

October 2022

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 (31 October 2022) : RM 1.2886
Fund Size (31 October 2022) : RM 352.0 million
Fund Currency : Ringgit Malaysia
Fund Launch : May 16, 2013
Fund Management Charge : Un to 1.50% p. 3

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Investment Manager : AIA Pension and Asset Management

Sdn. Bhd.
Basis of Unit Valuation : Net Asset Value (NAV)
Frequency of Unit Valuation : Daily

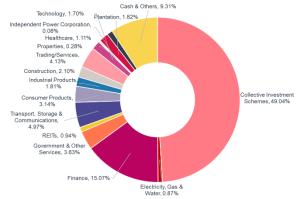
Benchmark

: 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.	SCHRODER GLOB SUST GRTH-CA	15.13%
2.	FIDELITY FDS-GL FOCUS-IAUSD	13.92%
3.	FIDELITY FDS-ASIA P OP-I USD	13.24%
4.	SCHRODER IN ASIA P XJP E-CAC	6.75%
5.	MALAYAN BANKING BHD	2.67%

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	2.42%	-11.96%	12.97%	7.97%	44.32%
Index	3.19%	-10.12%	6.71%	8.27%	43.46%
Excess	-0.78%	-1.84%	6.26%	-0.30%	0.86%

Source: AIA Pension and Asset Management Sdn. Bhd., Bloomberg at 31 October 2022 ^ Cumulative returns. The performance is calculated on NAV-to-NAV basis.

Market Review

The yield curve of Malaysian Government Securities ("MGS") shifted with flattening bias in October 2022 as yields rose on the short-end of the curve while the long-end of the curve was relatively well anchored, reflective of investors' cautious stance on the back of the United States ("US") Federal Reserves ("Fed") policy actions. On the currency front, MYR weakened by 1.9% against the US dollar to end the month at MYR4.7267.

Inflation and employment data are the key factors driving policy rate expectations. Following news that US inflation rose less than expected in October, Nasdaq 100 and S&P 500 climbed 9.4% and 6.5% higher, respectively while 10-year US Treasury yields fell by 17bps.

The FBMKLCI rallied by 4.7% Month-on-Month ("MoM") to close at 1,460.38 pts on 31 October 2022. The Index outperformed the MSCI Asia Ex Japan Index, which declined by 4.28% MoM in Malaysia Ringgit terms over the same period. Foreign investors were net sellers of Malaysian equities in October 2022 amounting to RM0.6bn, while local institutions stayed net buyers amounting to RM0.9bn. During the month, sector wise, Healthcare (+15.2%), Transport (+11.9%) and Plantations (+6.3%) where the key performers while Technology (-3.8%) and Construction (-1.2%) were the key detractors. Major news during the month includes PM Ismail Sabri announcing the dissolution of Parliament to pave the way for GE15 to be held within 60 days (set for 19 Nov by Election Commission).

Market Outlook

Ongoing geopolitical tension between Russia and Ukraine remains unabated with EU now committing to restrict energy imports from Russia while sourcing for alternative supplies elsewhere with clear implications for global energy markets and supply chain. 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 in 2022. At the corporate earnings level, we expect some earnings revision in the near term to account for slowing top line 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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