



AIA PAM – Growth Fund

Investment Objective

The Fund seeks to provide returns through capital growth.

Investment Strategy

The Fund will invest in equities with a bias towards equities with potential for growth. The Fund will invest in local and foreign markets. The Fund will also invest at least 10% of its NAV in local fixed income instruments with a minimum credit rating of “BBB3” or “P2” by RAM or equivalent rating by MARC.

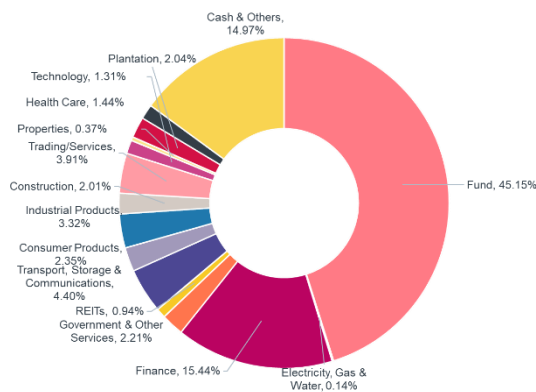
Fund Details

Unit NAV (29 July 2022)	: RM 1.3408
Fund Size (29 July 2022)	: RM 363.9 million
Fund Currency	: Ringgit Malaysia
Fund Launch	: May 16, 2013
Fund Inception	: June 05, 2013
Fund Management Charge	: up to 1.50% p.a
Investment Manager	: AIA Pension and Asset Management Sdn. Bhd.
Basis of Unit Valuation	: Net Asset Value (NAV)
Frequency of Unit Valuation	: Daily
Benchmark	: 30% FBMT 100 Index + 20% MSCI AC Asia ex Japan Index + 20% Quant Shop MGS All Bond Index + 30% MSCI World Index

Top Five Holding

1.	FIDELITY FDS-ASIA P OP-I USD	17.40%
2.	SCHRODER GLOB SUST GRTH-CA	15.01%
3.	SCHRODER IN ASIA P XJP E-CAC	7.67%
4.	FIDELITY FDS-GL FOCUS-IAUSD	5.07%
5.	MALAYAN BANKING BHD	2.80%

Sector Allocation



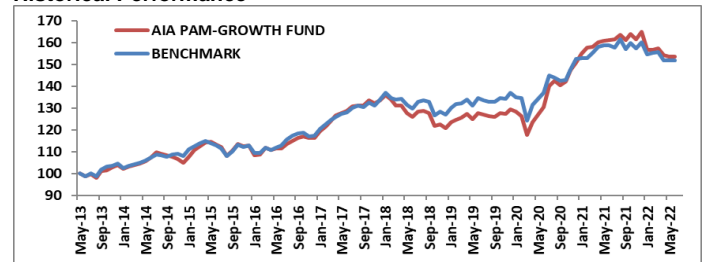
Risk

General investment risks involve market risk, fund manager risk, inflation risk and liquidity risk. Specific risks of the Fund involve credit/default risk, interest rate risk, particular security risk, country risk and currency risk.

Risk Management

Investment Manager aims to reduce investment risks through structured and disciplined investment process, rigorous and disciplined credit research and analysis, portfolio diversification and strict and frequent stock evaluation to minimize company specific risk.

Historical Performance



%	1 Mth	1-Year	^3-Year	^5-Year	^Since Inception
Fund	3.12%	-6.90%	18.42%	14.98%	50.17%
Index	4.09%	-5.28%	12.04%	14.88%	49.42%
Excess	-0.97%	-1.61%	6.38%	0.11%	0.75%

Source: AIA Pension and Asset Management Sdn. Bhd., Bloomberg at 29 July 2022
^ Cumulative returns. The performance is calculated on NAV-to-NAV basis.

Market Review

Malaysian Government Securities (“MGS”) yield curve bull flattened during the month as markets are beginning to price in the probability of a global recession amidst stubbornly high inflationary pressures coupled with slower global economic growth momentum. On a measured and gradual manner, Bank Negara Malaysia (“BNM”) introduced another 25-bps hike in the Overnight Policy Rate (“OPR”) from 2.00% to 2.25% at the Monetary Policy Committee (“MPC”) meeting. Meanwhile, the US Federal Reserve (“Fed”) continued to hike another 75-bps at the July Federal Open Market Committee (“FOMC”) meeting.

Negative supply shocks and the hangover from large demand-side stimulus are keeping global inflation stubbornly high. Central banks, most notably the Fed, are committed to reducing inflation by significantly tightening financial conditions. A ‘hard landing’ is increasingly likely, but valuations in major asset classes do not yet fully reflect this. On the local front, the FBMKLCI (“Index”) rose 3.32% Month-on-Month (“MoM”) to close at 1,492.23 pts on 29 July 2022. The Index outperformed the MSCI Asia Ex Japan Index, which fell by 0.65% MoM in Malaysia Ringgit (“MYR”) terms over the same period. Foreign investors turned net buyers during the month while retailers and local institutional investors were net sellers.

Market Outlook

Most global central banks have started to hike policy rates with clear commitments to rein in inflationary expectations leading to an environment of rising interest rates which continue to pressure the valuation for stocks and limit its upside in the near term. Ongoing geopolitical tension between Russia and Ukraine remains unabated with the European Union (“EU”) now committing to restrict energy imports from Russia while sourcing for alternative supplies elsewhere resulting in clear implications to the global energy markets and its supply chain. Globally, we see economic headwinds from recessionary fears in the US. Given China’s commitment to its zero covid strategy and the growing domestic property crisis, it is unlikely to see China achieving its GDP growth target. At the corporate earnings level, we expect some earnings revision in the near term to account for slowing topline and margin pressure. In the near term, we are of the view that equities remain volatile as investors continue to assess the US inflationary outlook and the risk of Fed overtightening.

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