## Canara Robeco Banking and PSU Debt Fund

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#### This product is suitable for investors who are seeking\*

- Income/Capital appreciation over short to medium term
- Investment in debt and money market instruments issued by Banks, Public Sector Undertakings (PSUs), Public Financial Institutions (PFIs) and Municipal Bonds



Investors understand that their principal will be at Moderate Risk



Benchmark Riskometer is at Low to Moderate

#### POTENTIAL RISK CLASS (PRC) MATRIX\*

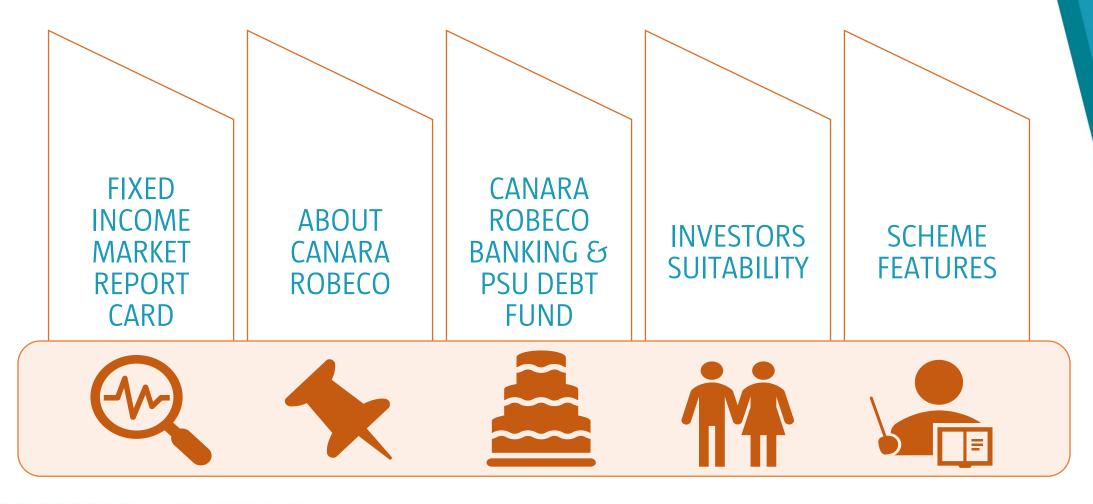
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Potential Risk Class							
Credit Risk	Relatively Low	Moderate	Relatively High				
Interest Rate Risk	(Class A)	(Class B)	(Class C)				
Relatively Low (Class I)							
Moderate (Class II)							
Relatively High (Class III)		B-III					

<sup>\*</sup>Investors should consult their financial advisers if in doubt about whether the product is suitable

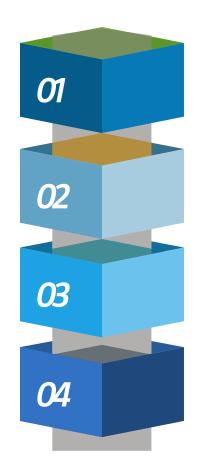


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RBI Focus on Inflation Control while keeping growth in mind

Bond Yields to stabilize

**Economic Recovery** 

External Situation – CAD and Currency



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# Canara Robeco Fixed Income - Investment Philosophy

#### Safety - Most Important Filter In An Investment Decision

- ✓ Minimize credit risk
  - Majority of Investment in above AA/A1+ rated assets
- ✓ Independent credit research
  - Due diligence to evaluate a borrower's ability and willingness to repay the debt on time
  - Emphasis on strong parentage
- ✓ De-risk the portfolio on downgrades
- ✓ Strict adherence to regulatory limits and controlled through Bloomberg system on real time basis

### **Liquidity - Core to our Investment Philosophy**

✓ Asset-liability match and stress test

Return - Aim to maximize returns by following a Disciplined Investment Process

Note: The above is only for general understanding purposes and should not be construed as CRAMC investment policy or portfolio construction process.





Risk Officer responsible for ongoing Risk Management

**Mutual Fund** 

**Risk Management Committee** Dedicated Risk Management Team Risk profiling of portfolios Limit on active bets **Bloomberg POMS** Sector exposure Limit Risk Process Flow Tracking error **Limit & Control Structure** Ratio VaR Limit on illiquid investments Instrument exposure Limits Risk rules embedded in front office system Weekly reports generation & circulation **Monitoring** Liquidity profile of portfolios **Exception reporting RMC** RMC is updated with changes in the regulatory / investment environment Control Structures reviewed, Review modifications / additions made as required **Final Portfolio CANARA ROBECO** 

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## Proactive Credit Risk Management















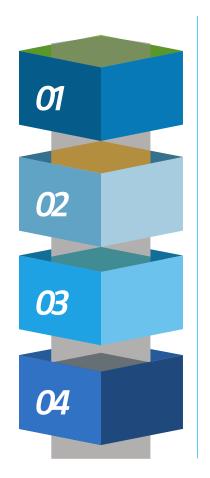




It is to be noted that as a Fund House, Canara Robeco AMC did not have any exposure to the issuers at the time of their default during the credit crisis period of 2018-2020.



# Stringent Risk Management – Key to superior risk adjusted return across interest rate cycles



Risk control process to manage risks through tools such as issuer/sector limits, Liquidity tracking, managing portfolio concentration and Weighted average maturity to ensure that the portfolio liquidity is maintained.

Maintaining a conservative portfolio through exposure to high credit quality issuers with low credit risk profile.

**Optimal Diversification among sectors** to achieve **consistency in returns**.

Given our **expertise** in managing debt portfolios with **high credit quality papers** and with **low credit risk**, we plan for a **New Fund Offer** in the **Banking & PSU Category**.



### Presenting:

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# Why invest in a Banking & PSU themed debt fund?

**Extremely low rates Geo-political situation** High inflation leading to Funding costs are likely to remains volatile; high sharp tightening in supported higher debt see a sharp rise commodity prices to persist burdens monetary conditions Thus, it is prudent to invest in a portfolio of AAA/A1+ rated Rising funding costs Credit profile of lower rated coupled with drop in securities primarily issued by Demand in the economy is companies may deteriorate Banks and PSUs which are of likely to take a hit demand is likely to squeeze in coming years high credit quality and carry a margins relatively lower credit risk.

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### Canara Robeco Banking and PSU Debt Fund



The fund seeks to generate optimal returns by investing in debt & money market instruments issued primarily by banks, public financial institutions (PFIs), public sector undertakings (PSUs) and municipal bonds.



An **actively managed fund** that aims to **manage duration** and **capture opportunities** in the interest rate cycle and mispricing on the yield curve.



Canara Robeco Banking and PSU Debt Fund intends to maintain **high credit quality** and liquidity in the portfolio.



The fund aims to invest ~80% of the portfolio in bonds & money market instruments issued by Banks, PSUs & Public Financial Institutions and Municipal Bonds and remaining ~20% in G-Secs/SDLs and other AAA or equivalent debt/ money market securities.



### How the Fund will Invest?

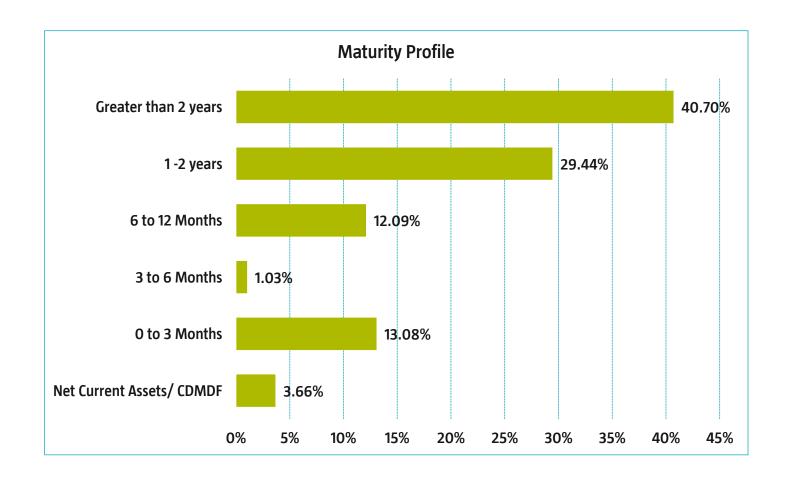
Instruments	Indicative Asset Allocation (% of total assets) Minimum	Maximum	Risk Profile High/Medium/Low
Debt and Money Market Instruments issued by Banks, Public Financial Institutions (PFIs), Public Sector Undertakings (PSUs) and Municipal Bonds	80%	100%	Low to Medium
Debt (including securities issued by Central and State Governments) and Money Market Instruments issued by entities other than Banks, PFIs, PSUs and Municipal Bonds	0%	20%	Low to Medium
Units issued by REITs and InvITs	0%	10%	Medium to High

The risks associated with issuances by Banks and PSUs are lower due to:

- ✓ Comprehensive Regulatory framework for Banks by the Reserve Bank of India.
- ✓ Government Ownership in case of PSUs/PFIs.

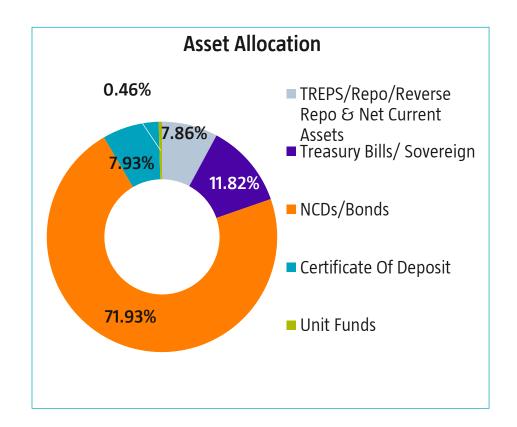


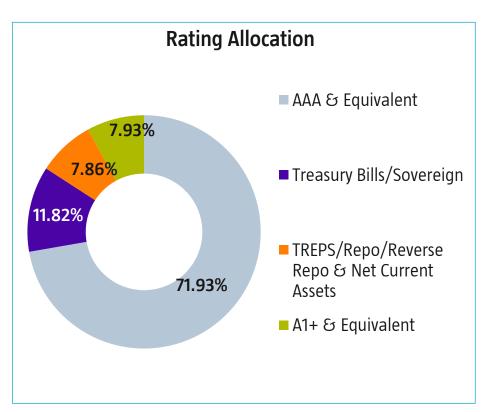
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# Why Invest in Canara Robeco Banking & PSU Debt Fund?











CR AMC is India's second oldest asset manager, in existence since 1993, tied into the JV since September 2007

Canara Robeco Banking & PSU Debt Fund would focus on a portfolio primarily of "AAA rated bonds issued by Banks and PSU". The Fund would be a "High Credit Quality" portfolio; thus, providing a higher liquidity benefit.

Fund would invest in "High Grade Assets" that are either government — backed entities or systemically important private banks/entities. This potentially provides lower credit risk.

The Fund would be an "Actively Managed Fund" that aims to capture opportunities in the interest rate cycle and mispricing on the yield curve.



### Who should Invest in this fund?

Investors who wish to take exposure towards bonds issued by Banks, Public Sector Undertakings and other government backed securities

Investors with a medium-term investment horizon of 2-3 years

Investors having relatively low to medium risk appetite looking to invest in high credit quality bonds with good liquidity Investors seeking to gain from accrual and duration calls by investing in short to medium term maturity bonds





### Fund Summary:

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Investment Objective	To generate income and/or capital appreciation through a portfolio of high-quality debt and money market instruments issued by entities such as Banks, Public Sector Undertakings (PSUs), Public Financial Institutions (PFIs) and Municipal Bonds. However, there is no assurance that the objective of the fund will be realized.					
Inception Date	22-August-2022					
Asset Allocation	Types of Instruments	Indicative a (% of tota Minimum		Risk Profile		
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Plans & Options	Regular Plan හි Direct Plan (a) Growth (b) Income Distribution cum capital withdrawal option: - Reinvestment of Income Distribution cum capital withdrawal option - Payout of Income Distribution cum Capital Withdrawal Option					
Fund Size	Rs. 237.74 Crs (As on 30 <sup>th</sup> Sept'24)					
Load Structure	Entry Load: Nil Exit Load: Nil					
Benchmark	CRISIL Banking and PSU Debt A-II Index					
Fund Manager	Ms. Suman Prasad හ Mr. Avnish Jain					



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