Stanbic Cash Trust



as at 30 June 2024

Investment Policy and Objective

The Stanbic Cash Trust is an open-ended unit trust fund. The primary objective of the Fund is to maximize short to medium-term income while preserving capital, through investing in a portfolio of fixed-income securities, including treasury securities, quasigovernment securities and money market investments, while keeping the maximum weighted term to maturity at 24 months.

A minimum of 80% of the Fund's assets are invested in Government and Quasi-Government debt securities and up to 20% in selected money market securities, while retaining a minimum of 5% in cash.

Risk Rating						
Low	Medium	High				

The slowdown in activity on the bond market and reduced access to liquidity has increased the overall risk of the fund from low to medium.

Distribution

SCT does not distribute earnings. All earnings are reinvested in the Fund which impacts the net asset value of the Fund. Investors seeking to withdraw earnings will have to sell part of their units to realize their earnings.

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Portfolio Manager	Wendy Opoku			
Portfolio Analyst	Smith Dumenyo			
Portfolio Size	GHS 589 Million			
Sector Classification	Treasury Fund			
Benchmark	Average 364-day T-Bill			
Launch Date	11 December 2012			
SEC No	SEC/CIS/UTL 17/23			
Maximum Charges Upfront Charge Management Fee Trustee Fee Redemption Charge	N/A 2.25% (per annum) 0.40% (per annum) N/A			
Total Expense Ratio (YTD June-24)	1.154%			

Fund Details

Minimum Investment

Lump Sum GHS20.00 Debit Order GHS10.00

Stanbic Cash Trust (SCT or The Name of Scheme

Fund)

Stanbic Investment The Manager

Management Services LTD

The Trustee Universal Merchant Bank The Auditor Baker Tilly Andah + Andah

Doreen Iliasu **Legal Advisor**

Statutory Disclosures and General Terms & Conditions

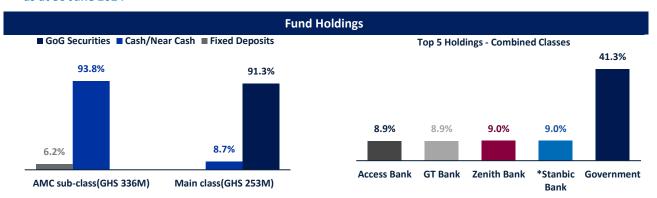
The value of participatory interests may go down or up, and past performance is not necessarily a guide to future performance. The investment Manager does not provide any guarantee concerning the capital or return of the fund. Most fixed-income securities dealers/brokers maintain an active secondary market. However, there is no assurance that an active market will be maintained. Price changes coupled with demand and supply will alter the liquidity of the investments and, ultimately, the liquidity of the fund. The Manager of the fund, Stanbic Investment Management Services LTD., a member of the Standard Bank Group of South Africa, is an asset management firm licensed by the Securities and Exchange Commission in Ghana.

Subscriptions and withdrawals will receive the price of the next day if received after 15h00 (GMT). Additional information about this product, including, but not limited to, Application Forms, Factsheets, and Annual Reports, can be obtained free of charge at the Investment Manager's office and on the Investment Manager's website (https://www.sims.com.gh). For additional information, kindly refer to the Prospectus, Scheme Particulars, and Trust Deed.

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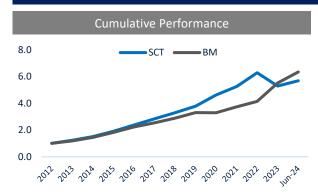


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Near Cash are investments with less than 91 days to mature.

Fund Performance



Returns (%)	1M	3M	6M	1Yr	3Yr	5Yr	Inception
SCT	-5.0	0.0	7.5	-14.5	3.3	8.1	16.3
*AMC Sub- Class	1.7	5.2	10.8	20.3			
Benchmark	2.3	6.9	14.8	25.8	23.8	19.8	17.4

GHS 1,000 invested in Dec 2012 would be worth GHS 5,691.91 in the main class

Returns shown for 3Yr, 5Yr, and Inception are CAGR.
All indicated returns are based on marked-to-market prices.

*Introduced in December 2022

Fund Review and Strategy

At the end of the second quarter, the fund had total assets of approximately GHS 589 million, with 36% invested in government bonds, 7% in money market securities, and 57% in cash and near-cash. The main and sub-classes recorded year-to-date returns of 7.5% and 10.8%, respectively, against a benchmark of 14.8%. The fund is focused on remaining conservative by investing in money market securities. The sub-class prioritizes liquidity and holds fixed deposit securities with an average maturity of two months.

Market Overview

Ghana's progress towards completing its debt restructuring agreement with Eurobond holders is a significant step in its economic recovery. This is expected to alleviate foreign exchange pressures, potentially lowering interest rates and enhancing investor confidence. Election-related expenditure remains the potential headwind in the central bank's efforts to rein in inflation.

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