NAFA Active Allocation Riba Free Savings Fund



MONTHLY REPORT (MUFAP's Recommended Format) Unit Price (31/03/2016): Rs.10.0893

March 2016

Performance		
Performance %	March 2016	Since Launch January 18, 2016*
NAFA Active Allocation Riba Free Savings Fund	3.9%	4.5%
Benchmark	4.6%	4.6%
* Annualized Simple Return		1

The performance reported is net of management fee & all other expenses.

General Information

Launch Date: January 18, 2016 Fund Size: Rs. 971 Million

Type: Open-end – Shariah Compliant Income Fund

Dealing Days: Daily – Monday to Friday

Dealing Time: (Mon - Thr) 9:00 A.M to 5:00 P.M

(Friday) 9:00 A.M to 5:30 P.M

Settlement: 2-3 business days
Pricing Mechanism Forward Pricing

Load: Front end: 0% Back end: 0%

Management Fee: 1.25% per annum

Risk Profile: Low

Custodian & Trustee: Central Depository Company (CDC)

Auditors: A. F. Ferguson & Co.

Chartered Accountants

Benchmark: Average of 6-Month deposit rates (A- &

above rated Islamic banks)

Fund Manager: Muhammad Ali Bhabha, CFA, FRM

Minimum Subsricption Rs. 10,000/-

Asset Manager Rating: AM2+ by PACRA (High Investment

Management Standards)

Investment Objective

To earn a reasonable rate of return along with a high degree of liquidity by investing in short-term Shari'ah compliant banks deposits and money market/debt securities.

Fund Manager's Commentary

During the month under review, the Fund has generated an annualized return of 3.9% against the benchmark return of 4.6%. The performance is net of management fee and all other expenses.

The Fund aims to consistently generate to better return than the profit rates offered by Islamic Banks / Islamic windows of commercial banks, while also providing easy liquidity along with a high quality credit profile. The Fund is allowed to invest in Shariah compliant Government Securities of maturity upto 3 years as well as Shariah compliant money market and debt securities of up to 2 years maturity rated 'AA-' or better.

Around 99.0% of the portfolio is allocated in bank deposits. The higher allocation in bank deposits is due to better yields as compared to other authorized alternative investment avenues. The weighted average time-to-maturity of the Fund is 1 day.

We will rebalance the allocation of the Fund proactively based on the capital market outlook.

Asset Allocation (% of Total Assets) 31-Mar-16 29-Feb-16

Bank Deposits	99.0%	99.2%
Other including receivables	1.0%	0.8%
Total	100.0%	100.0%
Leverage	Nil	Nil

Credit Quality of the Portfolio as of March 31st, 2016 (% of Total Assets)

A+	52.8%
A-	46.2%
Other including receivables	1.0%
Total	100.0%

Name of the Members of Investment Committee

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Notes: 1) The calculation of performance does not include cost of front end load. 2) Taxes apply. Further, tax credit also available as per section 62 of the Income Tax Ordinance, 2001

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