April 2019

AIA PAM – Islamic Moderate Fund

Investment Objective

The Fund seeks to provide returns through a combination of income* and capital growth from a portfolio that is consistent with Shariah principles.

*Income will be reinvested in additional Units in the Fund

Investment Strategy

The Fund will invest in a Shariah-compliant portfolio comprising equities with potential for growth and equities that are trading below their fair value. The Fund will also invest at least 40% of its NAV in Sukuk and Islamic money market instruments with a minimum credit rating of "BBB3" or "P2" by RAM or equivalent rating by MARC.

The Fund will only invest locally.

Fund Details

Unit NAV (30 Apr 2019) : RM 1.0821 : RM 107.48 million Fund Size (30 Apr 2019) : Ringgit Malaysia **Fund Currency** : May 16, 2013 Fund Launch : Jun 05, 2013 Fund Inception Fund Management Charge : up to 1.50% p.a

Investment Manager

: AIA Pension and Asset Management

Sdn. Bhd.

: Net Asset Value (NAV)

Basis of Unit Valuation Frequency of Unit Valuation

: Daily

Benchmark

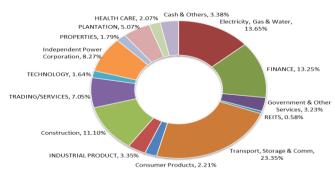
: 50% FTSE Bursa Malaysia EMAS Shariah Index + 50% Quant Shop GII

All Index

Top Five Holding

1.	Northport Malaysia Berhad 19/12/24	7.24%						
2.	Public Islamic Bank Bhd 03/08/2022	5.14%						
3.	EKVE Sdn Bhd 29/01/26	4.93%						
4.	Malakoff Power Bhd 17/12/19	4.68%						
5.	Tenaga Nasional Bhd	4.26%						

Sector Allocation



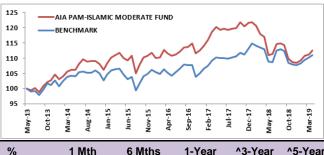
Risk

Investment risk involves the uncertainties relating to the country's economic situation, political condition and also price volatility of stocks held as a result of company specific risk.

Risk Management

The Investment Manager employs structured investment process to minimize market risk. Investment guidelines also prescribe limits in terms of single user limit and strict and frequent stock evaluation to minimize company specific risk.

Historical Performance



%	1 Mth	6 Mths	1-Year	^3-Year	^5-Year
Fund	1.25%	2.48%	-3.80%	0.27%	1.16%
Index	0.71%	2.42%	-1.77%	1.81%	1.25%
Excess	0.54%	0.06%	-2.03%	-1.54%	-0.09%

Source: AIA Pension and Asset Management Sdn. Bhd., Bloomberg as at 30 Apr 2019. ^ Annualised return

Market Review

Government Investment Issue weakened in Apr 2019 amid weaker MYR and profit taking activities by both onshore and offshore investors following the strong rally in the first few months of the year. Investor sentiment was further dampened following the news of Norwegian sovereign fund's intention to reduce its emerging markets' fixed income holdings to make way for its equities, as well as FTSE Russell's statement of putting Malaysia on its watch list for a potential disqualification from its flagship World Government Bond Index. Selling pressure was seen mainly on the belly of the curve although there was some dip-buying from domestic investors. MYR weakened by 1.3% against the greenback to close the month at MYR4.1347.

The FBMS rose 1.3% m-o-m in April despite concerns over the potential short-term weakness in MYR due to the potential exclusion of Malaysia from the FTSE Russell World Government Bond Index. Foreigners were again net sellers of the local market with a net outflow of MYR1.5 billion during the month, bringing year-to-date net outflow to MYR2.9 billion. In terms of sector performance in April, Construction and Energy outperformed. On the corporate front, key news included Yinson's proposed acquisition of Singapore-based Ezion Holdings and Axiata's announcement that its subsidiary Ncell Private Ltd has received a letter issued by the Nepalese Large Taxpayers Office to pay an outstanding sum of capital gains tax of NPR39.06 billion by April 22.

Market Outlook

Global central banks remain dovish and as trade tension further escalates, fixed income assets remain appealing relative to risk assets. On potential offshore outflows of domestic government bonds due to headlines surrounding index exclusion, ample onshore liquidity shall remain supportive of the local sukuk market, albeit a knee-jerk market reaction is not ruled out in the worst-case scenario of an exclusion.

Locally, recent comments by President Trump on the US-China trade deal have caused jitters in the market. But we see any market weakness as an opportunity to accumulate fundamentally solid companies with good earnings visibility. Despite the current volatility, we expect the equity market to gradually recover over the long run, underpinned by Malaysia's strong macroeconomic fundamentals. We expect the local market to deliver mid-single digit returns for 2019, driven by still positive earnings growth and further certainty over the government's policy direction over time.

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