

NAFA Multi Asset Fund (NMF)

Asset Management Limited Unit Price (31/01/2010): Rs. 9.3852

January 2010

Investment Objective

To provide investors with a combination of capital growth and income. NMF 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

Performance

Performance (%)*	Jan - Jun 2007	Jul - Jun 2007 - 08	Jul - Jun 2008 - 09	Jul - Dec 2009	January 2010	Since Launch January 22, 2007
NAFA Multi Asset Fund	28.96%	5.12%	(22.56)%	9.60%	0.89%	16.08%
Benchmark (50% KSE-30 Index & 50% 1-month KIBOR)	15.22%	(2.49)%	(20.83)%	18.17%	1.60%	6.78%

^{*}Returns are net of management fee & all other expenses

General Information

Type: Dealing Days: Settlement: Management Fee: Risk Profile Rs. 1,055 million
Open-end – Balanced Fund
Daily – Monday to Friday
2-3 business days Forward Pricing
Front end – 3%, Back end – 0%
2.5% per annum
Moderate

Fund Manager: Minimum Subscription:

Accountants
50% KSE-30 Index & 50% 1month KIBOR
Sajjad Anwar, CFA
Growth Unit: Rs. 10,000

Fund Manager's Commentary

During the month under review, NAFA Multi Asset Fund's (NMF) Net Asset Value (NAV) increased by 0.89% while the benchmark (50% KSE-30 index & 50% 1-month KIBOR) increased by 1.60%. Thus your Fund under-performed the benchmark by 0.71% during the month. Since inception on January 22, 2007 your Fund has increased by 16.08%, while the benchmark has increased by 6.78%. Thus, to-date the out-performance of your Fund stands at 9.30%.

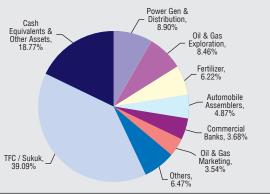
The key factor responsible for the under performance of the Fund during the month was underperformance of some of our holdings in Jute, Technology and communication and automobile sectors. We are expecting that these stocks will perform well due to their attractive valuations. In the beginning of the month we had around 60% weight in equity. Anticipating a correction in the stock market we reduced our allocation in equity below the market weight during the latter half of the month.

The Stock market performed very well during the first half of the month. KSE-30 Index increased by around 6.6% as of January 19, 2010. However, the release of detailed decision by Supreme Court of Pakistan on NRO judgment prompted fear of rift between presidency and judiciary that dampened the investors' confidence. Moreover, statement of imposition of capital gain tax on the stock market by the Finance Minister created anxiety among the investors. Foreign portfolio Investment activity also remained subdued. Trading activity improved in the month of January with average daily traded volume recorded at 187.2 million shares as against 119.2 million shares during the previous month.

In its Monetary Policy Statement of January 2010 State Bank of Pakistan kept the policy rate unchanged at 12.5%. Interest rates showed declining trend during the month. 6-month KIBOR declined by 20 basis points to close the month at 12.23% from 12.43% at the start of the month. Year-on-year CPI inflation in the month of December was recorded at 10.5%.

We are expecting the performance of the Fund to improve as we are holding positions in high dividend yielding stocks with stable earnings stream and superior management quality.

Asset Allocation (as on 31st January 2010)



Leverage: (Amount of leveraging / borrowing done by the Fund.)

Name of the members of Investment Committee:

Dr. Amjad Waheed, CFA Sajjad Anwar, CFA Tanvir Abid, CFA Irfan Malik, CFA

Nil

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