

# **GLOCAL ARMENIAN SOVEREIGN FUND**

# FACTSHEET JULY 2024

## Macroeconomic Update

June 2024 was another positive month for the Armenian economy: GDP increased by 7.1% y/y. Volume of construction, trade turnover, and services were the main drivers of the economic activity during the month. Particularly:

- construction expanded by notable 18.0% y/y,
- trade went up by a significant 16.2% y/y,
- services, too, demonstrated positive growth of 7.8% y/y,
- industrial output also grew during this period, although at a much lower rate of 1.4% y/y.

Foreign trade turnover for the same period increased by 34.6% y/y, reaching USD 2.03 bln. Exports demonstrated outstanding performance with 59.9% y/y growth, amounting to USD 0.86 bln, while imports also were up by double-digit 20.6% y/y, reaching USD 1.17 bln. Foreign trade net deficit of USD 243 mln in May 2024 expanded to USD 315 mln trade deficit in June 2024.

As for the macroeconomic stability in Armenia, according to the preliminary data from CBA, the CPI expanded by 1.4% y/y in July 2024. Following the last decrease of refinancing rate at the meeting on July 30, the Board of the Central Bank of Armenia reduced the refinancing rate by 0.25 pps to 7.75% level. As of the end of July 2024, compared to the previous month, the Armenian Dram slightly appreciated against USD, standing at 388.1 and depreciated against EUR, standing at AMD 420.4, respectively.

The Ministry of Finance allocated bonds with a total volume of AMD 74.8 bln during July 2024. As of the end of the month, the yield of 10-year AMD-denominated Government bonds increased by 0.015 pps m/m to 9.7%.



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1.9%\* TTM 6.76% Annualized return since inception

## Fund strategy

The Fund's assets are mainly invested in sovereign eurobonds of Armenia. Investments in an issuer's securities of the same class may not exceed 60% of the assets, except when the total amount of the Fund's assets is less than USD 1M.

## Why invest with Glocal?

- pioneering in Armenian investment fund industry since 2017
- diversification and balancing of security weights
- · leveraging and refinancing through repo
- · tax rate for the funds is 0.01% of NAV
- · no entry or exit taxes for foreign investors

### NAV per share

**USD 101.9** 

## Rates of return. %

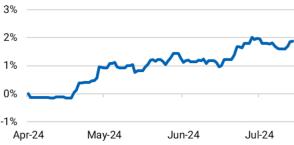


Jul Aug Sep Oct Nov Dec Jan Feb Mar Apr May Jun Jul

1 month	3 month	6 month	MTD	YTD	Since Inception*
0.7%	2.0%	N/A	0.7%	1.9%	1.9%

\*Effective cumulative performance since 18 Apr 2024

## Performance, % growth



#### General info

ISIN	AMGLASH01ER1
Launch date	19 Apr 2024
Base currency	USD
Investor category	qualified only
Minimum holding period	No
Initial investment, min.	USD 100,000

Fund type	non-public, unclassified, open-ended, contractual
Management fee	0.5% of NAV
Performance fee	5%
Distribution policy	reinvesting
Portfolio Total Assets	USD 0.56 M
Portfolio Net Assets	USD 0.56 M

## Transaction fees

Entry fee	0%
Buyback fee during the first year	
after the first year	0%
Exit fee	0%

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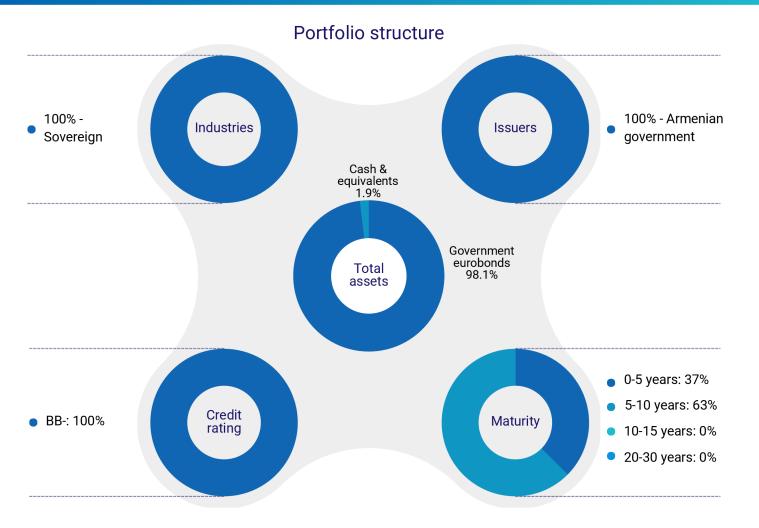
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## Additional info

Asset currency	USD
Weighted Average Maturity (y)	3.9
Weighted Average YTM (as of purchase date)	6.7%
Weighted Average YTM (as of 31.07.2024)	6.8%
Average Coupon	4.9%
Effective Duration	3.4

# NAV per share, USD

