

MONTHLY REPORT (MUFAP's Recommended Format)

Unit Price (31/03/2024): Rs.11.8643

March 2024

Performance %												
Performance Period	Mar-2024	FYTD - 2024	ROLLING 12 MONTHS	FY - 2023	FY - 2022	FY - 2021	FY - 2020	FY - 2019	Last 3 Years*	Last 5 Years*	Last 10 Years*	Since Launch August 20, 2010*
NBP RIBA FREE SAVINGS FUND	17.4%	19.9%	19.8%	14.7%	8.7%	6.2%	11.0%	8.8%	13.3%	11.6%	9.0%	9.1%
BENCHMARK	11.2%	9.8%	9.0%	6.0%	3.3%	3.6%	6.3%	3.7%	5.8%	5.6%	4.9%	5.6%

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

General Information	
Launch Date:	August 20, 2010
Fund Size:	Rs. 1,556 million
Type:	Open-end – Shari'ah Compliant Income
Dealing Days:	Daily – Monday to Friday
Dealing Time:	(Mon - Fri) 9:00 A.M to 5:30 P.M
Settlement:	2-3 business days
Pricing Mechanism:	Forward Pricing
Front end Load:	Front End Load (Individual with takaful coverage): Amount up to Rs.5 million: 3%, Amount over and above Rs.5 million : 1%. Front end load (Individual under Health Takaful Plan): Amount up to Rs. 4 million: 3%, Amount over and above Rs.4 million: 1%, Front End (others): 1%, Back end Load: 0%

Management Fee: 2.8% of Net Income (min: 0.5% p.a., max: 1.25% average net assets during the month. p.a.) w.e.f 25-March-2024. 0.99% p.a. of average net assets during the month.

Total Expense Ratio: (YTD): 2.54% p.a (including 0.23% government levies), (MTD): 2.13% p.a (including 0.22% government levies)

Selling & Marketing Expenses: Nil (w.e.f March 25, 2024)

Risk Profile / Risk of principal erosion: Moderate / Principal at moderate risk

Fund Stability Rating: "A+ (f)" by PACRA

Listing: Pakistan Stock Exchange

Custodian & Trustee: Central Depository Company (CDC)

Auditors: A.F. Ferguson & Co, Chartered Accountants

Benchmark: 6-month average deposit rates of three A rated Islamic Banks/Islamic windows of conventional banks as selected by MUFAP

Salman Ahmed, CFA

Fund Manager: Growth Unit: Rs. 10,000/-

Minimum: Income Unit: Rs. 100,000/-

Subscription: AM1 by PACRA (Very High Quality)

Asset Allocation (% of Total Assets)	31-Mar-24	29-Feb-24
GOP Ijara Sukuk	0.0%	44.5%
Government backed security	0.0%	9.9%
Placements with NBFCs/COM	12.3%	12.1%
Bank Deposits	86.0%	28.9%
Others including receivables	1.7%	4.6%
Total	100.0%	100.0%
Leverage	Nil	Nil

Investment Objective
To provide preservation of capital and earn a reasonable rate of return along with a high degree of liquidity by investing in Shariah Compliant banks and money market / debt securities.

Fund Manager Commentary
The Fund generated an annualized return of 17.4% p.a. for the month versus the Benchmark return of 11.2% p.a. This reported return is net of management fee and all other expenses.

The Fund aims to consistently provide better return than the profit rates offered by Islamic Banks / Islamic windows of commercial banks, while also providing easy liquidity along with a high-quality credit profile.

Around 87% of net assets of the portfolio are invested in bank deposits which enhance the liquidity profile of the Fund. The weighted average time to maturity of the Fund is around 10 days.

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

Credit Quality of the Portfolio as of March 31, 2024 (% of Total Assets)	
AAA	13.1%
AA+	12.3%
AA	0.4%
AA-	10.7%
A+	61.8%
Others including receivables	1.7%
Total	100%

Name of the Members of Investment Committee	
Dr. Amjad Waheed, CFA	
Asim Wahab Khan, CFA	
Hassan Raza, CFA	
Salman Ahmed, CFA	
Usama Bin Razi	

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

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