

## NAFA MULTI ASSET FUND (NMF) Monthly Report

NAV per unit (29/02/2008): Rs. 12.8080

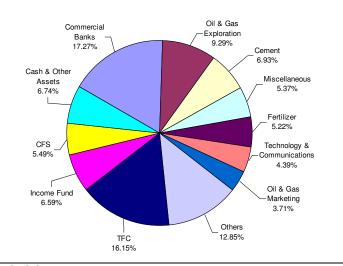
February 2008

Performance Performance						
Return (%) *	Jul Dec. 2007	Oct. – Dec. 2007	Jan. 2008	Feb. 2008	Since Launch Jan. 22, 07	
NAFA Multi Asset Fund	11.69%	6.63%	-1.23%	3.13%	46.74%	
Benchmark (50%KSE-30 index & 50% 1-month KIBOR)	1.98%	3.09%	0.43%	5.33%	24.30%	

<sup>\*</sup> Returns are net of management fee & all other expenses

General Information				
Launch Date:	January 22, 2007			
Fund Size:	Rs. 2,461 million			
Type:	Open-end – Balance Fund			
Dealing:	Daily			
Settlement:	2-3 business days			
Load:	Front end – 3%, Back end - 0%			
Management Fee:	2.5% per annum			
Listing:	Lahore Stock Exchange			
Trustee:	Central Depository Company			
Auditors:	A. F. Ferguson & Co.			
	Chartered Accountants			
Benchmark:	50% KSE-30 Index & 50% 1-month			
	KIBOR			
Fund Manager(s):	Adnan Faisal, CFA			
Minimum Subscription:	Growth Unit: Rs. 10,000/-			
	Income Unit: Rs. 100,000/-			

## ASSET ALLOCATION (On Feb. 29, 2008)



**Disclaimer:** The price of units may go down as well as up. Please refer to respective offering document(s).

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## **Fund Manager Commentary**

During the month under review, NAFA Multi Asset Fund's NAV increased by 3.13% while the benchmark (50% KSE-30 & 50% 1-month KIBOR) increased by 5.33%. Thus your Fund underperformed the benchmark by 2.2% during the month. Since inception i.e. January 22, 2007 your Fund has risen by 46.74%, while the benchmark has risen by 24.30%. Thus to date the out performance of your Fund stands at 22.4%.

The month of February was significant on account of the national elections in the country. The stock market waited with a baited breath for political news and daily volumes came to bare minimum before the elections. A few days before the election an expectation driven rally started. Although the results were not as per the stock market expectations, yet there was a rush of foreign portfolio investment. This foreign inflow was concentrated in the main benchmark companies and caused the KSE-30 index to rise by 11.56% in just 11 trading days. During the month the KSE-30 index also touched the record high level of 18,793.

Your Fund was not able to catch the significant rise in the index because of the longer time horizon of our investments. Although some of them did not perform in this rally we believe they shall out perform as soon as their earning prospects become more visible to the general market. We have recently raised our weight in equities and currently our asset allocation is 65% in equity and 35% in Fixed Income.

On the Fixed Income side, as discussed in our last report the increase in discount rate had an upward effect on the interest rates in general. KIBOR has inched up by 25 basis points. Consequently, TFCs have also exhibited improvement in their yield. We shall be increasing the weight of TFC in the Fixed Income portfolio, as returns in CFS are expected to remain range bound in the future. This will lead to an increase in returns on the Fixed Income portfolio of Your Fund and contribute to the overall Fund performance.

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