

# **PGIM India Ultra Short Term Fund**

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September 2021





#### What is an Ultra Short Term Fund?



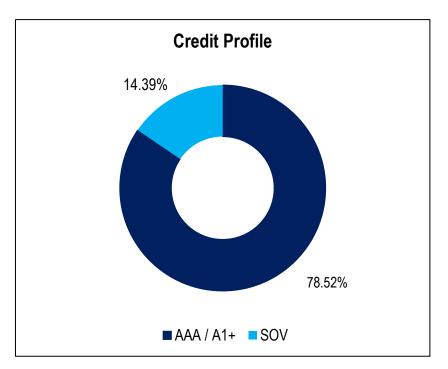
<sup>\*</sup>The Ultra Short Term Fund is an Open-ended fund that offers liquidity with redemption availability on any working day without an exit load.

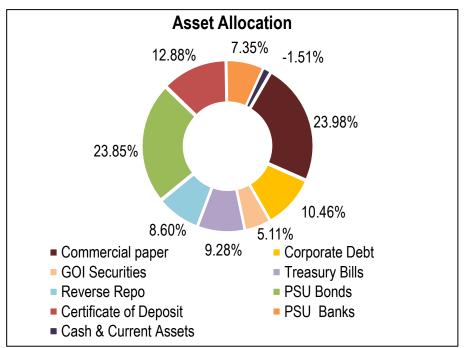
<sup>\*\*</sup> Low interest rate and volatility risk arising from positioning of the fund at the shorter end of the maturity spectrum



#### **PGIM India Ultra Short Term Fund**

- The Scheme aims to provide liquidity and seeks to generate steady returns, through investments made in a mix of high-quality, short-term debt and money market instruments. (However, there can be no assurance that the investment objective of the Scheme will be achieved. The Scheme does not guarantee/indicate any returns.)
- Investments in the Scheme would be made predominantly into AAA and AA+ rated debt securities.







#### **Fund Manager's Views**



- RBI retained a status quo on all key rates at the October MPC while reiterating support to the economy for as long as was needed to get durable growth back on track.
- Tone of the policy commentary was mildly dovish even as one member dissented in the choice to retain an accommodative stance. As in August, the October policy retained the pro-growth stance.
- Inflation forecast for FY22 was also lowered back to 5.3% from 5.7%, as the next few months is likely to witness favourable readings from positive base effects and improving food inflation.
- RBI addressed liquidity through higher VRRR amounts (raised to INR 6 trillion) and longer tenors (adding 28 days to 7d and 14d) in a bid to mop up excess liquidity.
- The curve is likely to flatten post policy as short term liquidity is mopped up gradually. The longer end will also face some impact as GSAP has been withdrawn and RBI prefers term yields to adjust to market realities as the second wave recedes.



### Fund Manager's Views Contd...



- The PGIM India Ultra Short Term Fund enjoys flexibility in being able to deploy beyond 91 Days and will continue to explore and exploit roll-down and investment opportunities along the yield curve
- The Ultra Short Term category is ideally suited for investors with a short term investment horizon of 2 to 6 months
- PGIM India Ultra Short term Fund with its average maturity of 4-6 months is positioned to deliver a steady spread over the liquid fund while keeping volatility low
- The fund is invested 100% in A1+/ AAA rated securities; being the highest credit quality
- The fund remains very selective and is taking calibrated calls on adding new short term positions as short term yields react to additional VRRR measures added at the policy.



#### **Performance**

Performance (CAGR)	Fund			Short Term Debt	CRISIL 1 Year T-Bill Index #		
Period	Returns (%)	Value (INR) *	Returns (%)	Value (INR) *	Returns (%)	Value (INR) *	
PGIM India Ultra Short Term Fund(G) – Regular Plan							
Last 1 Year	3.51	10,351.30	4.36	10,435.94	3.89	10,389.04	
Last 3 Years	8.12	12,641.09	6.48	12,073.20	6.32	12,019.43	
Last 5 Years	7.66	14,464.42	6.73	13,854.94	6.12	13,457.46	
Since Inception	8.18	27,509.10	7.74	26,121.39	6.34	22,059.91	
PGIM India Ultra Short Term Fund(G)-Direct Plan							
Last 1 Year	3.99	10,398.95	4.36	10,435.94	3.89	10,389.04	
Last 3 Years	8.42	12,746.78	6.48	12,073.20	6.32	12,019.43	
Last 5 Years	7.94	14,653.18	6.73	13,854.94	6.12	13,457.46	
Since Inception	8.62	20,624.50	7.64	19,052.10	6.72	17,664.08	

#### Date of Inception: Regular Plan November 18, 2008 and Direct Plan: January 1, 2013

^ Scheme Benchmark. # Standard Benchmark. \*Based on standard investment of Rs.10,000 made at the beginning of the relevant period.

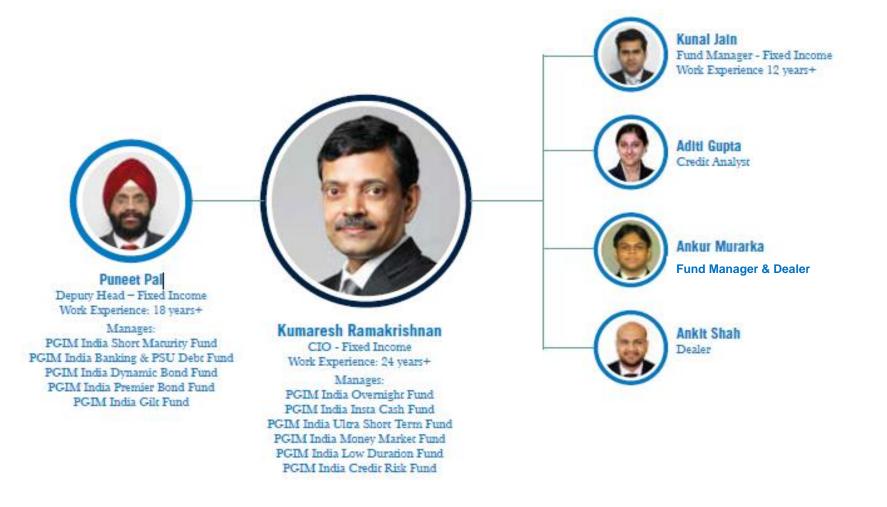
Above returns are CAGR (Compounded Annual Growth Rate) and are for the Growth Option. Returns for the benchmark have been calculated using TRI values. Past performance may or may not be sustained in future and should not be used as a basis for comparison with other investments. Different plans have a different expense structure. With effect from November 01, 2019 benchmark of the scheme has been changed from CRISIL Liquid Fund Index to CRISIL Ultra Short Term Debt Index.

Kumaresh Ramakrishnan has been managing this scheme since January 2011 and Kunal Jain has been managing since January 2018. For performance of other schemes managed by the fund managers please refer to slide no 10 and 11

Data as on September 30, 2021



#### **Structure of the Investment Team**





#### **Meet the Fund Manager**



Kumaresh Ramakrishnan
CIO - Fixed Income
Work Experience: 24 years+
Manages:
PGIM India Overnight Fund
PGIM India Insta Cash Fund
PGIM India Ultra Short Term Fund
PGIM India Money Market Fund
PGIM India Low Duration Fund
PGIM India Credit Risk Fund

Kumaresh Ramakrishnan has over 20 years of experience in the Debt market.

Previously he has worked at:

Deutsche Asset Management (India) Pvt. Ltd. as

- Head Fixed Income (fanuary 2011 to March 2016)
- Fund Manager & Credit Risk Analyst (April 2007 to December 2010)
- Credit Analyst (October 2005 to March 2007)

Societe Generale (SG) – Senior Credit Analyst – Corporate Banking (2000 to 2005)

Credit Analysis and Research Ltd. (CARE) – Sr. Rating Analyst (1996 – 2000)

He is a Bachelor of Engineering (BE) from Bombay University (K.J. Somaiya College of Engineering) and an MBA in Finance from Bombay University (Narsee Monjee Institute of Management Studies)



#### **Meet the Fund Manager**



Kunal Jain
Fund Manager - Fixed Income
Work Experience 12 years+
Manages:
PGIM India Overnight Fund
PGIM India Insta Cash Fund
PGIM India Ultra Short Term Fund
PGIM India Money Market Fund

Kunal Jain has over 10 years of experience in the fund management of fixed income securities.

Previously he has worked at:

- Indiabulls Asset Management Company Ltd.
   Fund Manager Fixed Income (September 2016 to December 2017)
- LIC Mutual Fund Asset Management Ltd.
   Fund Manager Fixed Income (August 2014 to August 2016)
- Kotak Mahindra Asset Management Company Ltd.
   Dealer Fixed Income (fanuary 2008 to July 2014)

He is a M.B.A Finance & Marketing



# Performance of other funds managed by Kumaresh

	Last 1 Year		Last 3 Years		Last 5 Years		Managing Since	
	Reg	Dir	Reg	Dir	Reg	Dir	Managing Since	
Top 3 Schemes Performance								
PGIM India Hybrid Equity Fund(G)	43.88	46.31	13,97	15.78	10.61	12.30	2010 April	
CRISIL Hybrid 35+65 Aggressive Index – Benchmark	39.66	39.66	17.02	17.02	14.18	14.2	2018 April	
PGIM India Equity Savings Fund(G)	20.24	21.88	8.83	10.08	7.73	9.04	2018 April	
70% Nifty Arbitrage TRI + 30% Nifty 50 TRI	17.44	17.44	11.63	11.63	10.26	10.26		
PGIM India Credit Risk Fund(G)	11.60	12.85	3.54	4.65	4.55	5.68	2016 March	
Nifty Credit Risk Bond Index	9.94	9.94	10.02	10.02	8.73	8.73		
Bottom 3 Schemes Performance								
PGIM India Insta Cash Fund-(G)	3.19	3.31	5.08	5.20	5.82	5.92	2018 January	
CRISIL Liquid Fund Index - Benchmark	3.59	3.59	5.38	5.38	6.00	6.00		
PGIM India Overnight Fund-(G)	3.09	3.17	-	-	-	-	2019 August	
Nifty 1 Day Rate Index – Benchmark	3.19	3.19	-	-	-	-		
PGIM India Money Market Fund(G)	2.98	3.90	-	-	-	-	2020 March	
CRISIL Money Market Fund Index – Benchmark	4.14	4.14	-	-	-	-		

Above returns are CAGR (Compounded Annual Growth Rate) and are for the Growth Option. Different plans have difference expense structures. Past performance may or may not be sustained in future and should not be used as a basis for comparison with other investments. Mr. Kumaresh Ramakrishnan is managing 13 schemes of PGIM India Mutual Fund as on September 30, 2021. Top three and bottom three schemes managed by the Fund manager, sorted on the performance of the regular plan growth option of the last 1 year ending on September 30, 2021. Hybrid Equity Fund is comanaged by Mr. Alok Agarwal (Equity Portion) and Mr. Ravi Adukia (Overseas Investment). Equity Savings Fund is co-managed by Mr. Alok Agarwal (Equity Portion) and Mr. Hitash Dang (Equity Portion). Money market Fund & Overnight Fund are co-managed by Mr. Kunal Jain. On account of difference in scheme features, the performance of these schemes are not strictly comparable.



# Performance of other funds managed by Kunal

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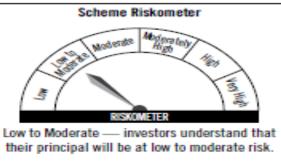


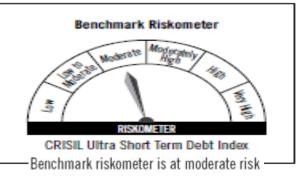
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- Degree of risk LOW TO MODERATE
- \* Investors should consult their financial advisers if in doubt about whether the product is suitable for them.





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