

Monthly Report | Jan-2025

Fund Manager Comment

During Jan 2025, the fund generated an annualized return of 9.31% vs benchmark return of 9.83%. At its first Monetary Policy Announcement for 2025, the CBSL kept rates unchanged, maintaining the Overnight Policy Rate (OPR) at 8.00%. T-bills yields continued its declined at the start of the year by 69bps, 68bps and 49bps on a MoM basis for the 3M, 6M and 12M tenors respectively. As a result, T-bill yields for the 3M, 6M and 12M tenors closed in for Jan 2025 at 7.93%, 8.09% and 8.47% vs 8.62%, 8.77% and 8.96% respectively as at the end of Dec 2024. The LKR 190 Bn Treasury Bond auction on 09 Jan 2025 raised 94.3% out of the total offered amount, with the 15.10.28 maturity issued at a weighted avg yield of 10.42%, the 15.10.30 issued at 11.23% and the 01.11.33 maturity at 11.47%. The subsequent Rs. 40 Bn Treasury Bond auction saw the 15.12.29 maturity issued at a weighted avg yield of 10.73%, while the 01.06.33 maturity at 11.47% weighted avg yield. In the secondary market, booking profits was largely witnessed amidst declining rates. Foreign holdings in Rupee bonds saw an outflow of Rs. 2.03 Bn for the week ending 31 Jan 2025, marking the first decline in three weeks. During the month, Fitch upgraded ratings of several Banks and NBFIs subsequent to the recent sovereign upgrade and recalibration of the agency's Sri Lankan national rating scale. Both Fitch and Moody's previously upgraded Sri Lanka's Issuer Default Rating during Dec 2024.

Source: SFAM and CBSL

Performance Since Inception 17/09/2014 to 31/01/2025

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.

Senfin Money Market Fund (LKR)

Senfin Asset Management (Pvt) Ltd No. 267, Galle Road, Colombo 03, Sri Lanka

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)	26.3090
Fund AuM (LKR Millions	5,225
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	9.31%	9.83%
3 Month	9.68%	9.99%
6 Month	9.84%	9.73%
YTD	9.31%	9.83%
1 Year p.a.	11.34%	10.85%
2 Year p.a.	16.95%	18.30%
3 Year p.a.	17.89%	18.82%
5 Year p.a.	13.58%	13.41%
Since Inception p.a.	11.70%	10.62%
All returns shown are annualized		

Investment Terms

lssue/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%
* as at 21 Dec 2024	

* as at 31 Dec 2024

Monthly Performance

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Year	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	0ct	Nov	Dec	YTD
2025	0.8%												0.79%
2024	1.3%	1.1%	1.2%	0.9%	1.0%	0.9%	0.9%	0.8%	0.8%	0.8%	0.8%	0.8%	11.89%
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%

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.



Senfin Money Market Fund (LKR)

Fitch

5.3%

6.9%

5.7%

10.0%

2.4%

30.3%

Total

69.7%

5.3%

6.9%

5.7%

10.0%

2.4%

100.0%

G-Sec

69.7%

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Maturity Profile	% of AUM	Diversification	
<1 M	21.2%	Largest exposure	
1-3M	18.2%	to any single	53.3%
3-6M	35.2%	institution*	
6-9M	5.0%	No. of institutions	11
9-12M	20.5%	invested in	
	100.0%	*Govt. Securities as a %	of NAV

Asset Allocation	% of TNA
Treasury Bills + Bonds	53.3%
Fixed Deposit	26.1%
Repo on Government Securities	16.4%
Trust Certificates	2.7%
Cash & Other Net Assets	1.5%

¹ Credit	profile	as %	of AUM

Credit Profile¹

G-Sec RF²

AAA **AA+** AA

AA-

Α+

Α-BBB+ **BBB**

BBB-

100.0%

Instrument Exposure Top 5*	% of TNA
6M REPO / Mar 25 / DFCC Bank	4.0%
6M Tbill / Jul 25 / GoSL	3.7%
Overnight REPO / Feb 25 / Wealth Trust Securities	3.1%
Weekly REPO / Feb 25 / Wealth Trust Securities	3.0%
6M REPO / Mar 25 / DFCC Bank	3.0%

^{*}Instrument / Maturity / Issuer

Fund Indicators	Fund
Duration (Yrs)	0.39
Effective Maturity (Months)	4.73
Yield to Maturity (YTM)*	9.55%

69.7%

*YTM is calculated as at 31.1.2023 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





Regulatory Information

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

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