Investment Manager

BNY Mellon Investment Adviser, Inc.

Fund Facts

NASDAQ Symbol (Class) DSIGX
CUSIP Number (Class) 05588T105
Inception Date (Class) 4/6/87
Total Net Assets (Fund) $95,344,410
Number of Holdings 30
Dividend Policy Pay Monthly
Declare Daily
Trading Deadline 4:00 p.m. ET
6
Total Expenses (as listed in Prospectus Fee Table) 0.70%
Net Expenses 0.47%

The net expense ratio(s) reflect a contractual expense reduction agreement through 3/31/2020.

Benchmark ICE BofA Merrill Lynch 3-Month U.S. Treasury Bill Index

Fund Description

The fund seeks high current income consistent with the maintenance of liquidity and low volatility of principal. The fund is designed to provide a high degree of share price stability while generating higher returns than money market funds over time, and, thus, may be an investment alternative to money market funds and other fixed-income funds.

The fund is not a money market fund and is not subject to the maturity, quality, liquidity and diversification requirements applicable to money market funds.

Short-term bond funds do not attempt to maintain a stable NAV of $1.00 and are subject to greater risk than money market funds.

Average Annual Total Returns as of 3/31/19

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Average Annual Total Returns as of 5/31/19

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Cumulative Total Returns as of 5/31/19

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<td>0.19%</td>
<td>0.95%</td>
<td>2.12%</td>
<td>3.90%</td>
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Current Yields as of 5/31/19

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The performance data quoted represents past performance, which is no guarantee of future results. Share price 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. Go to bnymellonim.com/us for the fund’s most recent month-end returns.

Historical Total Return Performance

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<td>1.78%</td>
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<td>0.21%</td>
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Final Maturity

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<td>91-180 Days</td>
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<td>181+ Days</td>
<td>13.60%</td>
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Class Z shares generally are not available for new accounts. Please see the fund’s prospectus for details.

1 The yields quoted reflect the current absorption of certain fund expenses by Dreyfus, without which yields would be "restated" as shown above.

2 The Dreyfus Corporation has contractually agreed to waive receipt of a portion of its management fees in the amount of 0.05% of the value of the fund’s average daily net assets until 3/31/2020. The Dreyfus Corporation has contractually agreed, until 3/31/2020, to waive receipt of its fees and/or assume the direct expenses attributable to Class Z shares of the fund so that the total fund operating expenses of Class Z (excluding Rule 12b-1 fees, shareholder service fees, taxes, interest, brokerage commissions, commitment fees on borrowings and extraordinary expenses) do not exceed 0.35%.

3 Portfolio composition is subject to change at any time.

4 Performance figures may reflect reimbursements or fee waivers, without which the performance would have been lower.

5 Please see the prospectus for expenses as of the fund’s most recent fiscal year-end. Operating expenses may vary from month to month.

6 Any order in proper form placed with Dreyfus by the fund’s trading deadline and for which federal funds are received by 6:00 PM ET will be effective on that date. Investors will earn the dividend declared on that day.

7 Data reflects days until final maturity for individual portfolio securities.

BNY Mellon Ultra Short Income Fund – Class Z

Investment Approach
The fund normally invests in a broad range of U.S. dollar-denominated debt securities, including money market instruments. The fund’s investments may include:
• securities issued or guaranteed as to principal and interest by the U.S. government or its agencies or instrumentalities (including mortgage-related securities)
• certificates of deposit, time deposits, bankers’ acceptances and other short-term securities issued by domestic or foreign banks or thrifts or their subsidiaries or branches
• domestic and foreign commercial paper, and other short-term corporate obligations, including those with floating or variable rates of interest
• obligations issued or guaranteed by one or more foreign governments or any of their political subdivisions or agencies
• repurchase agreements, including triparty repurchase agreements
• asset-backed securities
• municipal securities
• inflation-indexed securities
• zero coupon securities

Portfolio Management
The fund’s investment adviser is BNY Mellon Investment Adviser, Inc. Investment decisions for the fund are made by members of the Taxable Fixed Income team of Dreyfus Cash Investment Strategies (CIS), a division of BNY Mellon Investment Adviser, Inc. The team members are Patricia Larkin, Bernard W. Kiernan, Jr., Edward J. Von Sauers, James G. O’Connor and Thomas S. Riordan. Ms. Larkin has served as a primary portfolio manager of the fund since April 2016, and Messrs. Kiernan, Von Sauers, O’Connor and Riordan have each served as a primary portfolio manager of the fund since May 2017. Ms. Larkin is the Chief Investment Officer of Money Market Strategies for CIS. Mr. Kiernan is a Senior Vice President and Senior Portfolio Manager for CIS. Mr. Von Sauers is an Executive Vice President and Senior Portfolio Manager for CIS. Mr. O’Connor is a Senior Portfolio Manager for CIS. Mr. Riordan is a Senior Vice President and Senior Portfolio Manager of CIS.

Certain Risks
The fund’s share price will fluctuate, which means you could lose money by investing in the fund. Bond funds are subject generally to interest-rate, credit, liquidity, call, and market risks, to varying degrees, all of which are more fully described in the fund’s prospectus. Prices of fixed-income securities tend to move inversely with changes in interest rates. Typically, a rise in rates will adversely affect prices of fixed-income securities and, accordingly, the fund’s share price.

When there is little or no active trading market for specific types of securities, it can become more difficult to sell the securities at or near their perceived value. In such a market, the value of such securities may fall dramatically, potentially lowering the fund’s share price, even during periods of declining interest rates. Also, during such periods, redemptions by a few large investors in the fund may have a significant adverse effect on the fund’s net asset value and remaining fund shareholders.