

### **FUND PROFILE**

**Fund Classification** Aggressive

Net Asset Value per Share (NAVPS) 0.6843

Min. Addt'l Investment

PHP 1,000

PHP 5,000

Redemption Notice Period

1.00% within 6 months max. of 7 days

Marked-to-Market

Metrobank Trust

## **MARKET UPDATE**

•The PSEi fell flattish for the month of June by -0.3% MoM to 6,412 level due to higher-for-longer interest rates and peso weakness. The bearish levels throughout Q2 reversed all gains from Q1 with a sharp decline of -7.1% QoQ, while the index fell further by -0.59% YTD.

•The BSP Monetary Board (MB) sent dovish signals to the market amid keeping policy rates at 6.50% at their  $4^{\rm th}$  MB meeting for the year. The signing of EO 62, which would cut tariffs for rice imports and other agricultural products to 15% from 35% until 2028, attributed to the easing of this year's inflation outlook, signaling a possibility of a rate cut this year. BSP Governor Remolona also hinted at a possibility of cutting ahead of the Fed, influencing peso weakness. The Peso closed at PHP58.80, moving closer to a record low of PHP59.

•With a more positive market sentiment for interest rate cuts and lower inflation for the year, Property saw the biggest jump by +4.77% with ALI (+8.57%) and SMPH (+5.01%) followed by Services with a 0.49% increase MoM due to defensive counters such as CNVRG (+6.88% MoM) and GLO (+6.60% MoM). We expect the market to trade rangebound as players wait for more data that will point to an August rate cut.

•Sectors: Property +4.77%, Services +0.49%, Financials (-0.01%), Industrials (-1.67%), Holdings (-3.51%), M&O (-8.22%)

•Top 5 Index Performers: AEV (+10.70%), MBT (+8.86%), ALI (+8.57%), CNVRG (+6.88%), GLO (+6.60%)

•Bottom Laggards: MONDE (-16.07%), JGS (-15.97%), CNPF (-14.27%), WLCON (-10.50%), BLOOM (-10.28%)

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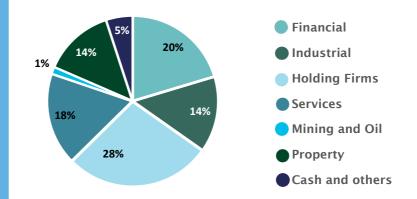
# FIRST METRO SAVE AND LEARN PHILIPPINE INDEX FUND



FUND FACT SHEET - AS OF JUNE 30, 2024

## **FUND BASICS**

The fund is designed to generate returns that reflect the performance of the Philippine equities market by investing in equity securities included in the PSEi. This fund is suitable for aggressive investors with long-term investment horizons.

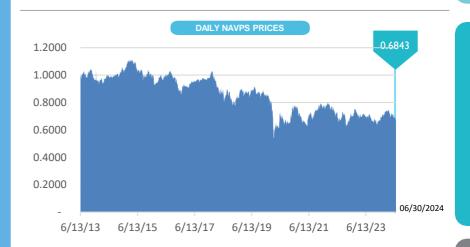


#### **CUMULATIVE RETURNS**<sup>1</sup>

	YTD	I-year	3-year	5-year	10-year	<b>S.I.</b> <sup>2</sup>
SALPHIN	-1.20%	-1.48%	-4.99%	-23.35%	-30.54%	-29.48%
Benchmark <sup>3</sup>	-0.59%	-0.87%	-7.10%	-19.85%	-6.32%	7.55%

CALENDAR YEAR RETURNS<sup>4</sup>

	2023	2022	2021	2020	2019	2018	2017
SALPHIN	-1.23%	-8.14%	0.54%	-9.37%	2.22%	-15.71%	11.79%



**TOP 5 EQUITY SECURITIES** (49.71% of Total Equity Securities Holdings)

SM INVESTMENTS CORPORATION INTERNATIONAL CONTAINER TERMINAL SERVICES, INC. BANK OF THE PHILIPPINE ISLANDS SM PRIME HOLDINGS, INC. BDO UNIBANK, INC.

<sup>4</sup>Calendar Year Return is computed by getting the change on NAVPS from the first business day of the calendar year to the last business day of same year (Jan 01 - Dec. 31 of a given year).

Note: Year-to-date (YTD) return refers to the amount of profit made by an investment since the first day of the current year









Cumulative returns as of June 30, 2024.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup>Since Inception as of 12/18/13.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup>Benchmark - Philippine Stock Exchange Index (PSEi).