

### Areca equityTRUST Fund (AeTF)

Fund Factsheet as at 31 December 2024

#### WSFUND DETAILS

#### Type of Fund/Category

Growth / (Malaysia Equity)

#### Launch Date

23 April 2007

#### Launch Price

RM0.5000

#### Benchmark

Average Returns of the funds under "Equity Malaysia" Non-Islamic category

#### Fund Size (RM)

RM381.50 million

#### **Units in Circulation**

576.19 million

#### Management Fee

Up to 1.90% p.a. of NAV

#### Trustee Fee

Up to 0.08% p.a. of NAV

#### Entry Charge

Up to 3% of the amount invested

Exit Fee

Nil

Switching	Fee
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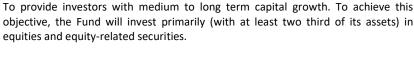
Nil

#### **Min Initial Investment**

RM10,000 or such other limit as decided by the Manager.

#### **Min Additional Investment**

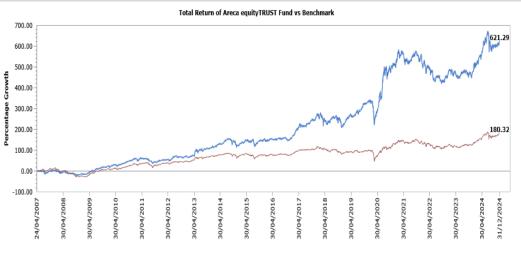
RM1,000 or such other limit as decided by the Manager.



FUND OBJECTIVE



#### FUND'S PERFORMANCE COMPARED TO BENCHMARK



Areca equityTRUST\*: 621.29 — Average\*: 180.32 \* Contains estimated data

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#### Source Lipper

Return	YTD	1mth	3mth	6mth	1yr	3yr	5yr	10yr	Since Launch
AeTF	24.96	3.37	3.63	-0.12	24.96	9.98	66.16	220.79	621.29
Benchmark	21.61	4.21	5.56	2.28	21.61	15.84	44.87	71.02	180.32

YEARLY PERFC	JRIVIANCI	E (%)								
Return	2023	2022	2021	2020	2019	2018	2017	2016	2015	2014
AeTF	5.21	-16.34	7.36	40.72	35.68	-11.63	44.30	-0.67	12.34	5.40
Benchmark	4.76	-9.16	5.16	18.48	6.24	-11.56	17.03	-1.36	4.43	-2.52

#### **ANNUALISED PERFORMANCE (%)**

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Return	1 Year	3 Years	5 Years	10 Years	Since Launch
AeTF	24.96	3.22	10.68	12.35	11.81
Benchmark	21.61	4.90	7.43	5.16	5.59

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 30 November 2024, the Volatility Factor (VF) for this Fund is 12.0 and is classified as "Moderate" (source: Lipper). "Moderate" includes funds with VF that are above 9.145 but not more than 12.035. 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 the VF and its VC.

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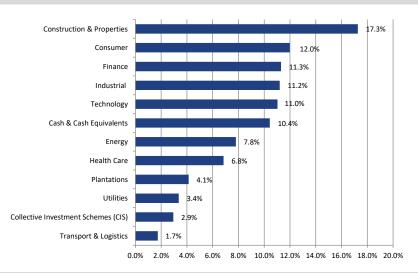
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#### **DISTRIBUTION HISTORY (YEARLY)**

Year	Net Distribution (sen per unit)	Unit Splits
2019	9.00	10:100
2020	7.50	
2021	4.00	
2024	5.00	

#### ASSET & SECTOR ALLOCATION (% OF NAV)



#### FUND MANAGER'S REPORT

Equities closed weaker in the month of December 2024, with both Developed and Emerging Markets down. The 10-year US treasury yield increased from 4.17% in November 2024 to 4.57% in December 2024. The US Dollar Index increased 2.6% MoM to close at 108.5 points.

The FBM KLCI increased 3.0% MoM to close at 1,642.3 points in December 2024. Historically, December has tended to be a positive month for Malaysian equities and this trend has continued in 2024. The best performing sectors for the month were technology and healthcare. Laggard sectors were finance and consumer. Foreign investors were net sellers for the month at RM2.9 billion.

Our portfolio strategy for 2025 is to identify thematic opportunities present, in combination with a stock-picking strategy. We are overweight towards construction and property sectors given the robust domestic investment cycle in Malaysia. We are gradually adding exporters to the portfolio over the short term to take advantage of opportunities. We will be opportunistic in this current environment, for instance, to increase equity exposure to approximately 90% on weak market sentiment and position in fundamentally strong names. For our existing funds, in December 2024, we raised a higher cash position in anticipation of this environment and have recently started deploying selectively during pullbacks. We believe sentiment will stabilize, bringing the focus back to fundamentals.

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TOP 5 HOLDINGS (% OF NAV)	(%)
1) 99 Speed Mart Retail Holdings Berhad	6.2
2) Gamuda Bhd	5.9
3) Capital A Berhad	4.2
4) CIMB Group Holdings Berhad	4.0
5) IHH Health Care Berhad	3.5

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193%\*

**10 Years** 

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Malaysia 2024 Winner

## Areca equityTRUST Fund

Best Fund Over 5 Years Best Fund Over 10 Years Equity Malaysia

# **598%**\*

Since Inception 2007

168%#

## 66%\* 5 Years 42%#

## Areca equityTRUST Fund \*Fund Performance

## #Average Returns of Peer Group

\*Fund performance is calculated based on NAV to NAV and assumes reinvestment of distributions. The Fund was launched on 23 April 2007. #Average Returns of the funds in Peer Group under Lipper Classification "Equity Malaysia" Non-Islamic. There are total of 66 funds under this category. Source: Lipper as at 30 November 2024

56%#





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## LSEG理柏基金奖

2024马来西亚获奖基金

## **Areca equityTRUST Fund**

5年期最佳基金 10年期最佳基金 马来西亚股票型

# **598%**\* 自2007年

成立以来

168%#

**193%**\* 10年

**56%**#



## Areca equityTRUST Fund

\*基金表现

**"同类基金平均回报率**\*基金表现是根据资产净值对比资产净值计算,并假设将收入分配再投资。此基金是于2007年4月23日推出。
#同类基金之平均回报率Lipper Classification "Equity Malaysia" Non-Islamic。此类别下共有66个基金。
资料来源:理柏,截至2024年11月30日止





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