

## FUND OBJECTIVE

To achieve capital growth by investing in a portfolio of Shariah-compliant collective investment schemes that invest primarily in Shariah-compliant equities.

FUND DETAILS					
Launch Date	1 December 2017	Domicile	Malaysia		
Currency	Ringgit Malaysia	Launch Price	RM1.0000		
Units in Circulation	717,025 units (29 March 2019)	Fund Size	RM653,474 (29 March 2019)		
Unit NAV	RM0.9114 (29 March 2019)	Dealing	Daily (as per Bursa Malaysia trading day)		
Fund Manager	CIMB-Principal Asset Management Bhd	Target Fund	CIMB Islamic Aggressive Wholesale Fund-of Funds		
Benchmark	MSCI AC Asia ex Japan Islamic Index	Taxation	8% of annual investment income		
Risk Profile	<ul> <li>Suitable for investors:</li> <li>Have a long-term investment horizon</li> <li>Have a high risk profile and seek for potentially higher but more volatile investment return</li> <li>Want a portfolio of investments that adhere to Shariah principles</li> </ul>	Fees	<ul> <li>Sun Life Malaysia does not impose any fund management charge on Sun Life Malaysia Islamic Strategic Aggressive Fund.</li> <li>Up to 1.8% of per annum fund management charge is applied on the target fund's NAV by CIMB-Principal Asset Management Berhad.</li> </ul>		

ASSET ALLOCATION OF THE TARGET FUND			
Mutual Fund	Cash		
92.54%	7.46%		

SECTOR ALLOCATION OF THE TARGET FUND		TOP HOL
Mutual Funds	92.54%	CIMB Isla
Cash	7.46%	CIMB Isla
Total	100.00%	CIMB Isla

TOP HOLDINGS OF THE TARGET FUND			
CIMB Islamic Asia Pac Equity Fund	35.05%		
CIMB Islamic Equity Aggressive Fund	29.01%		
CIMB Islamic DALI Equity	28.48%		
Total	92.54%		



## PERFORMANCE RECORD

This fund feeds into CIMB Islamic Aggressive Wholesale Fund-of-Funds ("target fund") with the objective to achieve capital growth by investing in a portfolio of Shariah-compliant collective investment schemes that invest primarily in Shariah-compliant equities.

Table below shows the investment returns of Sun Life Malaysia Islamic Strategic Aggressive Fund versus its benchmark as at 29 March 2019:

%	YTD	1M	3M	6M	1-Year	3-Year	Since Inception
Fund*	5.79%	0.87%	5.79%	-5.28%	-7.24%	N/A	-8.86%
Benchmark	12.10%	1.80%	12.10%	-1.34%	-3.70%	N/A	-5.80%

\*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 rose by 0.87% in March 2019, underperforming the benchmark by 0.93%. Year-to-date (YTD), the fund has underperformed the Benchmark by 6.31%. The Fund will stay fully invested in target funds.

During the month, equities in India, China and Philippines outperformed while Malaysia and Korea posted negative returns. The US 10-year bond yield declined by a hefty 31 basis points with FED further indicating that they are unlikely to raise interest rates this year and fears of deepening economic slowdown with the German manufacturing Purchasing Managers' Index (PMI) tumbling to contraction territory. China has begun to find a bottom in economic growth with the manufacturing sector PMI returning to above 50 in March. This is a validation of the effectiveness of the fiscal and monetary stimulus implemented by the government and central bank which included Reserve Requirement Ratio and VAT tax cuts.

The Fund is fully invested with a barbell approach by owning defensives with yield together with stocks with mid to long run growth potential. We prefer Real Estate Investment Trusts (REITs) with high quality assets, technology stocks which are dominant in their respective fields and have the capability and willingness to innovate and domestic oriented Industrials with stable operations and cash flows. Although we have maintained a cautious call on Malaysia YTD, given its valuation, tepid growth prospect and continued foreign outflow, we believe current valuation on certain large caps appears to be a good opportunity to accumulate. We are hopeful that more pro-growth government policies will be forthcoming; bottoming of earnings estimates and very underweight positioning by foreign investors may provide some impetus for the market to rebound. Hence, we have turned more neutral on the market and would maintain a high asset allocation and add alpha in sectors such as oil and gas and possibly selective Islamic banks.

Source : CIMB-Principal Asset Management Bhd Date : 29 March 2019

## Disclaimer:

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