

# Senfin Money Market Fund (LKR)

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## **Fund Manager Comment**

During April 2024, the fund generated an annualized return of 11.33% compared to the benchmark return of 10.58%. T-Bill yields slumped during the month, with the 3M, 6M and 12M yields witnessing decreases of 46bps, 34bps and 29bps respectively, compared to increases of 20bps, 28bps and 23bps during the previous month. T-bill yields for the 3M, 6M and 12M tenures closed in for April 2024 at 9.61%, 9.89% and 9.99% compared to 10.07%, 10.23% and 10.28% respectively as at the end of March 2024. During the first T-Bond auction of the month, yields witnessed marginal changes while the second T-Bond auction saw the weighted average yield on the 15.03.2028 maturity registering well below its pre-auction rate while an offered amount of Rs.55 billion on two maturities including the 15.05.2030 maturity was fully taken up. The 15.03.2028 maturity and 15.05.2030 maturity recorded weighted average yields of 11.72% and 12.38% respectively while 01.10.2032 maturity's weighted average yield recorded 12.47%. In the secondary market, the month closed with a bullish momentum with yields declining further predominantly on the mid tenor bonds. There was no Monetary Policy Review during the month and the monetary authority will hold its next policy review on 28 May 2024.

Monthly Report | Apr-2024

## Source: SFAM and CBSL Performance Since Inception

Growth of LKR 100 invested on 17/09/2014



### Risk - Reward Indicator

Low	Medium	High
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Money Market Funds are less risky compared to equity funds. Investors should consider the following risks: Market risks, Currency risks, Liquidity risks, Operational risks and Political and Legal risks.

## Investment Objective

The objectives of the Fund are to provide investors with short term returns as well as liquidity by investing in a portfolio of diversified fixed income securities with a maturity of less than 397 days.

### **Key Facts**

Fund Type	Open-ended Money Market Fund
NAV per unit (LKR)	24.3921
Fund AuM (LKR Millions)	4,752
Inception	17-Sep-14
Fund Domicile	Sri Lanka
ISIN	LKSMMFU00008
Fund Currency	LKR
Benchmark	NDBIB CRISIL 91 day T-Bill Index
Fund Credit Rating	BBBf(lka) by Fitch

Performance Summary	Fund	Benchmark
Last Month	11.33%	10.58%
3 Month	13.09%	12.64%
6 Month	15.20%	15.44%
YTD	13.75%	14.32%
1 Year p.a.	19.53%	21.13%
2 Year p.a.	22.15%	24.85%
3 Year p.a.	16.85%	17.55%
5 Year p.a.	13.48%	13.18%
Since Inception p.a.	11.80%	10.67%

## All returns shown are annualized

### **Investment Terms**

ssue/redemption	Daily
Minimum investment (LKR)	1,000
Management fee p.a.	0.15%
Trustee fee p.a.	0.15%
Custodian fee p.m.(charged to the Fund)	LKR 20,000
Total Expense Ratio (TER)*	0.50%

<sup>\*</sup> as at 31 Dec 2023

## Monthly Performance

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Year	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	YTD
2024	1.3%	1.1%	1.2%	0.9%									4.56%
2023	2.1%	1.9%	2.1%	2.0%	2.0%	2.0%	1.8%	1.8%	1.6%	1.6%	1.5%	1.4%	23.84%
2022	0.6%	0.6%	0.6%	0.6%	1.2%	1.5%	1.7%	1.9%	2.0%	2.0%	2.0%	2.1%	18.06%
2021	0.5%	0.5%	0.5%	0.5%	0.5%	0.5%	0.5%	0.5%	0.5%	0.5%	0.6%	0.6%	6.59%
2020	0.8%	0.8%	0.7%	0.9%	0.8%	0.8%	0.7%	0.6%	0.6%	0.6%	0.5%	0.5%	8.50%

17/09/2014 to 30/04/2024

Past performance is not a guarantee, nor an indication of current or future performance. This performance data is calculated net of all fees and commissions. All performance data shown in the table are not annualized.



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3.2%

100.0%

## Monthly Report | Apr-2024

Maturity Profile	% of AUM	Credit Profile1	G-Sec	Fitch	Total
<1 M	19.8%	G-Sec RF <sup>2</sup>	73.3%	-	73.3%
1-3M	33.3%	AAA	-	-	-
3-6M	29.6%	AA+	-	-	-
6-9M	3.3%	AA	-	-	-
9-12M	14.0%	AA-	-	4.9%	4.9%
	100.0%	A+	-	4.3%	4.3%
		Α	-	1.6%	1.6%
Diversification		A-	-	2.4%	2.4%
Largest exposure to any single institution*	60.6%	BBB+	-	10.3%	10.3%

Largest exposure to any single institution 10 No. of institutions invested in

<sup>1</sup> Credit	profile	as %	of	AUM

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Risk free

BBB

Asset Allocation	% of TNA
Treasury Bills	60.6%
Fixed Deposit	20.7%
Repo on Government Securities	12.8%
Quoted Redeemable Debentures	3.2%
Trust Certificates	2.2%
Cash & Other Net Assets	0.5%
	100.0%

Fund Indicators	Fund
Duration (Yrs)	0.32
Effective Maturity (Months)	3.91
Yield to Maturity (YTM)*	11.88%

73.3%

3.2%

26.7%

\*YTM is calculated as at 30.4.2024 and does not take into account market fluctuations and expenses to the portfolio. The YTM is an indication only and is subject to change.

### Historical Total Net Assets

#### (Fund currency in LKR Mn)



### Regulatory Information

Regulated by : Securities & Exchange Commission of Sri Lanka Trustee and Custodian: Hatton National Bank PLC - Head Office Branch Redemption Payment Days: Monday-Friday (Excluding holidays) Cut-off Time & Day: Before 3.00 pm on any working day

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<sup>\*</sup> T Bills and bonds issued by GOSL as a percentage of Net Asset Value