Quarterly Report for

AmInstitutional Income Bond SRI

(formerly known as AmInstitutional Income Bond)
31 March 2025





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MANAGER'S REPORT

Dear Unitholders,

We are pleased to present you the Manager's report and the unaudited quarterly accounts of AmInstitutional Income Bond SRI ("Fund") for the financial period from 1 January 2025 to 31 March 2025.

Salient Information of the Fund

Name	AmInstitutional Income Bond SRI					
Category/ Type	Wholesale Fixed Income / Income					
Objective	The Fund seeks to provide income* and to a lesser extent capital appreciation by investing primarily in fixed income instruments. Note: * Income distribution (if any) can be in the form of cash (by telegraphic transfer) or additional units (by reinvestment into units of the Fund). Any material change to the investment objective of the Fund would require Unit Holders' approval.					
Duration	The Fund was established on 18 February 2019 and shall exist for as long as it appears to the Manager and the Trustee that it is in the interests of the unitholders for it to continue. In some circumstances, the unitholders can resolve at a meeting to terminate the Fund.					
Performance Benchmark	Refinitiv BPAM Corporates (3-7 years) All Bond Index + 50 bps (Available at www.aminvest.com) Note: The risk profile of the Fund may not be the same as the risk profile of the performance benchmark. BPAM refers to Bond Pricing Agency Malaysia.					
Income Distribution Policy	Subject to the availability of income, distribution will be paid out at least twice every year and can be in the form of cash (by telegraphic transfer) or additional units (by reinvestment into units of the Fund).					
Breakdown of Unit Holdings by	For the financial period under review, the size of the Fund stood at 1,146,132,715 units.					
Size	Size of holding	As at 31 M		As at 31 Dece		
		No of units held	Number of unitholders	No of units held	Number of unitholders	
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	above	1,146,132,715	3	1,029,819,649	3	

Fund Performance Data

Portfolio Composition

Details of portfolio composition of the Fund as at 31 March 2025 and for the past three financial years are as follows:

	As at	As at 31 December		
	31.03.2025	2024	2023	2022
		%	%	%
Cagamas bond	4.27	4.65	ı	-
Corporate bonds	83.55	87.77	88.09	92.31
Government Investment Issues	-	1	1.34	4.57
Malaysian Government				
Securities	-	-	1.29	2.47
Money market deposits and cash				
equivalents	12.18	7.58	9.28	0.65
Total	100.00	100.00	100.00	100.00

Note: The abovementioned percentages are calculated based on total net asset value.

Performance Details

Performance details of the Fund for the financial period ended 31 March 2025 and three financial years ended 31 December are as follows:

	FPE	FYE	FYE	FYE
	31.03.2025	2024	2023	2022
Net asset value (RM'000)	1,203,575	1,087,454	778,012	527,887
Units in circulation ('000)	1,146,133	1,029,820	738,595	519,904
Net asset value per unit (RM)	1.0501	1.0560	1.0534	1.0154
Highest net asset value per unit				
(RM)	1.0597	1.0645	1.0541	1.0245
Lowest net asset value per unit				
(RM)	1.0469	1.0520	1.0172	0.9980
Benchmark performance (%)	1.70	5.11	7.54	2.65
Total return (%) ⁽¹⁾	1.26	4.51	6.56	2.74
- Capital growth (%)	-0.58	0.35	3.79	-0.54
- Income distribution (%)	1.84	4.16	2.77	3.28
Gross distributions				
(RM sen per unit)	1.94	4.38	2.81	3.35
Net distributions				
(RM sen per unit)	1.94	4.38	2.81	3.35
Total expense ratio (%) ⁽²⁾	0.05	0.22	0.22	0.22
Portfolio turnover ratio (times)(3)	0.03	0.52	0.42	0.59

Note:

- (1) Total return is the actual return of the Fund for the respective financial period/years computed based on the net asset value per unit and net of all fees. Fund return is calculated based on the published price (last business day).
- (2) Total expense ratio ("TER") is calculated based on the total fees and expenses incurred by the Fund divided by the average fund size calculated on a daily basis.
- (3) Portfolio turnover ratio ("PTR") is calculated based on the average of the total acquisitions and total disposals of investment securities of the Fund divided by the average fund size calculated on a daily basis.

Average Total Return (as at 31 March 2025)

	AmInstitutional Income Bond SRI ^(a)	Benchmark ^(b)
One year	4.37	5.19
Three years	4.85	5.57
Five years	4.36	4.97
Since launch (18 February 2019)	4.74	5.34

Annual Total Return

Financial Years Ended (31 December)	AmInstitutional Income Bond SRI ^(a) %	Benchmark ^(b)
2024	4.51	5.11
2023	6.56	7.54
2022	2.74	2.65
2021	0.94	0.96
2020	6.31	7.70

- (a) Source: Novagni Analytics and Advisory Sdn. Bhd.
- (b) Refinitiv BPAM Corporates (3-7 years) All Bond Index + 50 bps. (Available at www.aminvest.com)

The Fund performance is calculated based on the net asset value per unit of the Fund. Average total return of the Fund and its benchmark for a period is computed based on the absolute return for that period annualised over one year.

Note: Past performance is not necessarily indicative of future performance and that unit prices and investment returns may go down, as well as up.

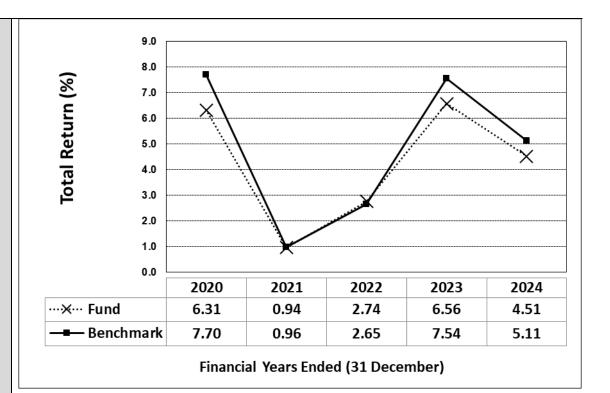
Fund Performance

For the financial period under review, the Fund registered a return of 1.26% comprising of negative 0.58% capital and 1.84% income distributions.

Thus, the Fund's return of 1.26% has underperformed the benchmark's return of 1.70% by 0.44%.

As compared with the financial year ended 31 December 2024, the net asset value ("NAV") per unit of the Fund decreased by 0.56% from RM1.0560 to RM1.0501, while units in circulation increased by 11.29% from 1,029,819,649 units to 1,146,132,715 units.

The following line chart shows comparison between the annual performances of AmInstitutional Income Bond SRI and its benchmark for the financial years ended 31 December.



Note: Past performance is not necessarily indicative of future performance and that unit prices and investment returns may go down, as well as up.

Strategies and Policies Employed

The Fund seeks to achieve its investment objective by investing up to 100% of the NAV in fixed income instruments i.e. corporate bonds or sukuk and/or government securities and any other securities guaranteed by the Malaysian government, Bank Negara Malaysia (BNM) or other related government agencies with a minimum credit rating of:

- RM-denominated fixed income instruments: A3 or its equivalent as rated by a local rating agency; and
- Non-RM-denominated fixed income instruments: BBB- or its equivalent as rated by a global rating agency.

Portfolio Structure

The table below is the asset allocation of the Fund as at 31 March 2025 and 31 December 2024.

	As at 31.03.2025 %	As at 31.12.2024 %	Changes %
Cagamas bond	4.27	4.65	-0.38
Corporate bonds	83.55	87.77	-4.22
Money market deposits and cash			
equivalents	12.18	7.58	4.60
Total	100.00	100.00	

As at 31 March 2025, the Fund has invested 83.55% of its NAV in corporate bonds, 4.27% in cagamas bond and the balance of 12.18% in money market deposits and cash equivalents.

Cross Trade

There were no cross trades undertaken during the financial period under review.

During the financial period under review, the Fund declared income distributions, Distributions/ **Unit Splits** detailed as follows: Date of Distributions NAV per unit NAV per unit **Cum-Distributions Ex-Distributions** distributions per unit RM (sen) (RM) (RM) 1.0599 31-Jan-25 1.30 1.0469 1.0483 28-Feb-25 0.33 1.0516 28-Mar-25 1.0529 1.0498 0.31 There is no unit split declared for the financial period under review. State of There has been neither significant changes to the state of affairs of the Fund nor any Affairs circumstances that materially affect any interests of the unitholders during the financial period under review. Rebates During the period, the management company did not receive soft commissions by and Soft virtue of transactions conducted for the Fund. Commission The Malaysia bond market was mixed in January amid a combination of softer-than-Market Review expected economic data and resilient external performance. Malaysia's advanced fourth quarter gross domestic product (GDP) and December consumer price index (CPI) came in below market expectations while exports for the month surprised on the upside. At its first Monetary Policy Committee (MPC) meeting of the year, Bank Negara Malaysia (BNM) maintained overnight policy rate (OPR) at 3.00% as widely expected, citing expectations of sustained economic growth and manageable inflation. Overall, Malaysian Government Securities (MGS) traded firmer with yields declining 1-2 basis points (bps), except for the ultra-long 30-Year MGS which edged up 1bps during the month. The local bond market remained calm and well supported in February despite heightened volatility in the United States Treasury (UST) market. The resilience was underpinned by strong domestic liquidity conditions and consistent demand from institutional investors. Four sovereign bond auctions were conducted during the month, all receiving robust interest with bid-to-cover ratios ranged between 2.36 and 3.16 times. MGS yield closed the month lower by 1-3bps across the curve, except for the 20-year MGS, which rose slightly by 1bps. In March, the Malaysia bond market rallied while UST yield curve steepened as concern over tariffs, higher inflation expectation and slowing economic growth in United States (US) prompted investor to seek refuge in safer assets. UST curve saw yield declined 1-10 bps from the front end up to the 10-year segment. Domestically, strong liquidity conditions continued to support demand, pushing MGS yields lower by 1-6bps across tenor except for 30-year which was an outlier as it increased by 5bps month-on-month (MoM). Market Bank Negara Malaysia (BNM) is expected to maintain its current policy rate **Outlook** throughout 2025 supported by stable economic growth and low inflation. However, external risks remain, particularly policy uncertainty from the United States (US), which could lead to increased market volatility and potential shifts in capital flows. Any significant changes in US monetary policy or geopolitical developments could influence BNM's future rate decisions.

For Q22025, our strategy focuses on positioning for an overweight duration stance, based on expectations of a positive bond market performance. This outlook is driven by: Ample domestic liquidity in the bond market, supporting demand for fixedincome instruments. Uncertainty in the global growth outlook, especially with looming trade war from **US** tariffs Potential monetary easing or accommodative policies by central banks, should growth weaken We will focus on overweighting corporate bonds on portfolio construction with tactical positions on government bonds for trading purposes. A statement For the financial period under review, the Fund has complied with the requirements of that the fund the Guidelines on Sustainable and Responsible Investment Funds ("SRI"). has complied with **Guidelines on** Sustainable And Responsible Investment **Funds during** the reporting period **Descriptions** As a SRI qualified fund, the investments of the Fund are subjected to the integration of the sustainability considerations. Please refer to "Strategies and Policies Employed" section in this report for further information on the Fund's sustainability sustainability consideration considerations. s that have been adopted in the policies and strategies employed Descriptions of the SRI Fund's policies and strategies achieved during the reporting period which must include, but are not limited to the following (a-g):-For the financial period under review, the Fund incorporated sustainability (a) A review considerations in securities or instruments selection (including instruments issued on under their respective green, social and sustainability ("GSS") bond framework), by sustainability consideration investing in companies which are well governed and with positive environmental and s of the SRI social impact. The issuer of such securities or instruments are evaluated based on Fund's the sustainability considerations as disclosed in the section "ESG Assessment Methodology" and their disclosure of information pertaining to environmental and portfolio social impact. (b) The For the financial period under review, the Fund invested at least two-thirds (2/3) of the NAV of the Fund in securities or instruments (excluding Malaysian government proportion of securities, cash, deposits and money market instruments) that are in line with the underlying investments sustainability considerations adopted by the Fund. that are consistent with the SRI Fund's

policies and strategies	
(c) Where the SRI Fund's underlying investments are inconsistent with its policies and strategies, descriptions on steps undertaken to rectify the inconsistency	Not applicable as the Fund's underlying investments are consistent with its policies and strategies. That said, if the Fund's investments become inconsistent with its investment strategies or the Fund breaches the two thirds (2/3) asset allocation threshold in investments that are subjected to sustainability considerations, the Fund Manager will dispose and/or replace the investment(s) within seven (7) business days from the date of the breach.
(d) Actions taken in achieving the SRI Fund's policies and strategies	The Fund Manager continuously monitor and if required, rebalance the investments to ensure that at least two-thirds (2/3) of the NAV of the Fund are maintained in securities or instruments (excluding Malaysian government securities, cash, deposits and money market instruments) that are in line with the sustainability considerations adopted by the Fund.
(e) A comparison of the SRI Fund's performance against the designated reference benchmark (if available)	Not applicable since the Fund does not have a designated SRI benchmark.
(f) Descriptions on sustainability risk consideration s and the inclusion of such risks in the SRI Fund's investment decision making process	Sustainability and Responsible Investment and Impact Risk As the Fund has an intention to generate positive sustainable and responsible impact alongside a financial return ("impact"), the investor must be able to accept temporary capital losses due to the potentially restricted number of companies that the Fund can invest in due to those companies which may not meet the sustainability considerations requirement and, consequently, should view investment in the Fund as a long-term investment. The Fund may seek to exclude holdings deemed inconsistent with the sustainability considerations. As a result, the investments of the Fund will be more limited than other funds that do not apply sustainability considerations. The Fund may be precluded from purchasing, or required to sell, certain investments that are inconsistent with its investment policy and sustainability considerations which might otherwise be advantageous to hold. The incorporation of sustainability considerations could result in performance that is better or worse than the performance of the other funds depending on the performance of the excluded investments and the investments included in place of such excluded investments.
	This risk is mitigated via investment strategy of the Fund such as by imposing minimum credit rating, active tactical duration management and by analyzing general

market conditions. In addition, the Manager will use models that analyze and compare expected returns and assumed risk.

The Manager will also focus on securities or instruments that would deliver better returns and will consider obligations with more favourable or improving credit or industry outlook that provides the potential for capital appreciation.

Greenwashing Risk

Greenwashing is defined as making false, misleading or unsubstantiated claims in relation to ESG credential of an investment product. The Fund may inadvertently invest into such products, without prior knowledge of the fraudulent claims. As greenwashing could result in reputational risk, regulatory fines, and/or withdrawal of the products, there could be a negative impact on the value of the Fund.

In mitigating the greenwashing risk, there are governance and guidelines in place for assessing the sustainability of the sovereign or corporate issuer and depository financial institution. The ESG score prescribed to the sovereign or corporate issuer and depository financial institution are reviewed and approved by appropriate approving authorities internally, and updated periodically, i.e. at least once a year.

(g) Any other information, considered necessary and relevant by the issuer

No additional information deemed necessary to be disclosed.

Where the SRI
Fund has
provided
previous
periodic
reviews, a
comparison
between the
current and at
least the
previous
reporting
period

For the current reporting period and the previous reporting period, the Fund has complied with the requirements of the Guidelines on Sustainable and Responsible Investment Funds ("SRI") by investing at least two-thirds (2/3) of the NAV of the Fund in securities or instruments that are in line with the sustainability considerations adopted by the Fund.

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20 May 2025

STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION AS AT 31 MARCH 2025

	31.03.2025 (unaudited) RM	31.12.2024 (audited) RM
ASSETS		
Investments	1,056,931,120	1,005,060,481
Deposits with licensed financial institution	-	50,067,397
Interest receivables	198,898	212,038
Cash at banks	150,220,021	37,792,132
TOTAL ASSETS	1,207,350,039	1,093,132,048
LIABILITIES		
Amount due to Manager	201,865	202,680
Amount due to Trustee	9,489	9,243
Distribution payables	3,553,011	5,458,044
Sundry payables and accruals	10,347	8,300
TOTAL LIABILITIES	3,774,712	5,678,267
NET ASSET VALUE ("NAV") OF THE FUND	1,203,575,327	1,087,453,781
EQUITY		
Unit holders' capital	1,193,239,257	1,070,868,493
Retained earnings	10,336,070	16,585,288
NET ASSETS ATTRIBUTABLE TO UNIT HOLDERS	1,203,575,327	1,087,453,781
UNITS IN CIRCULATION	1,146,132,715	1,029,819,649
NAV PER UNIT (RM)	1.0501	1.0560

STATEMENT OF COMPREHENSIVE INCOME (Unaudited) FOR THE FINANCIAL PERIOD FROM 1 JANUARY 2025 TO 31 MARCH 2025

	Note	01.01.2025 to 31.03.2025 RM	01.01.2024 to 31.03.2024 RM
INVESTMENT INCOME			
Interest income Net gains from investments: - Financial assets at fair value through profit or		11,112,100	8,223,569
loss ("FVTPL")	1	3,678,221	3,062,370
		14,790,321	11,285,939
EXPENDITURE			
Manager's fee Trustee's fee Audit fee Tax agent's fee Other expenses		(544,524) (27,226) (1,233) (814) (10) (573,807)	(390,138) (29,260) (1,243) (821) (893) (422,355)
Net income before taxation Taxation		14,216,514	10,863,584
Net income after taxation, representing total comprehensive income for the financial period		14,216,514	10,863,584
Total comprehensive income comprises the following:			
Realised income		10,496,968	9,825,525
Unrealised gains		3,719,546	1,038,059
		14,216,514	10,863,584
Distributions for the financial period Net distributions	2	20,465,732	9,274,545
Gross distributions per unit (sen)	2	1.94	1.25
Net distributions per unit (sen)	2	1.94	1.25

The accompanying notes form an integral part of the unaudited financial statements.

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN EQUITY (Unaudited) FOR THE FINANCIAL PERIOD FROM 1 JANUARY 2025 TO 31 MARCH 2025

	Note	Unit holders' capital RM	Retained earnings RM	Total equity RM
At 1 January 2025 Total comprehensive income for		1,070,868,493	16,585,288	1,087,453,781
the financial period		-	14,216,514	14,216,514
Creation of units		100,000,000	-	100,000,000
Reinvestment of distributions		22,370,764	-	22,370,764
Distributions	2		(20,465,732)	(20,465,732)
Balance at 31 March 2025	-	1,193,239,257	10,336,070	1,203,575,327
At 1 January 2024 Total comprehensive income for		762,532,675	15,479,156	778,011,831
the financial period		-	10,863,584	10,863,584
Reinvestment of distributions		5,032,141	-	5,032,141
Distributions	2		(9,274,545)	(9,274,545)
Balance at 31 March 2024	_	767,564,816	17,068,195	784,633,011

The accompanying notes form an integral part of the unaudited financial statements.

STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS (Unaudited) FOR THE FINANCIAL PERIOD FROM 1 JANUARY 2025 TO 31 MARCH 2025

	01.01.2025 to 31.03.2025 RM	01.01.2024 to 31.03.2024 RM
CASH FLOWS FROM OPERATING AND INVESTING ACTIVITIES		
Proceeds from sale of investments Proceeds from maturity of deposits Purchases of investments Interest received Manager's fee paid Trustee's fee paid Payments for other expenses Net cash (used in)/generated from operating and investing activities	12,555,270 - (60,193,000) 10,570,551 (545,339) (26,980) (10) (37,639,508)	64,256,329 30,000,000 (81,919,550) 8,267,630 (388,402) (29,139) (5,893) 20,180,975
CASH FLOW FROM FINANCING ACTIVITY		
Proceeds from creation of units Net cash generated from financing activity	100,000,000	<u>-</u>
NET INCREASE IN CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS AT THE BEGINNING OF THE FINANCIAL PERIOD CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS AT THE END OF THE FINANCIAL PERIOD	62,360,492 87,859,529 150,220,021	20,180,975 42,888,350 63,069,325
Cash and cash equivalents comprise: Cash at banks	150,220,021	63,069,325

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE FINANCIAL PERIOD FROM 1 JANUARY 2025 TO 31 MARCH 2025

1. NET GAINS FROM INVESTMENTS

	01.01.2025 to 31.03.2025 RM	01.01.2024 to 31.03.2024 RM
Net gains on financial assets at FVTPL comprised: - Net realised (loss)/gain on sale of investments - Net unrealised gains on changes in fair value of	(41,325)	2,024,311
investments	3,719,546	1,038,059
	3,678,221	3,062,370

2. DISTRIBUTIONS

Details of distributions to unit holders for the financial periods are as follows:

Financial period ended 31 March 2025

Distributions Ex-date	Gross distributions per unit RM (sen)	Net distributions per unit RM (sen)	Total distributions RM
31 January 2025	1.30	1.30	13,454,847
28 February 2025	0.33	0.33	3,457,873
28 March 2025	0.31	0.31	3,553,012
	1.94	1.94	20,465,732

Financial period ended 31 March 2024

Distributions Ex-date	Gross distributions per unit RM (sen)	Net distributions per unit RM (sen)	Total distributions RM
31 January 2024	0.36	0.36	2,661,721
29 February 2024 29 March 2024	0.21 0.68	0.21 0.68	1,557,965 5,054,859
	1.25	1.25	9,274,545

Gross distribution per unit is derived from gross realised income less expenses divided by the number of units in circulation, while net distribution per unit is derived from gross realised income less expenses and taxation divided by the number of units in circulation.

All distributions during the current financial period were sourced from realised income. There were no distributions out of capital.

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