

# Sun Life Malaysia Global Titans Fund August 2016

### **FUND OBJECTIVE**

ACCET ALLOCATION

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	24.027 million units (31 August 2016)				
Fund Size	30.487 million (31 August 2016)				
Unit NAV	RM 1.2689 (31 August 2016)				
Dealing	Daily (as per Bursa Malaysia trading day)				
Fund Manager	CIMB-Principal Asset Management Bhd				
Benchmark	42% S&P500 + 36% MSCI Europe + 12% MSCI Japan+ 10% CIMB Bank 1-month Fixed Deposit Rate				
Risk Profile	<ul> <li>Suitable for investors:</li> <li>Have a medium to long-term investment horizon</li> <li>Target capital appreciation</li> <li>Do not require regular income</li> <li>Comfortable with higher volatility</li> <li>Willing to take higher risk for potential higher gains</li> </ul>				
Fees	Management Fee: 1.500% p.a.				

ASSET ALLOCATION						
Equity	Minimum 50% - 98%					
Cash	Remaining balance					
WHERE THE FUND INVESTS						
US Equity Fund	42.65%					
European Equity Fund	36.42%					

■ 8% of annual investment income

TOP HOLDINGS OF THE TARGET FUND	
ALPHABET INC. (USA)	4.09%
JP MORGAN CHASE & CO. (USA)	2.89%
EXXON MOBIL (USA)	2.66%
FACEBOOK (USA)	1.83%
AMAZON.COM (USA)	1.71%
SAP (EUROPE)	3.25%
ASML HOLDING (EUROPE)	2.35%
KONINKLIJKE PHILIPS (EUROPE)	2.18%
KONINKLIJKE DSM (EUROPE)	2.01%
ENI (EUROPE)	2.01%
SUMITOMO MITSUI FIN.GROUP (JAPAN)	3.17%
CENTURY TOKYO LEASING (JAPAN)	2.23%
ITOCHU (JAPAN)	2.16%
ORIX (JAPAN)	2.02%
SOMPO JAPAN NIPPONKOA HOLDINGS (JAPAN)	2.02%

## PERFORMANCE RECORD

This fund feeds into CIMB Principal Global Titans Fund ("target fund") with the objective to achieve medium to long-term capital gains by investing into the US, Europe and Japan equities while having some Malaysia equities exposure to counter the short-term volatility in the global equities markets.

Table below shows the investment returns of Sun Life Malaysia Global Titans Fund versus its benchmark as at 31 August 2016:

%	YTD	1M	3M	6M	1- Year	3- Year	Since Inception
Fund**	-5.31	0.53	-0.50	4.36	-0.80	N/A	26.89
Benchmark	-2.20	-0.20	0.44	6.56	0.83	N/A	26.61

<sup>\*\*</sup> Calculation of pass 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 gained 0.53% during the month of August 2016, outperforming the benchmark which declined 0.20%. Stock selection in the underlying Europe funds contributed positively. YTD, the Fund fell 5.31% while the benchmark fell 2.20%.

Markit's manufacturing PMI for both US and EU trended lower. US PMI declined to 52 in August from 52.9 in July while EU manufacturing PMI edged lower to 51.7 in August from 52 in July. Japan manufacturing PMI continued its upward trend at 49.5 in August from 49.3 in July, signalling a softer deterioration in operating conditions within Japanese manufacturers.

We expect at least one rate hike in the US this year as the Federal Reserve reiterated that the stance of monetary policy remains accommodative. We believe Japan will continue to struggle due to its FX headwind. We continue to believe interest rates will remain low for longer and we expect major central banks in the developed markets to continue on easing measures.

Source: CIMB Principal Asset Management Bhd

### Disclaimer

12.24%

8.69% 100.00%

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