# NAFA Islamic Active Allocation Plan-VIII (NIAAP-VIII)



MONTHLY REPORT (MUFAP's Recommended Format) Unit Price (31/12/2018): Rs. 96.7471

December 2018

Performance %					
Performance Period	Dec 2018	FYTD 2019	Rolling 12 Months	Since Launch* November 03 , 2017	
NAFA Islamic Active Allocation Plan-VIII	(3.8%)	(3.5%)	(3.1%)	(2.8%)	
Benchmark	(4.2%)	(5.3%)	(3.6%)	(3.3%)	
* Annualized Return					

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All Other returns are Cumulative

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

#### **General Information**

Launch Date: November 3, 2017 Fund Size: Rs. 502 million

Type: Open Ended Shariah Compliant Fund of Funds

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

Back end Load: Nil

Management Fee: 1) On invested amount in NBP funds, no

additional fee.

2) Cash in Bank account: 1.25% p.a. Total Expense Ratio (%): 0.49% p.a (including 0.12% government

levies)

Risk Profile: Low to moderate
Listing: Pakistan Stock Exchange

Custodian & Trustee: Central Depository Company (CDC)

Auditors: KPMG Taseer Hadi & Co. Chartered Accountants
Benchmark: Daily weighted return of KMI-30 Index &

6-month average deposit rates of three A rated Islamic Banks/Islamic windows of conventional banks as selected by MUFAP, based on Fund's actual allocation (which is combination of benchmarks of underlying

schemes)

Fund Manager: Sajjad Anwar, CFA

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

Asset Allocation (% of Total Assets)	31-Dec-18	30-Nov-18
Shariah Compliant Funds	91.9%	90.8%
Cash Equivalents	8.0%	9.2%
Others including receivables	0.1%	-
Total	100.0%	100.0%
Leverage	Nil	Nil

### Characteristics of Equity Portfolio\*\*

	PER	PBV	DY	
NIAAEF**	8.1	1.6	6.4%	
KMI-30	7.8	1.1	6.9%	
** Based on NBP Funds estimates				

# Top Holdings (%age of total assets) (as on 31 December, 2018)

NAFA Active Allocation Riba Free Savings Fund	52.7%
NAFA Islamic Active Allocation Equity Fund	39.2%
Total	91.9%

**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.

### Sindh Workers' Welfare Fund (SWWF)

The scheme has maintained provision against Sindh Workers' Welfare Fund's liability to the tune of Rs 100,520/-If the same were not made the NAV per unit/ since inception return of scheme would be higher by Rs 0.0194/0.02%. For details investors are advised to read the Note 7 of the Financial Statements of the Scheme for the period ended September 30, 2018.

## **Investment Objective**

The objective of the Fund is to provide investors an opportunity to earn attractive return from an actively managed portfolio of Shari'ah Compliant Equity Fund and Income Fund.

#### **Fund Manager's Commentary**

NBP Funds launched its NAFA Islamic Active Allocation Plan-VIII (NIAAP-VIII) in November, 2017 which is the third plan under NAFA Islamic Active Allocation Fund-II. The Active Allocation Plan is dynamically managed between dedicated equity related and income schemes managed by NBP Funds based on the Fund Manager's outlook of the authorized asset-classes. The Plan is presently closed for new subscription. NIAAP-VIII has an initial maturity of two years.

Since inception, unit price of NIAAP-VIII has decreased by 2.8% p.a versus the Benchmark decline of 3.3% p.a. The current exposure in Income Fund and Equity Fund stands at 52.7% & 39.2%, respectively. The Plan can invest up to 100% in equity funds. We are confident that the Plan will generate good returns considering the improved macroeconomic and political outlook and dynamic equity allocation mechanism of the Fund.

## Name of the Members of Investment Committee

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