

# **MAY 2022**

### **INVESTMENT OBJECTIVE**

The objective of the Fund is to seek to generate investment returns which are superior to all US\$ income mutual funds registered in Trinidad and Tobago, while providing for acceptable levels of liquidity and credit risk.

### **REASONS FOR INVESTING**

- Investments in a diversified portfolio of debt securities, equities, instruments and contracts which are backed mainly by marketable securities.
- Investment considerations include interest income, capital gains and preservation of capital.
- The Fund aims to generate an attractive level of revenue by investing mainly in both government and non-government bonds denominated in US\$.

# PORTFOLIO MANAGER

The professional fund manager is ANSA Merchant Bank Limited, one of the Caribbean's leading financial institutions, which has its roots in well-known local and international finance houses. ANSA Merchant Bank Limited is a publicly quoted company on the Trinidad & Tobago Stock Exchange with market capitalization in excess of \$3.8 billion.

The Bank manages portfolios in excess of \$8 billion (including insurance funds), which demonstrates the strength and depth of our fund management expertise. ANSA Merchant Bank's range of Financial Services includes:

- Merchant Banking
- Finance Company
- Investment Services
- Leasing
- Foreign Exchange
- Mortgages
- Savings and Pensions Unit Trust

In accordance with good industry practice, the Fund engages independent Trustees.

# **FUND FACTS**

| Asset Class           | Fixed Income      | Management Fee*          | 1.25%         |
|-----------------------|-------------------|--------------------------|---------------|
| Risk Profile          | Moderate          | Portfolio Duration       | 1.94 years    |
| Fund Assets           | US\$11,325,772.70 | Portfolio Inception Date | November 2010 |
| Average Credit Rating | BBB               |                          |               |

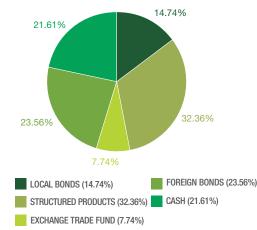
#### IMPORTANT DISCLOSURES & DISCLAIMER

This Fund is neither insured with the Deposit Insurance Corporation in Trinidad and Tobago nor is it guaranteed by the Central Bank of Trinidad and Tobago or by any of the parties related thereto. Performance is subject to variation and is likely to change over time; past performance should not be considered indicative of future performance. Portfolio holdings, duration and mix data are at May 31st 2022. As at May 31st 2022, cash holdings accounted for 21.60% of portfolio assets. 1 Year, 2 Year, 3 Year, 5 Year, and Inception cumulative returns are calculated on a trailing basis. Important information concerning the investment goals, risks, charges and expenses is contained in the prospectus, copies of which are available at ANSA Merchant Bank Ltd or from our website and investors should carefully consider these before investing.

# TOP 10 HOLDINGS — MAY 2022

| SECURITY   | % OF PORTFOLIO |
|--|----------------|
| CITIGROUP CONTINGENT 9.10% EQUITY LINKED NOTE DUE 2024     | 11.60%         |
| CARIBBEAN AIRLINES ZERO COUPON STRIP DUE 2029              | 11.19%         |
| CREDIT SUISSE CONTINGENT 8.15% EQUITY LINKED NOTE DUE 2026 | 9.71%          |
| ISHARES FALLEN ANGEL HIGH YIELD BOND ETF (FALN)            | 7.32%          |
| VANECK VECTORS FALLEN ANGEL HIGH YIELD BOND ETF (ANGL)     | 6.24%          |
| COMMERBANK AG FRANKFURT MEDIUM TERM NOTE 8.125% DUE 2023   | 4.62%          |
| UBS AG 5.125% CONTINGENT CAPITAL FRB DUE 2024              | 4.49%          |
| BARCLAYS CONTINGENT 10.30% EQUITY LINKED NOTE DUE 2027     | 4.41%          |
| BARCLAYS CONTINGENT 7.50% EQUITY LINKED NOTE DUE 2024      | 4.41%          |
| CARIBBEAN AIRLINES FIXED RATE LOAN DUE 2029                | 3.56%          |

# **PORTFOLIO MIX**



# **MATURITY PROFILE**

| > 10 Years   | 0%  |  |
|--------------|-----|--|
| 5 - 10 Years | 15% |  |
| 3 - 5 Years  | 16% |  |
| < 3 Years    | 40% |  |
| Total        | 71% |  |

For further information on the ANSA US\$ Income Fund and how it will help you fulfill your investment needs, call Marissa Marlow at the ANSA US\$ Income Fund Hotline at 800-7700. (868) 622-7700 or (868) 376-4249.

# **FUND PERFORMANCE — PAST RETURNS (CUMULATIVE)**

| YTD    | 1 YEAR | 2 YEAR | 3 YEAR | 5 YEAR | INCEPTION |
|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|-----------|
| -0.65% | 0.55%  | 7.77%  | 8.87%  | 13.57% | 26.34%    |