

#### **FUND OVERVIEW**

# **Investment Objective**

To provide Unit holders with a reasonable dividend yield as well as capital appreciation at an acceptable level of risk through investments made in accordance with the Deed, the Guidelines and securities law in a diversified portfolio of securities, principally in Malaysian equity securities.

#### **Potential Investor**

Those who understand investment risks and rewards and are seeking growth of capital over the \*medium to \*\*long-term period.

\*medium term - a period of three (3) to five (5) years \*\*long term - a period of more than five (5) years

### MARKET REVIEW

As at end February 2024, the fund reported an annualised return of -1.50%, over a 5-year basis, underperforming its benchmark's return -0.15%.

Global markets continued its positive trend in February, with the FTSE All-World Index rising to 4.24%. Year-to-date, global markets have seen an overall positive performance of 4.87%. Americas was the best performing region in February, with the FTSE America Index up 5.07%. The highest performing country index for the month was FTSE Israel Index at 9.79%. Conversely, the worst performing country index was the FTSE Egypt Index, finishing the month down at -15.12%. Malaysia's KLCI registered a positive performance for the fifth consecutive month, with the index climbing up 38.46 index points or 2.54%. Within the size segments of the FTSE Bursa Malaysia EMAS Index, KLCI was the best performer in the FTSE Bursa Malaysia Index Series, overshadowing the poor performance of FTSE Bursa Malaysia Small Cap Index of 0.35%. The FTSE Bursa Malaysia EMAS Index rose 2.21%. The top ten constituents of the FTSE Bursa Malaysia Small Cap Index. Energy was the best performing sector in the FTSE Bursa Malaysia KLCI Index, registering 7.03% with Consumer Discretionary being the second-best performer at 6.36%. Conversely, Health Care was the worst performing sector followed by Communication Services, at 0.82% and 1.21% respectively. With an index weighting of 42.12% and 7 constituents, Financials is the largest industry in the FTSE Bursa Malaysia KLCI. This compares to a weight of 30.96% and 11 constituents in the FTSE Bursa Malaysia EMAS Index. Industrial Goods & Services is the largest industry in the FTSE Bursa Malaysia Small Cap with an index weighting of 16.26% and 30 constituents.

Source: Novagni Analytics and Advisory Sdn Bhd

#### **FUND PERFORMANCE**

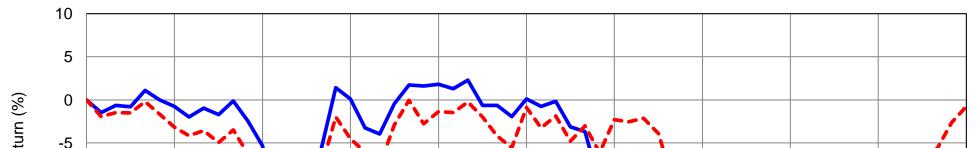
#### **Fund and Benchmark Performance**

	Cumulative Returns (%)				Annualised Returns (%)			
	6 months	1 year	3 years	5 years	10 years	3 years	5 years	10 years
Fund	9.77	14.07	-8.92	-7.26	1.92	-3.06	-1.50	0.19
Benchmark <sup>^</sup>	6.00	7.49	0.60	-0.77	-1.34	0.20	-0.15	-0.13

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^Effective 1st May 2018, the benchmark has been changed to 80% FBM 100 and 20% Maybank 12-Months Fixed Deposit.

#### 5 Years Growth Total Return from 28 February 2019 to 29 February 2024



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# As at 29 February 2024

Total NAV	RM478.43 million
Unit in Circulation	1.07 billion units
NAV per unit	RM0.4482

# High/Low NAV per unit

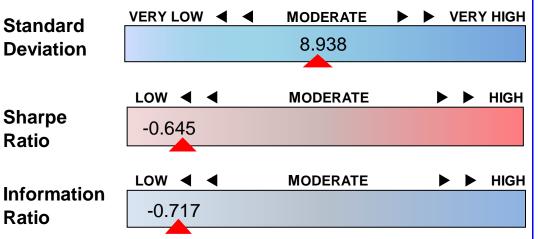
	High (RM)	Low (RM)
3 month	0.4511	0.4077
6 month	0.4511	0.3992
1 year	0.4511	0.3830
3 year	0.5487	0.3808
5 year	0.5854	0.3808

# Income Distribution Declared

Year	Net (sen per unit)	Yield (%)
2023	1.07	2.79%
2022	1.12	2.78%
2021	1.76	3.47%
2020	2.00	4.02%
2019	2.80	5.04%

Source: Novagni Analytics and Advisory Sdn Bhd

# **RISK ANALYSIS**



-10 -10				FUND FACTS	
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				Туре	Growth
-15				Launch Date	09 June 1999
-20				Financial Year End	30 June
20				Investment Manager	Permodalan Nasional Berhad
-25				Trustee	AmanahRaya Trustees Berhad
Feb 19 Aug 19 Feb 20 Au	ıg 20 Feb 21	Aug 21 Feb 22 Aug 22 Feb 23 Aug 23	Feb 24	Min. Initial Investment	RM10
ASN Equity	280	% FBM 100 and 20% Maybank 12-Months Fixed Deposit		Min. Additional Investment	RM1
he value of units may go down as well as ι	up. Past performar	ce is not indicative of future performance.		Max. Additional Investment	Unlimited
ource: Novagni Analytics and Advisory Sdn Bhd				Sales Charge	Up to 5% of the NAV per unit. (OTC)
PORTFOLIO INFORMATION					Up to 3% of the NAV per unit. (EPF-MIS)
op 10 Holdings <sup>#</sup>		Sector Allocation <sup>#</sup>		Redemption Charge	None
lalayan Banking Bhd.	8.37%	Financials	26.37%	Redemption Period	Within seven (7) business days upon
CIMB Group Holdings Bhd 7.70%		Utilities	13.82%		receipt of repurchase request as disclosed
Public Bank Bhd 7.27%		Cash & Others	11.58%		in the Guidelines on Unit Trust Funds.
enaga Nasional Bhd	6.03%	Information Technology	10.60%	Form of Investment	Cash/cash equivalent
TL Corp Bhd.	4.74%	Industrials	10.51%		EPF-MIS
Samuda Bhd.	3.07%	Communication Services	5.77%	Switching Fee	Difference between sales charge of the
YTL Power International Bhd. 3.05%		Materials	4.40%	(to other Variable Price funds)	Funds switched out, subject to a minimum
ETRONAS Chemicals Group Bhd.	2.19%	Consumer Staples	3.45%		charge of RM25 per transaction
xiata Group Bhd.	1.95%	Health Care	3.16%	Switching Fee	Nil
/alaysia Airports Holdings Bhd.	1.86%	Real Estate	2.79%	(to Fixed Price funds)	
		Consumer Discretionary	2.45%	Transfer Fee	Up to RM15 per transaction
		Bonds	2.16%	Management Fee	1.0% per annum of the NAV of the Fund,
		Energy	1.92%		calculated and accrued daily
		ETF	1.01%	Trustee Fee	RM500,000 or 0.08% p.a. of the NAV or
laily basis.	ased on GICS sector	classification. Please note that all figures are subject to frequent	changes on a		the Fund, whichever is lower, calculated and accrued daily
ource: Amanah Saham Nasional Berhad					

Where a distribution is declared, investors are advised that following the distribution, the NAV per unit will be reduced from cum-distribution NAV to ex-distribution NAV.

Based on the Fund's portfolio returns as at 29 February 2024, the Volatility Factor (VF) for this Fund is 8.9 and is classified as "Moderate" (source: Novagni). "Moderate" includes funds with VF that are above 8.385 but not more than 10.995. 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.

The Master Prospectus of ASNB dated 1 February 2020, the First Supplementary Master Prospectus dated 20 October 2021, the Second Supplementary Master Prospectus of ASN Imbang (Mixed Asset Balanced) 3 Global dated 16 September 2020, the First Supplementary Prospectus of ASN Imbang (Mixed Asset Balanced) 3 Global dated 1 April 2023, the Third Supplementary Prospectus of ASN Imbang (Mixed Asset Balanced) 3 Global dated 1 April 2023, the Third Supplementary Prospectus of ASN Imbang (Mixed Asset Balanced) 3 Global dated 1 April 2023, the Third Supplementary Prospectus of ASN Imbang (Mixed Asset Balanced) 3 Global dated 1 December 2023, the Prospectus of ASN Equity Global dated 1 September 2021, the First Supplementary Prospectus of ASN Equity Global dated 1 December 2023, the Prospectus of ASN Equity Global dated 1 September 2021, the First Supplementary Prospectus of ASN Equity Global dated 1 December 2023, the Prospectus of ASN Sukuk dated 25 November 2022 and the First Supplementary Prospectus of ASN Sukuk dated 1 April 2023 ("Prospectuses"), have been registered with the Securities Commission Malaysia ("SC"). Please read and understand the content of the Prospectuses together with the Product Highlights Sheets which are available at the ASNB website (www.asnb.com.my), branches and agents. The unit will be issued upon receipt of the registration form referred to and accompanying the Prospectuses. Before investing, please consider the risk of investing as well as the fees and charges involved. Unit prices and distribution payable, if any, may go down as well as up. The past performance of a fund should not be taken as indicative of its future performance.

Investors who wish to know the key features of a specific unit trust fund of ASNB may request the Product Highlights Sheet is sued by ASNB at any office of ASNB, agents and website.

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