

# Sun Life Malaysia Balanced Stable Fund

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## FUND OBJECTIVE

To provide a mixed exposure into equities and bonds, with higher allocation in bonds

| FUND DETAILS            |   |  |  |  |  |  |
|-------------------------|---|--|--|--|--|--|
| Launch Date             | 20 October 2008   |  |  |  |  |  |
| Domicile                | Malaysia  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Currency                | Ringgit Malaysia  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Launch Price            | RM1.0000  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Units in<br>Circulation | 1.93 million units (30 June 2016)   |  |  |  |  |  |
| Fund Size               | RM 2.62 million (30 June 2016)  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Unit NAV                | RM 1.3558 (30 June 2016)  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Dealing                 | Daily (as per Bursa Malaysia trading day)   |  |  |  |  |  |
| Fund Manager            | CIMB-Principal Asset Management Bhd   |  |  |  |  |  |
| Benchmark               | 25% FBM100 + 75% 12 month FD  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Risk Profile            | <ul> <li>Suitable for investors:</li> <li>Want a diversified portfolio in equities but higher exposure in bonds</li> <li>Prefer less volatile performance and want slightly higher gains than bond return</li> </ul>  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Fees                    | <ul> <li>The fund will feed into Sun Life<br/>Malaysia Growth Fund and Sun Life<br/>Malaysia Conservative Fund which<br/>applies the following fund management<br/>charges:</li> <li>Sun Life Malaysia Growth Fund: 1.5%<br/>p.a.</li> <li>Sun Life Malaysia Conservative<br/>Fund: 1.0% p.a.</li> <li>There are no other fund<br/>management charges on this fund</li> </ul> |  |  |  |  |  |
| Taxation                | 8% of annual investment income  |  |  |  |  |  |

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## ASSET ALLOCATION

| Sun Life Malaysia Conservative<br>Fund | 74.90% |
|--|--------|
| Sun Life Malaysia Growth Fund          | 25.10% |

## WHERE THE FUND INVESTS

| Sun Life Malaysia Conservative<br>Fund | 74.90%  |  |  |
|--|---------|--|--|
| Sun Life Malaysia Growth Fund          | 25.10%  |  |  |
| Cash                                   | 0.00%   |  |  |
| Total                                  | 100.00% |  |  |

Source: CIMB-Principal Asset Management Bhd

## PERFORMANCE RECORD 50% 25% FBM100 + 75% 12 month FD 40% 30% 20%

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| NAV TO NA | V    |      |       |      |        |        |                    |
|-----------|------|------|-------|------|--------|--------|--------------------|
| %         | YTD  | 1M   | 3M    | 6M   | 1-Year | 3-Year | Since<br>Inception |
| Fund*     | 0.07 | 0.30 | 0.03  | 0.07 | 1.80   | 4.54   | 36.70              |
| Benchmark | 0.76 | 0.55 | -0.20 | 0.76 | 2.10   | 5.76   | 43.42              |

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\*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's performance for the month of Jun rose by 0.30%. Nevertheless, the fund underperformed the benchmark by 0.25%.

In June, the FBM Kuala Lumpur Composite Index (the "Index") shrugged off the Brexit vote, rising 1.73% m-o-m to 1,654 points, partly due to mid-year window dressing activities. Yearto-date, the Index is still down 2.27%. Post-Brexit, the resulting flight to safety has caused global government bond yields to collapse, signaling deflationary growth concerns. In the US, the likelihood of a rate hike this year has fallen significantly. On the local front, Barisan Nasional's two by-election victories fuelled speculation of early elections.

Stock picking remains key to alpha generation and we remain selective; we continue to like high dividend yielders such as REITs, conglomerates and utilities. We also continue to maintain our overweight in the construction sector. From a research perspective, we seek ideas in e-commerce/logistics that will benefit from rising demand from ecommerce. We also continue to seek bombed out growth stocks at reasonable price (GARP) in the plantations and oil and gas sectors.

For fixed income, the Malaysian Government Securities ("MGS") saw bond yields tightening as concerns of Brexit and its implications triggered a flight to safety for investors. U.S weak non-farm payroll data coupled with Brexit has wiped out the possibility of a U.S Fed rate hike in July resulting in the strengthening of the Ringgit. The MGS curve shifted lower throughout the curve in June. Trading volume for corporate bonds decreased slightly in June with trades centred on GGs, AAAs and AAs. The easing policy stance by the global central banks and potentially BNM should be supportive of sovereign yields. The corporate bond market is expected to be well supported in the near term due to the lack of supply in the primary pipeline and the ample liquidity of local institutional players. We will focus on both corporate bond primary and repriced secondary issuances especially the AA rated issuances for yield pick-up.

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