Al Rayan GCC Fund (Q)



June 2012 AuM: QAR 161.6 million NAV/unit: QAR 1.026

Overview: June was similar to May as continued uncertainty on Europe drove further selling. Also, US data disappointed and action is awaited from Chinese authorities to boost slowing growth. June/ Q2 would have been far worse but for a sharp rally on the last day of the month after EU leaders agreed on a €120bn short-term stimulus. Equities in June: US +4%, Europe +5%, India +8%, Brazil flat, China -6%. USD -2% while among commodities, Brent -2% (\$98), gold +2% (\$1,597) and ethylene -6%. Interestingly, for H1 2012, world equities +4.5%, Euro +2%, Brent -7%, gold +1% while 10-year US Treasury yields almost halved to just 1.64%.

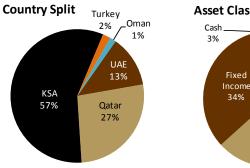
GCC equity volumes were lower in June as many retail investors were away. However markets fell, led by Kuwait (-6.5%), KSA (-3.8%) and Qatar (-3.5%). For an outsider, GCC fixed-income seems to exist in a parallel universe as the multi-month rally accelerated sharply. Several new issues were brushed aside as \$4bn redeemed from four sukuk, including DIFC and Jebel Ali (JAFZA), looked for a home. A further \$4bn will be returned to bond investors in July from three sukuk maturing in Saudi Arabia.

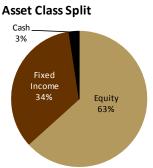
Dar Al Arkan 2015, Gulf Warehousing and Aldar 2013 added positively to June's performance while Mobily, IQ and Almarai caused a drag.

Outlook: We await Q2 results and expect positive surprises in KSA. The Dar Al Arkan 2012 sukuk will mature during July, proceeds from which will be reinvested in both equities and sukuk.

| Fund Facts | | |
|----------------------------|---|--|
| Asset class | Shari'a compliant, GCC listed equities and fixed-income instruments | |
| Investment Objective | 3-5 year capital appreciation | |
| Minimum initial investment | | |
| - Individual | QAR 100,000 | |
| - Institution | QAR 1,000,000 | |
| Subscription Fees | up to 1% | |
| Management Fees | 1.25% pa | |
| Performance Fees | 10% of NAV increase greater than 36%, over 3-years | |
| Redemption Fees | 0.25% | |
| Lock-in period | 18 months | |
| Fund Duration | Open-ended | |
| Founder | Masraf Al Rayan QSC | |
| Fund Manager | Al Rayan Investment LLC | |
| Regulator | Qatar Central Bank | |

Investments

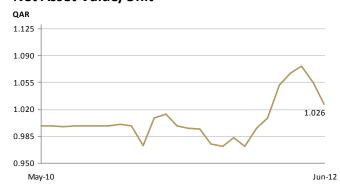




| Fund Indicators (Equity) | June 30 | |
|--------------------------|---------|--|
| P/E 2012E | 10.0x | |
| P/BV 2012E | 2.0x | |
| Dividend Yield 2012E | 5.3% | |
| Average Market Cap (QAR) | 18.3bn | |

| Fund Indicators (Fixed Income) | June 30 | |
|--------------------------------|---------|--|
| Average Maturity (Years) | 1.6 | |
| Average Yield to Maturity | 7.6% | |

Net Asset Value/Unit



Top 5 Holdings (% of total portfolio)

| Company | Country | Instrument | Holding |
|----------------------|---------|--------------|---------|
| Dar Al Arkan 2012 | KSA | Fixed Income | 15.0% |
| Dar Al Arkan 2015 | KSA | Fixed Income | 11.0% |
| Etihad Etisalat Co | | | |
| (Mobily) | KSA | Equity | 10.2% |
| Industries Qatar QSC | Qatar | Equity | 7.9% |
| Barwa Real Estate Co | Qatar | Equity | 7.9% |

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