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# **Fund Performance Update**

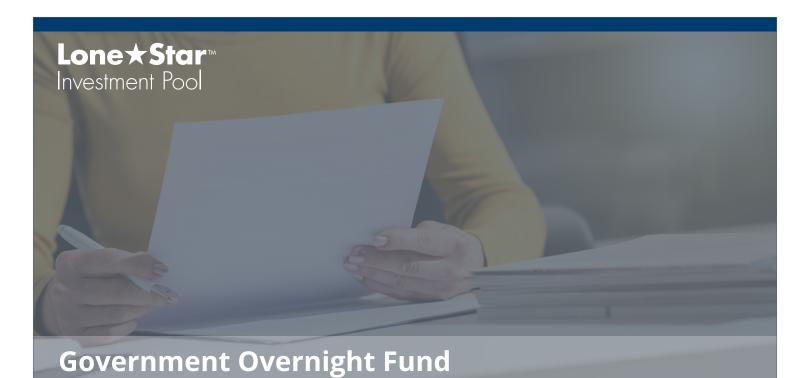
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Comments by Mellon, Investment Manager

After sharp declines in July, US Treasury yields continued to trend lower in August. Yields fell up to 34 basis points during the month with the one- to two-year area of the curve leading the decline. The US equity markets were higher with the Dow Jones Industrial Average, S&P 500, and Nasdag-100 indexes advancing 1.8%, 2.3%, and 0.6%, respectively. A cooling labor market appears to be solidifying the prospect of a forthcoming cut. July's labor market report was weaker than expected with job gains missing to the downside: +114,000 versus +175,000 consensus. The 3-month moving average remains around +170,000. The disinflation trend stayed consistent, with recent data showing producer price inflation coming in below and consumer price inflation in line with market expectations. The Federal Reserve's (Fed's) preferred measure of inflation (i.e., Core PCE) came in slightly lower than expectations, at 2.6% year over year, after increasing 0.2% month over month. The monthly increase is consistent with attaining the Fed's 2% inflation target. At the next Federal Open Market Committee meeting on September 18, the market is expecting a 25-basis point cut in the target rate. It would be the first rate cut since the beginning of the pandemic in March 2020 and the first change in the policy rate since the Fed increased rates in July 2023.

#### **Active Participants This Month**

Schools and Colleges	594
Other Governmental Entities	91
Total	685



# Return Information

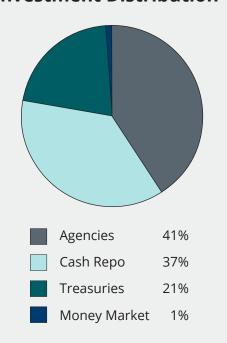
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Average Monthly Return (a)	5.32%
SEC 7-day Fund Yield (b)	5.32%
Weighted Average Maturity One (c)	23 days
Weighted Average Maturity Two (c)	92 days
Portfolio Maturing beyond One Year	6%
Net Asset Value (NAV)	\$1.00
Annualized Expense Ratio	0.06%
Standard & Poor's Rating	AAAm

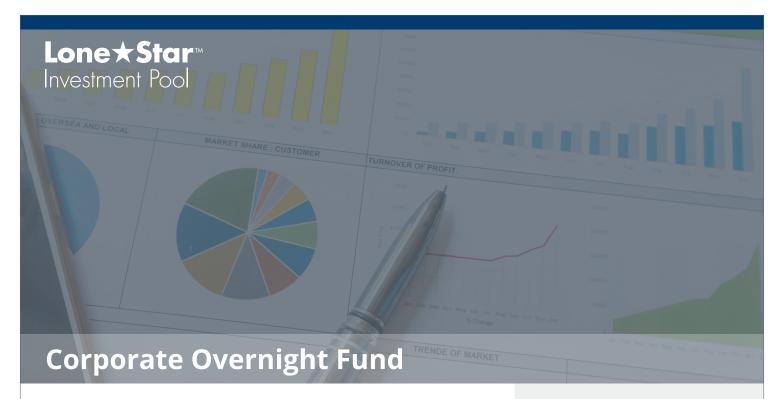
## **Inventory Position**

	<b>Book Value</b>	Market Value
Cash/Repo	2,254,501,535.89	2,254,501,535.89
US Treasuries	1,282,676,525.39	1,283,105,690.61
Agencies	2,520,662,757.15	2,521,033,886.36
Money Market Funds	82,203,397.32	82,203,397.32
Total Assets	6,140,044,215.75	6,140,844,510.18

#### **Investment Distribution**



(a) The return information represents the average annualized rate of return on investments for the time period referenced. Return rates reflect a partial waiver of the Lone Star Investment Pool operating expense. Past performance is no guarantee of future results.



#### **Return Information**

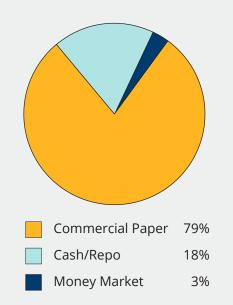
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Average Monthly Return (a)	5.43%
SEC 7-day Fund Yield (b)	5.44%
Weighted Average Maturity One (c)	39 days
Weighted Average Maturity Two (c)	74 days
Portfolio Maturing beyond One Year	0%
Net Asset Value (NAV)	\$1.00
Annualized Expense Ratio	0.06%
Standard & Poor's Rating	AAAm

## **Inventory Position**

	<b>Book Value</b>	<b>Market Value</b>
Cash/Repo	568,725,019.35	568,725,019.35
US Treasuries	-	-
Agencies	-	-
Commercial Paper	2,491,182,302.39	2,491,720,284.89
Money Market Funds	107,450,526.05	107,450,526.05
Total Assets	3,167,357,847.79	3,167,895,830.29

#### **Investment Distribution**





- a Dividend and interest income
- *b Expenses accrued for the period*
- c Average daily number of shares outstanding during the period that was entitled to dividends
- d Maximum offering price per share on the last day of the period



## Return Information

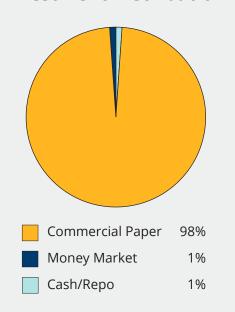
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Average Monthly Return (a)	5.44%
SEC 7-day Fund Yield (b)	5.44%
Weighted Average Maturity One (c)	46 days
Weighted Average Maturity Two (c)	89 days
Portfolio Maturing beyond One Year	0%
Net Asset Value (NAV)	\$1.00
Annualized Expense Ratio	0.06%
Standard & Poor's Rating	AAAf/S1+

### **Inventory Position**

	<b>Book Value</b>	<b>Market Value</b>
Cash/Repo	20,386,845.85	20,386,845.85
US Treasuries	-	-
Agencies	-	-
Commercial Paper	8,844,887,219.29	8,846,316,881.16
Money Market Funds	59,776,234.69	59,776,234.69
Total Assets	8,925,050,299.83	8,926,479,961.70

#### **Investment Distribution**



(c) The Weighted Average Maturity
One calculation uses the industry
standard definition of state maturity
for floating rate instruments, the
number of days until the next reset
date. The Weighted Average Maturity
Two calculation uses the final maturity of any floating rate instruments,
as opined in Texas Attorney General
Opinion No. JC0359.