PREMIER WEALTH FUNDS

PREMIER WEALTH FUNDS INTERIM REPORT 30th September 2023

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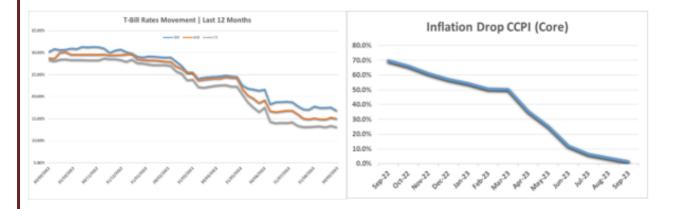
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Fund Manager's Review

Our Valued Investors,

Domestic and external shocks aggravated macroeconomic vulnerabilities that existed before the pandemic, resulting in crises in sovereign debt and the balance of payments in Sri Lanka. In 2022, the outcome was a sharp economic decline and extremely high inflation. In 2022 and the first half of 2023, the GDP shrank by 7.8 percent and 7.9 percent, respectively. When private credit shrank, there were shortages of inputs and supply chain disruptions, which worsen the detrimental welfare effects of the income contractions and unemployment that were witnessed in 2022. Construction, manufacturing, real estate, and financial services sectors suffered the most. The Colombo Consumer Price Index, which measures headline inflation, reached a record high of 69.8% in September 2022 before drastically falling to 1.3% in September 2023 from a high base amid weak demand. Inflationary pressures were reduced, which benefited consumers.

The Central Bank of Sri Lanka began to loosen monetary policy as inflation decelerated. Policy rates were cut by 250 basis points in June 2023, followed by a further 200 basis points in July, bringing the Standing Deposit Facility rate down to 11 percent and the Standing Lending Facility rate to 12 percent. Supported by policy rate cuts and better clarity on domestic debt optimization, the 91-day T-bill rates fell below 20 percent in July 2023 (for the first time since April 2022).



Fund Performance

The two-unit trust funds "Premier Money Market Fund" and "Premier Growth Fund" under management cater to the liquidity (in the case of the former) and long-term capital appreciation needs (in the case of the latter) of our unitholders.

Premier Money Market Fund continued to establish its reputation as a fund which aims to provide attractive, short-term, tax-adjusted investment opportunities for both corporate and retail clients. For the period ended 30th September 2023 the Fund managed to deliver a 21.55% annualized yield, net of fees, compared to the 22.66% annualized yield the fund achieved in the previous period.

Premier Growth Fund, a balanced fund which focuses on investments in rated debt instruments, Government Securities, deposits with financial institutions and equity, recorded

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positive return of 21.87% (net of fees) for the period under review, whereas All Share Price Index olombo Stock Exchange has recorded an increase of 14.14% for the same period.
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PREMIER GROWTH FUND STATEMENT OF COMPREHENSIVE INCOME FOR THE PERIOD ENDED 30TH SEPTEMBER 2023

	Note	Period Ended 30.09.2023 Rs.	Period Ended 30.09.2022 Rs.	Year ended 31.03.2023 Rs.
Investment Income Dividend Income Interest Income Net Realized Gain on Financial Assets Held at Fair Value through Profit or Loss Net Change in Unrealized Gain/(Loss) on Financial Assets Held at Amortised Cost	1	993,668 21,638 3,242,889	16,137 1,730,405 5,095 (2,437,660)	16,153 3,667,464 77,924 (1,828,312)
Total Investment Income		4,258,195	(686,023)	1,933,229
Expenses Custodian Fee Audit Fee Transaction Cost Professional Fees		(70,907) (77,130) (2,238) (27,920)	(67,061) (77,729) - (21,599)	(137,501) (157,704) (1,529) (43,081)
Total Operating Expenses		(178,195)	(166,389)	(339,815)
Net Operating Profit/(Loss) Finance Charges	2	4,080,000 (365)	(852,412) (2,169)	1,593,414 (2,324)
Profit After Deductions and Before Tax Profit After Distributions and Tax		4,079,635 4,079,635	(854,581) (854,581)	1,591,090 1,591,090
Increase in Net Assets Attributable to Unit Holders		4,079,635	(854,581)	1,591,090

The Notes from 1 to 8 form an Integral Part of these Financial Statements.

PREMIER GROWTH FUND STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION AS AT 30TH SEPTEMBER 2023

	Note	Preiod Ended 30.09.2023 Rs.	Year Ended 31.03.2023 Rs.
Assets		(070	5,712
Cash and Cash Equivalents	3	6,072	
Financial Assets - Fair value Through Profit or Loss	4		178,158
Financial Assets Measured at Amortised Cost	5	16,762,038	23,557,834
Other Receivables	6	3,306	-
Total Assets	_	16,771,416	23,741,704
Unit Holders' Funds and Liabilities			
Liabilities			
Accrued Expenses and Other Payables	7	175,580	225,547
Total Liabilities (Excluding Net Assets Attributable to Unit Holders)		175,580	225,547
Unit Holders' Funds			
Net Assets Attributable to Unit Holders	8	16,595,836	23,516,157
Total Unit Holders' Funds and Liabilities		16,771,416	23,741,704

These Financial Statements were approved by the Board of Directors of Management Company on 25th October 2023.

Premier Wealth Management Limited Fund Management Company

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PREMIER GROWTH FUND STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS FOR THE PERIOD ENDED 30TH SEPTEMBER 2023

	Note	Period Ended 30.09.2023 Rs.	Period Ended 30.09.2022 Rs.	Year Ended 31.03.2023 Rs.
Cash Flows From/(Used in) Operating Activities				
Interest Received		993,668	1,730,405	3,721,943
Dividend Received		3,242,889	16,137	16,153
Net Realized Gain on Equity Investments		21,638	5,095	77,924
Witholding Tax (Paid) / Received		-	¥ .	(54,479)
Other Receivables		(3,306)		-
Operating Expenses Paid		(228,527)	(202,654)	(361,507)
Net investment in Financial Assets		6,973,954	1,523,794	(266,776)
Net Cash Flows From Operating Activities		11,000,316	3,072,777	3,133,257
Cash Flows From/(Used in) Financing Activities				
Cash Received on Creation of Units		5,910	5,910	11,820
Cash Paid on Cancellation of Units		(11,005,866)	(3,524,755)	(3,590,951)
Net Cash Flows From/(Used in) Financing Activities	-	(10,999,956)	(3,518,845)	(3,579,131)
Net Increase/(Decrease) in Cash and Cash Equivalents		360	(446,067)	(445,874)
Cash and Cash Equivalents at the Beginning of the Financial Period		5,712	451,586	451,586
Cash and Cash Equivalents at the End of the Financial Period	3	6,072	5,519	5,712

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN UNITHOLDERS' FUNDS

	Month ended 30.09.2023 Rs	Year Ended 31.03.2023 Rs.
Unit Holders' Funds at the Beginning of the Period	23,516,157	25,504,198
Increase in Net Assets Attributable to Unit Holders	4,079,635	1,591,090
Received on Unit Creations	5,910	11,820
Payments on Unit Redemptions	(11,005,866)	(3.590,951)
Unit Holders' Funds at the End of the Period	16,595,836	23,516,157

PREMIER GROWTH FUND NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

				Period Ended 30.09.2023 Rs.	Period Ended 30.09.2022 Rs.	Year Ended 31.03.2023 Rs.
1	Interest income(Gross) from financia	al assets not held	at fair value			
	through profit or loss				200 222	100 075
	Interest Recived on Repos			277,994	290,232	428,875
	Interest Recived on T/Bills			-	270,943	829,079
	Interest Received on T -Bonds			88,184	293,718	695,830
	Interest Received on Deposits				55,515	61,193
	Interset Received On Debenture		1.1	633,344	805,119	1,624,262
	Interest on Savings Deposits		1.2	34,815	14,878	82,704
				1,034,337	1,730,405	3,721,943
	Less - Witholding Tax					
	Interset Received On Debenture		1.1	39,779		54,110
	Interest on Savings Deposits		1.2	890	-	368.76
				40,669		54,479
	Net Interest income from financial as	ssets not held at f	air value			
	through profit or loss					
	Interest Recived on Repos			277,994	290,232	428,875
	Interest Recived on T/Bills			-	270,943	829,079
	Interest Received on T -Bonds			88,184	293,718	695,830
	Interest Received on Deposits			-	55,515	61,193
	Interset Received On Debenture		1.1	593,565	805,119	1,570,152
	Interest on Savings Deposits		1.2	33,925	14,878	82,335
				993,668	1,730,405	3,667,464
2	Finance Cost					
	Bank Charges			365	2,169	2,324
				365	2,169	2,324
3	Cash and cash equivalents					
	Cash at Current Account			5,000	5,000	5,000
	Cash at Savings Account			1,072	519	712
				6,072	5,519	5,712
4	Financial Assets - Fair Value Throug	gh Profit or Loss				
		Period Ended	30.09.2023	'Year End	ed 31.03	3.2023
		No. of Shares	Market	,	No. of	Market Value
			Value		Shares	
	Banks					
	Commercial Bank of Ceylon PLC	-			1,166	74,158
	T 1	-	-		1,166	74,158
	Telecommunication				10,000	104,000
	Dialog Axiata PLC	×-	-	-	10,000	104,000
	Sri Lanka Telecom PLC			-	10,000	104,000
		-		-	11,166	178,158

PREMIER GROWTH FUND NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

	Period Ended 30.09.2023 Rs.	Year Ended 31.03.2023 Rs.
5 Financial assets measured at amortised cost Investment in Tresury Bond Investment in Repo Investment in Treasury Bill Investment in Debenture - Listed	5,791,974 10,970,064 16,762,038	6,153,080 3,602,455 4,840,316 8,961,983 23,557,834
6 Other Receivables Dividend Receivable Interest Receivable on Saving Account	3,306 3,306	-
7 Accrued Expenses and Other Payables Custodian Fees Payable to Premier Wealth Management Ltd Tax Consultation Fees Payable Audit Fees	11,622 105 80,917 82,936 175,580	12,055 15 52,998 160,479 225,547

Reconciliation between the net assets value as per financial ststemnts and the published net asset value

The fund considers its net assets attributable to unitholders as capital, notwithstanding that net assets attributable to unitholders are classified as a liability. The amount of net assets attributable to unitholders can change significantly on a daily basis as the Fund is subject to daily application and redemptions at the discreation of unitholders. The movement in number of units and net assets attributable to unitholders during the period were as follows;

	Month Ended 30.09.2023				Year En 31.03.2	
	Units	Rs.	Units	Rs.		
Units as at beginning of the period	3,395,572	23,516,157	3,984,140	25,504,198		
Units issued during the period	743	5,910	1,871	11,820		
Units redeemed/ cancelled during the period	(1,530,742)	(11,005,866)	(590,439)	(3,590,951)		
Increase in net assets attributable to unit holders	-	4,079,635	-	1,591,090		
Units as at end of the period	1,865,574	16,595,836	3,395,572	23,516,157		
Adj: Income Tax Receivables	-		<u> -</u>	~		
Other Audit Adjustements		-	-			
Net Assets Value as per Valuation	1,865,574	16,595,836	3,395,572	23,516,157		

The creation price was Rs. 8.90 per unit as at 30.09.2023 (31.03.2023- Rs. 6.93) and the redemption price was Rs. 8.89 as at 30.09.2023(31.03.2023 - Rs. 6.92)

PREMIER MONEY MARKET FUND

INTERIM FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE SIX MONTH PERIOD ENDED 30th SEPTEMBER 2023

PREMIER MONEY MARKET FUND STATEMENT OF COMPREHENSIVE INCOME FOR THE PERIOD ENDED 30TH SEPTEMBER 2023

	Note	Period Ended 30.09.2023 Rs.	Period Ended 30.09.2022 Rs.	Year Ended 31.03.2023 Rs.
Investment Income				
Interest Income	1	48,393,657	30,933,566	74,411,478
Other Income	2		41,348	41,348
Capital Gain on Treasury Bill		492,549	2€	<u> </u>
Total Investment Income		48,886,206	30,974,914	74,452,826
Expenses				
Management Fees		(807,636)	(713,850)	(1,384,680)
Trustee and Custodian Fees		(686,236)	(585,940)	(1,176,971)
Audit Fees		(124,146)	(122,986)	(249,565)
Professional Fees		(28,083)	(21,609)	(43,209)
Total Operating Expenses		(1,646,101)	(1,444,385)	(2,854,425)
Net Operating Profit		47,240,105	29,530,529	71,598,401
Finance Cost	3	(143,664)	(17,733)	(67,504)
Net Operating Profit after Deductions and Before Tax		47,096,441	29,512,796	71,530,897
Increase in Net Assets Attributable to Unit Holders		47,096,441	29,512,796	71,530,897

The Notes from 1 to 9 form an Integral Part of these Financial Statements.

PREMIER MONEY MARKET FUND STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION AS AT 30TH SEPTEMBER 2023

		Period ended 30.09.2023	Year Ended 31.03.2023
	Note	Rs.	Rs.
Assets			
Cash and Cash Equivalents	4	3,205,839	1,566,998
Financial Assets Measured at Amortised Cost	5	516,620,595	417,707,270
Other Assets	6	9,324	3,488
Total Assets		519,835,758	419,277,756
Unit Holders' Funds and Liabilities			
Liabilities			
Accrued Expenses	7	504,211	542,347
Other Financial Liabilities	8	3,159,400	1,350,000
Total Liabilities (Excluding Net Assets Attributable to Unit Holders)		3,663,611	1,892,347
Unit Holders' Funds			
Net Assets Attributable to Unit Holders	9	516,172,147	417,385,409
Total Unit Holders' Funds and Liabilities		519,835,758	419,277,756

These financial statements were approved by the Board of Directors of Management Company on 25th October 2023

Premier Wealth Management Limited

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PREMIER MONEY MARKET FUND STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS FOR THE PERIOD ENDED 30TH SEPTEMBER 2023

Net Investment in Securities (98,913,325) 28 Net Increase in Financial Liabilities 1,809,400 Witholding Tax (Paid) / Received	30,933,566 83,825,625	74,449,103
Interest Received 48,393,657 3 Net Investment in Securities (98,913,325) 28 Net Increase in Financial Liabilities 1,809,400 6 Witholding Tax (Paid) / Received - -		
Net Increase in Financial Liabilities 1,809,400 Witholding Tax (Paid) / Received -	83,825,625	
Witholding Tax (Paid) / Received		220,504,229
	(1,370,713)	(2,696,713)
Not Positional Color on Elizabeth Appets		797,783
Net Realized Gain on Financial Assets 492,549	-	-
Operating Expenses Paid (1,684,237)	(1,565,542)	(3,669,286)
Placement Fee Income Received -	41,348	41,348
Net Cash Flows Used in Operating Activities (49,901,957) 31	11,864,284	289,426,464
Cash Flows From/(Used in) Financing Activities		
Cash Received on Creation of Units 480,660,939 17	76,103,251	631,440,609
Cash Paid on Redemption of Units (428,970,641) (48	88,003,219)	(923, 241, 269)
Finance Charge (143,664)	(17,733)	(67,504)
Changes in Accounts Receivable (5.836)	34,334	-
Net Cash Flows from Financing Activities 51,540,799 (31)	11,883,367)	(291,868,164)
Net Increase in Cash and Cash Equivalents 1,638,842	(19,083)	(2,441,700)
Cash and Cash Equivalents at the Beginning of the Period 1,566,998	4,008,698	4,008,698
Cash and Cash Equivalents at the End of the Period (Note 5) 3,205,840	3,989,615	1,566,998

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN UNITHOLDERS' FUNDS

	Period Ended 30.09.2023 Rs.	Month Ended 31.03.2023 Rs.
Unit holders' Funds at the Beginning of the Period	417,385,409	637,655,172
Increase in Net Assets Attributable to Unit Holders	47,096,441	71,530,897
Received on Unit Creations	480,660,938	631,440,609
Payments on Unit Redemptions	(428,970,641)	(923,241,269)
Unit Holders' Funds at the end of Period	516,172,147	417,385,409

The Notes from 1 to 9 form an Integral Part of these Financial Statements.

PREMIER MONEY MARKET FUND NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

			Period Ended 30.09.2023	Period Ended 30.09.2022	Year Ended 31.03.2023
			Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
1	Gross Interest Income	Note			
1	Interest on Repos		3,960,161	6,666,774	11,330,633
	Interest on Received on Treasury Bills		31,551,460	12,218,291	36,485,348
	Interest on Trust Certificate	1.1	1,282,185	1,763,029	1,763,029
	Interest on Savings account	1.2	365,393	385,128	1,081,338
	Interest on Deposits	1.3	11,914,117	9,499,522	24,148,091
	Interest on Commercial Papers		-	400,822	400,822
	increst on Commercial Papers		49,073,316	30,933,566	75,209,261
	Less Witholding Tax				
	Interest on Trust Certificate	1.1	63,289	-	-
	Interest on Savings account	1.2	20,665	-	10,232
	Interest on Deposits	1.3	595,705	-	787,551
			679,659	-	797,783
	Net Interest Income				
	Interest on Repos		3,960,161	6,666,774	11,330,633
	Interest on Received on Treasury Bills		31,551,460	12,218,291	36,485,348
	Interest on Trust Certificate	1.1	1,218,896	1,763,029	1,763,029
	Interest on Savings account	1.2	344,728	385,128	1,071,106
	Interest on Deposits	1.3	11,318,412	9,499,522	23,360,540
	Interest on Commercial Papers		-	400,822	400,822
			48,393,657	30,933,566	74,411,478
2	Other Income				
-	Placement Fee Income		_	41,348	41,348
				41,348	41,348
3	Finance Cost				
	Bank Charges		143,664	17,733	67,504
			143,664	17,733	67,504
4	Cash and Cash Equivalents				
	Savings Cash Book		3,200,839	3,984,615	1,561,998
	Cash at Bank	Annual Control of	5,000	5,000	5,000
			3,205,839	3,989,615	1,566,998

PREMIER MONEY MARKET FUND NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

		Rs.	Rs.
5	Financial Assets Measured at Amortised Cost		
	Investment in Treasury Bills	350,201,898	254,900,106
	Investment in Trust Certificate	13,218,082	-
	Investment in Deposits	101,828,437	123,124,758
	Investment in Repo	51,372,178	39,682,406
		516,620,595	417,707,270
6	Other Assets	9,324	3,488.00
	Interest Receivable on Saving Account	9,324	3,488.00
7	Accrued Expenses		
	Management Fees	154,542	123,952
	Trustee Fees	104,097	83,548
	Tax Consultation Fees Payable	81,187	53,029
	Custodian Fees	23,315	24,110
	Auditor's Remuneration	141,071	257,708
		504,211	542,347
8	Other Financial Liabilities		
	Other Payables		
	Units to be Creation	3,159,400	1,350,000
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Reconciliation between the net assets value as per financial statements and the published net asset value

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	Period Ended Units	30.09.2023 Rs.	Year Ended Units	31.03.2023 Rs.
Units at the Beginning of the Period	17,182,490 -	417,385,409-	31,617,402	637,655,172
Units Issued During the Period	18,775,138	480,660,938	28,386,288	631,440,609
Units Redeemed/ Cancelled during the Period	(16,779,456)	(428,970,641)	(42,821,200)	(923,241,269)
Increase in Net Assets Attributable to unit holders		47,096,441	-	71,530,897
Units at the end of the period	19,178,172	516,172,147	17,182,490	417,385,409
Adj: Income Tax receivables				7 19
Other audit adjustments		-	-	2
Net assets value as per valuation	19,178,172	516,172,147 -	17,182,490	417,385,409

The creation price and the redemption price was at Rs. 26.9146 per unit (31.03.2023 - Rs. 24.2913) as at 30th September 2023.

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