

NAFA ISLAMIC MULTI ASSET FUND (NIMF) Monthly Report

NAV per unit (29/02/2008): Rs. 10.0464

February 2008

Investment Objective Performance Since Nov. - Dec. January February Launch Return (%) * To provide investors with a combination 2007 2007 2008 October of capital growth and income by 29, 2007 investing in Shariah compliant **NAFA Islamic Multi Asset Fund** -2.42% 0.75% 2.42% 0.46% investments. NIMF aims to achieve attractive returns at moderate levels of **Benchmark** risk by investing in a variety of Shariah (50% Dow Jones Islamic Pakistan 1.04% compliant securities, instruments and -0.97% 3.50% 3.40% Index – 50% Average 1-month avenues such as Equities, Musharakah, deposit rate of 4 Islamic Banks) Murabahah, Ijarah etc.

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

General Information	
Launch Date:	October 29, 2007
Fund Size:	Rs. 791.58 million
Type:	Shariah Compliant - Open-end Balanced Fund
Dealing:	Daily
Settlement:	2-3 business days
Load:	Front end – 3%, Back end - 0%
Management Fee:	3% per annum
Listing:	Lahore Stock Exchange
Trustee:	Central Depository Company
Auditors:	A. F. Ferguson & Co.
	Chartered Accountants
Benchmark:	50% Dow Jones Islamic Pakistan
	Index – 50% Average 1-month
Fund Managor(s):	deposit rate of 4 Islamic Banks Abdul Rehman Warraich
Fund Manager(s): Minimum Subscription:	Growth Unit: Rs. 10,000/-
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Asset Allocation (as on 29th February 2008) Cash & Other Assets 8 23% Others 12.02% Sukuk Commercial 3.68% Miscellaneous 4.36% Oil & Gas Oil & Gas 18.99% Fertilizer__

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Fund Manager Commentary

The cumulative return since the launch of the Fund is now positive. After going through a volatile four month period (Nov 07 to Feb 08), the market seems to have found a direction now. Based on our positive stance on the stock market going forward, we are presently invested 65% in Shariah Compliant stocks and 35% in low risk investments such as sukuks and mudarabah placements.

The market has shown an impressive rally after the elections. We expect the rally to continue as the new government is formed. We are optimistic that the companies in the oil & gas, fertilizer and cement sectors have good earnings prospects. Rising oil prices and consumption imply higher profits for the oil exploration and marketing sectors. Demand for fertilizers is also on the rise as there is more incentive to increase fertilizer usage because of higher prices of agricultural commodities. This bodes well for the fertilizer sector. Cement sector should also perform well as the construction season approaches. We have significant holdings in oil & gas, fertilizer and cement sectors.

We added some sukuks to our income portfolio during the month. Sukuks now constitute about 19% of the Fund size (up from 15% at the end of last month). More sukuks will be added over the next month also. We continue to explore attractive opportunities for spread transations.

The domestic stock market has shown a lot of resilience in recent months despite the turmoil faced by many other markets around the world because of rising prices and slowing growth. This suggests that our economy has strong domestic demand and stock market valuations are also attractive. Based on our present holdings, we expect the Fund to outperform the benchmark going forward.

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