

# Al Rayan GCC Fund (Q)



February 2016

## **NAV/unit:** QAR 1.225

**Fund Facts** 

**Investment Objective** 

Minimum investment

Asset class

- Individual

- Institution

**Subscription Fees** 

**Management Fees** 

Performance Fees

Lock-in period

**Fund Duration** 

**Fund Manager** 

Founder

Regulator

Custodian

## Performance YTD: -11.0%

Shari'a compliant GCC listed equities and

QAR 100,000 initially, QAR 5,000 thereafter

20% of NAV increase greater than 24%, over

QAR 1,000,000 initially, QAR 50,000 thereafter

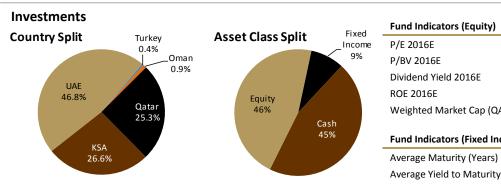
18-24 month capital appreciation

Overview: February saw global markets continue declines until a rebound midmonth. Investor sentiment improved on a recovery in commodity prices. In Europe, political headwinds increased with the UK announcing a referendum on membership of the European Union. Most major equity markets were lower (S&P500 -0.4%, Europe -2.4%, China -1.8%, India -7.5%) but Brazil rose 6% as commodities moved higher. USD weakened and US Treasury yields fell further as markets priced in a lower probability of rate hikes in 2016. US 10-year Treasury yields fell 18bps to 1.74%. Among commodities, gold rose 10% (\$1,232), urea +13%, while Gas (henry Hub) dropped 28%. Brent crude was broadly flat at \$36.6.

The recovery in oil prices helped investor sentiment towards GCC markets, as equities were led by Dubai (+8.1%) and Abu Dhabi (+7.3%), while Qatar (+4.3%) and Saudi Arabia (1.2%) were also higher. February saw two conventional bond issues from the Bahrain sovereign and two sukuk deals (ICD private sukuk and Islamic Development Bank). The GCC sukuk market returned +1.71%.

Medicare Group, Aramex PJSC and Aldrees Petroleum and Transport Services Co helped the Fund most in the month while Al Meera Consumer Goods Co, DP World Ltd and Bupa Arabia for Cooperative Insurance Co were key laggards.

Outlook: Dividend payment season and the recovery in oil have helped GCC markets. Given the sharp sell-off in recent months we see room for an aggressive relief rally for many names.



Auditor	KPMG	
Bloomberg Ticker	ARYGCCQ QD	
Lipper ID	68048996	
Net Asset Value (NAV)	QAR 291.4 m	
Fund Indicators (Equity)	February 2016	
P/E 2016E	13.9x	
P/BV 2016E	2.6x	
P/BV 2016E Dividend Yield 2016E	2.6x 4.5%	
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Dividend Yield 2016E	4.5%	

2.3

5.1%

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up to 1%

1.25% pa

2-years

Six months

Open-ended

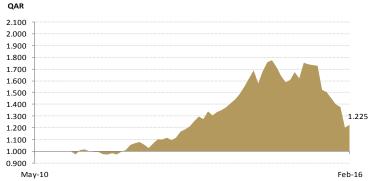
Masraf Al Rayan QSC

Qatar Central Bank

Al Rayan Investment LLC

HSBC Bank Middle East

### Net Asset Value/Unit



### Top 5 Holdings (% of total portfolio)

Company	Country	Instrument	%
Mouwasat Medical Services Co	KSA	Equity	7.2%
Dubai Islamic Bank PJSC	UAE	Equity	6.3%
DP World Ltd	UAE	Equity	5.2%
Aramex PJSC	UAE	Equity	5.0%
Medicare Group	Qatar	Equity	4.6%

Performance

Average Maturity (Years)

Last 1mt			2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	Inception
2.0%	-12.4%	0.1%	-0.6%	12.0%	26.5%	12.6%	-13.2%	22.5%

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