

FUND DETAILS
Type of Fund/Category

Income & Growth / Wholesale Fixed Income Fund (Malaysia & Foreign Bonds)

Launch Date

3 January 2012

Launch Price

RM1.0000

Benchmark

Maybank's 6-month fixed deposit rate

Fund Size (RM)

RM104.29 million

Units in Circulation

77.74 million

Management Fee

Up to 1.25% p.a. of NAV

Trustee Fee

Up to 0.05% p.a. of NAV

Entry Charge

Up to 2% of investment amount

Exit Fee

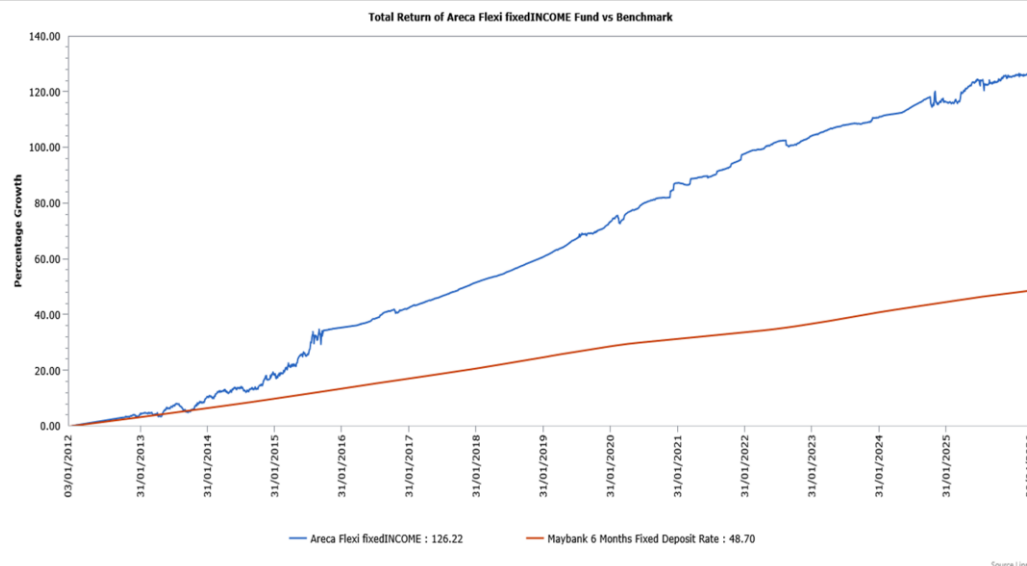
Up to 1% of the redemption amount if redemption is made on Units invested for duration of less than 12 months

Min Initial Investment

RM10,000 (The Manager has decided to lower the min amount stated in the Information Memorandum)

FUND OBJECTIVE

The Fund aim to provide Qualified Investors with relatively steady income and moderate capital appreciation over a Short to Medium-Term by investing in Fixed Income Investments.


FUND'S PERFORMANCE COMPARED TO BENCHMARK

CUMULATIVE PERFORMANCE (%)

Return	YTD	1mth	3mth	6mth	1yr	3yr	5yr	10yr	Since Launch
AFfIF	0.44	0.10	0.27	1.30	3.01	9.64	19.80	65.77	126.22
Benchmark	0.67	0.16	0.50	1.01	2.19	7.92	12.66	29.87	48.70

YEARLY PERFORMANCE (%)

Return	2025	2024	2023	2022	2021	2020	2019	2018	2017	2016
AFfIF	4.05	2.79	3.79	3.95	5.73	7.78	7.05	6.06	6.22	5.03
Benchmark	2.34	2.68	2.98	2.21	1.81	2.18	3.16	3.31	3.07	3.19

ANNUALISED PERFORMANCE (%)

Return	1 Year	3 Years	5 Years	10 Years	Since Launch
AFfIF	3.01	3.11	3.68	5.18	5.86
Benchmark	2.19	2.57	2.41	2.65	2.81

Source: Lipper. Past performance is not indicative of future performance. Investment involves risks and investor should conduct their own assessment before investing and seek professional advice, where necessary.

Based on the Fund's portfolio returns as at 31 March 2026, the Volatility Factor (VF) for this Fund is 1.6 and is classified as "Very Low" (source: Lipper). "Very Low" includes funds with VF that are above 0 but not more than 4.37. 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 Lipper 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.

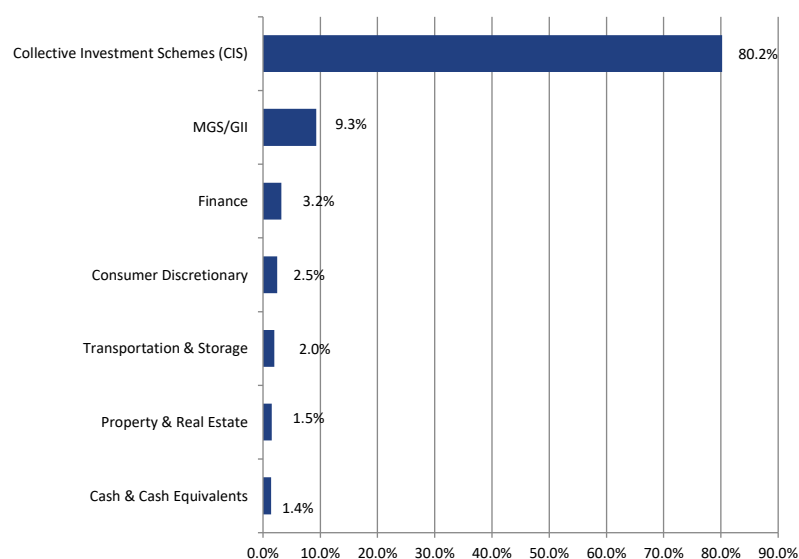
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DISTRIBUTION HISTORY (YEARLY)			TOP 5 HOLDINGS (% OF NAV)	
Year	Net Distribution (sen per unit)	Unit Splits		(%)
2017	3.00	-	1) Areca Composite Bond Fund	27.4
2018	2.00	-	2) Areca Dynamic Growth Fund 9.0	20.2
2019	2.00	-	3) Areca Strategic Income Fund 8.0	14.3
2022	18.00	-	4) Areca Progressive Income Fund 3.0	5.0
			5) MGS	4.9

ASSET & SECTOR ALLOCATION (% OF NAV)

FUND MANAGER'S REPORT

The US economy grew at an annualised 2.0% in Q1 2026, though the headline figure masked underlying weakness as consumer spending slowed and a surge in imports dragged on overall growth. The unemployment rate edged down to 4.3%, but the improvement was illusory as total employment fell by 64,000 and the labour force shrank by 396,000, pushing the participation rate to 61.9%. Inflation surged to 3.3% in March, driven by a 10.9% spike in energy costs as the Iran war sent gasoline prices soaring 21.2% in one month. US Treasury yields rose, with the 10-year consolidating near 4.4% and the 30-Year briefly touching 5% as oil prices peaked at USD126 per barrel. This reinforced the higher-for-longer narrative with markets having largely pricing out Federal Reserve ("Fed") cuts through 2026. In April, Fed held rates unchanged at 3.50%–3.75%.

Malaysia's economy by contrast remained resilient in Q1 2026, with advance Gross Domestic Product (GDP) growth estimated at 6.3%. Malaysia's Producer Price Index (PPI) turned positive for the first time since February 2025 rebounding to 1.1%, signalling building upstream cost pressures even as Consumer Price Index (CPI) is projected at 2.1%. This resilience was further reinforced by S&P's positive rating outlook, providing an additional sentiment anchor. Malaysian Government Securities (MGS) yields broadly rallied, with the 10-Year declined 8 basis points (bps) to 3.56% and the 5-Year yield at 3.35% (-11 bps), supported by a firmer ringgit and sustained foreign inflows that lifted non-resident MGS holdings to 21.5%. Domestic economic remained well supported by liquidity, total money supply (M3) was at 22-month high of 5.5% and at a loan growth of 5.4%. Bank Negara is expected to hold the Overnight Policy Rate (OPR) at 2.75% throughout 2026.

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