



## BlackRock ICS US Dollar Ultra Short Bond Fund

April Minimum Disclosure Document

Institutional Cash Series plc (Premier - Distributing)

### Investment Objective

The investment objective of the BlackRock ICS US Dollar Ultra Short Bond Fund (the Fund) is to generate current income and a reasonable degree of liquidity consistent with the low volatility of principal, through the maintenance of a portfolio of high quality money market and fixed income instruments including floating rate securities

### Investment Policy

The Fund may invest in a broad range of transferable securities such as securities, instruments and obligations that may be available on the relevant markets. Instruments may include securities, instruments and obligations issued or guaranteed by the Governments of Member States or other sovereign governments or their agencies and securities, instruments and obligations issued or guaranteed by supranational or public international bodies, banks,

### Fund Specific Risk

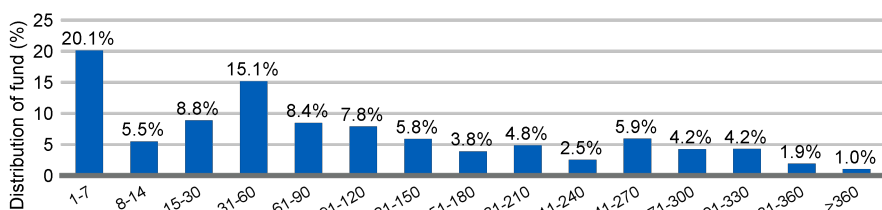
Standard Money Market Funds do not generally experience extreme price variations. Changes in interest rates will impact the Fund. Levels of credit risk are affected by longer weighted average maturity and weighted average life of the Fund.

A Money Market Fund (MMF) is not a guaranteed investment vehicle. An investment in MMFs is different from an investment in deposits; the principal invested in an MMF is capable of fluctuation and the risk of loss of the principal is to be borne by the investor. The MMF does not rely on external support for guaranteeing the liquidity of the MMF or stabilising the NAV per share.

**Counterparty Risk:** The insolvency of any institutions providing services such as safekeeping of assets or acting as counterparty to derivatives or other instruments, may expose the Fund to financial loss.

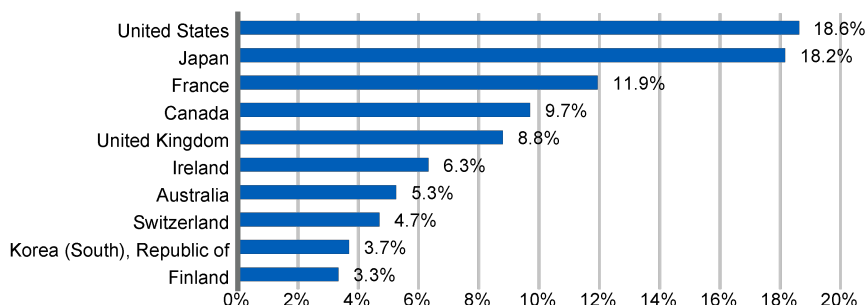
**Credit Risk:** The issuer of a financial asset held within the Fund may not pay income or repay capital to the Fund when due.

### Maturity Distribution (Days)



As per the European Money Market Fund reform regulations, the portfolio is able to bucket Government Debt up to 17.5% of the fund <190 days as 1 week liquidity allowance

### Top 10 Country Allocation



A full breakdown of country and Maturity exposure can be found on the BlackRock Cash website: [www.blackrock.com/cash](http://www.blackrock.com/cash)

The exposure is calculated based on the fund holdings, settled and unsettled, as at 30 April 2021 and may affect % Par and the WAL. It does not include cash, accrued income and/or payables/receivables. For traditional repo collateralised by government obligations, we look through to the underlying collateral for ultimate exposure. For ABCP issuers, we view exposure at the sponsor level of the conduit.

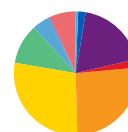
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### Fund Details

Umbrella	Institutional Cash Series
Domicile	Ireland
Fund Structure	UCITS
Fund Type	Standard Variable NAV
Currency	US Dollar
Size	USD 2.1 Billion
Benchmark	ICE BofA USD LIBID 3-month Average (L5US) Index
Inception Date	16/6/2017
Minimum Investment	150 Million
Dealing Deadline	14:00 America/New York
Bloomberg	BRIUUPD
ISIN	IE00BZ11Y713
S&P Fund Credit Rating	AAf
S&P Volatility Rating	1
Ongoing Charges	0.1%
Duration	0.29
Spread Duration	0.37

The credit ratings were solicited and financed by BlackRock.

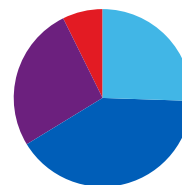
### Portfolio Composition %\*



Treasury Debt	0.76
Other Municipal Debt	2.26
Financial Company Commercial Paper	21.67
Asset Backed Commercial Paper	2.52
Other Commercial Paper	30.09
Certificate of Deposit	32.53
Other Note (*)	12.11
Investment Company	5.25
Other Instrument (Time Deposit)	0.6
Other	-7.8

\*Fixed or floating med-term notes, issued by banks or corporates

### Credit Quality Rating %\*



S&P Rating A-1+	25.53	S&P Rating A-1	40.75
S&P Rating A-2	26.41	No Short-term S&P Rating	7.32

\* The values reported include cash, accrued income, and/or payables/receivables which may result in negative weightings in specific circumstances (including timing differences between trade and settle dates of securities purchased by the funds). Allocations are subject to change. For further information on how the Credit Rating is calculated please refer to the disclosure at the end of the factsheet.



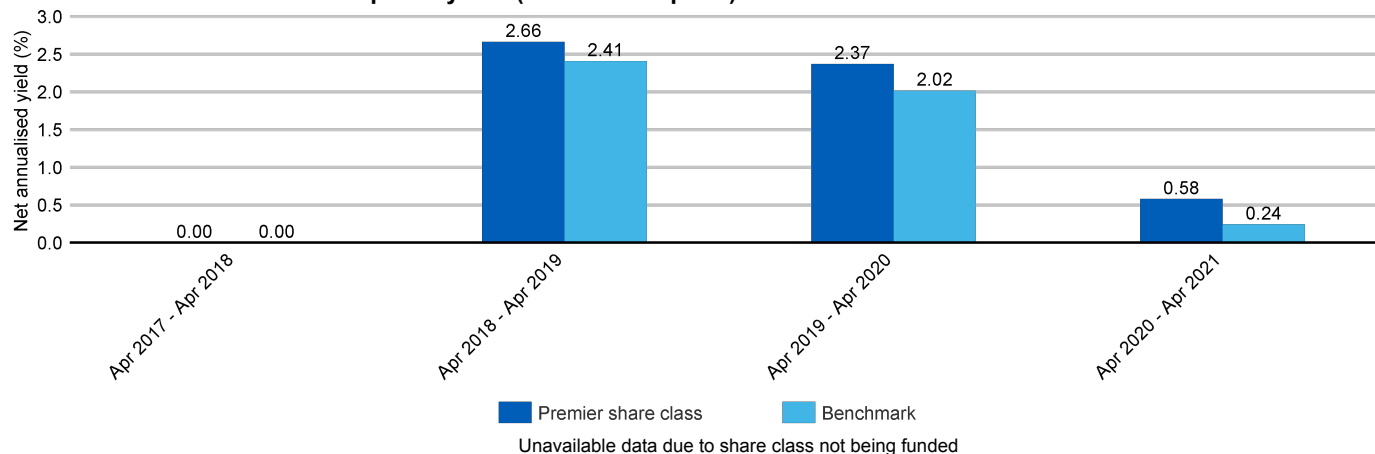
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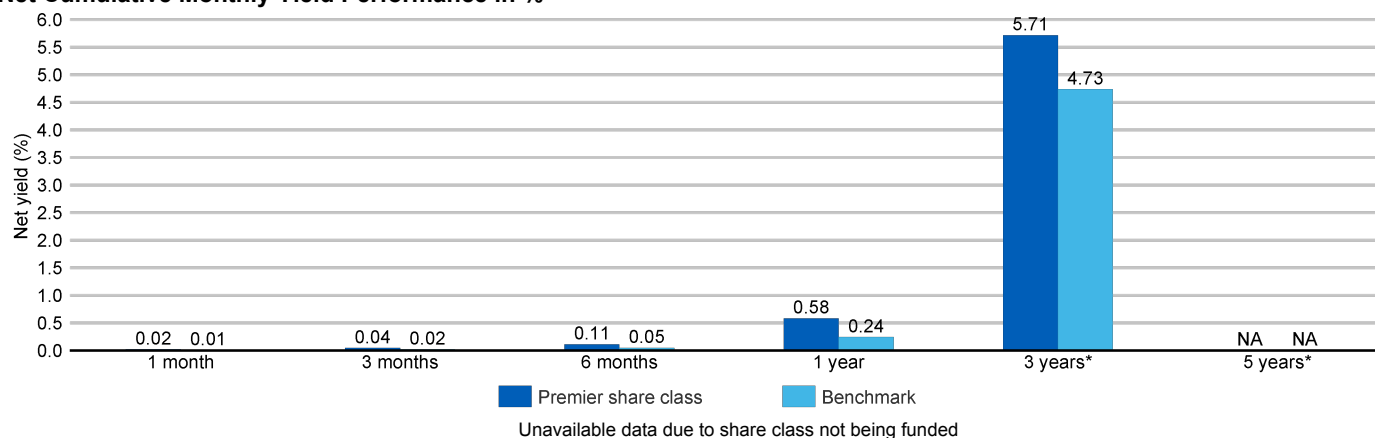
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### Performance

#### Net Annualised Performance for past 5 years (or since inception)



#### Net Cumulative Monthly Yield Performance in %



The NAV chart shows the share class level transactional NAV for the period shown.

The figures shown relate to past performance. Past performance is not a reliable indicator of current or future results and should not be the sole factor of consideration when selecting a product or strategy.

All yield figures are annualised and quoted net of fees except benchmark yields which have no associated fees. The annualised yield is the income return on an investment, such as the interest or dividends of a money market fund.

The yield is expressed as a percentage of the period as at 30 April 2021 market value.

The return of your investment may increase or decrease as a result of currency fluctuations if your investment is made in a currency other than that used in the past performance calculation.

Performance is calculated after deduction of ongoing charges. Performance is expressed as a percentage change of the Fund's net asset value and is calculated net of annual fees.

\*Annualised returns

The currency of returns is US Dollar

Up-to-date performance figures can be found on our website [www.blackrock.com/cash](http://www.blackrock.com/cash)

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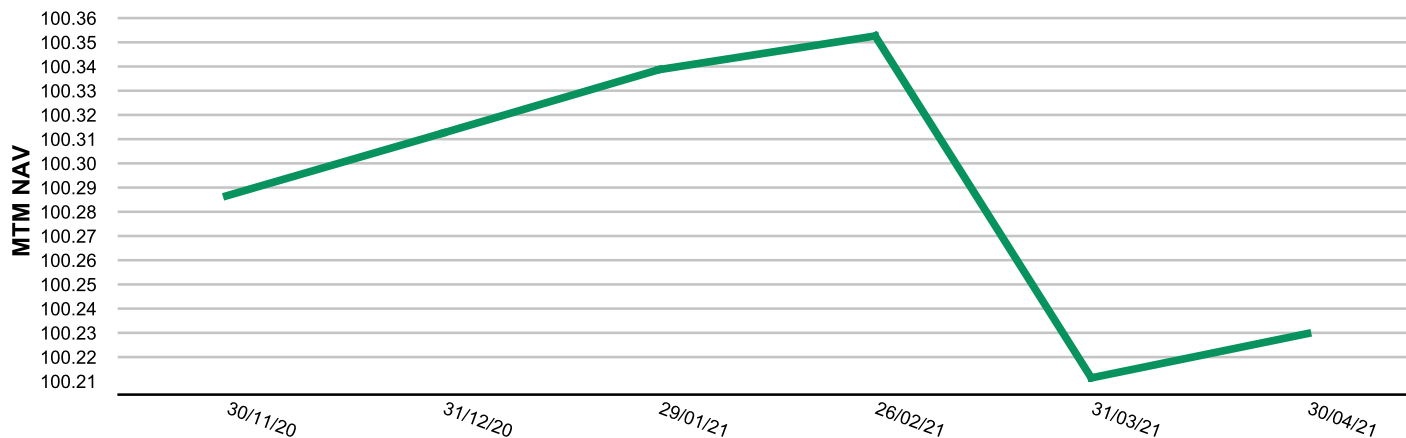
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### Historical NAV



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Source: BlackRock and Bloomberg as at 30 April 2021. The NAV chart shows the historical share class level transactional NAV for the period shown. Performance is shown after deduction of on going charges/ any entry/exit charges are excluded from the calculation. The income of the fund is reinvested as part of the calculation of the NAV.

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