# NAFA ISLAMIC ACTIVE ALLOCATION PLAN-VIII (NIAAP-VIII)



### MONTHLY REPORT (MUFAP's Recommended Format)

Unit Price (31/01/2020): Rs.110.0337

January 2020

Performance %					
Performance Period	Jan-2020	FYTD - 2020	Rolling 12 Months	FY - 2019	Since Launch November 3, 2017*
NAFA ISLAMIC ACTIVE ALLOCATION PLAN-VIII	1.9%	14.4%	8.4%	(4.1)%	4.4%
BENCHMARK	1.4%	13.3%	6.3%	(5.2)%	4.0%
* Annualized Return All other returns are cumulative					•

**General Information** 

Launch Date: November 3, 2017 Fund Size: Rs. 175 million

Returns are net of management fee & all other expenses

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: 2-3 business day

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. 0.09% p.a of

average net assets during the month

Total Expense Ratio: 0.90% (including 0.46% 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-Jan-20	31-Dec-19
Shari'ah Compliant Funds	91.9%	92.6%
Cash Equivalents	7.9%	7.3%
Others including Receivables	0.2%	0.1%
Total	100.0%	100.0%
Leverage	Nil	Nil

Characterstics of Equity Portfolio**						
	PER	PBV	DY			
NIAAEF	6.7	1.2	5.0%			
KMI-30	7.5	1.2	5.3%			
** Based on NBP Funds estimates						

#### Sindh Workers' Welfare Fund (SWWF)

The scheme has maintained provision against Sindh Workers' Welfare Fund's liability to the tune of Rs 652,598/-If the same were not made the NAV per unit/ since inception return of scheme would be higher by Rs 0.4095/0.4%.For details investors are advised to read the Note 5 of the latest Financial Statements.

# **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 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, NIAAP-VIII has generated a return of 4.4% p.a versus Benchmark return of 4.0% p.a. The current exposure in Income Fund and Equity Fund stands at 17.8% & 74.1%, 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.

Top Holdings (as on January 31, 2020)				
Name	% of Total Assets			
NBP Islamic Active Allocation Equity Fund (Formerly:NAFA Islamic Active Allocation Equity Fund)	74.1%			
NBP Active Allocation Riba Free Savings Fund (Formerly:NAFA Active Allocation Riba Free Savings Fund)	17.8%			
Total	91.9%			

#### Name of the Members of Investment Committee

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