

FUND OBJECTIVE

The objective of the Fund is to grow the value of Unit Holders' investments over the medium to long-term in an equity fund that invests in the global titans market of the US, Europe and Japan with an exposure to the Malaysian equities market to balance any short-term volatilities.

FUND DETAILS				
Launch Date	20 May 2014	Domicile	Malaysia	
Currency	Ringgit Malaysia	Launch Price	RM1.0000	
Units in Circulation	37.65 million units (29 July 2022)	Fund Size	RM76.79 million (29 July 2022)	
Unit NAV	RM2.0398 (29 July 2022)	Dealing	Daily (as per Bursa Malaysia trading day)	
Fund Manager	Principal Asset Management Bhd	Target Fund	Principal Global Titans Fund	
Benchmark	42% S&P500 + 36% MSCI Europe + 12% MSCI Japan + 10% CIMB Bank 1-Month Fixed Deposit Rate	Taxation	8% of annual investment income	
Risk Profile	 Suitable for investors: Have a medium to long term investment horizon Target capital appreciation Do not require regular income Comfortable with higher volatility Willing to take higher risk for potential higher gains 	Fees	 Sun Life Malaysia does not impose any fund management charge on Sun Life Malaysia Global Titans Fund. Up to 1.5% of per annum fund management charge is applied on the target fund's NAV by Principal Asset Management Bhd. 	

ASSET ALLOCATION OF THE TARGET FUND		
Collective Investments	Cash	
92.47%	7.53%	



SECTOR ALLOCATION OF THE TARGET FUND		TOP HOLDINGS OF THE TARGET FUND		
SPDR S&P 500 ETF Trust	40.67%	Apple Inc (United States)	2.87%	
IShares Core MSCI Europe ETF	27.52%	Microsoft Corp (United States)	2.64%	
TOPIX ETF	9.18%	Alphabet Inc (United States)	1.70%	
JP Morgan Europe Strategic Growth	4.71%	Nestle SA (Switzerland)	1.54%	
Principal GIF – European Responsible Equity Fund	3.49%	Amazon.com Inc (United States)	1.25%	
JP Morgan Japan Yen Fund	2.98%	Roche Holding Ltd (Switzerland)	1.10%	
JP Morgan Funds - US Growth Fund	1.64%	ASML Holding NV (Netherlands)	1.04%	
Energy Select Sector SPDR	1.13%	Novo Nordisk A/S (Denmark)	0.97%	
Legg Mason Global Funds - US Large Cap	0.69%	LVMH (France)	0.91%	
SPDR S&P Metals & Mining ETF	0.46%	AstraZeneca PLC (United Kingdom)	0.88%	
Cash	7.53%	Total	14.90%	
Total	100.00%			

PERFORMANCE RECORD

This fund feeds into Principal Global Titans Fund ("target fund") with the objective to achieve medium to long-term in an equity fund that invests in the global titans market of the US, Europe and Japan with an exposure to Malaysian equities market to balance any short term volatilities.

Table below shows the investment returns of Sun Life Malaysia Global Titans Fund versus its benchmark as at 29 July 2022:

%	YTD	1M	6M	1-Year	3-Years	5-Years	Since Inception
Fund*	-10.05	6.71	-4.25	-7.52	25.27	34.20	103.98
Benchmark	-7.94	7.25	-4.06	-4.71	31.50	41.36	116.11

* Calculation of past performance is based on NAV-to-NAV

Notice: Past performance of the fund is not an indication of its future performance which may differ. The fund performance is not guaranteed.



FUND MANAGER'S COMMENTS

The Fund was up 6.71% in MYR terms in July, underperforming the benchmark by 54bps. YTD, the Fund is down 10.05%, underperforming the benchmark by 211bps.

Developed markets rebounded as investors look for the peak of the Fed's hawkishness against weaker economic growth. S&P 500 Index, MSCI Europe and MSCI Japan increased by9.2%, 7.6% and 4% respectively MTD in local currency term. The US Dollar continued to strengthen by 1.2%, Japanese Yen appreciated by 1.8% and Euro depreciated by 2.5%. US10-year bond yield was at 2.7% at the time of writing. Growth stocks outperformed Value stocks.

Economic growth continue to weaken across all developed markets as reflected by weaker manufacturing PMI. However, ISM services PMI rebounded strongly. There is also indicationof some easing in price pressures although labor market remains tight in US. Housing starts declined by 2% MoM in June, but inventory level and homeowner vacancy rate remain low. The downside to housing market would be limited by the under-supply situation. Forward 12-month corporate earnings are revised down for US and Europe but stay flat for Japan.Earnings downgrades are in materials and communication services sector whereas energy sector continues to see upgrade.

We increase allocation to US and mainly in growth active funds on the expectation that growth stocks may continue to outperform if inflation is easing towards end of the year, whichmay mark the peak of Fed's hawkishness. If this happens, growth stocks valuation may be supported moving forward. Our underlying funds have focused on investing in qualitycompanies with growth and earnings visibility, at reasonable valuation. We maintain neutral allocations to Europe and Japan. Moving forward, Fed's monetary tightening path andwhether economy would have a soft or hard landing, as well as the recent US-China conflict may continue to weigh on equity markets.

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All investment carries some form of risks. The potential key risks include but are not limited to the following:		
Market risk	Market risk refers to the possibility that an investment will lose value because of a general decline in financial markets, due to economic, political and/or other factors, which will result in a decline in the target fund's NAV.	
Stock specific risk	Prices of a particular stock may fluctuate in response to the circumstances affecting individual companies such as adverse financial performance, news of a possible merger or loss of key personnel of a company. Any adverse price movements of such stock will adversely affect the target fund's NAV.	
Country risk	Investments of the target fund in any country may be affected by changes in the economic and political climate, restriction on currency repatriation or other developments in the law or regulations of the countries in which the target fund invests. For example, the deteriorating economic condition of such countries may adversely affect the value of the investments undertaken by the target fund in those affected countries. This in turn may cause the NAV of the target fund or prices of units to fall.	
Currency risk	As the investments of the target fund may be denominated in currencies other than base currency, any fluctuation in the exchange rate between the base currency and the currencies in which the investments are denominated may have an impact on the value of these investments. You should be aware that if the currencies in which the investments are denominated depreciate against the base currency, this will have an adverse effect on the NAV of the target fund and vice versa. You should note that any gains or losses arising from the fluctuation in the exchange rate may further increase or decrease the returns of the investment.	
Fund manager's risk	Since the target fund invests into collective investment scheme managed by another manager, the fund manager has absolute discretion over the fund's investment technique and knowledge, operational controls and management. In the event of mismanagement of the fund and/or the management company, the NAV of the target fund, which invests into the fund would be affected negatively. Although the probability of such occurrence is minute, should the situation arise, Principal (S) will seek for an alternative collective investment scheme that is consistent with the objective of the target fund.	

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RISKS (CONTINUED)

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Credit and default risk

Investments of the target fund may involve a certain degree of credit and default risk. Generally, credit and default risk is the risk of loss due to the counterparty's and/or issuer's non-payment or untimely payment of the investment amount as well as the returns on investment. Principal (S) aims to mitigate this risk by performing fundamental credit research and analysis to determine the creditworthiness of its counterparty and/or issuer.

Source : Principal Asset Management Bhd Date : 29 July 2022

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