



Franklin North Carolina Tax-Free Income Fund

Municipals
September 30, 2019

Fund Fact Sheet | Share Class: Advisor

Fund Description

The fund seeks to provide investors with as high a level of income exempt from federal income taxes and North Carolina personal income taxes as is consistent with prudent investment management and the preservation of shareholders' capital.

Fund Overview

Total Net Assets [All Share Classes]	\$853 million
Fund Inception Date	9/1/1987
Dividend Frequency	Monthly, on or near the last business day
Number of Holdings	136

Share Class Information

Share Class	CUSIP	NASDAQ Symbol
Advisor	354 723 173	FNCZX
A	354 726 788	FQNCX
C	354 723 538	FNCIX
R6	354 724 478	FNCQX

Fund Management

	Years with Firm	Years of Experience
Stella S. Wong	38	35
Carrie Higgins	29	29

Maximum Sales Charge

Advisor Class: None

Total Annual Operating Expenses

Share Class	
Advisor	0.58%

30-Day Standardized Yield

Share Class	
Advisor	1.15%

Taxable Equivalent Yield

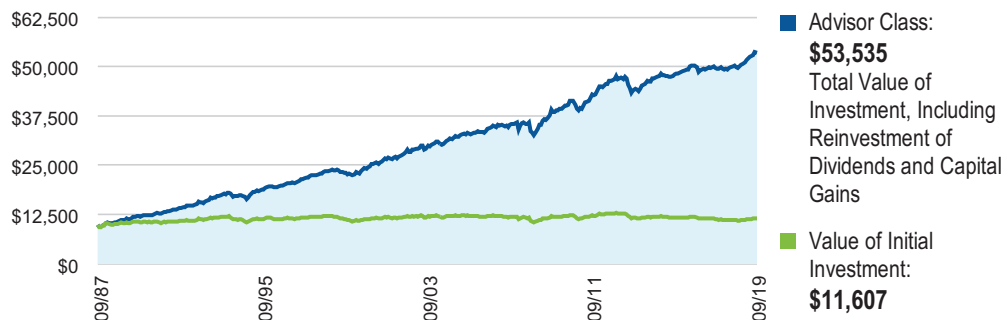
Share Class	
Advisor	2.13%

Asset Allocation (%)

Fixed Income	99.56
Cash & Cash Equivalents	0.44

Performance

Growth of a \$10,000 Investment (from 09/01/1987-09/30/2019)



Total Returns % (as of 9/30/2019)

Share Class	CUMULATIVE YTD	AVERAGE ANNUAL					Since Inception	Inception Date
		1 Yr	3 Yrs	5 Yrs	10 Yrs			
Advisor	5.81	6.96	2.08	2.55	3.14	5.37	9/1/1987	

Calendar Year Total Returns %

Share Class	2018	2017	2016	2015	2014	2013	2012	2011	2010	2009
Advisor	1.36	1.66	1.25	1.66	8.78	-6.58	7.00	11.42	0.95	17.04
	2008	2007	2006	2005	2004	2003	2002	2001	2000	1999
	-6.65	2.11	4.87	4.06	4.97	4.95	9.29	4.92	11.54	-4.23

Performance data represents past performance, which does not guarantee future results. Current performance may differ from figures shown. The fund's investment returns and principal values will change with market conditions, and you may have a gain or a loss when you sell your shares. Please call Franklin Templeton at (800) DIAL BEN/(800) 342-5236 or visit franklintempleton.com for the most recent month-end performance.

Advisor Class shares do not have sales charges or 12b-1 fees and are offered only to certain eligible investors as stated in the prospectus.

Fund Measures

AMT Exposure	0.38
Average Duration	4.52 Years
Average Weighted Maturity	16.80 Years
Standard Deviation (3 Yrs) - Advisor Class	2.52%

Composition of Fund

Sector	% of Total	State / U.S. Territory Exposure	% of Total
Higher Education	20.63	North Carolina	97.04
Hospital & Health Care	19.69	Puerto Rico	2.96
Refunded	19.35		
Utilities	17.33		
Transportation	9.26		
General Obligation Bonds	7.57		
Housing	3.47		
Subject to Government Appropriation	1.94		
Corporate Backed	0.31		
Cash & Cash Equivalents	0.44		

What Are the Risks?

All investments involve risks, including possible loss of principal. Because municipal bonds are sensitive to interest rate movements, the fund's yield and share price will fluctuate with market conditions. Bond prices generally move in the opposite direction of interest rates. Thus, as prices of bonds in the fund adjust to a rise in interest rates, the fund's share price may decline. Because the fund invests principally in a single state, it is subject to greater risk of adverse economic and regulatory changes in that state than a geographically diversified fund. Puerto Rico municipal bonds have been impacted by recent adverse economic and market changes, which may cause the fund's share price to decline. Changes in the credit rating of a bond, or in the credit rating or financial strength of a bond's issuer, insurer or guarantor, may affect the bond's value. The fund may invest a significant part of its assets in municipal securities that finance similar types of projects, such as utilities, hospitals, higher education and transportation. A change that affects one project would likely affect all similar projects, thereby increasing market risk.

Glossary

AMT Exposure: Percentage of a fund's assets invested in bonds with income subject to the alternative minimum tax (AMT). For investors subject to the alternative minimum tax, a small portion of fund dividends may be taxable. Distributions of capital gains are generally taxable.

Average Duration: A measure of the sensitivity of the price (the value of principal) of a fixed-income investment to a change in interest rates. Duration is expressed as a number of years. The weighted average duration of a fund reflects the effective duration of the underlying issues, based on the size of each holding.

Average Weighted Maturity (Tax Free): An estimate of the number of years to maturity, taking the possibility of early payments into account, for the underlying holdings.

Standard Deviation: A measure of the degree to which a fund's return varies from the average of its previous returns. The larger the standard deviation, the greater the likelihood (and risk) that a fund's performance will fluctuate from the average return.

Important Information

Investors should carefully consider a fund's investment goals, risks, charges and expenses before investing. To obtain a summary prospectus and/or prospectus, which contains this and other information, talk to your financial advisor, call us at (800) DIAL BEN/342-5236 or visit franklintempleton.com. Please carefully read a prospectus before you invest or send money.

Information is historical and may not reflect current or future portfolio characteristics. All portfolio holdings are subject to change.

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Performance: The fund offers other share classes subject to different fees and expenses, which will affect their performance.

Advisor: Effective 7/1/09, the fund began offering Advisor Class Shares. For periods prior to the fund's Advisor Class inception date, a restated figure is used based on the fund's oldest share class, Class A1 performance, excluding the effect of Class A1's maximum initial sales charge but reflecting the effect of the Class A1 Rule 12b-1 fees; and for periods after the fund's Advisor Class inception date, actual Advisor Class performance is used, reflecting all charges and fees applicable to that class.

30-Day Standardized Yield: The fund's 30-day standardized yield is calculated over a trailing 30-day period using the yield to maturity on bonds and/or the dividends accrued on stocks. It may not equal the fund's actual income distribution rate, which reflects the fund's past dividends paid to shareholders.

Taxable Equivalent Yield: The Taxable Equivalent Yield assumes the maximum regular federal income tax rate, maximum state personal income tax, and Medicare tax in effect on June 2019.

Composition of Fund: Percentage may not equal 100% due to rounding.

Uninvested cash is not included in the State / U.S. Territory Exposure table.