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#### Principal Stability Fund **Ratings Definitions**

#### AAAm A fund rated 'AAAm' demonstrates extremely strong capacity to maintain principal stability and to limit exposure to principal losses due to credit risk 'AAAm' is the highest principal stability fund rating assigned by S&P Global Ratings

AAm A fund rated 'AAm' demonstrates very strong capacity to maintain principal stability and to limit exposure to principal losses due to credit risk. It differs from the highest-rated funds only to a small degree.

Am A fund rated 'Am' demonstrates strong capacity to maintain principal stability and to limit exposure to principal losses due to credit risk, but is somewhat more susceptible to the adverse effects of changes in circumstances and economic conditions than funds in higher-rated categories

BBBm A fund rated 'BBBm' demonstrates adequate capacity to maintain principal stability and to limit exposure to principal losses due to credit risk. However, adverse economic conditions or changing circumstances are more likely to lead to a reduced capacity to maintain principal stability.

BBm A fund rated 'BBm' demonstrates speculative characteristics and uncertain capacity to maintain principal stability. It is vulnerable to principal losses due to credit risk. While such funds will likely have some quality and protective characteristics, these may be outweighed by large uncertainties or major exposures to adverse conditions.

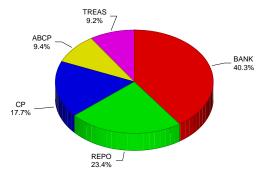
Dm A fund rated 'Dm' has failed to maintain principal stability resulting in a realized or unrealized loss of principal

# Minnesota School District Liquid Asset Fund/MSDLAF+ Portfolio

# About the Pool

Pool Rating Pool Type	AAAm Stable NAV Government Investment Pool
Investment Adviser	PFM Asset Management LLC
Phone	1-888-467-3523
Website	www.msdlaf.org
Portfolio Manager	Jeffrey Rowe, CFA
Pool Rated Since Custodian	April 2001 U.S. Bank N.A.
Distributor	PFM Fund Distributors, Inc.

Portfolio Composition as of September 28, 2023



BANK - Bank Deposits; REPO - Repurchase Agreement; CP - Commercial Paper; ABCP - Asset-backed commercial paper; TREAS - Treasury

### Rationale

Minnesota School District Liquid Asset Fund Plus/MSDLAF+ Portfolio is rated 'AAAm' by S&P Global Ratings. The rating is based on S&P Global Ratings' analysis of the portfolio's credit quality, investment policies, market price exposure, and management. The rating signifies our forwardlooking opinion about a fixed-income fund's ability to maintain principal value (i.e., stable net asset value, or 'NAV').

#### Overview

MSDLAF+ is a trust organized and existing under the laws of the state of Minnesota and the Minnesota Joint Powers Act, as amended. The trust offers its participants the Liquid and Max classes of the MSDLAF+ portfolio and various MSDLAF+ Term Series. This report applies to the MSDLAF+ portfolio of the trust. The trust was established for the purpose of allowing Minnesota school districts to pool their investment funds in order to obtain a competitive investment yield while it maintains liquidity and preserves capital.

#### Management

The Minnesota School District Liquid Asset Fund/MSDLAF+ Portfolio is managed by PFM Asset Management LLC (PFMAM), a subsidiary of U.S. Bancorp Asset Management, Inc. through acquisition as of December 7, 2021. As the fund's investment adviser and administrator, PFMAM is responsible for the purchase and sale of all portfolio assets. PFMAM is registered with the SEC under the Investment Advisers Act of 1940 and specializes in creating investment strategies and managing funds for public sector, not-for-profit and other institutional clients.

#### **Portfolio Assets**

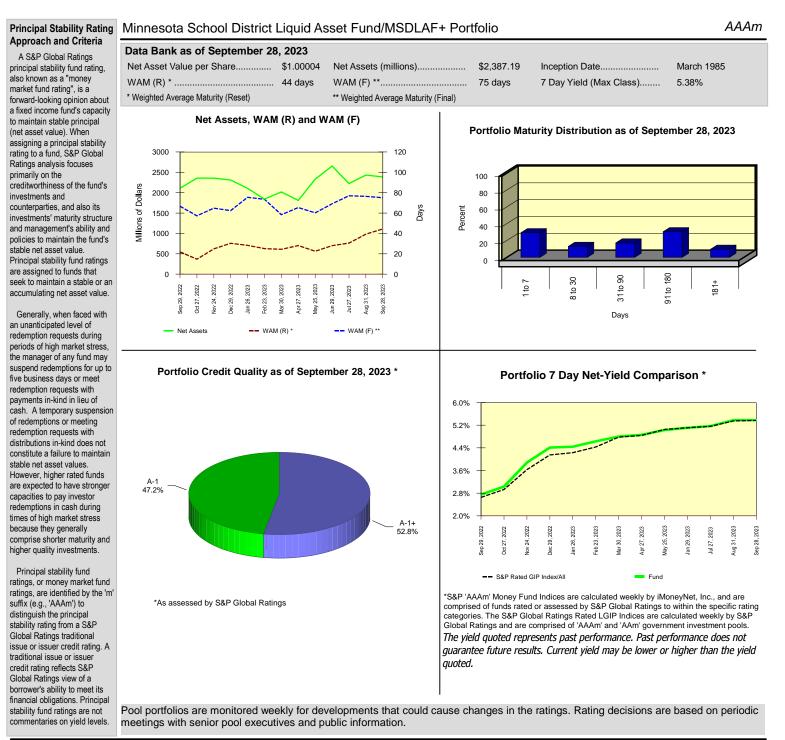
MSDLAF+ invests its assets in instruments in which school districts are permitted to invest under Minnesota law. These instruments include but are not limited to U.S. treasury securities, U.S. government agency securities, money-market mutual funds registered under the Investment Company Act of 1940, repurchase agreements (REPOs), and short-term obligations of corporations organized in the U.S., such as commercial paper and bank debt obligations. In order to minimize fluctuations in the pool's net asset value (NAV) and provide liquidity to its participants, the weighted average maturity to reset (WAM(R)) of the portfolio is managed at 60 days or less.

## Plus (+) or Minus (-)

The ratings may be modified by the addition of a plus (+) or minus (-) sian to show relative standing within the rating categories.

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Participants should consider the investment objectives, risks and charges and expenses of the pool before investing. The investment guidelines which can be obtained from your broker-dealer, contain this and other information about the pool and should be read carefully before investina.



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