

Fund Details

ISIN	LU1244530892
Domicile	Luxembourg
Currency	USD
Asset Class	Equity
Minimum Investment (USD)	10,000
Management Fee	1.5% per annum
AUM, as of Apr 29, 2019 (USD, mn)	18.5

Figure 1: Fund's Regional Exposure, 29 April 2019

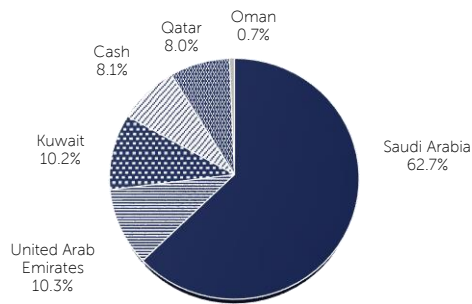
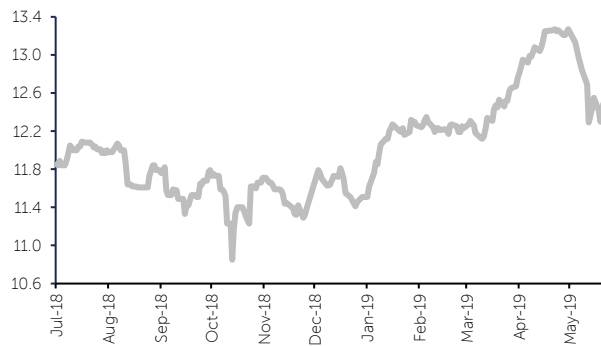


Figure 2: Fund's 1 year Performance (USD)



Source: Figure 1 – Fund's Factsheet (29 Apr 2019), Figure 2 – Financial Times (27 May 2019)

Fund Management

ADCB Asset Management Ltd (AAML), one of the major asset managers in the region, is owned by Abu Dhabi Commercial Bank, the second largest Bank in Abu Dhabi. AAML with over USD2 billion in asset under management provides full suite of financial services that include mutual funds, discretionary portfolio management, advisory and trading services. Dedicated team of investment strategists, fund managers, investment advisors and product specialists with global financial market experience help create value for AAML investors that include government, pension funds, family offices and high net worth individuals.

Fund

Investment Objective: The Fund's objective is to achieve medium to long-term capital growth and a reasonable level of income by investing in Shariah-compliant equity securities of companies in the Gulf Cooperation Council ("GCC"), including, but not limited to Bahrain, Kuwait, Oman, Qatar, Saudi Arabia, and the United Arab Emirates (UAE).

Investment Process: ADCB Asset Management Ltd. investment philosophy for the fund focuses on active sector/sub-sector rotation and security selection. The portfolio team seeks to identify multiple sources of value while limiting active exposure relative to the benchmark.

ADCB Asset Management Ltd.'s investment approach represents a collaboration between the onshore team of senior fund manager & fund manager who are accountable for performance, responsible for setting the top-down asset allocation framework, portfolio construction and security selection and off-shore team of analysts which are made up of sector specialists and equity analysts who are responsible for providing research support. All trades are executed through the in-house AM Trading Desk.

Investment Parameters: The key investment parameters of the Fund are,

- The fund is SICAV UCITs compliant listed in Luxembourg, providing best global practices in administration and audit
- The fund provides daily liquidity
- Shariah compliant equities issued by companies which are listed on exchanges outside the GCC, but that are headquartered in the GCC or drive a large portion of their revenues from the GCC
- Other Shariah compliant transferable securities including, without limitation, notes, Sukuk or other similar products issued by either corporate or sovereign entities
- Investments in equities which are not listed on a stock exchange in the GCC shall not exceed 30% of the Net Asset Value of the Sub-Fund
- Investments in sovereign and other public securities issued by any one sovereign entity shall not exceed 10% of the Net Asset Value of the Sub-Fund

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Sources: 1. Fund's Prospectus, Factsheet and RFP, 2. Fund's Website