

# FNB NAMIBIA MONEY MARKET FUND



Fund Fact Sheet as at 31 March 2021

## Fund Details

Sector	Domestic - Money Market
Inception Date	3 February 2003
Fund Manager	Ralf Düvel
Fund Size	N\$ 1,976,674,287
Benchmark	Namibian Repo Rate - 0.50%
ISIN Code	ZAE000045019
Nature of Distributions	Interest
Income Declaration	Accrued Daily, Paid Monthly
Weighted Average Duration	155 days
Weighted Average Legal Maturity	155 days
Minimum Lump Sum	N\$ 75,000
Minimum Balance	N\$ 75,000
Annual Management Fee	0.60%
Total Expense Ratio (TER)	0.66%
Total Investment Charge (TIC)	0.66%
Client Service Centre Contact Details	Ashburton Investments Namibia 1st Floor, Parkside Building 130 Independence Avenue Windhoek
Fund Manager Contact Details	Ashburton Investments Namibia Pointbreak Building c/o Schanzen & Sinclair Street Windhoek
Trustee Contact Details	Standard Bank Nominees Standard Bank Centre c/o Werner List & Post Street Windhoek

## Who Should Invest?

The FNB Namibia Money Market Fund is suitable for investors seeking a low risk investment that maximises income. It offers a high income yield, capital stability and good liquidity.

## Investment Objective

The fund's objective is to achieve an investment return in excess of general money market instruments and funds, while ensuring a high degree of liquidity, capital preservation and below average risk. The fund invests with the four major banking groups in Namibia, the five major banking groups in South Africa, Nampost Namibia and the Namibian, - and South African Reserve Bank. Securities to be included in the portfolio consist of money market instruments, participatory interests in unit trust schemes, bank call and fixed deposits, fixed income securities, government bills and bonds, quality commercial paper and repurchase agreements.

## Historical Distributions

Month	Apr-20	May-20	Jun-20	Jul-20	Aug-20	Sep-20	Oct-20	Nov-20	Dec-20	Jan-21	Feb-21	Mar-21
Distribution (cents per unit)	0.5511	0.5381	0.4862	0.4768	0.4497	0.4142	0.3982	0.3656	0.3678	0.3557	0.3108	0.3308
Average naca Rate	6.92%	6.52%	6.08%	5.76%	5.43%	5.16%	4.79%	4.54%	4.42%	4.27%	4.13%	3.97%

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## Fund Commentary

Namibian annual CPI inflation came in at 2.7% for February 2021 (February 2020: 2.5%), while declining in South Africa to 2.9% (February 2020: 4.6%).

Rising inflation fears (driven by a stronger conviction of global economic recovery on the back of vaccine rollouts) have lifted 10-year US Treasuries from 1.42% to 1.75% throughout March, with emerging markets bond curves following up.

The South African money market curve steepened, with 12-month Jibar pricing up 19bps from 4.44% to 4.63% (3-month Jibar up from 3.64% to 4.68%), while the Namibian money market curve remained idle, backed by a high level of excess bank liquidity.

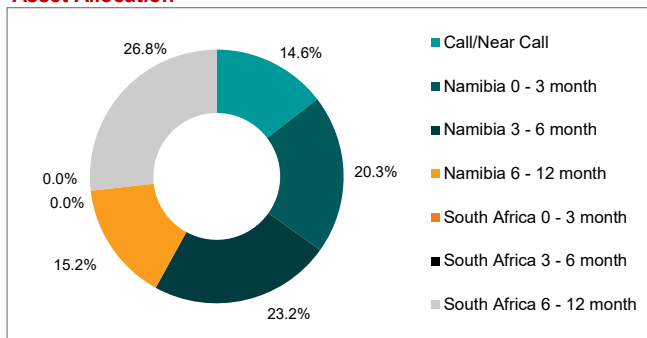
The fund remains defensively positioned and we expect the yield to bottom out by 2Q21.

## Past Performance

For the period ended 31 March 2021, annualised net of fees

Period	1-month	3-month	6-month	1-year	3-year
Fund Performance	3.97%	4.12%	4.35%	5.16%	6.82%
Benchmark	3.30%	3.30%	3.30%	3.43%	5.33%

## Asset Allocation



## Top 10 Holdings

South African Reserve Bank	27.24%
Bank of Namibia	22.60%
Bank Windhoek Limited	19.40%
Nedbank Namibia	12.71%
Nampost	6.12%
Standard Bank Namibia	5.43%
FNB Namibia Limited	3.74%
Nedbank South Africa	1.46%
ABSA Bank Limited	0.47%
Other	0.85%

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Ashburton Unit Trust Management Company Limited (Reg No 89/485)

Directors S H Moir \* (Chairman), J H Hamman \*, O L P Capelao, J S Mwatotele, A M Rowles \* Company Secretary; H Kashimonde

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