

1. FUND PERFORMANCE

AVERAGE	2023	SEPTEMBER 2024 (ANNUALIZED RETURN)	*PERFORMANCE SINCE INCEPTION (01-NOVEMBER-2017)
Cytonn Money Market Fund	12.5%	18.2%	11.8%
Benchmark (Average 91 day T- Bill + 1.0% point)	12.2%	16.8%	10.0%

*Percentage you can expect to earn with the fund during one year of investment on basis of the so far realized monthly returns since inception.

2. FUND MANAGER'S REPORT AND OUTLOOK

Fund Objective

The Cytonn Money Market Fund is a low-risk fund that seeks to obtain a high level of current income while protecting investor's capital and liquidity.

Portfolio Strategy

The portfolio objective will be to outperform the income yield available on money market call accounts and fixed deposit accounts by investing in interest-bearing securities and other short-term money market instruments. These securities are usually available to wholesale or institutional clients. The Fund will also be managed conservatively with active management of duration, credit, and liquidity risks.

Economic Report

According to the Kenya National Bureau of Statistics (KNBS) Q1'2024 Quarterly Gross Domestic Product Report, the Kenyan economy recorded a 5.0% expansion in Q1'2024, slower than the 5.5% growth recorded in Q1'2023. The main contributor to Kenyan GDP remains to be the Agriculture, Fishing, and Forestry sector which grew by 6.1% in Q1'2024, more similar to a vibrant growth of 6.4% recorded in Q1'2023, owing to the favorable weather conditions, that supported crop and livestock production. All sectors in Q1'2024, except Mining and Quarrying, recorded positive growths, with varying magnitudes across activities. Most sectors recorded declining growth rates compared to Q1'2023 with Accommodation and Food Services, Mining & Quarrying, and Construction Sectors recording the highest growth rate declines of 19.1%, 3.8%, and 2.9% points, respectively. The biggest gainer in terms of sectoral contribution to GDP was the Accommodation and Food Services sector, increasing by 0.3% points to 1.5% in Q1'2024 from 1.2% in Q1'2023, while the Manufacturing sector was the biggest loser, declining by 0.3% points to 7.8% in Q1'2024, from 8.1% in Q1'2023.

During the month, yields on the government papers were on a downward trajectory, with the yields on the 364-day, 182-day and 91-day paper decreasing by 7.1 bps, 11.8 and 9.9 bps respectively to 16.8%, 16.6% and 15.8% respectively from 16.9%, 16.7% and 15.9% recorded the previous month.

The August 2024 inflation rate increased by 0.1% points to 4.4%, from the 4.3% recorded in July 2024. Notably, inflation has remained within the CBK target range of 2.5%-7.5% for the past fourteen months.

Portfolio Performance

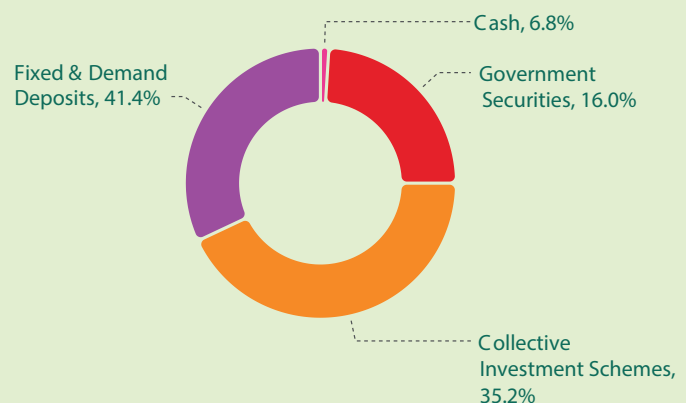
The Cytonn Money Market Fund successfully delivered high returns in September 2024, averaging 18.2% p.a. Going forward, Cytonn Asset Managers Limited (CAML) expects the Cytonn Money Market Fund to deliver returns above its benchmark of 91-day T-Bill+1.0% points leveraging on optimal asset allocation in line with the Fund's Investment Policy Statement.

As at 30th September 2024, Cash, bank deposits and government securities constituted 64.2% of the portfolio.

FUND PROFILE

- ◉ **Fund Manager:** Cytonn Asset Managers Limited
- ◉ **Risk Profile:** Low
- ◉ **Minimum Initial Investment:** Kshs 1,000
- ◉ **Minimum Additional Investment:** Kshs 100
- ◉ **Annual Management Fee:** 2.0%
- ◉ **Ledger Fee:** Kshs 50
- ◉ **Initial Fee:** Nil
- ◉ **Inception Date:** 01 November-2017
- ◉ **Trustee:** Goal Advisory
- ◉ **Custodian:** SBM Bank Kenya Ltd
- ◉ **Benchmark:** Average 91-day T-Bill + 1.0% point

ACTUAL ASSET ALLOCATION



Disclaimer: Past performance is not a guarantee of future performance and the value of the fund will fluctuate from time to time.