



MENA Sukuk Manager of the Year 2013



Al Rayan GCC Fund (F)

Fund Facts



April 2014 NAV/unit: USD 1.570 Performance YTD: 14.5%

Cash

Overview: Similar to Q1 2014, it was a sluggish start to the second quarter as global equity markets continued to show limited signs of life, with the US and emerging markets finishing the month close to where they started. The European economic recovery remains on track as consumer and business confidence indicators continue to move higher despite ongoing unrest in Ukraine. S&P 500 +0.6%, while European equities gained 1.1%. Yields on 10-year US Treasuries fell to 2.65% from 2.72% last month. The US Dollar weakened 0.5%-1% against most major currencies but gained against emerging market currencies. Most commodities recovered on weak dollar with Henry Hub gas +11% followed by steel (+3.8%) and aluminum (+2.2%). Gold (\$1,293) gained 0.5% and Brent crude was up 0.4% to \$108.1.

All GCC equity markets marched north in April with Dubai continue to lead the pack (+13.7%) followed by Qatar (+8.9%) and Bahrain (+5.2%). KSA, the region's largest market, added 1.2% while Abu Dhabi was up 3.1%. There was finally a supply side response in the bond market with seven new issues raising approximately \$6bn, helping to offset the regular and significant bond maturities which are returning cash to (already very liquid) investors.

Emaar Properties, Al Meera Consumer Goods and Aldrees Petroleum helped the fund most in April while Air Arabia, Shaker and Industries Qatar were key laggards.

Outlook: Economic outlook for our focus markets remains strong. However, due to strong rally in equity markets especially in UAE, the risk has increased. We expect profit taking may start with MSCI EM upgrade event.

Asset class Investment Objective Minimum initial investment - Individual Shari'a compliant GCC listed equities and sukuk 18-24 month capital appreciation USD 30,000

Individual
 Institution
 Subscription Fees
 Management Fees
 USD 300,000
 up to 1%
 1.25% pa

Performance Fees 20% of NAV increase greater than 24%, over 2-years

Lock-in period Six months
Fund Duration Open-ended

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RegulatorQatar Central BankCustodianHSBC Bank Middle East

Auditor KPMG

 Bloomberg Ticker
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 68048992

 AUM (USD m)
 21.4

Investments Country Split Oman 0.3% KSA 44.7% UAE 29.1% Qatar 25.9% Qatar 80%

Fund Indicators (Equity)	April 2014	
P/E 2014E	15.0x	
P/BV 2014E	3.2x	
Dividend Yield 2014E	4.6%	
Weighted Market Cap (USD)	7.8bn	
Fund Indicators (Fixed Income)	April 2014	
Average Maturity (Years)	3.0	
Average Yield to Maturity	6.8%	

Net Asset Value/Unit USD 1.700 1.600 1.500 1.400 1.300 1.200 1.100 1.000 0.900 Jul-10 Apr-14

Top 5 Holdings (% of total portfolio)

Country	Instrument	Holding
UAE	Equity	9.4%
Qatar	Equity	7.0%
KSA	Equity	6.4%
UAE	Fixed Income	5.3%
Qatar	Equity	5.1%
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 Performance
 4.2%
 12.1%
 -1.9%
 -1.5%
 12.4%
 26.2%
 57.0%

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