823,918	P	)	-	P	2,823,918	P	2,823,918		
							Fa	ir Values				
	Notes	otes Carrying Amounts		Level 1		Level 2		Total				
December 31, 2020												
Financial Assets												
Cash in banks	4	P	9,572,900	P	9,5	72,900	I	_	P	9,572,900		
Accrued interest receivable	6		1,175,166			-		1,175,166		1,175,166		

The difference between the carrying amount of accrued expenses and other payables disclosed in the statements of financial position and the amount disclosed in this note pertains to withholding and documentary stamp taxes that are not considered financial liabilities.

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Cash and cash equivalents, accrued interest receivable, accrued expenses and other payables, due to brokers and payable to fund manager have short-term maturities, hence, their carrying amounts approximate their fair values.

#### Item 2. Management's Discussion and Analysis of Financial Condition and Results of Operations

The Performance of the Company could be measured by the following indicators:

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- 1. **Increase/Decrease in NAVPS.** NAVPS is computed by dividing net assets (total assets less total liabilities) by the total number of shares issued and outstanding plus the total number of shares outstanding due to deposit for future subscriptions ("DFFS") and for conversion to shares, if any, as of the end of the reporting day. Any increase or decrease in NAVPS translates to a prospective capital gain or capital loss, respectively, for the Fund's shareholders.
- 2. **Net Investment Income**. Represents the total earnings of the Fund from its investment securities, less operating expenses and income tax. This gauges how efficiently the Fund utilizes its resources in a given time period.

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Financial Liabilities

payables

Accrued expenses & other

Payable to fund manager

- 3. **Assets Under Management (AUM).** These are the assets under the Fund's disposal. This measures investor confidence (increase/decrease brought about by investor subscriptions/redemptions) as well as the growth of the Fund (increase/decrease brought about by its operational income and market valuation of its assets and liabilities).
- 4. Cash Flow. Determines whether the Fund was able to achieve the optimal level of liquidity by being able to meet all its scheduled payments, while maintaining at the same time the maximum investments level and minimum cash level.

Management's Discussion and Analysis of Financial Condition and Results of Operations

Material Changes in the 2nd Quarter Financial Statements

Statement of Financial Position and Statements of Changes in Equity – June 30, 2021 vs. December 31, 2020

	30-Jun-21		31-Dec-20		M	Percentage	MADAG
For the Period Ended	Unaudited		Audited		Movement	(%)	MDAS
Cash and cash equivalents	P 21,180,00	)2 F	9,572,900	P	11,607,102	121.25%	Liquidity requirements are met.
Financial assets at fair value through profit or loss	194,820,78	34	283,964,061		(89,143,277)	-31.39%	The decrease is due to disposal of fixed income investments during the period.
Accrued interest receivable	518,64	15	1,175,166		(656,521)	-55.87%	Collection of interest depends on the scheduled interest payments of each asset.
Prepayments and other current assets	45,47	70	-		45,470	100.00%	This account pertains to prepaid expenses to be amortized until end of the accounting period.
Total Assets	216,564,90	1	294,712,127		(78,147,226)	-26.52%	
Accrued expenses and other payables	2,599,12	27	459,246		2,139,881	465.96%	Increase mainly due to outstanding payable to investors for redemption of their investments processed on or before end of the reporting period, which are usually settled four (4) days after the transaction date.
Payable to fund manager	244,19	8	292,964		(48,766)	-16.65%	The decrease in fees was due to lower AUM during the period.
Income tax payable	-		694		(694)	-100.00%	Income tax payable as of year-end 2020, settled in 2021.
Total Liabilities	2,843,32	25	752,904		2,090,421	277.65%	
Share capital	4,031,45	3	4,031,453		-	0.00%	
Additional paid in capital	509,648,80	)5	509,647,036		1,769	0.00%	
Retained earnings	151,805,91	1	153,454,403		(1,648,492)	-1.07%	Net loss for the second quarter of 2021.
Treasury Shares	(451,764,59	3)	(373,173,669)		(78,590,924)	21.06%	Acquisition of treasury shares during the period.
Net Assets	216,564,90	)1	294,712,127		(80,237,647)	-27.23%	Decrease mainly due to net loss brought by both realized losses & unrealized losses on investments during the quarter.
Net Assets Value per Share	P 1.749	3 F	1.7550	P	(0.0057)	-0.33%	

There were no known trends, demands, commitments, events or uncertainties that will result in or that are reasonably likely to result in increasing or decreasing the Company's liquidity in any material way.

There was no contingent liability reflected in the accompanying interim unaudited financial statements.

The Company does not anticipate having any cash flow or liquidity problems as it complies with the liquidity requirements per ICA-IRR 6.10. The Company was able to meet all its monetary obligations to its shareholders (for redemption) and creditors for the period covered. It does not foresee any event that could trigger a direct or contingent financial obligation that is material to its operations.

There were no material off-balance sheet transactions, arrangements, obligations (including contingent obligations), and other relationships of the Fund with unconsolidated entities/other persons created during the reporting period. Likewise, there are no material commitments for capital expenditures, known trends, events, or uncertainties that have had or that are reasonably expected to have a material impact on net income/revenue from the continuing operations of the Company.

There are no other significant events and transactions from the last annual reporting period that is required for disclosure this quarter.

Statement of Comprehensive Income for the Six months ended - June 30, 2021 vs. June 30, 2020

	30-Jun-21	30-Jun-20	Movement	Percentage	MDAS
	Unaudited	Unaudited		(%)	
Investment Income	P 1,593,301	P 7,938,291	P (6,344,990)		The decrease mainly due to net realized losses upon disposal of fixed income investments & lower interest income during the period.
Operating Expenses	1,925,377	1,945,387	(20,010)	-1.03%	Lower management fees were brought by lower AUM for the period compared to the same quarter last year.
Net Unrealized Gains (Losses) on Investments	(782,033)	2,111,275	(2,893,308)	-137.04%	The decrease was due to lower investments in fixed income securities compared to prior year in which the market condition for both years has unfavorable impact.
Provision for Income Tax	534,383	870,776	(336,393)	-38.63%	Final taxes of interest income earned from fixed income investments.
Net Investment Income (Loss)	(1,648,492)	7,233,403	(8,881,895)	-122.79%	

Average daily net asset value from January to June 2021 and January to June 2020 is PHP 259,194,117 and PHP 257,794,929, respectively.

The Company has no unusual nature of transactions or events that affect assets, liabilities, equity, net income or cash flows.

There were no commitments, guarantees and contingent liabilities that arise in the normal course of operations of the Company which are not reflected in the accompanying interim unaudited financial statements.

The management of the Fund is of the opinion that there were no income or losses from these items that will have any material effect on its interim unaudited financial statements.

There were no known material events subsequent to the end of the quarterly reporting period that have not been reflected in the Fund's interim unaudited financial statements as at the period ended June 30, 2021. There were no significant elements of income or loss that did not arise from the Company's continuing operations.

There were no changes in estimates of amount reported in the current financial year or changes in estimates of amounts reported in prior financial years.

#### PART II - RISK MANAGEMENT

#### Item 1. Financial Risk Exposures of the Company

#### 1. Financial Risk Management Objectives and Policies

The Company's activities expose it to a variety of financial risks: interest rate risk; credit risk; and liquidity risk. The Fund Manager exerts best efforts to anticipate events that would negatively affect the value of the Company' assets and takes appropriate actions to counter these risks. However, there is no guarantee that the strategies will work as intended. The policies for managing specific risks are summarized below:

- **1.1 Market Risk:** Interest Rate Risk is a type of Market Risk which is applicable to the Fund's investments in bonds, if any. This refers to the increase/decrease of a bond price due to movement in market factors such as changes in interest rates. A change in interest rates is the period when interest rates rise or fall thus causing the decline or increase in the market price of the bonds held by the Fund, if any. This risk is minimized by closely monitoring the direction of interest rates and aligning it with the appropriate strategy of the Fund.
- 1.2 Credit Risk: Investments in bonds carry the risk that the issuer of the bonds might default on its interest and principal payments. In the event of default, the Fund's value will be adversely affected and may result in a write-off of the concerned asset held by the Fund. To mitigate the risk, each Issuer/Borrower/Counterparty passes through a stringent credit process to determine whether its credit quality complies with the prescribed standards of the Fund. Further, the credit quality of the Issuer/Borrower/Counterparty is reviewed periodically to ensure that excellent credit standing is maintained. Moreover, a 10% exposure limit to a single entity is likewise observed.
- 1.3 Liquidity Risk: The Fund is usually able to service redemptions of investors within seven (7) banking days after receipt of the notice of redemption by paying out redemptions from available cash or near cash assets in its portfolio. However, when redemptions exceed the Funds available cash or near cash assets in its portfolio, the Fund will have to sell its other security holdings; and during periods of extreme market volatility, the Fund may not be able to find a buyer for such assets. Consequently, the Fund may not be able to generate sufficient cash from its sale of assets to meet the redemptions within the normal seven (7) banking day period. To mitigate this, the Fund maintains adequate highly liquid assets in the form of cash, cash equivalents and near cash assets in its portfolio. As the Fund's portfolio is composed of liquid assets, liquidity risk is deemed low.

The following are additional risks present in managing the Fund, however, non-quantifiable.

- 1.4 Regulatory Risk: The Fund's investments and operations are subject to various regulations affecting among others, accounting of assets and taxation. These regulations occasionally change, and may result in lower returns or even losses borne by the investors. For example, a higher tax imposed on the sale or purchase of underlying assets of the Fund may result in lower net asset value of the Fund. To mitigate this risk, SLAMCI adopts global best practices. Further, it maintains regular communications with the relevant government agencies to keep itself abreast of the issues giving them concern, and to have the opportunity to help them set standards for good governance. SLAMCI also takes an active participation in the Philippine Investment Funds Association, Inc. ("PIFA"), an association of mutual fund companies in the Philippines.
- **1.5 Non-guarantee:** Unlike deposits made with banks, an investment in the Fund is neither insured nor guaranteed by the Philippine Deposit Insurance Corporation ("PDIC"). Hence, investors carry the risk of losing the value of their investment, without any guaranty in the form of insurance. Moreover, as with any investment, it is important to note that past performance of the Fund does not guarantee its future success.
- **1.6 Dilution Risk:** Being an open-end mutual fund, various investors may effectively subscribe to any amount of shares of the Fund. As such, investors face the risk of their investments being diluted as more investors subscribe to shares of the Fund. The influence that the investors can exert over the control and management of the Fund decreases proportionately.
- **1.7 Large Transaction Risk:** If an investor in a Fund makes a large transaction, the Fund's cash flow may be affected. For example, if an investor redeems a large number of shares of a Fund, that Fund may be forced to sell securities at unfavorable prices to pay for the proceeds of redemption. This unexpected sale may have a negative impact on the net asset value of the Fund.
- **1.8 Fund Manager Risk:** The performance of the Fund is also dependent on the Fund Manager's skills. Hence, the Fund may underperform in the market and/or in comparison with similar funds due to investment decisions made by the Fund Manager, and may also fail to meet the Fund's investment objectives. The Board of Directors of the Issuer, however, shall ensure that all investment policies and restrictions enumerated in this Prospectus are strictly followed.

**1.9 Operational Risk:** This is the risk of loss resulting from inadequate or failed internal processes, controls, people, and systems. Categories of operational risks may fall under: sales and distribution, human resources, information technology, processes and people, accounting and finance, model risk, legal and regulatory and third party relationships. The Fund ensures that internal controls and practices are consistent with enterprise wide policies supporting the management of operational risks. The Fund has established business specific guidelines. Comprehensive investment program, including appropriate levels of self-insurance, is maintained to provide protection against potential losses.

#### 2. Capital Risk Management

The Company manages its capital to ensure that the Company will be able to continue as a going concern while maximizing the return to stakeholders through the optimization of the mix of high-quality debt from domestic issuers.

The Company is guided by its Investment Policies and Legal Limitations. All the proceeds from the sale of shares, including the original subscription payments at the time of incorporation constituting the paid-in capital, is held by the pertinent custodian banks.

The Company manages capital and NAVPS, to ensure that the Company's net asset value remains competitive and appealing to prospective investors.

The Company is also governed by the following fundamental investment policies:

- It does not issue senior securities;
- It does not intend to incur any debt or borrowing. In the event that borrowing is necessary, it can do so only if, at the time of its incurrence or immediately thereafter, there is asset coverage of at least 300% for all its borrowings;
- It does not participate in any underwriting or selling group in connection with the public distribution of securities, except for its own share capital;
- It generally maintains a diversified portfolio. Industry concentrations may vary at any time depending on the investment manager's view on the prospects;
- It does not invest directly in real estate properties and developments;
- It does not purchase or sell commodity futures contracts;
- It does not engage in lending operations to related parties such as the members of the Board of Directors, officers of the Company and any affiliates, or affiliated corporations of the Company;
- The asset mix in each type of security is determined from time to time, as warranted by economic and investment conditions;
- It does not change its investment objectives without the prior approval of a majority of its shareholders.

The Investment Policies refer to the following:

- Investment Objective to provide regular returns through investments in credit risk-free government debt securities issued by the Philippine government.
- Benchmark 95% of the Bloomberg Philippine Sovereign Bond Index 1 to 5 Years (BPHIL15 Index) + 5% 30-day Special Savings Account (SSA)
- Asset Allocation Range the Company allocates its funds available for investments among cash
  and other deposit substitutes and fixed-income securities based on certain proportion as
  approved by Management.

Other matters covered in the investment policy include the fees due to be paid to the Fund Manager with management and distribution fees each set at an annual rate of 1.0% of the net assets attributable to shareholders on each valuation day.

In compliance to SEC Memorandum Circular No. 21, Series of 2019 signed on September 24, 2019 in relation to independent Net Asset Value (NAV) calculation, SLAMCI (Fund Manager) engaged Citibank, N.A. Philippines to service its fund accounting functions including calculation of its NAV every dealing day. In December 2020, SLAMCI implemented the outsourced fund accounting to all Sun Life Prosperity Funds.

As at June 30, 2021 and December 31, 2020, the Company is in compliance with the above requirements and minimum equity requirement of the SEC of P50,000,000.

#### 3. The amount and description of the company's investment in foreign securities:

The Company does not have any investment in foreign securities.

4. The significant judgments made in classifying a particular financial instrument in the fair value hierarchy.

#### CRITICAL ACCOUNTING IUDGMENTS AND KEY SOURCES OF ESTIMATION UNCERTAINTY

In the application of the Company's accounting policies, Management is required to make judgments, estimates and assumptions about the carrying amounts of assets and liabilities that are not readily apparent from other sources. The estimates and associated assumptions are based on the historical experience and other factors that are considered to be relevant. Actual results may differ from these estimates.

The estimates and underlying assumptions are reviewed on an ongoing basis. Revisions to accounting estimates are recognized in the period in which the estimate is revised if the revision affects only that period or in the period of the revision and future periods if the revision affects both current and future periods.

#### **Critical Judgments in Applying Accounting Policies**

The following are the critical judgments, apart from those involving estimations, that Management has made in the process of applying the Company's accounting policies that have the most significant effect on the amounts recognized in the financial statements.

#### Business model assessment

Classification and measurement of financial assets depends on the results of the SPPI and the business model test. The Company determines the business model at a level that reflects how groups of financial assets are managed together to achieve a particular business objective. This assessment includes judgment reflecting all relevant evidence including how the performance of the assets is evaluated and their performance measured, the risks that affect the performance of the assets and how these are managed and how the managers of the assets are compensated. The Company monitors financial assets measured at amortized cost that are derecognized prior to their maturity to understand the reason for their disposal and whether the reasons are consistent with the objective of the business for which the asset was held. Monitoring is part of the Company's continuous assessment of whether the business model for which the remaining financial assets are held continues to be appropriate and if it is not appropriate whether there has been a change in business model and so a prospective change to the classification of those assets.

The Company measures its financial assets at amortized cost if the financial asset qualifies for both SPPI and business model test. The Company's business model is to hold the asset and to collect its cash flows which are SPPI. All other financial assets that do not meet the SPPI and business model test are measured at FVTPL.

#### Significant increase of credit risk

ECL are measured as an allowance equal to 12-month ECL for stage 1 assets, or lifetime ECL assets for stage 2 or stage 3 assets. An asset moves to stage 2 when its credit risk has increased significantly since initial recognition. PFRS 9 does not define what constitutes a significant increase in credit risk. In assessing whether the credit risk of an asset has significantly increased the Company takes into account qualitative and quantitative reasonable and supportable forward looking information.

The Company considers a financial instrument to have experienced a significant increase in credit risk when one or more of the qualitative and quantitative criteria have been met.

As at June 30, 2021, the Company's financial instrument measured at amortized cost has not experienced a significant increase in its credit risk.

#### Models and assumptions used

The Company uses various models and assumptions in measuring the fair value of financial assets as well as in estimating ECL. Judgment is applied in identifying the most appropriate model for each type of asset, as well as for determining the assumptions used in these models, including assumptions that relate to key drivers of credit risk.

#### Functional currency

Based on the economic substance of the underlying circumstances relevant to the Company, the functional currency of the Company has been determined to be the Philippine peso (PHP). The PHP is the currency of the primary economic environment in which the Company operates. It is the currency being used to report the Company's results of operations.

#### Loans and receivables designated at FVTPL

The Company designated its special savings deposits as financial asset at FVTPL since it forms part of a group of managed financial assets whose performance is evaluated on a fair value basis, in accordance with the Company's documented risk management or investment strategy. The information about the group of managed financial assets is provided internally on that basis to the Company's management.

#### Puttable shares designated as equity instruments

The Company designated its redeemable share capital as equity instruments since the Company's share capital met the specified criteria as prescribed by PAS 32, *Financial Instruments: Presentation* to be presented as equity.

A puttable financial instrument includes a contractual obligation for the issuer to repurchase or redeem that instrument for cash or another financial asset on exercise of the put. As an exception to the definition of a financial liability, an instrument that includes such an obligation is classified as an equity instrument if it has met all the following features:

- a. it entitles the holder to a pro rata share of the entity's net assets in the event of the entity's liquidation. The entity's net assets are those assets that remain after deducting all other claims on its assets;
- b. it is in the class of instruments that is subordinate to all other classes of instruments;
- c. all financial instruments in the class of instruments that is subordinate to all other classes of instruments have identical features;
- d. apart from the contractual obligation for the issuer to repurchase or redeem the instrument for cash or another financial asset, the instrument does not include any contractual obligation to deliver cash or another financial asset to another entity, or to exchange financial assets or financial liabilities with another entity under conditions that are potentially unfavorable to the entity, and it is not a contract that will or may be settled in the entity's own equity instruments; and
- e. the total expected cash flows attributable to the instrument over the life of the instrument are based substantially on the profit or loss, the change in the recognized net assets or the change in the fair value of the recognized and unrecognized net assets of the entity over the life of the instrument (excluding any effects of the instrument).

As at June 30, 2021 and December 31, 2020, the recognized amount of share capital representing puttable shares in the statements of financial position amounted to P4,031,453.

#### **Key Sources of Estimation Uncertainty**

The following are the Company's key assumptions concerning the future and other key sources of estimation uncertainty at the end of each reporting period that have a significant risk of causing a material adjustment to the carrying amounts of assets and liabilities within the next financial year.

#### Probability of default (PD)

PD constitutes a key input in measuring ECL. PD is an estimate of the likelihood of default over a given time horizon, the calculation of which includes historical data, assumptions and expectations of future conditions.

As at June 30, 2021, the Company assessed a nil probability of default for all of its financial assets measured at amortized cost.

#### Loss Given Default (LGD)

LGD is an estimate of the loss arising on default. It is based on the difference between the contractual cash flows due and those that the lender would expect to receive, taking into account cash flows from collateral and integral credit enhancements.

The Company uses portfolio averages from external estimates sourced out from Standard and Poor's (S&P) as the LGD estimates.

#### Estimating loss allowance for ECL

The measurement of the ECL allowance for financial assets measured at amortized cost and FVTOCI is an area that requires the use of complex models and significant assumptions about future economic conditions and credit behavior.

A number of significant judgments are also required in applying the accounting requirements for measuring ECL, such as:

- Determining criteria for significant increase in credit risk;
- Choosing appropriate models and assumptions for the measurement of ECL; and
- Establishing the number and relative weightings of forward-looking scenarios and the associated ECL.

As at June 30, 2021, the Company estimated a loss allowance amounting to nil for all of its financial assets measured at amortized cost.

#### Estimating allowances for doubtful accounts

The Company estimates the allowance for doubtful accounts related to its receivables based on assessment of specific accounts when the Company has information that certain counterparties are unable to meet their financial obligations. In these cases, judgment used was based on the best available facts and circumstances including but not limited to, the length of relationship with the counterparty and the counterparty's current credit status based on credit reports and known market factors. The Company uses judgment to record specific reserves for counterparties against amounts due to reduce the expected collectible amounts. These specific reserves are re-evaluated and adjusted as additional information received impacts the amounts estimated.

The amounts and timing of recorded expenses for any period would differ if different judgments were made or different estimates were utilized. An increase in the allowance for doubtful accounts would increase the recognized operating expenses and decrease current assets.

#### Deferred tax assets

The Company reviews the carrying amount at the end of each reporting period and reduces deferred tax assets to the extent that it is no longer probable that sufficient taxable profit will be available to allow all or part of the deferred tax assets to be utilized. However, there is no assurance that the Company will generate sufficient taxable profit that will allow all or part of its deferred tax assets to be utilized.

Based on Management's expectation of the Company's future taxable income, the Company did not recognize deferred tax assets as at June 30, 2021 and December 31, 2020.

<u>Determining fair value of investments in debt securities and special savings deposits classified as financial</u> assets at FVTPL

The Company carries its investments in traded debt securities and special savings deposits at fair value, which requires the use of accounting estimates and judgment. Since market interest rate is a significant component of fair value measurement, fair value would differ if the Company applied a different set of reference rates in the valuation methodology. Any change in the fair value of these financial assets would affect profit or loss and equity.

#### Compliance with Foreign Account Tax Compliance Act (FATCA)

In accordance with the requirements of the US Internal Revenue Service ("IRS") and the Intergovernmental Agreement ("IGA") between the Government of the United States of America and the Government of the Republic of the Philippines to Improve International Tax Compliance and to Implement FATCA which was signed last July 13, 2015, the Fund has registered with the Internal Revenue Service (IRS) and has obtained its own Global Intermediary Identification Number ("GIIN") as a sponsored entity. Sun Life Asset Management Company, Inc. ("SLAMCI") continues to assume responsibilities for the Fund's FATCA compliance as the Sponsoring Entity and has implemented FATCA onboarding processes and procedures as well as system enhancements to monitor its new and pre-existing account holders who are U.S. Persons and have U.S. Indicia.

The Fund, together with its Sponsoring Entity, SLAMCI, is preparing to comply for FATCA reporting on the date which will be set by the Bureau of Internal Revenue as soon as the IGA has been ratified by the Senate.

#### SIGNATURES

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Regulation Code, the issuer has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned thereunto duly authorized.

Issuer : Sun Life Prosperity GS Fund, Inc.

Principal Financial/Accounting Officer/Comptroller:

Signature and Title : <u>Treasurer</u>

Date : August 17, 2021

## SUN LIFE PROSPERITY GS FUND, INC.

Schedule of Financial Soundness Indicators and Financial Ratios June 30, 2021 and December 31, 2020

	Formula	2021	2020	
Current/ Liquidty Ratios				
a. Current ratio	Current Assets/Current Liabilities	76.17:1	391.43:1	
b. Quick ratio	Quick Assets/Current Liabilities 76.15:1		391.43:1	
c. Cash ratio	Cash/Current Liabilities	7.45:1	12.71:1	
d. Days in receivable	Receivable/Revenue * No. of days	N/A	N/A	
e. Working capital ratio	(Current Assets/Current Liabilities)/Current Assets	0.99:1	1.00:1	
f. Net working capital to sales ratio	Working Capital / Total Revenue	134.14:1	14.18:1	
g. Defensive Interval Ratio	360* (Quick Assets / Proj. Daily Operting Expense)	40484.02:1	25,338.68:1	
Solvency Ratios				
a. Long-term debt to equity ratio	Noncurrent Liabilities/Total Equity	N/A	N/A	
b. Debt to equity ratio	Total Liabilities/Total Equity	0.01:1	0.00:1	
c. Long term debt to total asset ratio	Noncurrent Liabilities/Total Assets	N/A	N/A	
d. Total debt to asset ratio	Total Liabilities/Total Assets	0.01:1	0.00:1	
Asset to equity ratio	Total Assets/Total Equity	1.01:1	1.00:1	
Interest rate coverage ratio	Earning Before Income Tax/Interest Expense	N/A	N/A	
Profitability Ratio				
a. Earnings before interest and taxes (EBIT) margin	EBIT/Revenue	-69.92%	51.37%	
b. Earnings before interest, taxes and depreciation and amortization (EBITDA) margin	EBITDA/Revenue	-69.92%	51.37%	
c. Pre-tax margin	EBIT/Revenue	-69.92%	51.37%	
d. Effective tax rate	Income Tax/EBIT	-47.97%	14.66%	
e. Post-tax margin	Net Income After Tax/Revenue	-103.46%	43.84%	
f. Return on equity	Net Income After Tax/Average Common Equity	-0.65%	3.49%	
g. Return on asset	NIAT/Average Total Assets	-0.64%	3.48%	
Capital intensity ratio	Total Assets/Revenue	135.92:1	14.22:1	
Dividend payout ratio	Dividends paid/Net Income	N/A	N/A	

## Sun Life Prosperity GS Fund Inc.

PIBD2031G171

## i. Percentage of Investment in a Single Enterprise to Net Asset Value

As of June 30, 2021 and December 31, 2020

Treasury Notes (ISIN) - Republic of the Philippines

PIBD2031G171	-	194,820,784	0.00%	20,608,350.00	293,959,223	7.01%
PIID0525H130	35,005,950	194,820,784	17.97%	261,084,200.00	293,959,223	88.82%
PIBD1030G655	10,426,570	194,820,784	5.35%	-	293,959,223	0.00%
PIID0324C115	76,036,480	194,820,784	39.03%	_	293,959,223	0.00%
PIBD0526D772	25,447,750	194,820,784	13.06%	_	293,959,223	0.00%
PIBD0320D772 PIBD0728D649	7,024,990	194,820,784	3.61%		293,959,223	0.00%
P1BD0/28D049	7,024,770	174,020,704	3.0170	_	273,737,223	0.0070
Investments in Mutual Funds						
SUN LIFE PROSPERITY PESO STARTER FUND, INC.	3,053,881	194,820,784	1.57%	-	293,959,223	0.00%
Comments Issues						
Corporate Loans .ANZ 2.22 09/08/2021	14,527,500	194,820,784	7.46%	_	293,959,223	0.00%
.SC 2.735 08/25/2021	21,000,000	194,820,784	10.78%	_	293,959,223	0.00%
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Investments in UITF						
BPI MONEY MARKET FUND	1,151,889	194,820,784	0.59%	1,144,289	293,959,223	0.39%
RIZAL PESO CASH MANAGEMENT FUND	1,130,492	194,820,784	0.58%	1,127,222	293,959,223	0.38%
SB PESO MONEY MARKET FUND	15,282	194,820,784	0.01%	-	293,959,223	0.00%
Total Investment of the Fund to the Outstanding Securities ii. of an Investee Company						
As of June 30, 2021 and December 31, 2020						
		2021			2020	
		Outstanding Securities			Outstanding Securities	
	Investment of the	of an Investee	0.4	Investment of the	of an Investee	2.4
The state of the s	Fund	Company	% over Investee	Fund	Company	% over Investee
Treasury Notes (ISIN) - Republic of the Philippines		**		15 000 000 00	055 005 450 000	0.040/
PIBD2031G171	-		- 0.040/	15,000,000.00	255,837,150,000	0.01%
PIID0525H130	35,000,000	516,340,790,000	0.01%	260,000,000.00	516,340,790,000	0.05%
PIBD1030G655	11,000,000	30,000,000,000	0.04%	-	**	=
PIID0324C115	76,000,000	463,321,670,000	0.02%	-	**	-
PIBD0526D772	25,000,000	35,000,000,000	0.07%	-	**	-
PIBD0728D649	7,000,000	60,000,000,000	0.01%	=	**	-
Investments in Mutual Funds						
SUN LIFE PROSPERITY PESO STARTER FUND, INC.	2,339,601	19,997,289,933	0.01%	-	**	-
Corporate Loans	14 507 500	44			4c4	
.ANZ 2.22 09/08/2021	14,527,500	**	-	-	**	-
.SC 2.735 08/25/2021	21,000,000	**	-	-	<b>↑</b> ↑	-
Investments in UITF						
BPI MONEY MARKET FUND	4,393	54,863,820,000	0.00%	4,393	61,961,860,000	0.00%
RIZAL PESO CASH MANAGEMENT FUND	991,051	1,336,750,000	0.07%	991,051	1,315,490,000	0.08%
SB PESO MONEY MARKET FUND	10,696	21,196,290,000	0.00%	-	**	-
iii Total Investment in Liquid or Semi-Liquid Assets to Total A	ssets					
As of June 30, 2021 and December 31, 2020						
	2021		2020			
Total Liquid and Semi-Liquid Assets	216,519,431		294,712,127			
Total Assets	216,564,901		294,712,127			
	99.98%		100.00%			
iv. Total Operating Expenses to Total Net Worth						
As of June 30, 2021 and December 31, 2020						
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	2021		2020			
Total Operating Expenses	1,925,377		4,187,130			
Average Daily Net Worth	259,194,117		274,369,285			
Total Operating Expenses to Total Net Worth	0.74%		1.53%			
v. Total Assets to Total Borrowings						
As of June 30, 2021 and December 31, 2020						
	2021		2020			
Total Assets	216,564,901		294,712,127			
Total Borrowings	2,843,325		752,904			
Total Assets to Total Borrowings	7617%		39143%			

2021

Net Asset Value

194,820,784

% over NAV

0.00%

Investment

(Market Value)

2020

Net Asset Value

293,959,223

% over NAV

7.01%

Investment

(Market Value)

20,608,350.00

## SUN LIFE PROSPERITY GS FUND, INC. Schedule of Investments Financial assets at fair value through profit and loss

	June 30, 2021		December 31, 2020		
Name of Issuing Entity and Association of Each Issue	Principal Amount of	Amount Shown in	Principal Amount of	Amount Shown in	
	Bonds and Notes	Balance Sheet	<b>Bonds and Notes</b>	Balance Sheet	
Investments in Mutual Funds					
SUN LIFE PROSPERITY PESO STARTER FUND, INC.	2,339,601	P 3,053,881	-	P 0	
Corporate Loans					
.ANZ 2.22 09/08/2021	14,527,500	14,527,500			
.SC 2.735 08/25/2021	21,000,000	21,000,000	-	-	
	35,527,500	35,527,500	-	-	
Investments in UITF					
SB PESO MONEY MARKET FUND	10,696	15,282	-	-	
BPI MONEY MARKET FUND	4,393	1,151,889	4,393	1,144,289	
RIZAL PESO CASH MANAGEMENT FUND	991,051	1,130,492	991,051	1,127,222	
	1,006,141	2,297,663	995,444	2,271,511	
Treasury Bonds and Notes Issued by the Nat'l. Government					
Treasury Notes - Republic of the Philippines	154,000,000	153,941,740	275,000,000	281,692,550	
GRAND TOTAL	192,873,242	P 194,820,784	275,995,444	P 283,964,061	



### Sun Life Prosperity Government Securities (GS) Fund

April 30, 2021

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March 1, 2005 Fund Structure Launch Date Mutual Fund (Shares) Transfer Agency Fee 0.15% PHP 255,179,520.17 **Fund Size Fund Classification** Minimum Holding Period Fixed Income Fund None **Net Asset Value Per Share** 1.7358 Minimum Subscription PHP 1,000 Early Redemption Fee None **Benchmark** 95% Bloomberg Sovereign Bond **Minimum Subsequent** PHP 1,000 **Redemption Settlement** T+3 business days Index 1 to 5 Year + 5% 30-day SSA Management and Distribution Fee 1.00%

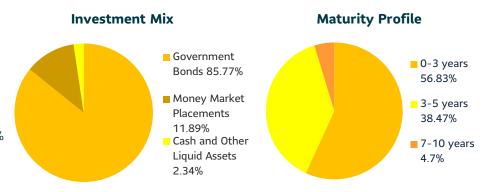
## What does the Fund invest in?

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

- 1. Treasury Notes 2024, 48.74%
- 2. Treasury Notes 2025, 33%
- 3. Money Market Other Banks, 9.8%
- 4. Treasury Notes 2030, 4.03%
- 5. Sun Life Prosperity Money Market Fund, 1.19%



## How has the Fund performed?



**Note:** Year-to-date (YTD) returns are computed as the return from the last business day of the previous year to the last business day of the reporting month.

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Sun Life Prosperity GS Fund

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## **Market Review**

- Short-dated peso bonds gained roughly 0.5% month-on-month.
- 3Y yields closed the month at 2.60% levels, finally breaking the long-time 2.75% support as US benchmark yields moved lower over the month.
- 5Y bonds followed to a degree, but were kept elevated due to new bonds being issued at 3.375%.
- The Prosperity GS Fund (-1.10%) lags the year-todate return of its benchmark (-0.59%) due to security selection.

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**Launch Date Fund Size Net Asset Value Per Share Benchmark** 

March 1, 2005 Fund Structure PHP 217.194.532.85 1.7443

**Fund Classification Minimum Subscription** 95% Bloomberg Sovereign Bond Minimum Subsequent Index 1 to 5 Year + 5% 30-day SSA Management and Distribution Fee Mutual Fund (Shares) Transfer Agency Fee 1.00%

Fixed Income Fund Minimum Holding Period PHP 1,000 Early Redemption Fee PHP 1,000 Redemption Settlement

0.15% None None T+3 business days

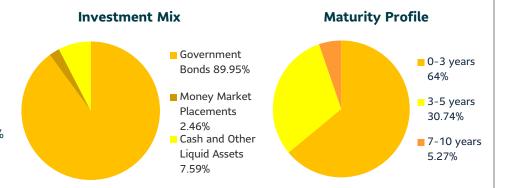
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#### **Top Fixed Income Holdings**

- 1. Treasury Notes 2024, 57.56%
- 2. Treasury Notes 2025, 16.07%
- 3. Treasury Notes 2026, 11.57%
- 4. Treasury Notes 2030, 4.74%
- 5. Sun Life Prosperity Money Market Fund, 1.4%



## How has the Fund performed?



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## Market Review

- Shorter-dated peso bonds outperformed the rest of the curve, with month-on-month returns of about 0.8%.
- Strong demand for shorter-dated bonds saw 3Y bonds trading back at its 2.375% coupon. However, 5Y bonds were sticky at 3.20% levels.
- The BSP kept rates on hold, but vowed to support the economy as necessary. Possibilities of a 2021 RRR cut were raised at the MB meeting.
- The Prosperity GS Fund (-0.62%) lags the yearto-date return of its benchmark (+0.13%) due to security selection.
- Month-on-month, it outperformed its peers on average.

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June 30, 2021

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**Launch Date Fund Size Net Asset Value Per Share Benchmark** 

March 1, 2005 Fund Structure PHP 213,721,064.33

1.7493 **Minimum Subscription** 95% Bloomberg Sovereign Bond Minimum Subsequent Index 1 to 5 Year + 5% 30-day SSA Management and Distribution Fee

**Fund Classification** 

Mutual Fund (Shares) Transfer Agency Fee 1.00%

Fixed Income Fund Minimum Holding Period PHP 1,000 Early Redemption Fee PHP 1,000 Redemption Settlement

0.15% None None T+3 business days

■ 0-3 years

58.88%

3-5 years

31.91%

■ 5-7 years

7-10 years

3 71%

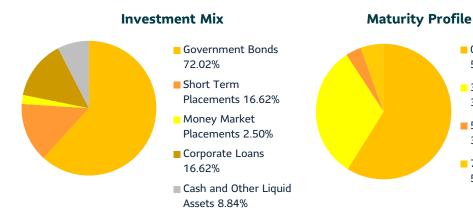
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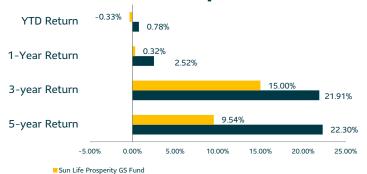
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#### **Top Fixed Income Holdings**

- 1. Treasury Notes 2024, 35.58%
- 2. Treasury Notes 2025, 16.38%
- 3. Treasury Notes 2026, 11.91%
- 4. Corporate Loans 2021, 9.83%
- 5. Short Term Placements 2021, 9.83%



## How has the Fund performed?



■ Benchmark: 95% Bloomberg Sovereign Bond Index (1 to 5 Year)\* + 5% 30-day SSA\*\* Note: Year-to-date (YTD) returns are computed as the return from the last business day of the previous year to the last business day of the reporting month.

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## Market Review

- Local yields are lower by at least 10 basis points across the curve month-on-month.
- Demand for bonds further accelerates from investors, especially along the middle of the curve. Yields are down 20 basis points.
- The Bangko Sentral ng Pilipinas (BSP) reaffirms its pledge to support the market for both USDPHP and local bonds.
- The outlook for local growth continues to be bleak amidst delayed vaccine rollouts.
- The Fund lags the benchmark by 111 basis points year-to-date due to security selection.

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To: CORPORATE GOVERNANCE AND FINANCE DEPARTMENT (CGFD)

Good day.

Please see attached SEC Form 17-L of Sun Life Prosperity GS Fund, Inc.

Please let me know once you receive this e-mail and its attachment.

For any queries / additional comments, kindly contact us at the following e-mail addresses below. Thank you.

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### Certification

- I, <u>Candy S. Esteban</u>, the <u>Treasurer</u> of <u>Sun Life Prosperity GS Fund</u>, <u>Inc.</u>, a corporation duly registered under and by virtue of the laws of the Republic of the Philippines, with SEC registration number <u>CS200417430</u> and with principal office at <u>Sun Life Center</u>, <u>5th Ave. Cor. Rizal Drive Bonifacio Global City</u>, <u>Taguig City</u>, on oath state:
  - 1) That I have caused this <u>SEC Form 17-L</u> to be prepared on behalf of <u>Sun Life Prosperity</u> <u>GS Fund, Inc.</u>;
  - 2) That I have read and understood its contents which are true and correct based on my own personal knowledge and/or on authentic records;
  - That the company <u>Sun Life Prosperity GS Fund, Inc.</u> will comply with the requirements set forth in SEC Notice dated <u>14 May 2021</u> to effect a complete and official submission of reports and/or documents through electronic mail;
  - 4) That I am fully aware that submitted documents which require pre-evaluation and/or payment of processing fee shall be considered complete and officially received only upon payment of a filing fee; and
  - 5) That the e-mail account designated by the company pursuant to SEC Memorandum Circular No. 28, s. 2020 shall be used by the company in its online submissions to CGFD.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand this 5th day of August, 2021.

Candy S. Esteban Affiant

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PASAY CITY

SUBSCRIBED AND SWORN to before me this \_\_\_\_\_day of\_\_\_\_\_\_,2021, in \_\_\_\_\_ City, Philippines. Affiant exhibiting his/her government issued identification card:

Name	Government ID No.	Date of Issue	Place of Issue
Candy S. Esteban	Driver's License N02-95-277891	05/08/2018	Quezon City

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#### SEC FORM 17-L

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  - 2. One signed original and four conformed copies of this Form and attachments thereto must be completed and filed with the Commission and, where any class of the issuer's securities are listed on a Stock Exchange, one with that Stock Exchange, in accordance with SRC Rule 17-1. The information contained in or filed with the Form will be made a matter of the public record in the Commission's and the Exchange's files.
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Form 17-A [ ] Form 17-Q [ • ]
Period-Ended Date of required filing June 30, 2021
Date of this report August 5, 2021
Nothing in this Form shall be construed to imply that the Commission has verified any information contained herein.
If this notification relates to a portion or portions of the filing checked above, identify the item(s) to which the notification relates: SEC FORM 17-Q
1. SEC Identification Number <u>CS200417430</u> 2. BIR Tax Identification No. : <u>234-719-406-000</u>
Sun Life Prosperity GS Fund, Inc.     Exact name of issuer as specified in its charter
Bonifacio Global City, Taguig City     Province, country or other jurisdiction of incorporation
5. Industry Classification Code: (SEC Use Only)
6. 8F Sun Life Centre 5th Avenue cor Rizal Drive Bonifacio Global City, Taguig City 1634
Address of principal office Postal Code
7. (02) – 8555-8888 Issuer's telephone number, including area code
8. N.A. Former name, former address, and former fiscal year, if changed since last report.
9. Are any of the issuer's securities listed on a Stock Exchange?
Yes[ ] No[X]
If yes, disclose the name of such Stock Exchange and the class of securities listed therein:
SEC Form 17-L Instructions 2 February 2001

#### Part I - Representations

If the subject report could not be filed without unreasonable effort or expense and the issuer seeks relief pursuant to SRC Rule 17-1, the following should be completed. (Check box if appropriate)

- (a) The reasons described in reasonable detail in Part II of this Form could not be estimated without unreasonable effort or expense. [ ]
- (b) The subject annual report on SEC Form 17-A, or portion thereof, will be filed on or before the fifteenth calendar day following the prescribed due date; or the subject quarterly report on SEC Form 17-Q, or portion thereof, will be filed on or before the fifth day following the prescribed due date.  $[ \ \ \ \ ]$
- (c) The accountant's statement or other exhibit required by paragraph 3 of SRC Rule 17-1 has been attached if applicable. [ ]

#### Part II - Narrative

State below in reasonable detail the reasons why SEC Form 17-A or SEC Form 17-Q, or portion thereof, could not be filed within the prescribed period. (Attach additional sheets if needed.)

The Company's SEC Form 17-Q for the quarter ending June 30, 2021 could not be completed and filed within the prescribed period. The Company has yet to complete the review of its financial statements and required notes disclosures. The Company undertakes to submit the report within five (5) calendar days after the prescribed deadline to the Securities and Exchange Commission.

#### Part III - Other Information

(a) Name, address and telephone number, including area code, and position/title of person to contact in regard to this notification

#### Candy S. Esteban Treasurer

#### Sun Life Centre 5th Avenue cor Rizal Drive Bonifacio Global City, Taguig City 1634 8555-8888

(b) Have all other periodic reports required under Section 17 of the Code and under Sections 26 and 141 of the Corporation Code of the Philippines during the preceding 12 months, or for such shorter period that the issuer was required to file such report(s), been filed? If the answer is no, identify the report(s).

Yes	[🗸]	No [	Reports:	
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(c) Is it anticipated that any significant change in results of operations from the corresponding period for the last fiscal year will be reflected by the earnings statements to be included in the subject report or portion thereof?

If so, attach an explanation of the anticipated change, both narratively and quantitatively, and, if appropriate, state the reasons why a reasonable estimate of the results cannot be made.

#### **SIGNATURE**

Pursuant to the requirements of the SRC Rule 17-1, the issuer has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned hereunto duly authorized.

Sun Life Prosperity GS Fund, Inc.
Registrant's full name as contained in charter

Treasurer

Date: August 5, 2021