

NAFA Income Fund (NIF)

Unit Price (28/02/2009): Rs. 9.5178

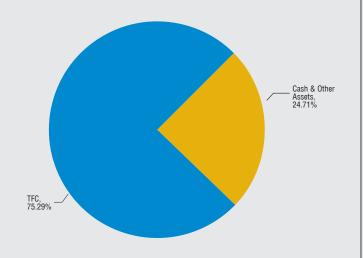
February 2009

Investment Objective Performance To earn a competitive Apr - Jun Jul - Dec Feb **Since Launch** Jan Performance (%) rate of return while 2008* 2008** 2008* 2009* March 29, 2008** preserving capital to the extent possible by **NAFA Income Fund** 8.50% (3.59)%14.42% 2.26% (0.25)% investing in liquid assets. **Benchmark** 10.89% 14.28% 13.64% 11.75% 6.54%

^{**} Represents cumulative Return (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. 1,068 million Open-end – Fixed Income Fund Daily - Monday to Friday 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. Chartered Accountants 3-Month T-Bills Ahmad Nouman Growth Unit: Rs. 10,000/-

Asset Allocation (on 28th February 2009)



Fund Manager's Commentary

NAFA Income Fund (NIF) during the month has earned an annualized return of 2.26%. The return on NIF is lower this month as one Term Finance Certificate (TFC) in the portfolio was sold in the market at a distress price. Based on the new Circular issued by SECP on Jan 6, 2009, all mutual funds value their TFCs at a price at which they trade in the market. Since a particular TFC was traded at a distress price, it affected the performance of the Fund in February. Ninety-five percent of NIF TFC portfolio is rated A+ and above and we expect TFCs to trade at higher prices due to improving liquidity. Investors are expected to experience good performance in the coming months.

Liquidity situation in the money market has improved significantly, which is evident from falling rates of Government Securities as well as KIBOR. Excess liquidity was obvious in last Treasury Bill auction, where total participation was Rs. 362 billion as against target of Rs.120 billion. Rates on 1-year Government bond has further decreased by 50 to 75 basis points after 100 basis points reduction in cut off rates in the last auction.

The 6-Month KIBOR, after touching a high of 15.70% has been declining. Only in the last three days of February it declined by 100 basis points. Six Month KIBOR has closed at 13.01% in February, approximately 209 basis points down from its closing in January. Decline in KIBOR is a direct result of market liquidity and declining cut-offs of Government Securities.

As of 28th February, 2009 NAFA Income Fund is approximately 75% in Term Finance Certificates, which is going to be a major contributor to the returns in the coming months because of the expected capital gains.

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

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