NBP Balanced Fund (NBF)

Formerly; NAFA Multi Asset Fund (NMF)



MONTHLY REPORT (MUFAP's Recommended Format) Unit Price (30/04/2019): Rs. 17.1820

April 2019

Performance %												
Performance Period	Apr 2019	FYTD 2019	Rolling 12 Months	FY 2018	FY 2017	FY 2016	FY 2015	FY 2014	Last 3 Years*			Since Launch* January 19, 2007
NBP Balanced Fund Formerly; NAFA Multi Asset Fund	(3.1%)	(4.6%)	(8.4%)	(6.2%)	28.4%	8.7%	26.8%	25.4%	6.4%	10.6%	15.3%	13.1%
Benchmark**	(2.1%)	(0.7%)	(4.3%)	(2.8%)	14.1%	7.1%	11.0%	19.6%	4.8%	5.9%	11.3%	8.0%

^{*} Annualized Return

The performance reported is net of management fee & all other expenses and based on dividend reinvestment gross of with-holding tax where applicable.

General Information

Launch Date: <u>F</u>und Size: Type: Dealing Days: Dealing Time: Settlement:

Pricing Mechanism: Load:***

Management Fee: Total Expense Ratio (%) Selling & Marketing Expenses Risk Profile: Listing: Custodian & Trustee:

Auditors

Benchmark:**

Fund Manager: Minimum Subscription: Asset Manager Rating:

January 19, 2007
Rs 1,505 million
Open-end – Balanced Fund
Daily – Monday to Friday
(Mon-Thr) 9:00 A.M to 4:30 P.M
(Friday) 9:00 A.M to 5:00 P.M
2-3 business days
Forward Pricing
Front End Load (Individual): 3%, (Nil on investment above Rs. 101 million)
Front End Load (Other): 3% (Nil on investment above Rs. 50 million)
Back End Load: NIL

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3.19% p.a.(including 0.36% government levies 0.4% per annum Moderate Pakistan Stock Exchange Central Depository Company (CDC) KPMG Taseer Hadi Chartered Accountants Daily weighted return of KSE-30 Total Return Index & 6-month KIBOR based on Fund's actual allocation. Taha Khan Javed, CFA Growth Unit: Rs. 10,000/-Income Unit: Rs. 100,000/-AM1 by PACRA (Very High Quality)

effective from January 02, 2017

Asset Allocation (% of Total Assets)	30-Apr-19	29-Mar-19
Equities / Stocks	50.9%	55.6%
TFCs / Sukuks	6.5%	6.2%
Cash	31.8%	30.3%
Placement with Banks	6.0%	5.8%
Others including receivables	4.8%	2.1%
Total	100.0%	100.0%
Leverage	Nil	Nil

Characteristics of Equity Portfolio****

	PER	PBV	DY			
NBF	7.0	1.4	5.8%			
KSE-30	7.1	1.5	7.2%			
**** Based on NBP Funds estimates						

Top Five Sectors (% of Total Assets) (as on April 30, 2019)

Commercial Banks	15.7%
Oil & Gas Exploration Companies	10.1%
Fertilizer	8.1%
Textile Composite	4.6%
Power Generation & Distribution	2.7%
Others	9.7%

Name of the Members of Investment Committee

Dr. Amjad Waheed, CFA Sajjád Anwar, CFA Taha Khan Javed, CFA Hassan Raza, CFA Muhammad Ali Bhabha, CFA, FRM

Sindh Workers' Welfare Fund (SWWF)

The Scheme has maintained provisions against Sindh worker's welfare Fund's liability to the tune of Rs 12,212,908/- if the same were not made the NAV Per unit/last one year return of the Scheme would be higher by Rs 0.1394/0.74%. For details investors are advised to read the note 6 of the latest Financial Statements of the Scheme.

Notes: 1) The calculation of performance does not include cost of front end load.

2) Taxes apply. Further, tax credit also available as per section 62 of the Income Tax Ordinance, 2001.

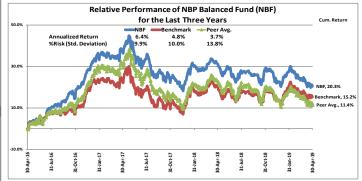
Investment Objective

To provide investors with a combination of capital growth and income. NBF aims to achieve attractive returns at moderate levels of risk by investing in a variety of asset classes such as stocks, bonds, money market instruments, CFS etc.

Fund Manager's Commentary

During the month under review, NBP Balanced Fund's (NBF) unit price (NAV) decreased by 3.1%, whereas the Benchmark decreased by 2.1%, thus an underperformance of 1.0% was recorded. Since inception on January 19, 2007 your Fund has posted 13.1% p.a return, versus 8.0% p.a by the Benchmark. Thus, to-date the outperformance of your Fund stands at 5.1% p.a. This outperformance is net of management fee and all other expenses.

NBF started off the month with an allocation of around 56% in equities which decreased to around 51% towards the end of the month. NBF underperformed the Benchmark in April as the Fund was underweight in select Commercial Banks and Power Generation & Distribution Companies sectors stocks which outperformed the market and overweight in select Cement, Engineering, Fertilizer, and Paper Board sectors stocks which underperformed the market. During the month, the allocation was increased primarily in Commercial Banks, and Technology & Communication sectors, whereas it was reduced primarily in Cement, Pharmaceuticals, Vanaspati & Allied Industries, and Oil & Gas Exploration Companies sectors.



Top Ten Holdings (as on April 30, 2019)

Name	Asset Class	% of Total Assets	Name	Asset Class	% of Total Assets
Jahangir Siddiqui Co.Ltd	TFC	6.5%	Bank Al-Falah Ltd	Equity	3.1%
Fauji Fertilizer Co. Ltd	Equity	3.7%	Engro Corporation Ltd	Equity	2.7%
United Bank Ltd	Equity	3.4%	Habib Bank Ltd	Equity	2.6%
Pak Petroleum Ltd	Equity	3.3%	Bank AL-Habib Ltd	Equity	2.3%
Oil & Gas Dev Co Ltd	Equity	3.2%	Hub Power Company Ltd	Equity	2.2%

Details of Non-Compliant Investments

Particulars	Type of Investment	Value of Investments before Provision	Provision held	Value of Investments after Provision	% of Net Assets	% of Gross Assets
Saudi Pak Leasing	TFC	27,547,410	27,547,410	-	-	1
Eden Housing (Sukuk II)	SUKUK	9,843,750	9,843,750	-	-	-
New Allied Electronics (Sukuk I)	SUKUK	10,000,000	10,000,000	-	-	-
Total		47,391,160	47,391,160	-	-	-

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All Other returns are Cumulative

^{**} effective from September 01, 2016; Previously 50% KSE-30 Total Return Index & 50% 3-month KIBOR. From January 01, 2014, KSE-30 Total Return Index