NAFA Financial Sector Fund (NFSF)



MONTHLY REPORT (MUFAP's Recommended Format) Unit Price (29/03/2019): Rs. 9.7845

March 2019

Performance %				
Performance Period	Mar 2019	FYTD 2019	Rolling 12 Months	Since Launch* February 14, 2018
NAFA Financial Sector Fund	0.8%	(2.2%)	(8.6%)	(1.9%)
Benchmark	(1.5%)	(7.3%)	(15.3%)	(8.8%)

^{*} Annualized Return

[Returns are net of management fee & all other expenses]

Launch Date: February 14, 2018 Fund Size: Rs. 1,315 million

Type: Open Ended Equity Scheme
Dealing Days: Daily – Monday to Friday
Dealing Time: (Mon-Thr) 9:00 A.M to 4:30 P.M
(Friday) 9:00 A.M to 5:00 P.M

Settlement: 2-3 business days
Pricing Mechanism Forward Pricing

Load: Front End Load (Individual): 3% (Nil on

investment above Rs. 101 million)

Front End Load (Other): 3% (Nil on investment above Rs. 50 million)

Back End Load: NII

Management Fee: 2% per annum

Total Expense Ratio (%) 3.41% p.a (including 0.38% government levies)

Selling & Marketing Expenses 0.4% per annum

Risk Profile High

Listing: Pakistan Stock Exchange

Custodian & Trustee: Central Depository Company (CDC)

Auditors: A. F. Ferguson & Co.,

Chartered Accountants

Benchmark: KSE 30 Index (Total Return Index)

Fund Manager: Taha Khan Javed, CFA

Asset Manager Rating: AM1 by PACRA (Very High Quality)

Investment Objective

The objective of NAFA Financial Sector Fund is to provide investors with long term capital growth from an actively managed portfolio of listed equities belonging to the Financial Sector.

Fund Manager Commentary

NBP Funds launched its NAFA Financial Sector Fund (NFSF) in February 2018, aiming to provide an opportunity to invest and benefit from the strong growth of the Financial Sector.

NFSF started off the month with an allocation of around 88% in equities, which was maintained towards the end of the month. NFSF outperformed the Benchmark in March as the Fund was overweight in select financial sectors stocks which outperformed the market. During the month, the allocation was increased in Commercial Banks and reduced in Insurance sector.

Top Ten Holdings (as on March 29, 2019)

Name	% of Total Assets	Name	% of Total Assets
MCB Bank Ltd	12.8%	Bank Of Punjab Ltd	7.9%
Bank AL-Habib Ltd	12.3%	Habib Bank Ltd	7.9%
Allied Bank Ltd	10.7%	Adamjee Insurance Co. Ltd	6.2%
Bank Al-Falah Ltd	10.0%	Faysal Bank Ltd	3.0%
United Bank Ltd	9.5%	Askari Bank Ltd	2.8%

Asset Allocation (% of Total Assets)	29-Mar-19	28-Feb-19
Equities / Stocks	88.0%	88.4%
Cash Equivalents	9.2%	11.0%
Others including receivables	2.8%	0.6%
Total	100.0%	100.0%
Leverage	Nil	Nil

Characteristics of Equity Portfolio**

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NFSF	6.9	1.0	5.3%
KSE-30	7.4	1.6	6.8%

Sectors (% of Total Assets) (as on March 29, 2019)

Commercial Banks	81.8%
Incurance	6.2%

Name of the Members of Investment Committee

Dr. Amjad Waheed, CFA Sajjad Anwar, CFA Taha Khan Javed, CFA Hassan Raza, CFA

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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All Other returns are Cumulative