# Mirae Asset Corporate Bond Fund (MACBF)



(An open ended debt scheme predominantly investing in AA+ and above rated corporate bonds)

## PRODUCT UPDATE October 2021

#### **MARKET SNIPPET**

In the last Month, growth momentum seemed to be decelerating globally with pent up demand tapering off. Markets are expecting the central banks to start removing accommodation sooner to deal with sticky inflation. Also, the combination of persistent bottlenecks in the global supply chain and booming energy prices drove concerns around prolonged inflationary pressures. All these are causing yield curves to flatten, causing long term real rates to bounce back from multi year lows.

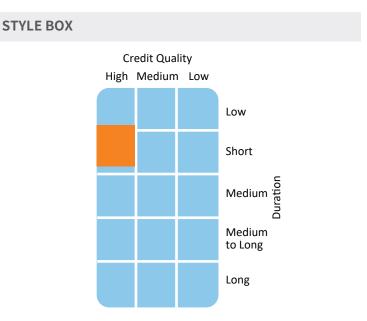
#### **YIELD REACTION**

During the Month, yields increased gradually. With RBI discontinuing with GSAP auctions and with oil prices hitting 7 year high of appx \$86/bl. Benchmark 10Y g-sec yield ended the month at 6.38%, almost an 18 month high. Corporate bond spreads widened at shorter end but narrowed at mid/long end. SDL spreads widened slightly.

Long term rates may also inch up slightly but as H2 borrowing plan is lower than H1 there is a certain optimism regarding fiscal number remaining within projected limit and that the long end has already priced in some negativity, so movement may be more stable here henceforth. Considering this yield curve mat flatten further.

#### **DEBT RATIOS**

	Oct' 2021	Sep' 2021
Weighted Average Maturity	2.05 Years	4.69 Years
Modified duration	1.80 Years	1.64 Years
Macaulay duration	1.90 Years	1.72 Years
Yield to Maturity	4.96%	4.69%



We endeavour to maintain the high credit quality and duration will change based on interest rate outlook

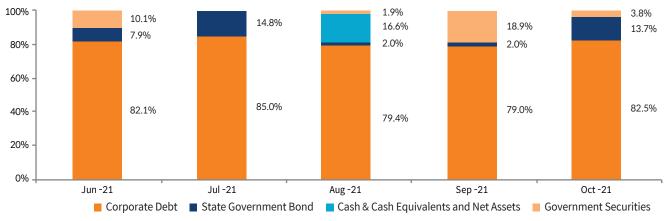
#### **PORTFOLIO APPROACH**

- Fund followed the strategy of investing in high quality papers majorly.
- It has reduced its allocation in above 5 years papers and increased allocation 3 to 5 years maturity.
- Fund will continue with the strategy of maintaining duration between 1.50 2.00 years and in order to keep the performance and improve the yields will look for opportunity in State Development Loans
- Fund Risk score reduced from 1.78 to 1.36, but fund remains in Low to Moderate risk category.

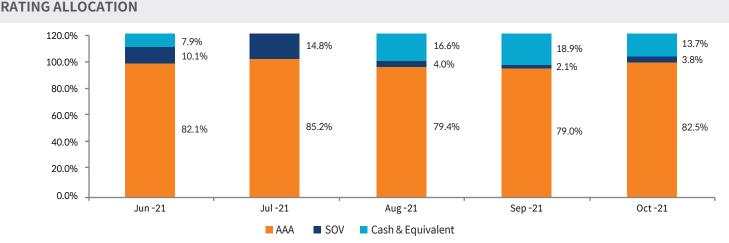
Instrument Type	In	Out
G-sec	3.84%	-
Corporate Bond	3.84%	-
SDL	-	2.05%

This strategy is based on current market evaluation and may change in case of change in dynamics or major event.

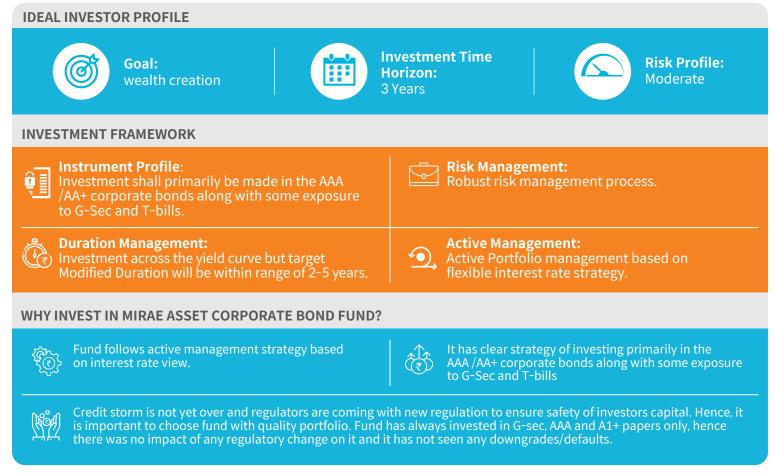
### ASSET TYPE ALLOCATION



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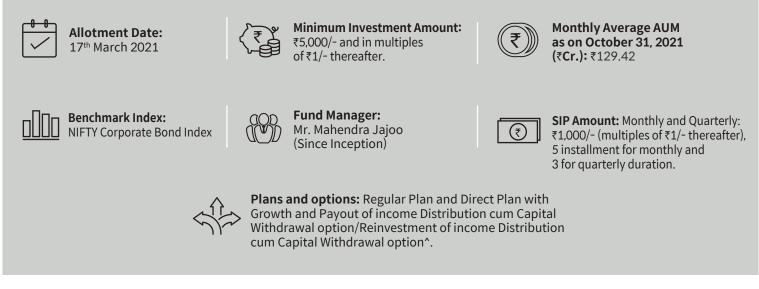


Fund has always invested in high quality papers only and endeavors to continue the same.



Source for Fund data in all debt product guides: Internal, data as on 31<sup>st</sup> October 2021. Source for Market Outlook: Internal views and Bloomberg as on 31<sup>st</sup> October 2021.

#### **INVESTMENT DETAILS**



^Pursuant to Notice cum addendum dated March 27, 2021 the nomenclature of dividend option has been changed w.e.f, April 01, 2021.

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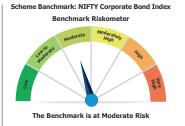
## **PRODUCT LABELLING** \_\_

Mirae Asset Corporate Bond Fund is suitable for investor who are seeking\*

- To generate income over Medium to long term
- Investments predominantly in high quality corporate bonds

\*Investors should consult their financial advisers, if they are not clear about the suitability of the product.





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