

Investment-Linked Fund Performance Report March 2022

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The FBMKLCI Index rallied initially in the month of March before closed 1.3% lower MoM to 1,587.36 points toward the month end. The monthly loss was mainly contributed to the profit-taking activities by the investors on the concern over the potential inflationary impact of trade sanction on Russia.

Malaysia Government Securities ("MGS") yields surged across the curve, reflecting that the major world economies have started to hike interest rates in combating the increasing inflationary pressure globally. Following the intensified Russian-Ukraine tension, Brent crude oil prices continued to surge higher to USD139.13/barrel before easing back to USD107.91/barrel as at end-Mar'22 (end-Feb'22: USD100.99/barrel). Meanwhile, Ringgit weakened slightly to MYR4.204/USD as compared to MYR4.199/USD in a month earlier.

On the local economic data, the inflation eased further to +2.2% YoY in Feb'22 (Jan'22 +2.3% YoY), mainly attributable to the diminishing base effect of transport cost (Feb'22: +3.9% YoY; Jan'22: +6.0% YoY). Despite of the rising global crude oil prices, the local subsidy of RON95 fuel and diesel fuel kept inflation in check at the moment.

For equity market, in short term, we expect the market will take advantage on the rising commodity prices, borders reopening, and better corporate earnings. For the longer run, we believe the local equity market will improve supported by better domestic activities locally and foreign support. However, we are still cautious on the increasing market volatility and external uncertainties.

For fixed income, BNM is anticipated to tune monetary stance to slight hawkish in 2022 when the COVID-19 pandemic is nearing to the end. The external risk factors such as Russia-Ukraine tension and the fluctuation in crude oil prices will continue to weigh on the local market, but we believe corporate bond space still provides attractive yields. As such, we will keep looking to buy on dips of corporate bonds if the opportunity arises.

Based on table below, on monthly basis, most of the funds managed to outperformed the respective benchmarks, except for Jati Fund.

Policyholders are encouraged to focus into regular premium given the current risk and volatile period of the economic and market condition. Risk adverse investors should focus into income fund due to its less volatile as compared to equity related funds.

Performance Table: Funds vs Benchmarks

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	Fund	Benchmark	Fund	Benchmark	Fund	Benchmark	Fund	Benchmark	Fund	Benchmark	Fund	Benchmark	Fund	Benchmark	Fund	Benchmark
Monthly (%)	4.46%	4.35%	-0.76%	-1.18%	-0.52%	-1.30%	-0.60%	-1.30%	3.25%	1.95%	-0.61%	-1.06%	-1.72%	-1.44%	5.29%	4.91%
3 Months (%)	5.46%	5.34%	0.45%	0.12%	0.79%	1.27%	1.68%	1.27%	-9.00%	-3.70%	-0.42%	-1.13%	-0.32%	-2.61%	-1.94%	-6.39%
6 Months (%)	5.69%	5.88%	1.70%	1.29%	2.88%	3.22%	3.45%	3.22%	-4.09%	3.09%	-0.12%	-0.80%	1.35%	-3.36%	4.47%	6.49%
12 Months (%)	-3.07%	-7.61%	2.76%	1.20%	3.18%	0.88%	3.46%	0.88%	7.69%	6.89%	2.79%	1.11%	-0.84%	-7.04%	20.35%	19.77%

Source: MCIS Insurance Berhad

AsiaPac Fund Monthly Report (March 2022)

Investment Objective

To achieve steady income stream with potential growth in the Asia Pacific Region over medium to long term. The aim of the Fund is to outperform the S&P Ethical Pan Asia Select Dividend Opportunities Index over periods of five or more years.

Investment Strategy

To invest in Principal S&P Asia Pacific Ethical Dividend Exchange Traded Fund (ETF), managed by Principal Asset Management Berhad where the ETF is listed on the Singapore Stock Exchange.

The ETF focuses on top 40 ethical and high yielding stocks in the Asia Pacific Region excluding India, Taiwan, Japan, New Zealand and Philippines. The fund provides country diversification across the industry that is traded in US Dollar.

Risks

The Fund is considered low risk given the exposure to only one underlying securities with no attempt to select stocks individually or to take defensive positions in declining markets. Risk is managed at the management level, where the asset allocation of the fund to be reviewed on regular basis, and adjusted to commensurate with the Investment Team view on the relative attractiveness of each asset class.

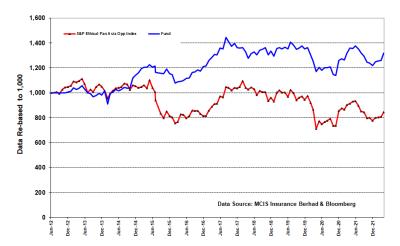
The following factors can potentially affect the value of the Fund; economic and political developments in related countries, foreign exchange fluctuation, illiquid and inefficient securities in the Emerging Markets, and the financial performance of the underlying companies.

The target market is for investors who are seeking regional exposure from investment and at the same time, seeking for medium to long term capital appreciation with moderate market risk.

Fund Performance

For the month ended March 2022, the fund had outperformed the benchmark by 11bps MoM (month-on-month). The fund had outperformed the benchmark since inception.

AsiaPac Fund Performance Since Inception



Top Ten Holdings

Principal S&P Asia Pacific Ethical Dividend Exchange Traded Fund (ETF)

Fund Information

NAV (31.03.22) RM0.6582
Fund Size RM73.45 million
Inception Date 15-July-2012
Fund Management 0.85% p.a.

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Fund Manager

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Exceptional Circumstances

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Asset Allocation Ranges

Asset Class	Min	Max	Current Actual
ETF	80%	100%	95%
Cash	0%	20%	5%

Performance Table

Period	Fund	Index*
1 month (%)	4.46%	4.35%
3 months (%)	5.46%	5.34%
6 months (%)	5.69%	5.88%
12 months (%)	-3.07%	-7.61%
2 years (% pa)	6.11%	8.94%
3 years (% pa)	-0.85%	-5.61%
5 years (% pa)	0.16%	-1.50%
Since Inception (% pa)	2.86%	-1.73%

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^{*} Index is S&P Ethical Pan Asia Select Dividend Opportunities sourced from Bloomberg.

Balanced Fund Monthly Report (March 2022)

Investment Objective

The objective of the Balanced Fund is to provide security and income, while maintaining and potentially increasing the value of capital over the medium to long-term, through exposure across a range of asset classes. The Fund aims to outperform the performance benchmark over periods of three or more years.

Investment Strategy

To invest in Malaysian equities and fixed income securities, including government bonds and corporate debt securities. The asset allocation is reviewed on a regular basis, and is adjusted commensurate with our view on the relative attractiveness of each asset class.

Risks

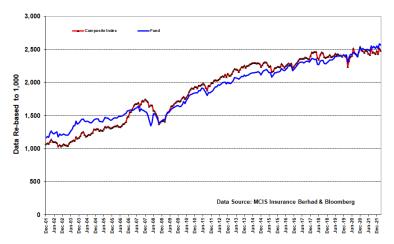
The Fund is considered medium risk given the mixed exposure of equity securities, fixed income and cash. The following factors can potentially affect the value of the Fund; consumer sentiment, financial performance of the underlying companies, industry and economy development, social and political factors, and the liquidity of the underlying assets. Additionally, levels of interest rates, and credit downgrades of defaults can affect the value of fixed income securities

The target market is clients wanting the surety of insurance protection, with an element of potential upside investment exposure.

Fund Performance

For the month ended March 2022, the fund had outperformed the benchmark by 42bps MoM (month-on-month). The outperformance was mainly driven by higher exposure of outperforming securities in the portfolio compared to benchmark.

Balanced Fund Performance Since Inception



Top Ten Holdings

Malayan Banking Berhad (Equity)
CIMB Bank Berhad (Equity)
Sabah Development Bank Berhad (Bond)
MCIS Life Income Fund (Unit Trust)
Point Zone (M) Sdn Berhad (Bond)
Telekosang Hydro One Sdn Bhd (Bond)
Malayan Banking Berhad (Bond)
Edra Solar Sdn Bhd (Bond)
Projek Lebuhraya Utara-Selatan (Bond)
Northern Gateway Infrastructure Sdn Bhd (Bond)

Fund Information

NAV (31.03.22) RM1.2821
Fund Size RM9.96 million
Inception Date 15-Oct-01
Fund Management 1.25% p.a.

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Fund Manager MCIS Insurance Berhad (MCIS Life)

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Asset Allocation Ranges

Asset Class	Min	Max	Current Actual
Malaysian Equity	40%	60%	41%
Fixed Income	40%	60%	43%
Cash	0%	20%	16%

Performance Table

Period	Fund	Index*
1 month (%)	-0.76%	-1.18%
3 months (%)	0.45%	0.12%
6 months (%)	1.70%	1.29%
12 months (%)	2.76%	1.20%
2 years (% pa)	5.61%	5.27%
3 years (% pa)	3.12%	1.30%
5 years (% pa)	2.37%	1.32%
Since Inception (% pa)	4.70%	4.53%

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* The benchmark index is a composite of 50% FBMKLCI Index and 50% of Markit iBoxx ALBI Malaysia TR Index (Since June '16). Prior to that, the index used was HSBC Malaysia All Bond Index for the fixed income portion. Benchmark return is calculated on re-based basis. The source is from the subscription of Markit Indices.

Dividend Fund Monthly Report (March 2022)

Investment Objective

To achieve steady income stream with potential for capital growth over medium to long term by focusing mostly on high dividend yielding stocks and money market instruments. The aim of the Fund is to outperform the FBMKLCI Index over periods of five or more years.

Investment Strategy

To invest in a broad selection of companies listed on the Malaysian Stock Exchange. Using a relative value methodology, the fund focuses on undervalued stocks relative to fundamental value, with the aim of achieving an income stream, together with some degree of long-term capital gains.

Risks

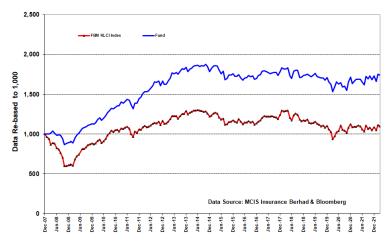
The Fund is considered high risk given the exposure to equity securities. The following factors can potentially affect the value of the Fund; consumer sentiment, financial performance of the underlying companies, the performance of the industry and economy, and the share market in general, social and political factors, and the liquidity of the underlying assets.

The target market is clients wanting the surety of insurance protection, with an element of potential upside investment exposure.

Fund Performance

For the month ended March 2022, the fund had outperformed the benchmark by 78bps MoM (month-on-month). The outperformance was mainly driven by higher exposure of outperforming securities in the portfolio compared to benchmark.

Dividend Fund Performance Since Inception



Top Ten Holdings

Public Bank Berhad
Malayan Banking Berhad
Petronas Gas Berhad
CIMB Bank Berhad
Petronas Chemicals Group Berhad
Maxis Berhad
Sime Darby Plantation Berhad
Tenaga Nasional Berhad
IOI Corporation Berhad
Axiata Group Berhad

Fund Information

NAV (31.03.22) RM0.8272
Fund Size RM30.15 million
Inception Date 21-Jan-08
Fund Management 1.5% p.a.

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Fund Manager MCIS Insurance Berhad (MCIS Life)

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Asset Allocation Ranges

Asset Class	Min	Max	Current Actual
Malaysian Equity	80%	100%	94%
Cash	0%	20%	6%

Performance Table

Period	Fund	Index*
1 month (%)	-0.52%	-1.30%
3 months (%)	0.79%	1.27%
6 months (%)	2.88%	3.22%
12 months (%)	3.18%	0.88%
2 years (% pa)	6.60%	8.40%
3 years (% pa)	0.09%	-1.15%
5 years (% pa)	-0.53%	-1.82%
Since Inception (% pa)	3.97%	0.66%
Yield #	3.10%	4.24%

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[#] Yield data is sourced from Bloomberg, and MCIS Life.

Equity Fund Monthly Report (March 2022)

Investment Objective

The objective of the Equity Fund is to achieve capital growth over the medium to long term by focusing on high quality equities listed on the FBMKLCI Index. The aim of the Equity Fund is to outperform the Index over periods of five or more years.

Investment Strategy

To invest in a broad selection of companies listed on the Malaysian Stock Exchange. Using a relative value methodology, the fund focuses on the stocks whose shares appear undervalued relative to fundamental value, with the aim of achieving long term growth in capital value.

Risks

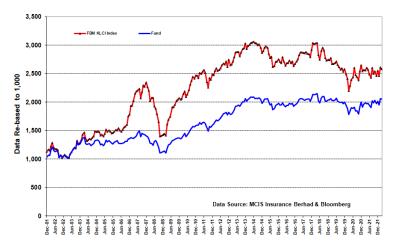
The Fund is considered high risk given the exposure to equity securities. The following factors can potentially affect the value of the Fund; consumer sentiment, financial performance of the underlying companies, the performance of the industry and economy, and the share market in general, social and political factors, and the liquidity of the underlying assets.

The target market is clients wanting the surety of insurance protection, with an element of potential upside investment exposure.

Fund Performance

For the month ended March 2022, the fund had outperformed the benchmark by 70bps MoM (month-on-month). The outperformance was mainly driven by higher exposure of outperforming securities in the portfolio compared to benchmark.

Equity Fund Performance Since Inception



Top Ten Holdings

Malayan Banking Berhad
CIMB Bank Berhad
Public Bank Berhad
IOI Corporation Berhad
Sime Darby Plantation Berhad
Tenaga Nasional Berhad
Petronas Chemicals Group Berhad
DiGi.Com Berhad
Maxis Berhad
Axiata Group Berhad

Fund Information

 NAV (31.03.22)
 RM1.0257

 Fund Size
 RM10.26 million

Inception Date 15-Oct-01 Fund Management 1.40% p.a.

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Fund Manager MCIS Insurance Berhad (MCIS Life)

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Asset Allocation Ranges

Asset Class	Min	Max	Current Actual
Malaysian Equity	80%	100%	93%
Cash	0%	20%	7%

Performance Table

Period	Fund	Index*
1 month (%)	-0.60%	-1.30%
3 months (%)	1.68%	1.27%
6 months (%)	3.45%	3.22%
12 months (%)	3.46%	0.88%
2 years (% pa)	7.21%	8.40%
3 years (% pa)	0.28%	-1.15%
5 years (% pa)	0.06%	-1.82%
Since Inception (% pa)	3.57%	4.73%
Yield #	3.31%	4.24%

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Global Yakin Fund Monthly Report (March 2022)

Investment Objective

The fund aims for capital appreciation in the long term by investing in an international portfolio of Shariah-compliant equities and equity-related securities of companies with good growth potential.

Investment Strategy

The Fund is to feed into abrdn Islamic World Equity Fund ("AIWEF") (formerly known as Aberdeen Standard Islamic World Equity Fund) which managed by abrdn Islamic Malaysia Sdn Bhd (formerly known as Aberdeen Standard Investments (Malaysia) Sdn Bhd). The Fund invests in shariah approved securities across the globe.

The Fund seeks to achieve its objective by investing in an international portfolio of Shariah-compliant equities and equity-related securities of companies with good growth potential. The countries that the Fund will invest in will include, but not limited to Canada, United States of America, United Kingdom, France, Germany, Italy, Netherlands, Sweden, Switzerland, Japan, Australia, China, Hong Kong, Korea, Singapore, Taiwan, Brazil and Mexico.

Risks

The Fund is considered low risk given the exposure to only one underlying securities with no attempt to select stocks individually or to take defensive positions in declining markets. Risk is managed at the management level, where the asset allocation of the fund to be reviewed on regular basis, and adjusted to commensurate with the Investment Team view on the relative attractiveness of each asset class.

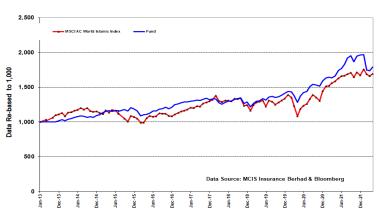
The following factors can potentially affect the value of the Fund; economic and political developments in related countries, foreign exchange fluctuation, illiquid and inefficient securities in the Emerging Markets, and the financial performance of the underlying companies.

The Fund is suitable for investors who seek capital appreciation over a long-term investment horizon and who are willing to accept high level of risk.

Fund Performance

For the month ended March 2022, the fund had outperformed the benchmark by 130bps MoM (month-on-month). The outperformance was mainly due to outperforming of the underlying securities compared to the benchmark index.





Top Ten Holdings

abrdn Islamic World Equity Fund (AIWEF)

Fund Information

NAV (31.03.22) RM0.8954

Fund Size RM104.71 million

Inception Date 8-July-2013 Fund Management 0.85% p.a.

Fee

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Fund Manager MCIS Insurance Berhad (MCIS Life)

Exceptional Refer Circumstances

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Asset Allocation Ranges

Asset Class	Min	Max	Current Actual
ASIWEF	80%	100%	99%
Cash	0%	20%	1%

Performance Table

Period	Fund	Index*
1 month (%)	3.25%	1.95%
3 months (%)	-9.00%	-3.70%
6 months (%)	-4.09%	3.09%
12 months (%)	7.69%	6.89%
2 years (% pa)	18.26%	25.20%
3 years (% pa)	11.22%	9.39%
5 years (% pa)	6.80%	9.80%
Since Inception (% pa)	6.89%	6.20%

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^{*} Index is MSCI AC World Islamic sourced from Bloomberg.

Income Fund Monthly Report (March 2022)

Investment Objective

The objective of the Income Fund is to provide investors with security of income by investing in a mix of fixed income and fixed deposit securities. The aim of the Fund is to outperform the Markit iBoxx ALBI Malaysia TR Index.

Investment Strategy

To invest into underlying asset classes as per the Asset Allocation Ranges. The asset allocation is reviewed on a regular basis, and is adjusted commensurate with our view on the relative attractiveness of each asset class. The Fund invests in cash and fixed income securities including government bonds and corporate debt securities.

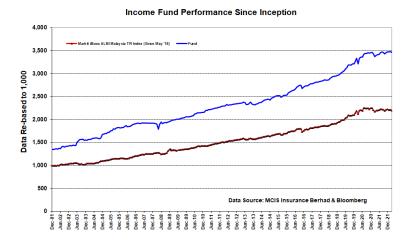
Risks

The Fund is considered lower risk given the exposure to cash and fixed income securities. The following factors can potentially affect the value of the Fund; consumer sentiment, financial performance of the underlying companies, the performance of the industry and economy, and the share market in general, social and political factors, and the liquidity of the underlying assets. Additionally, levels of interest rates, and credit downgrades or defaults can affect the value of fixed income securities.

The target market is clients wanting the surety of insurance protection, with an element of potential upside investment exposure.

Fund Performance

For the month ended March 2022, the fund had outperformed the benchmark by 45bps MoM (month-on-month). The outperformance was due to outperforming of the fixed income securities compared to the benchmark index.



Top Ten Holdings

Malaysian Government Securities Leader Energy Sdn Berhad Cello Capital Berhad Telekosang Hydro One Sdn Bhd Edra Solar Sdn Bhd Sabah Development Bank Berhad Swirl Assets Berhad UiTM Solar Power Sdn Berhad Malayan Banking Berhad SAJ Capital Sdn Bhd

Fund Information

NAV (31.03.22) RM1.7312 Fund Size RM48.44 million Inception Date 15-Oct-01

Fund Management 0.5% p.a.

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Circumstances

Asset Allocation Ranges

Asset Class	Min	Max	Current Actual
Fixed Income	75%	100%	88%
Cash	0%	25%	12%

Performance Table

Period	Fund	Index*
1 month (%)	-0.61%	-1.06%
3 months (%)	-0.42%	-1.13%
6 months (%)	-0.12%	-0.80%
12 months (%)	2.79%	1.11%
2 years (% pa)	3.75%	1.82%
3 years (% pa)	4.68%	3.43%
5 years (% pa)	4.79%	4.22%
Since Inception (% pa)	6.25%	3.91%

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* The benchmark index is Markit iBoxx ALBI Malaysia TR Index (Since June '16). Prior to that, the index used was HSBC Malaysia All Bond Index. Benchmark return is calculated on rebased basis. The source is from the subscription of Markit Indices.

Jati Fund Monthly Report (March 2022)

Investment Objective

The Jati Fund is invested in accordance with Shariah principles in Shariah sanctioned equities, money market instruments, and fixed income investments. The aim is to provide security and income, while maintaining and potentially increasing the value of capital over the medium to long-term. The Jati Fund is not a takaful product.

Investment Strategy

To invest in a broad selection of Shariah approved securities listed on the Malaysian Stock Exchange. Using a relative value methodology, it looks to buy stocks whose shares appear undervalued relative to fundamental value, with the aim of achieving an income stream, together with some degree of long-term capital gains.

Risks

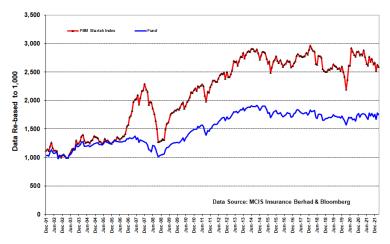
The Fund is considered high risk given the exposure to equity securities. The following factors can potentially affect the value of the Fund; consumer sentiment, financial performance of the underlying companies, the performance of the industry and economy, and the share market in general, social and political factors, and the liquidity of the underlying assets.

The target market is clients wanting the surety of insurance protection, with an element of potential upside investment exposure.

Fund Performance

For the month ended March 2022, the fund had underperformed the benchmark by 28bps MoM (month-on-month). The underperformance was mainly driven by higher exposure of underperforming securities in the portfolio compared to benchmark.

Jati Fund Performance Since Inception



Top Ten Holdings

Sime Darby Plantation Berhad Axiata Group Berhad Petronas Gas Berhad IOI Corporation Berhad Tenaga Nasional Berhad Telekom Malaysia Berhad Kuala Lumpur Kepong Berhad Dialog Group Berhad Sime Darby Berhad Maxis Berhad

Fund Information

NAV (31.03.22) RM0.8753 Fund Size RM20.35 million

Inception Date 15-Oct-01 Fund Management 1.35% p.a.

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Asset Allocation Ranges

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Asset Class	Min	Max	Current Actual
Malaysian Equity	80%	100%	92%
Cash	0%	20%	8%

Performance Table

Period	Fund	Index*
1 month (%)	-1.72%	-1.44%
3 months (%)	-0.32%	-2.61%
6 months (%)	1.35%	-3.36%
12 months (%)	-0.84%	-7.04%
2 years (% pa)	5.63%	8.72%
3 years (% pa)	0.90%	0.72%
5 years (% pa)	-0.89%	-1.39%
Since Inception (% pa)	2.77%	4.76%
Yield #	3.78%	3.88%

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Titan Fund Monthly Report (March 2022)

Investment Objective

The Fund invests in MyETF Dow Jones U.S. Titans 50 ("MyETF-US50") which aims to provide investment results that closely correspond to the performance of the Dow Jones Islamic Market U.S. Titans 50 Index.

Investment Strategy

MyETFDJ50 is managed by i-VCAP Management Sdn Bhd and it invests into 50 largest Shariah compliant companies listed in the U.S. MyETFDJ50 is a passively managed fund.

Risks

The Fund is considered low risk given the exposure to only one underlying securities with no attempt to select stocks individually or to take defensive positions in declining markets. Risk is managed at the management level, where the asset allocation of the fund to be reviewed on regular basis, and adjusted to commensurate with the Investment Team view on the relative attractiveness of each asset class.

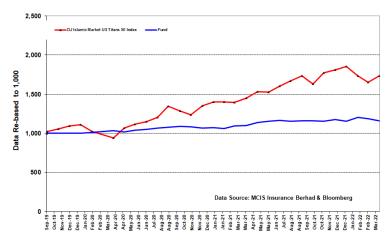
The following factors can potentially affect the value of the Fund; economic and political developments in related countries, foreign exchange fluctuation, illiquid and inefficient securities in the Emerging Markets, and the financial performance of the underlying companies.

The Fund is suitable for investors who are seeking for diversification and investment opportunities in Shariah-compliant equities in the U.S. market and seeking liquid financial instruments with an index tracking feature.

Fund Performance

For the month ended March 2022, the fund had outperformed the benchmark by 38bps MoM (month-on-month).

Titan Fund Performance Since Inception



Top Ten Holdings

MyETF Dow Jones U.S. Titans 50 (MyETF-US50)

Fund Information

NAV (31.03.22) RM0.7422

Fund Size RM119.88 million Inception Date 17-Sept-2019 Fund Management 0.85% p.a.

Fee

Pricing Daily

Price Quote Major Newspaper, or

http://www.mcis.my

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Circumstances

Asset Allocation Ranges

Asset Class	Min	Max	Current Actual
MyETFDJ50	80%	100%	94%
Cash	0%	20%	6%

Performance Table

Period	Fund	Index*
1 month (%)	5.29%	4.91%
3 months (%)	-1.94%	-6.39%
6 months (%)	4.47%	6.49%
12 months (%)	20.35%	19.77%
2 years (% pa)	28.39%	35.84%
3 years (% pa)	n/a	n/a
5 years (% pa)	n/a	n/a
Since Inception (% pa)	16.52%	23.77%

Notice: Past performance is not indicative of future performance, and the performance of the Fund is not guaranteed.

The Fund returns are calculated by MCIS Life and based on the value of the NAV and for periods greater than 12-months are annualised numbers. Actual returns of the Fund are on a net basis (gross of tax and net of fees) and based on the performance of the Fund, and not the returns earned on the actual premiums/ contributions paid for the product.

^{*} Index Dow Jones Islamic Market U.S. Titans 50 Index sourced from Bloomberg.

Equity Market Review and Outlook

Market Review

The FBMKLCI Index rallied initially in the month of March before closed 1.3% lower MoM to 1,587.36 points toward the month end. The monthly loss was mainly contributed to the profit-taking activities by the investors on the concern over the potential inflationary impact of trade sanction on Russia. The average daily trading volumes fell 9% MoM to 3.2bil units in March, while average daily trading value improved 6% MoM to MYR3.04bil.

During the month, foreign investors were the largest net buyers of RM3.3bil of local equities (MYR2.8bil in February '22). This lowered the cumulative net foreign outflows since 2010 to MYR28.4bil. Local institutional investors continued as net sellers of MYR3.6bil worth of equities (MYR2.8bil net sell in February '22). Meanwhile, local retailers' net buying rose to MYR321mil (from MYR98mil in February '22).

Globally, month of March 2022 saw the reversion of the market where most of the indices rebounded on monthly basis. It was supported by the commodity and energy-related stocks which recorded their strong performance in six months. In the US, Dow Jones Industrial index strengthened by 2.3% MoM and the broader S&P 500 index closed higher by 3.6% MoM. Meanwhile in Europe, the performances of the indices were mixed but with positive biased. Amidst no sign of resolution in the Russia-Ukraine war, Bloomberg European 500 index managed to close 0.7% MoM higher. Meanwhile in Asia, the performance was mixed with negative bias. The MSCI Asia APEX 50 ex-Japan closed 3.0% MoM lower during the month.





Chart 2: FBMKLCI Monthly Chart



Source: MCIS/Bloomberg

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Market Outlook & Strategy

Traditionally, FBMKLCI index's performance tends to be positive in April, with an average monthly return of 0.7%/2.1% over the past 10 years/44 years. We expect the market to be supportive by its attractive valuations at current levels of 1.61x as it is now below its 25-year historical average of P/B (1.82x) and 15.8x PER compared to the 22-year historical average of PER (17.0x). As at 2nd April 2022, 79% of Malaysia's population has taken the second dose of Covid-19 vaccine, meanwhile 48.5% has taken the booster. This has slightly lifted the market sentiment with more economic and social activities leniency were allowed by the government, especially with the international border reopening starting 1st April 22.

Technically, the FBMKLCI Index weakened in March with lower trading volume recorded. Since 2H21, the local index has been volatile to be trading within 1,480-1,615 range. We expect the index to stay range-bound in April with the upside capped by the strong resistance at 1,618-1,625. The index is likely to find the 200-week EMA and the 1,600 psychological resistance tough to crack. Support is seen at the 1,555 levels, followed by 1,520.

For short term, we expect the market will take advantage on the rising commodity prices, borders reopening, and better corporate earnings. For the longer run, we believe the local equity market will improve supported by better domestic activities locally and foreign support. However, we are still cautious on the increasing market volatility and external uncertainties.

Fixed Income Review and Outlook

Market Review

Malaysia Government Securities ("MGS") yields surged across the curve, reflecting that the major world economies have started to hike interest rates in combating the increasing inflationary pressure globally. Following the intensified Russian-Ukraine tension, Brent crude oil prices continued to surge higher to USD139.13/barrel before easing back to USD107.91/barrel as at end-Mar'22 (end-Feb'22: USD100.99/barrel). Meanwhile, Ringgit weakened slightly to MYR4.204/USD as compared to MYR4.199/USD in a month earlier.

On the local economic data, the inflation eased further to +2.2% YoY in Feb'22 (Jan'22 +2.3% YoY), mainly attributable to the diminishing base effect of transport cost (Feb'22: +3.9% YoY; Jan'22: +6.0% YoY). Despite of the rising global crude oil prices, the local subsidy of RON95 fuel and diesel fuel kept inflation in check at the moment. Food & Non-Alcoholic Beverages ("FNAB") on the other hand continued to creep higher to +3.7% YoY (Jan'22 +3.6% YoY) on the back of the adverse weather condition and high input costs.

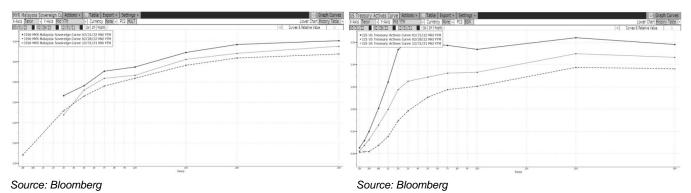
External trade growth eased slightly to +16.8% YoY in Feb'22 (Jan'22: +23.9% YoY). The easing in growth was seen in all three major sectors, namely manufacturing exports, agriculture exports and mining exports. Manufacturing exports were supported by the steady growth in E&E products at +25.8% YoY (Jan'22: +22.4% YoY) while Rubber Products dropped for six continuous months to -59.3% YoY (Jan'22: -53.4% YoY). Imports growth also eased with Intermediate Goods at +21.8% YoY (Jan'22: +28.3% YoY), Consumption Goods at +18.3% YoY (Jan'22: +32.4% YoY) and Capital Goods at +4.4% YoY (Jan'22: +36.4% YoY). All in all, the trade surplus came in at +MYR19.8b as compared to +MYR18.4b in a month earlier.

Malaysia external reserve declined slightly to USD115.6b as at end-Mar'22 (end-Feb'22: USD115.8b). The reserve is sufficient to cover 6.1 months of retained imports and 1.2 times short-term external debt.

The auctions unveiled in Mar'22 is as follow;

Government Auctions		Amount	Bid-cover	Avg Yield
Issue	Issue Date	(RM million)	(times)	(%)
15year Re-Issuance of MGS(Mat GS 4/)	7/3/2022	3,000.00	1.99	4.06
20year Re-Issuance of GII(Mat II 9/)	18/3/2022	5,000.00	1.88	4.40
3year Re-Issuance of MGS(Mat GS 3/)	31/3/2022	5,500.00	1.67	3.24

Source: Bank Negara Malaysia



The 10-year US Treasury yield spiked and tested 2.50% before easing back to 2.34% as at end-Mar'22 (end-Feb'22: 1.83%) given the rising inflationary pressure. In the recent FOMC meeting, the US Fed hiked the key rate by 25bps to 0.25%-0.50% range, and stated that further increase in the target rate would be appropriate.

Market Outlook & Strategy

BNM is anticipated to tune monetary stance to slight hawkish in 2022 when the COVID-19 pandemic is nearing to the end. The external risk factors such as Russia-Ukraine tension and the fluctuation in crude oil prices will continue to weigh on the local market, but we believe corporate bond space still provides attractive yields. As such, we will keep looking to buy on dips of corporate bonds if the opportunity arises.