

Prudential Deposit fund

Fund description

The Prudential Deposit Fund earns a variable rate of interest. The current practice, which we can review at anytime, is to set the interest rate on the first of each month, in line with the Bank of England base rate at the time. The Deposit Fund is backed by the assets held within Prudential's With-Profits Fund. Any interest is declared monthly and there are no explicit charges. Interest once added is guaranteed and withdrawals from this fund are not subject to a Market Value Reduction (MVR).

Risk rating – Minimal

- > These risk ratings have been developed by Prudential to help provide an indication of a fund's potential level of risk and reward based on the type of assets which may be held by the fund. Other companies may use different descriptions and as such these risk ratings should not be considered as generic across the fund management industry.
- > We regularly review our fund risk ratings, so they may change in the future. If, in our view, there is a material change in the fund's level of risk, for example due to a significant change to the assets held by the fund or in the way the fund is managed, we will provide information on the new risk rating. We recommend that you make sure you understand the risk rating of any fund before you invest. You will find this information at www.pru.co.uk/factsheets
- > You should also consider discussing your decision and the appropriateness of a fund's risk rating with an adviser.

Important information

Who is this factsheet for and what does it do?

This factsheet is intended for the trustees, advisers and members of additional voluntary contribution arrangements administered by Prudential.

Its purpose is to provide an insight into how the Deposit fund performed over the period and is provided for information only.

If you are not familiar with any of the investment terminology included on this factsheet, then please contact an adviser.

Can I get advice?

This factsheet should not be considered as financial advice and any changes to investment arrangements should be discussed with an adviser. It is not our intention to give an indication of how any particular funds will perform in the future.

How are the performance figures calculated?

Performance is measured by looking at the return after charges earned on a lump sum investment made on the first of the month over the period specified.

Performance

	Past Performance to 30 March 2012					
	Quarter 1**	1 Year*	2 Years*	3 Years*	4 Years*	5 Years*
Deposit fund	0.50%	0.50%	0.50%	0.58%	1.35%	2.17%
Benchmark	0.12%	0.50%	0.50%	0.50%	1.27%	2.11%

	12 months to the end of March				
	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012
Deposit fund	5.56%	3.94%	0.50%	0.50%	0.50%
Benchmark	5.56%	3.62%	0.50%	0.50%	0.50%

Source: Prudential. *Annualised. **This is an annualised rate based on the 3-month deposit rates to 30 March 2012.

It is important to remember that past performance is not a reliable indicator of future performance. Future Deposit fund rates cannot be guaranteed.

Fund benchmark

Benchmark

Bank of England Base Rate

As noted the Deposit fund interest rate is currently set in line with the Bank of England Base Rate on the 1st of each month. The interest rate will then remain fixed for the rest of the month. Should the Bank of England Base Rate change during the month, a change in Deposit fund interest rate will take effect at the beginning of the next month.