

NAFA Income Fund (NIF)

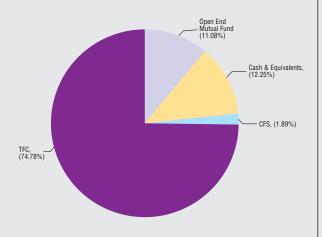
Unit Price (30/11/2008): Rs. 9.2895

November 2008

Investment Objective Performance To earn a competitive Apr - Jun Jul - Sep Oct Nov **Since Launch** Performance (%)* 2008* 2008* 2008* 2008** March 29, 2008*** rate of return while preserving capital to the **NAFA Income Fund** 8.50% 11.06% 14.37% (8.19)% (2.64)%extent possible by **Benchmark** 10.89% 12.90% 13.31% 1.10% 8.19% investing in liquid assets. Profit on Rs. 100.000 Rs. 2,055 Rs. 2,680 Rs. 1,147 Rs. (8,193) Rs. (2,643) invested * Represents Annualized Return ** Represents cumulative Return for the month only *** Represents cumulative Return since inception (Returns are net of management fee & all other expenses)

General Information	
Launch Date: Fund Size: Type: Dealing: Settlement: Load: Management Fee:	March 29, 2008 Rs. 1,193 million Open-end – Fixed Income Fund Daily 2-3 business days Front end: 1.0% 1.5% per annum
Listing: Custodian & Trustee: Auditors: Benchmark Fund Manager: Minimum Subscription:	Lahore Stock Exchange Central Depository Company (CDC) A. F. Ferguson & Co. 3-Month T-Bills Mr. Ahmad Nouman Growth Unit: Rs. 10,000/-

Asset Allocation (as on 30th November 2008)



Fund Manager's Commentary

During the month of November 2008, NAV of NAFA Income Fund (NIF) has declined by 8.19%. This was because of SECP's November 5th Circular directing all Asset Management Companies (AMCs) to mark-down their Term Finance Certificates (TFCs) portfolio. The mark-down was linked to credit ratings and ranged from 5.00% to 30.00%. This order of SECP can be traced to the liquidity shortage in the financial sector.

On the flip side, this has provided a very lucrative opportunity to: (i) existing unit holders to increase their investment in NIF; and (ii) new investors, as future expected returns are now even higher at current unit prices.

For the confidence and education of our investors, we would like to explain that the issuers of TFCs in our portfolio will still repay the same amount to your Fund as promised earlier. However, due to the short-term liquidity shortage in the financial sector TFCs' prices are temporarily depressed, so is your Fund's NAV. With same coupon streams, this implies higher yields and enhanced expected return. Another comforting factor is the Government guarantee on all TFCs rated 'A' and above for one year. The weighted average credit rating of the TFCs' portfolio in your Fund is 'AA-' which signifies very high credit quality.

After receiving the IMF loan, Pakistan's Balance of Payments situation is much more secure. Going forward, loans from multilateral agencies like World Bank, ADB and expected Foreign Direct Investment will stabilize the domestic liquidity situation. This is likely to result in TFC prices reversing to their previous levels in due course of time.

During the month, the State Bank of Pakistan (SBP) increased the Discount Rate to 15.00% from 13.00%. 6-M KIBOR has accordingly increased to 15.67% from 15.10% a month earlier. This indicates higher future returns for your Fund, as TFCs' coupons will be reset at higher KIBOR level.

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