



BNY Mellon Strategic Municipal Bond Fund, Inc.

December 31, 2023

DSM

Why invest in this Fund?

- Seeks to provide investors a monthly federal tax-exempt dividend investing primarily in high quality municipal bonds
- With yield scarce across many bond securities, investors may be drawn to municipal bonds because of their local government appeal and tax-exempt status
- May be appropriate as a conservative municipal bond holding within diversified portfolios

The fund's investment objective is to maximize current income exempt from federal income tax to the extent believed to be consistent with the preservation of capital.

FUND INFORMATION

Ticker	DSM
Inception Date	11/22/89
Net Assets	\$382,922,326
Managed Assets ¹	\$496,477,326
Total Leverage ²	32.80%
Total Expense Ratio ³	1.07%
Net Expenses ³	0.97%
NAV (12/31/23)	\$6.75
Market Price (12/31/23)	\$5.71
Premium/Discount ⁴	-15.41%
Avg Daily Volume (in shares) ⁵	34,978
Shares Outstanding (Common Stock)	49,428,691
52-Week Low/High (Market Price)	\$4.72-\$6.12
Holdings ⁶	206
Modified Duration to Worst ^{6,7}	9.58 yrs
Avg Effective Maturity ^{6,8}	19.96 yrs
Weighted Avg Coupon ^{6,9}	4.81%
Distribution Frequency	Monthly
Morningstar Category	High Yield Municipal
Distribution Rate (Market Price) ¹⁰	3.78%

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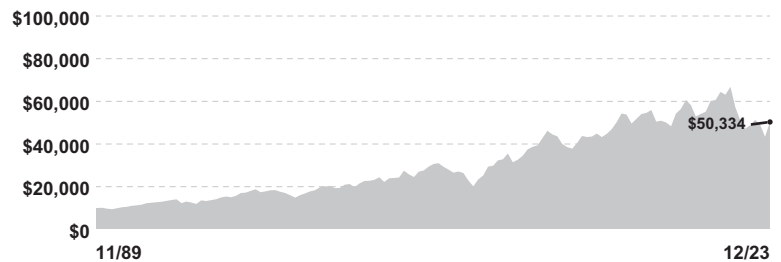
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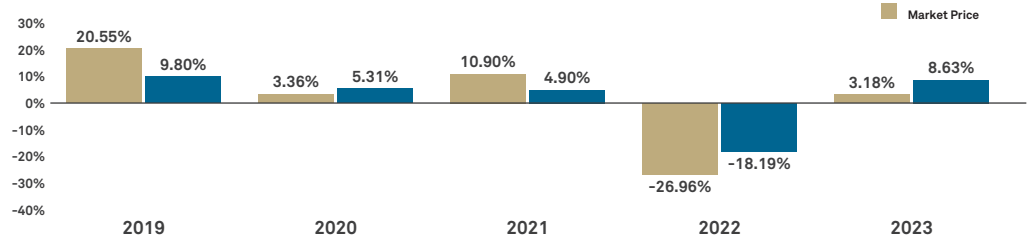
Growth of a \$10,000 Investment

A hypothetical \$10,000 investment in the fund on 11/22/89 would have been worth \$50,334 on 12/31/23.



Assumes reinvestment of dividends and capital gains. Based on Market Price.

Historical Performance



Total Returns

			Average Annual (12/31/23)				
Ticker/Inception Date	3M 12/31/23	YTD 12/31/23	1 Yr	3 Yr	5 Yr	10 Yr	Inception
DSM Market Price 11/22/89	16.07%	3.18%	3.18%	-5.81%	0.81%	2.90%	4.85%
DSM NAV 11/22/89	14.03%	8.63%	8.63%	-2.31%	1.51%	4.09%	5.59%

The performance data quoted represents past performance, which is no guarantee of future results. Share price, yield and investment return fluctuate and an investor's shares may be worth more or less than original cost upon redemption. Current performance may be lower or higher than the performance quoted. Returns are net of fund expenses, and assume reinvestment of distributions. Investors who purchase shares of the fund through a financial professional may separately pay a fee to that service provider. The returns do not reflect broker sales charges or commissions. Performance for periods less than 1 year is not annualized. The net expense ratio(s) reflect a contractual expense reduction agreement through 5/31/2024, without which, the returns would have been lower. A fund's NAV is the sum of all its assets less any liabilities, divided by the number of shares outstanding. Market Price performance is determined using the bid/ask midpoint at 4:00 p.m. Eastern time, when the NAV is typically calculated. Market performance does not represent the returns you would receive if you traded shares at other times.

Distribution History¹¹

Ex Date	Distribution per share
10/13/2023	\$0.018
11/14/2023	\$0.018
12/13/2023	\$0.018

¹Managed assets is the total assets of the fund, including any assets attributable to leverage, minus the fund's accrued liabilities, other than any liabilities or obligations attributable to leverage.

²Total Leverage is the amount of borrowed funds used to purchase assets in order to potentially enhance returns. ³Expenses include: Management Fee: 0.50%; Other Expenses: 0.34%; Interest Expense: 0.23%. Please see the fund's Annual Report for full information on expenses. ⁴Premium/Discount Shareholders may pay more than net asset value when they buy Fund shares and receive less than net asset value when they sell those shares, because shares are bought and sold at current market prices. ⁵Average Daily Volume is the average number of shares traded within a day in a given stock. ⁶Portfolio composition is as of 12/31/2023 and is subject to change at any time. ⁷Modified Duration to Worst — Yield change calculated to the priced to worst date, including all call features. ⁸Average Effective Maturity is the weighted average of the effective maturity dates of the fixed-income securities in the fund's holdings. It does not take into account the fund's use of leverage. ⁹Weighted Average Coupon is calculated from a fund's portfolio by weighing the coupon of each bond by its relative size in the portfolio. Coupons are percentages paid out on a fixed-income security on a periodic basis. ¹⁰Distribution Rate represents the latest declared regular distribution, annualized, relative to the market price as of quarter end. Special distributions, including special capital gains distributions, are not included in the calculation. Distributions are sourced entirely from net investment income, unless otherwise noted.

¹¹There is no guarantee that dividends will be paid. You should not draw any conclusions about the Fund's investment performance from the amount of the fund's distributions. Trading CEFs will also generate tax consequences and transaction expenses. This information is general in nature and is not intended to constitute tax advice. Please consult your own legal or tax professional for more detailed information as it relates to your specific situation. Past performance does not guarantee future results.

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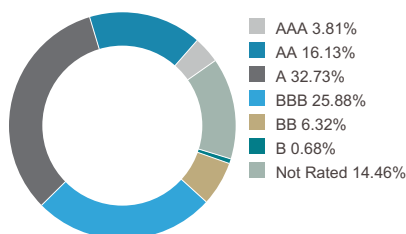


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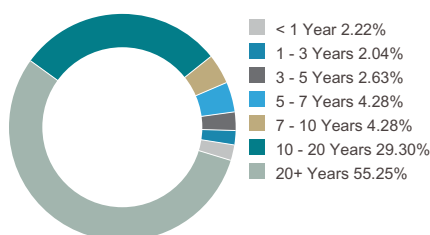
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Credit Quality^{1,2,3,4}



Maturity Distribution^{1,4}



Top 10 Industries^{1,4}

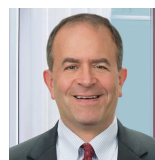
Health Care	20.91%
Transportation	19.10%
Education	13.48%
Special Tax	11.78%
Utility-Water & Sewer	7.75%
State/Territory General Obligation	4.94%
Industrial Revenue	4.41%
Tobacco	4.34%
Utility-Electric Revenues	4.15%
Housing	3.43%

Top 10 States^{1,4}

Illinois	9.09%
Texas	7.37%
New York	6.38%
Pennsylvania	5.56%
California	4.58%
Florida	4.41%
Alabama	4.37%
New Jersey	4.24%
Virginia	4.14%
Michigan	3.83%

PORTFOLIO MANAGEMENT

BNY Mellon Investment Adviser, Inc. (BNYM Investment Adviser) is the fund's investment manager, and has engaged its affiliate, Insight North America LLC (INA), to serve as the Fund's sub-investment adviser. Jeffrey Burger and Daniel Rabasco are the fund's primary portfolio managers, positions they have held since July 2014 and July 2016, respectively.



Daniel Rabasco, CFA

Head of Municipal Bonds
25 years with the firm
36 years with the industry
7 years with the fund



Jeffrey Burger, CFA

Senior Portfolio Manager
14 years with the firm
23 years with the industry
9 years with the fund

Years of experience may include partial year periods.

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Investors should consider the investment objectives, risks, charges, and expenses of the fund carefully before investing.

¹Portfolio composition is as of 12/31/2023 and is subject to change at any time. Based on managed assets. ²Bond ratings reflect the rating entity's evaluation of the issuer's ability to pay interest and repay principal on the bond on a timely basis. Bonds rated BBB/Baa or higher are considered investment grade, while bonds rated BB/Ba or lower are considered speculative as to the timely payment of interest and principal. ³Credit ratings reflect only those assigned by S&P, Moody's, and/or Fitch. Split-rated securities, if any, are reported in the higher rating category. ⁴Source: Insight Investment.

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The Fund is subject to investment risk, including the possible loss of the entire amount you invest.

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