



FUND OBJECTIVE

To provide investors with an opportunity to gain consistent and stable income by investing in a diversified portfolio of dividend yielding equities and fixed income securities. The Fund may also provide moderate capital growth potential over the medium to long-term period.

FUND DETAILS						
Launch Date	20 May 2014	Domicile	Malaysia			
Currency	Ringgit Malaysia	Launch Price	RM1.0000			
Units in Circulation	7.01 million units (30 April 2020)	Fund Size	RM8.61 million (30 April 2020)			
Unit NAV	RM1.2274 (30 April 2020)	Dealing	Daily (as per Bursa Malaysia trading day)			
Fund Manager	Principal Asset Management Bhd	Target Fund	Principal Titans Income Plus Fund			
Benchmark	50% FBM100 Index + 50% MSCI AC Asia ex-Japan Index	Taxation	8% of annual investment income			
Risk Profile	 Suitable for investors: Have a medium to long-term investment horizon Target capital appreciation Do not require regular income Comfortable with higher volatility Willing to take higher risk for potential higher gains 	Fees	 Sun Life Malaysia does not impose any fund management charge on Sun Life Malaysia Equity Income Fund. Up to 1.5% of per annum fund management charge is applied on the target fund's NAV by Principal Asset Management Berhad. 			

ASSET ALLOCATION OF THE TARGET FUND				
Equities (Foreign)	Equities (Local)	Cash		
46.07%	43.76%	10.16%		



SECTOR ALLOCATION OF THE TARGET FU	JND	TOP HOLDINGS OF THE TARGET FUND		
Information Technology	20.30%	Tenaga Nasional Bhd (Malaysia)	4.71%	
Financials	11.97%	Public Bank Bhd (Malaysia)	4.40%	
Consumer Discretionary	11.35%	Malayan Banking Bhd (Malaysia)	3.89%	
Communication Services	10.09%	Tencent Hldg Ltd (Hong Kong)	3.82%	
Industrials	8.86%	Alibaba Group Holding Ltd (Cayman Island)	3.44%	
Real Estate	6.70%	Taiwan Semiconducter Manuf (Taiwan)	3.01%	
Consumer Staples	6.62%	Samsung Electronics Co. Ltd (South Korea)	2.94%	
Utilities	5.11%	Reliance Industries Ltd (India)	2.59%	
Materials	3.93%	Genting Malaysia Bhd (Malaysia)	2.05%	
Energy	3.40%	Largan Precision Co. Ltd (Taiwan)	1.85%	
Health Care	1.50%	Total	32.70%	
Cash	10.16%			
Total	100.00%			

PERFORMANCE RECORD

This fund feeds into CIMB Principal Equity Income Fund ("target fund") with the objective to provide investors with an opportunity to gain consistent and stable income by investing in a diversified portfolio of dividend yielding equities and fixed income securities. The Fund may also provide moderate capital growth potential over the medium to long-term period.

Table below shows the investment returns of Sun Life Malaysia Equity Income Fund versus its benchmark as at 30 April 2020:

%	YTD	1M	6M	1-Year	3-Year	5-Year	Since Inception
Fund*	-11.51	-7.70	-9.08	-8.53	1.17	10.71	22.74
Benchmark	-9.91	6.98	-7.95	-10.86	-9.97	-3.07	7.26

* Calculation of past performance is based on NAV-to-NAV

Notice: Past performance of the fund is not an indication of its future performance which may differ. The fund performance is not guaranteed.



FUND MANAGER'S COMMENTS

Asia: We have a positive view on Asian equities over the next 12 months as economic activities are likely to recover from the third quarter. With several major countries around the globe planning to re-open their economies over the next 2 months, we expect economic activities to recover from depressed levels beginning in 3Q 2020. We expect governments, businesses and consumers to be tentative and cautious; hence the recovery will be gradual. Furthermore, the pace of re-opening would not be uniform but vary widely between sectors and between countries. Countries which have deeper domestic economies would likely lead in recovery compared to countries that depend on global trade or international travel. Fund flows out of Asian markets had been unprecedented in March-April, dwarfing outflows seen during previous crisis episodes like GFC or Taper Tantrum. As recovery takes hold, the return of these foreign funds would be a tailwind for Asian equities. Asia Pacific ex Japan equities trade at 13.6x forward-12M PER, above the 5-year average of 13.0x. Consensus expectations of 2020 earnings growth have been revised downwards, but at -2.5% remains vulnerable to further cuts. Our stock investments are geared towards niche companies which are long-term winners with favourable supply discipline, little competition, or possess significant brand equity We also like stocks which are beneficiaries of super-low interest rates and discount rates which would likely persist for a long time after the pandemic.

Source : Principal Asset Management Bhd Date : 30 April 2020

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