

FUND OBJECTIVE

Aims to achieve consistent capital appreciation over a medium to long-term by investing in equities and other approved investments, which harmonise with Islamic philosophy and laws.

FUND DETAILS							
Launch Date	01 December 2009	Domicile	Malaysia				
Currency	Ringgit Malaysia	Launch Price	RM1.0000				
Units in Circulation	11.108 million units (30 April 2019)	Fund Size	RM17.287 million (30 April 2019)				
Unit NAV	RM1.5563 (30 April 2019)	Dealing	Daily (as per Bursa Malaysia trading day)				
Investment Manager of the Target Fund	Affin Hwang Asset Management Berhad	Target Fund	Affin Hwang Aiiman Growth Fund				
Benchmark	FBM Emas Shariah Index (FBMS)	Taxation	8% of annual investment income				
Risk Profile	 Suitable for investors: Have a medium to long term investment horizon Are risk tolerant Seek higher returns on the investment that comply with Shariah requirements 	Fees	 Sun Life Malaysia does not impose any fund management charge on Sun Life Malaysia Islamic Equity Fund. 1.5% per annum fund management charge is applied on the Target Fund's NAV by Affin Hwang Asset Management Berhad. 				

ASSET ALLOCATION OF THE TARGET FUND

Equity

Min 70%; Max 100%

Max 30%

SECTOR ALLOCATION OF THE TARGET FUND		TOP HOLDINGS OF THE TARGET FUND		
Financials	23.9%	Tenaga Nasional Bhd	5.4%	
Industrials	21.2%	Sunway Bhd	5.2%	
Oil & Gas	12.5%	Dialog Group Bhd	5.0%	
Basic Materials	6.8%	Syarikat Takaful Malaysia	4.1%	
Consumer Goods	6.7%	Scientex Bhd	3.7%	
Technology	5.5%	IJM Corporation Bhd	3.6%	
Utilities	5.4%	Petronas Dagangan Bhd	3.5%	
Telecommunications	4.1%	Sime Darby Bhd	3.1%	
Health Care	1.6%	BIMB Holdings Bhd	3.0%	
Consumer Services	1.4%	KLCCP Stapled Group Stapled Security	2.7%	
Cash & Cash Equivalents	11.0%			



PERFORMANCE RECORD

This fund feeds into Affin Hwang Aiiman Growth Fund ("target fund") with the objective to achieve consistent capital appreciation over a medium to long-term by investing in equities and other approved investments, which harmonise with Islamic philosophy and laws.

Table below shows the investment returns of Sun Life Malaysia Islamic Equity Fund versus its benchmark as at 30 April 2019:

%	YTD	1 M	3M	6M	1-Year	3-Year	Since Inception
Fund*	4.40	1.60	3.20	1.90	-2.30	6.50	55.60
Benchmark	2.90	1.30	2.46	0.55	-10.10	-3.10	40.60

* 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

- During the month, announcements on the revival of several large infrastructure projects raised investor sentiments, signaling that the Malaysian government is increasingly focusing on growth policies following a year-long fiscal consolidation phase.
- Malaysia's inflation rose 0.2% in March after decreasing 0.4% in the previous month and 0.7% in January, as fuel prices recorded a smaller decline. Thus far, the headline inflation rate had declined 0.3% year-on-year in 1Q 2019.
- Bank Negara Malaysia decided to trim the overnight policy rate (OPR) by 25 bps to 3.00% at its Monetary Policy Committee (MPC) on 7 May 2019, which was in line with market expectations. The rate cut was delivered due to downside growth risks in the global and Malaysian economy.
- The US Federal Reserve (the Fed) followed the dovish script at its recent April/May meeting, as officials voted to keep
 interest rates unchanged amid concerns on slowing growth as well as inflation. Inflation reading for the coming months
 will be the key determinants of what the Fed will do next. Most recently, US-China trade talks are back in the news.
- STRATEGY: The fund remains positioned with value companies and quality large-cap Shariah-compliant stocks in the domestic market.
- The fund will have a 25% -30% of exposure in defensive sectors (such as REITs) and a portion in cyclicals while maintaining a moderate level of cash.

Source : Affin Hwang Asset Management Berhad Date : 30 April 2019

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