Sun Life Malaysia Islamic Deposit Fund

May 2025



FUND OBJECTIVE

The Fund aims to provide investors with liquidity and regular income, whilst maintaining capital stability by investing primarily in Islamic deposits placements that comply with the Shariah principles.

INVESTMENT STRATEGY & APPROACH

Please refer to the Yearly Fund Fact Sheets at https://www.sunlifemalaysia.com/insurance-and-takaful/investment-linked-fund/yearly-fund-fact-sheet/ for more information on the Investment Strategy and Approach of the target fund.

| FUND DETAILS | | | | |
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| Launch Date | 18 January 2019 | Domicile | Malaysia | |
| Currency | Ringgit Malaysia | Launch Price | RM1.0000 | |
| Units in Circulation | 2.96 million units (30 May 2025) | Fund Size | RM3.45 million (30 May 2025) | |
| Unit NAV | RM1.1661 (30 May 2025) | Target Fund | Principal Islamic Deposit Fund - Class Al | |
| Fund Manager | Principal Asset Management Bhd | Taxation | 8% of annual investment income | |
| Performance Benchmark | Islamic Interbank Overnight Rate | Frequency and Basis of Unit Valuation | The unit price is determined daily based on value of the holdings in the target fund, net of expenses, divided by the total number of units in that fund | |
| Target Market | Suitable for investors: Seek liquid and low risk investment with a short-term investment horizon Want a Shariah-compliant investment Seek for security and flexibility in investment | Fund Management Fee | Sun Life Malaysia does not impose any fund management charge on Sun Life Malaysia Islamic Deposit Fund | |

ASSET ALLOCATION OF THE TARGET FUND

Deposits

Minimum 95% of Net Asset Value (NAV)

Cash

Maximum 5% of NAV

| ASSET ALLOCATION OF THE TARGET FUND | | |
|-------------------------------------|---------|--|
| Shariah-compliant Money Market | 97.55% | |
| Cash | 2.45% | |
| Total | 100.00% | |

| TOP HOLDINGS OF THE TARGET FUND | |
|---------------------------------|-------|
| Public Islamic Bank Bhd | 1.10% |
| CIMB Islamic Bank Bhd | 0.90% |
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| Hong Leong Islamic Bank Bhd | 0.80% |
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| Bank Islam Malaysia Bhd | 0.80% |
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| Hong Leong Islamic Bank Bhd | 0.70% |
| Public Islamic Bank Bhd | 0.70% |
| Total | 8.30% |

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PERFORMANCE RECORD

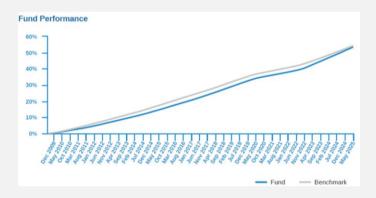
This fund feeds into Principal Islamic Deposit Fund - Class AI ("target fund") with the objective to provide investors with liquidity and regular income, while maintaining capital stability by investing primarily in Islamic deposit placements with licensed Islamic financial institutions that comply with Shariah principles.

Table below shows the investment returns of Sun Life Malaysia Islamic Deposit Fund versus its benchmark as at 30 May 2025:

| % | YTD | 1M | 6M | 1-Year | 3-Years | 5-Years | Since Inception |
|-----------|------|------|------|--------|---------|---------|--------------------|
| Fund* | 1.33 | 0.26 | 1.62 | 3.20 | 9.58 | 13.17 | 16.61 |
| Benchmark | 1.27 | 0.25 | 1.52 | 3.08 | 8.95 | 12.84 | 17.63 |

^{*} Calculation of past performance is based on NAV-to-NAV

Graph below shows the historical performance of the underlying collective investment schemes (CIS) for the calendar year returns:



Source: Lipper

FUND MANAGER'S COMMENTS

The Fund delivered 0.26% in May 2025 which was outperforming the benchmark by 1bps, and delivered 3.20% in the 12-months period ending 30 May 2025, outperforming the benchmark by 12bps.

Monetary Policy Committee (MPC) of Bank Negara Malaysia decided to maintain the Overnight Policy Rate (OPR) at 3%. In its statement BNM stated that the latest indicators point towards continued global growth and trade, supported by domestic demand and front-loading activities. BNM added that global growth outlook would remain supported by positive labour market conditions, less restrictive monetary policy and fiscal stimulus. However, the tariff measures announced by the US and retaliations have weakened the outlook on global growth and trade. This outlook remains subject to considerable uncertainties, which include outcomes of trade negotiations and geopolitical tensions. Such uncertainties could also lead to greater volatility in the global financial markets.

Meanwhile, Bank Negara Malaysia also announced that the Statutory Reserve Requirement (SRR) Ratio will be lowered by 100 basis points, from 2% to 1%, effective 16 May 2025. The decision to reduce the SRR is part of Bank Negara Malaysia's continuous efforts to ensure sufficient liquidity in the domestic financial system. This will facilitate banks to better manage liquidity in an environment of greater financial market volatility and provide continued support for financial intermediation activity. The SRR reduction will release approximately RM19 billion worth of liquidity into the banking system.

Malaysia's economy grew 4.4% year-on-year in Q1 2025, confirming initial estimates and easing from a downwardly revised 4.9% growth in the previous quarter. This marks the slowest pace of expansion in a year, reflecting softer output growth in manufacturing (4.1% vs 4.2% in Q4), construction (14.2% vs 20.7%), and services (5.5% vs 5%).

Malaysia's annual inflation rate held steady at 1.4% in April 2025, unchanged from March and matching market expectations. It remained the lowest level since February 2021, with food prices rising the least in six months (2.3% vs 2.5% in March).

We limit our investment exposure to short-term deposit placements due to the very low risk nature of the Fund.

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| RISKS | | | |
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| Returns not guaranteed | The investment of the fund is subject to market fluctuations and its inherent risk. There is NO GUARANTEE on the investment returns, nor any assurance that the target fund's investment objective will be achieved. | | |
| General market environment 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. | | |
| Inflation risk | This is the risk that your investment in the target fund may not grow or generate income at a rate that keeps pace with inflation. This would reduce your purchasing power even though the value of the investment in monetary terms has increased. | | |
| Financing risk | This risk occurs when you obtain financing to finance your investment. The inherent risk of investing with money obtained from financing includes you being unable to service the financing payments. | | |
| Manager's risk | This risk refers to the day-to-day management of the target fund by Principal which will impact the performance of the target fund, e.g. investment decisions undertaken by Principal as a result of an incorrect view of the market may adversely affect the performance of the target fund. | | |
| Reclassification of Shariah non- compliant status risk | This risk refers to the risk that the currently held Shariah-compliant securities in the target fund may be reclassified as Shariah non-compliant in the periodic review of the securities by the Shariah Advisory Council of the Securities Commission Malaysia (SACSC), the Shariah adviser, the Shariah boards of the relevant Islamic indices or the Shariah adviser of the issuer. | | |
| Credit and default risk | Investment 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 aim to mitigate this risk by performing fundamental credit research and analysis to determine the creditworthiness of its counterparty and/or issuer. Investment in the target fund is not the same as placing funds in a Shariah-compliant deposit with a licensed Islamic financial institution. There are risks involved and investors should rely on their own evaluation to assess the merits and risks when investing in the target fund. | | |

Source: Principal Asset Management Berhad

Date : 30 May 2025

Disclaimer:

This is strictly the performance of the investment fund, and not the returns earned on the actual takaful contributions paid of the investment-linked product. Past performance of the fund is not an indication of its future performance. The performance of the fund is not guaranteed. The value of the fund will fluctuate and may fall below the amount of contributions paid and the fund value depends on the actual performance of the underlying investment. This material is for information purposes only and is subject to change at any time without notice. Sun Life Malaysia does not guarantee its accuracy, completeness, correctness or timeliness for any purpose or reason. This information should not be considered as advice or recommendation in relation to your account or particular investment objectives, financial situation or needs. You may not revise, transform, or build upon this material without prior written consent of Sun Life Malaysia. Before acting on any information you should seek independent financial advice. Sun Life Malaysia may suspend the unit pricing and defer the payment of benefits, other than death and total and permanent disability benefits, subscription or redemption of units, switching of funds, under this contract for a reasonable period in exceptional circumstances, such as and including intervening events resulting in temporary closure of any stock exchange.