

# **Principal US Mortgage Fund - Class SGD-Hedged**

31 January 2024



### **Fund Objective**

The Fund aims to maximize total return through investments in one collective investment scheme, which invests primarily in mortgage related securities in the US. In order to achieve its investment objective, the Fund will invest at least 95% of its NAV in the BNP Paribas Flexi I US Mortgage Fund (Target Fund). The Fund will also maintain up to 5% of its NAV in liquid assets for liquidity purposes. The investment objective of the Target Fund is to attain as high a level of total return as may be consistent with the preservation of capital.

### **Lipper Score**

Total Return

Consistent Return





#### **Fund Information**

ISIN Code	MYU1001FV000
Lipper ID	68412763
Bloomberg Ticker	CIMUSMS
Domicile	Malaysia
Currency	SGD
Base Currency	USD
Fund Inception	8 Mar 2017
Benchmark	The Fund adheres to the benchmark of the Target Fund for performance comparison. The benchmark of the Target Fund is Barclays Mortgage- Backed Securities Index for performance measurement.
Application Fee	Up to 3.50% of the NAV per unit
Management Fee	Up to 1.25% per annum of the NAV of the Class
Trustee Fee	0.04% per annum of the NAV of the Fund
Fund Size (SGD)	SGD 574.42
Fund Unit	0.00 million units
NAV per unit (As at 31 Jan 2024)	SGD 0.5680

Initial Offering Period (IOP) Date

Initial Offering Period (IOP) Price

## **Fund Performance**



Fund — Benchmark

Past performance does not guarantee future results. Asset allocation and diversification do not ensure a profit or protect against a loss.

Cumulative Performance (%)								
	YTD	1M	3M	6M	1Y	3Y	5Y	Since Inception
Fund	-0.04	-0.04	8.71	-0.28	-3.88	-39.65	-36.15	-37.33
Benchmark	-0.46	-0.46	9.24	2.72	1.23	-8.82	0.01	4.75

Calendar Year Returns (%)	2023	2022	2021	2020	2019	2018
Fund	-1.37	-16.51	-26.63	2.37	4.06	-2.63
Benchmark	5.05	-11.81	-1.04	3.87	6.35	0.99

Most Recent Fund Distributions	2021 Mar	2020 Dec	2020 Sep	2020 Jun	2020 Mar	2019 Nov
Gross (cent/unit)	0.79	0.51	0.49	0.61	0.72	0.70
Annualised Yield (%)	4.40	2.12	2.08	2.52	3.00	2.92

Note: March 2017 to January 2024.

29 Mar 2017

SGD 1.00

Performance data represents the combined income & capital return as a result of holding units in the fund for the specified length of time, based on bid tibid prices. Earnings are assumed to be reinvested.

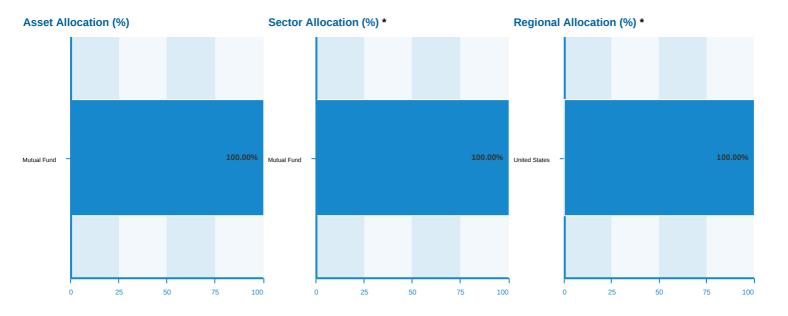
Annualised yield is calculated as the most recent monthly dividend distribution multiplied by the Fund's dividend frequency and divided by the latest NAV. Source: Lipper

Top Holdings *	Country	% of Net Assets
UMBS 30YR TBA (REG A) 5.50 PCT	United States	15.52
UMBS 30YR TBA(REG A) 2.50 PCT	United States	4.79
GNMA2 30YR TBA(REG C) 5.50 PCT	United States	4.12
BNPP INSC USD 1D LVNAV X C	United States	3.49
GNMA2 30YR TBA(REG C) 2.00 PCT	United States	3.11
UMBS 30YR TBA(REG A) 2.00 PCT	United States	2.72
UMBS 15YR TBA(REG B) 2.00 PCT	United States	2.19
UMBS 30YR TBA(REG A) 3.00 PCT	United States	1.95
Government National Mortgage	United States	1.89
UMBS 30YR TBA(REG A) 4.50 PCT	United States	1.76

Fund Risk Statistics	
Beta	1.06
Information Ratio	-0.24
Sharpe Ratio	-0.31

(3 years monthly data)

The holdings listed do not constitute a recommendation to purchase or sell a particular security. Any repeated issuer shown means same issuer with different coupon rate and/or maturity date. Cash and/or derivative positions that are not part of the core investment strategy will not be reflected in the top holdings list.



\* Of the target fund
Fund holdings and allocations shown are unaudited and may not be representative of current or future investments. Percentages may not add up to 100% due to rounding and/or inclusion or exclusion of cash will not be reflected in the top holdings list.

^Based on the fund's portfolio returns as at 15 January 2024, the Volatility Factor (VF) for this fund is 16.24 and is classified as "Very High" (source: FIMM). The VF means there is a possibility for the fund in generating an upside return or downside return around this VF. The Volatility Class (VC) is assigned by FIMM based on quintile ranks of VF for qualified funds. VF is subject to monthly revision and VC will be revised every six months. The fund's portfolio may have changed since this date and there is no guarantee that the fund will continue to have the same VF or VC in the future. Presently, only funds launched in the market for at least 36 months will display the VF and its VC. We recommend that you read and understand the contents of the Principal US Mortgage Fund Information Memorandum No.2 dated 31 December 2019, which have been deposited with Securities Commission Malaysia before investing and that you keep the said Information Memorandum for your record. Any issue of units to which the Information Memorandum relates will only be made upon receipt of the completed application form referred to in and accompanying the Information Memorandum, subject to the terms and conditions therein. The principal risks are returns not guaranteed, market risk, inflation risk and loan financing risk. The specific risks of the Target Fund are currency risk, Fund manager's risk and country risk. You can obtain a copy of the Information Memorandum from the head office of Principal Asset Management Berhad or from any of our approved distributors. We suggest that you consider these fees and charges carefully prior to making an investment. Unit prices and income distributions, if any, may fall or rise. Past performance is not reflective of future performance and income distributions are not guaranteed. Product Highlight Sheet ("PHS") is available and that investors have the right to request for a PHS; and the PHS and any other product disclosure document should be read and understood before making any investment decision. There are fees and charges involved in investing in the funds. We suggest that you consider these fees and charges carefully prior to making an investment. Unit prices and income distributions, if any, may fall or rise. Past performance is not reflective of future performance and income distributions are not guaranteed. You are also advised to read and understand the contents of the Financing for Investment in Unit Trust Risk Disclosure Statement/Unit Trust Loan Financing Risk Disclosure Statement before deciding to borrow to purchase units. All performance figures have been extracted from Lipper. Where a unit split/distribution is declared, investors are advised that following the issue of additional units/distribution, the NAV per unit will be reduced from pre-unit split NAV/cum-distribution NAV to post-unit split NAV/ex-distribution NAV; and where a unit split is declared, the value of your investment will remain unchanged after the distribution of the additional units. Note: There is no data on sector as the underlying Fund invests in agency mortgage back securities issued by Ginnie Mae, Freddie Mac and Fannie Mae.

Carefully consider a fund's objective, risks, charges and expenses.

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