

NAFA ISLAMIC INCOME FUND (NIIF) Monthly Report

Unit Price (31/1/2008): Rs. 10.1985

January 2008

Investment Objective	Performance				
To seek maximum possible preservation	Annualized	November	December	January	Since Launch
of capital and a reasonable rate of	Performance (%)				October 29, 2007
return via investing primarily in Shariah	NAFA Islamic Income Fund:	6.37%	7.64%	7.90%	7.63%
Compliant money market & debt	Benchmark:	5.17%	5.18%	5.19%	5.21%
securities having good credit rating and	Profit on Rs. 100,000 invested	Rs. 523	Rs. 649	Rs. 671	Rs. 1,985
liquidity.	* Returns are net of management fee & all other expenses				

General Information		Fund Manager Commentary		
Launch Date: Fund Size: Type: Dealing: Settlement: Load: Management Fee:	October 29, 2007 Rs. 957 million Open-end – Fixed Income Fund Daily 2-3 business days Front end: 1.0% 1.5% per annum	NAFA Islamic Income Fund (NIIF) has offered annualized return of 7.63% to its investor since its launch about 3 moths ago. During the month of January annualized rate of return stands at 7.9% as compared to 7.64% last month, translating in to an improvement of 26 basis point. NIIF annualized return of 7.9% is much higher than the average annual bank deposit rate offered by Islamic banks of		
Listing: Custodian & Trustee: Auditors: Benchmark: Fund Manager(s) Minimum Subscription:	Lahore Stock Exchange Central Depository Company (CDC) A. F. Ferguson & Co. Chartered Accountants Average 1-month deposit rate of Islamic banks Sajjad Anwar, CFA Growth Unit: Rs. 10,000/- Income Unit: Rs. 100,000/-	5.19%. The Prime focus in asset allocation has been to build diversified, high yield and liquid assets with good credit quality. As the attached chart shows, the suku portfolio as at January 31, 2008 reached around 42% of the Fund Size from 37% last month. Furthermore compared with the last month we have been able to invest around 2% of our portfolio in spread transactions at attractive rates.		
Asset Allocation (as on 31 st January 2008) Others 1.87% University Sukuk 41.91% University Modaraba Placements 54.57% Ready Future Spread		Amid uncertainty on the political front, corporates have adopted a wait and watch policy regarding their business expansion decisions. Consequently, the credit offtake by the private sector has declined. As a result, banks have been holding excessive liquidity which leads to lower profit rates on modaraba and musharka placements. We expect improvements in bank profit rates because banks lending rates is linked with KIBOR which is expected to increase with the recent increase in discount rate, and credit demand by the private sector post-election. On the back of the growing supply and demand of sukuks the liquidity in the secondary market has improved significantly. We have recently subscribed to some high yielding and good credit rating sukuks. Following disbursement of these sukuks it is expected		
1.65% Disclaimer: The price of units may go down as well as up. Please refer to respective offering document(s).		that the Fund's performance will improve further going forward.		
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