

# Areca enhancedINCOME Fund (AeIF)

Fund Factsheet as at 28 February 2017

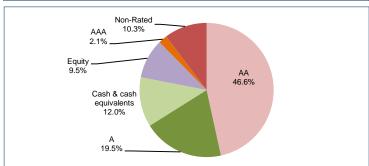
### **FUND OBJECTIVE**

To provide long term investors with high level of income stream and an opportunity for capital appreciation. To achieve this objective, the Fund will invest in Fixed Income Securities with relatively high level of yield.



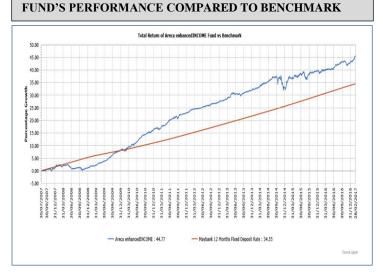
## ASSET, SECTOR ALLOCATION & CREDIT RATING (% OF NAV)

Properties 9.4%  Govt Guar'td 4.0%	Finance 24.2%  Plantation 11.1%
Trading&Services 19.4% Equity (various sectors) 9.5%	Cash & cash equivalents 12.0%



TO	OP 5 HOLDINGS (% OF NAV)	(%)
1)	Alpha Circle Sdn Bhd (AA-IS)	18.14
2)	Golden Assets International Finance Limited (AA2)	10.04
3)	CIMB Thai Bank Public Company Limited (AA3)	7.12
4)	Eastern & Oriental Berhad (NR)	6.25
5)	Barakah	5.74

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FUND DETAILS Income & Growth / (Malaysia Bond & Type of Fund/Category Malaysia Equity) Fund Inception 30 July 2007 RM0.5000 Launch price Benchmark Maybank's 12-month fixed deposit rate Unit NAV RM0.4945 Fund Size RM49.76 million Units in Circulation 100.63 million Management Fee 1.40% p.a of NAV 0.08% p.a. of NAV Trustee Fee Entry Charge Up to 1% of investment amount Up to 0.50% of the amount liquidated if Exit Fee redemption is made on Units invested for duration of less than 6 months. N/A Switching Fee RM1,000 Min Initial Investment Min Additional RM1,000 Investment

CUMULATIVE PERFORMANCE (%)					
Return	YTD	3mth	6mth	1yr	Since Launch
AeIF	1.29	2.04	1.77	3.70	44.77
Benchmark	0.49	0.76	1.53	3.17	34.55

Source: Lipper

DISTRIBUTION HISTORY & UNIT SPLIT						
Financial Year Ended 30 June	Net Distribution (sen per unit)	Unit Splits				
2008 and 2012	16.24 (5 years)	5.158:100				
2013	2.25	Nil				
2014	1.00	Nil				
2015	1.60	3:100				
2016	2.50	Nil				

### **FUND MANAGER'S REPORT**

The US Federal Reserve left rates unchanged at the start of February. However with upbeat inflation and retail sales data coupled with unemployment numbers holding below 5.0%, rhetoric has turned hawkish. Expectation of a US rate hike in March 2017 has risen as evident in the minutes of Federal Reserve report. Despite this, benchmark ten year US Treasuries which rose months ahead in November 2016 traded in a narrow range of 2.31%-2.49% in February 2017.

In Malaysia, the pick-up in exports and imports data since November 2016 provided support for Q4's 4.5% Gross Domestic Product (GDP) growth, bringing the full year to 4.2% expansion. Meantime, inflation recorded a 12 month high at 3.2%. Local sovereign yields also trended up in line with heightened US rate hike expectations.

Based on the Fund's portfolio returns for the period ended 31 December 2016, the Volatility Factor (VF) for this Fund is 2.7 and is classified as "Low" (source: Lipper). "Low" includes funds with VF that are above 1.785 but not more than 5.965 (source: Lipper). The VF means there is a possibility for the Fund in generating an upside return or downside return around this VF. The Volatility Class (VC) is assigned by Upper based on quintile ranks of VF for qualified funds. VF is subject to monthly revision and VC will be revised every six months. The Fund's portfolio may have changed since this date and there is no guarantee that the Fund will continue to have the same VF or VC in the future. Presently, only funds launched in the market for at least 36 months will display their VF and VC.

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