NAFA Government Securities Savings Fund (NGSSF)



MONTHLY REPORT (MUFAP's Recommended Format) Unit Price (31/08/2018): Rs. 10.4129

August 2018

Performance %								
Performance Period	Aug 2018	FYTD 2019	Rolling 12 months	FY 2018	FY 2017	FY 2016	Last 3 years*	Since Launch July 10, 2014*
NAFA Government Securities Savings Fund	6.3%	6.2%	5.2%	5.0%	5.8%	6.5%	5.6%	7.7%
Benchmark**	7.8%	7.6%	6.5%	6.2%	5.9%	6.2%	6.2%	6.9%

^{*} Annualized Return Based on Morning Star Methodology The performance reported is net of management fee & all other expenses All other returns are Annualized Simple Return and based on dividend reinvestment gross of with-holding tax where applicable.

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General	l In	torma	tion

July 10, 2014 Launch Date: Fund Size: Rs. 138 million

Type: Open-end – Income Fund Dealing Days: Daily - Monday to Saturday Dealing Time: (Mon - Thr) 9:00 A.M to 5:00 P.M (Friday) 9:00 A.M to 5:30 P.M (Saturday) 9:00 A.M to 1:00 P.M

Settlement: 2-3 business days Pricing Mechanism Forward Pricing

Load:*** Front End Load (Individual): without life

insurance 1%, with life insurance 3% (Nil on investment above Rs. 26 million) Front End Load (Other): 1% (Nil on investment above Rs. 16 million)

Back End Load: NIL

Management Fee: 10% of Net Income (Min 0.5% p.a., Max

Total Expense Ratio: 1.71% p.a.(including 0.31% government

Risk Profile: Low

Fund stability rating "AA- (f)" by PACRA Listing: Pakistan Stock Exchange

Custodian & Trustee: Central Depository Company (CDC)

KPMG Taseer Hadi & Co. Auditors: **Chartered Accountants**

6-Month PKRV

Muhammad Ali Bhabha, CFA, FRM Fund Manager:

Minimum Growth Unit: Rs. 10,000/-Subscription: Income Unit: Rs. 100,000/-Asset Manager Rating: AM1 by PACRA (Very High Quality)

Benchmark:**

Asset Allocation (% of Total Assets)	31-Aug-18	31-July-18
Tbills	69.4%	78.3%
Bank Deposits	29.8%	20.9%
Others including receivables	0.8%	0.8%
Total	100.0%	100.0%
Leverage	Nil	Nil

Sindh Workers' Welfare Fund (SWWF)

The scheme has maintained provisions against Sindh Workers' Welfare Fund's liability to the tune of Rs. 579,837/-. If the same were not made the NAV per unit/last one year return of scheme would be higher by Rs. 0.0438/0.44%. For details investors are advised to read note 5 of the financial statements of the Scheme for the period ended March 31, 2018.

Name of the Members of Investment Committee

Dr. Amjad Waheed, CFA Sajjad Anwar, CFA Muhammad Ali Bhabha, CFA, FRM Hassan Raza, CFA

Notes: 1) The calculation of performance does not include cost of front end load.

 $2) \ Taxes \ apply. \ Further, tax \ credit \ also \ available \ as \ per \ section \ 62 \ of \ the \ Income \ Tax \ Ordinance, \ 2001$

Investment Objective

To provide competitive return from portfolio of low credit risk by investing primarily in Government Securities.

Fund Manager Commentary

During the month under review, the Fund has generated an annualized return of 6.3% against the Benchmark return of 7.8%. Since its launch in July 2014, the Fund offered an annualized return of 7.7% against the Benchmark return of 6.9%, hence an outperformance of 0.8% p.a. This outperformance is net of management fee and all other expenses.

NAFA Government Securities Savings Fund (NGSSF) invests a minimum of 70% in Government Securities. The Fund invests a minimum 10% of its assets in less than 90 days T-Bills or saving accounts with banks, which enhances liquidity profile of the Fund.

As the asset allocation of the Fund shows, exposure in Government Securities was around 69% of the Total Assets and 72% of Net Assets at the end of the month with average Yield to Maturity of 7.6% p.a. Last one year allocation in Government Securities was around 74% of net assets. The weighted average time-to-maturity of the Fund is 29 days.

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

Credit Quality of the Portfolio as of Aug 31, 2018 (% of Total Assets)

Government Securities (AAA rated)	69.4%
AAA	0.9%
AA+	0.4%
AA-	4.4%
A+	23.9%
A-	0.2%
Others including receivables	0.8%
Total	100.0%

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^{**} effective from September 01, 2016; Previously 70% average 6-Month PKRV & 30% average 3-Month deposit rates (A+ & above rated banks)

^{***} effective from January 02, 2017