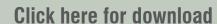




# MARKET UPDATE AND FUND REVIEW



2020 NOVEMBER





### MARKET BRIEF BY NDB WEALTH

**BUDGET 2021** 

The 2021 budget focused around post-Covid-19 growth, with strong support to local manufacturing, with the aim of curbing imports whilst supporting the export sector. Consumer taxes remained broadly unchanged in an effort to stimulate growth amidst low economic activity. Further, the government's public investment drive is expected to be the largest in five years. While no material change to the revenue base is a positive factor to support growth, budget 2021 remains ambitious, expecting investment driven growth to bridge the revenue gap in the face of Covid-19 and external debt challenges.

**INFLATION PICKS UP** 

Inflation as measured by the CCPI (2013=100), edged up to 4.1% in November on a year-on-year basis from the previous months' 4.00% primarily owing to increases in food prices. During the month, the index was up 0.4% due to food prices increasing by 1.2% and non-food prices rising 0.2%. We believe the Central Bank will be able to manage inflation at mid-single digit levels in the short term.

**RUPEE FALLS** 

Reversing its rising trend, the Sri Lankan Rupee depreciated against the USD in November by 0.37% to close the month at LKR 184.96 leading to an overall depreciation of 1.80% on a year-to-date basis. The Central Bank was a buyer of foreign exchange in the market in October amounting to USD 47.5 mn, whilst gross official reserves stood at approx. USD 5.8 bn. by end October.

INTEREST RATES EDGE UP

With interest rates increasing across the board during the month, the benchmark 364-day T-Bill rate reached the psychological 5.00% mark in November from 4.96% in October. Foreign holding of LKR denominated bills and bonds fell yet again in November by LKR 1.72 bn, to a low of 0.13%, thus net selling by foreigners for the year now stands at LKR 96.08 bn. We expect the Central bank to hold interest rates at current levels in the short term with a view of encouraging economic activities affected by the Covid-19 pandemic.

**STOCK MARKET RALLIES** 

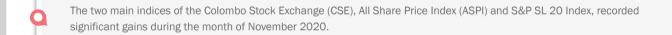
The Colombo Stock Exchange (CSE) saw renewed buying interest in November with the All Share Price Index (ASPI) rallying 9.03% and the more liquid S&P SL 20 index rising 7.52% amidst local investor participation. Foreign investors however continued to be net sellers to the value of LKR 2.78 bn. during the month and LKR 48.39 bn on a year-to-date basis. Given the low interest rate environment we expect that the buoyancy on the CSE will continue despite macroeconomic fundamentals remaining weak.

Fund Manager

### **EQUITY OUTLOOK**

	Past month Performance (1st Nov - 30th Nov 2020)	Past 12 months Performance (Nov 2019 - Nov 2020)	Year to Date Performance (1st Jan - 30th Nov 2020)
All Share Price Index	9.03%	4.23%	1.87%
S&P SL 20	7.52%	-17.66%	-16.45%
MSCI Frontier Markets Index	4.10%	0.32%	-3.85%
MSCI World Index	12.79%	14.52%	11.19%
MSCI Emerging Markets	9.25%	18.43%	10.20%
MSCI Asia Ex Japan	8.04%	24.86%	17.07%

Source: www.cse.lk and www.msci.com 🕽



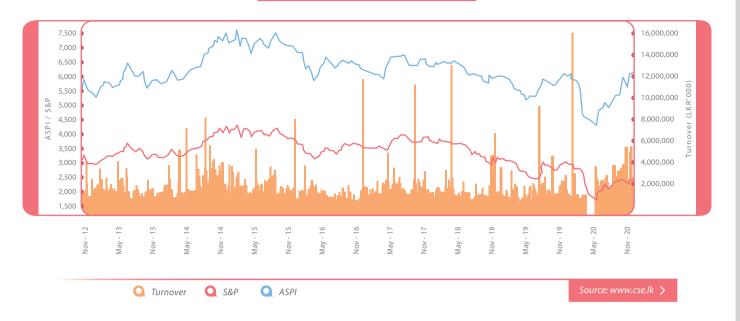
Improved market sentiment, with companies posting the encouraging corporate earnings during the September quarter coupled with positive news regarding the vaccine, was the key catalyst for the significant gains recorded during the month.

Low interest rates and expectations of the country moving in to a growth phase may further encourage investors to participate actively in the share market.

Frontier stocks have trailed bigger emerging markets in recovering from the impact of coronavirus as MSCI Frontier Markets Index has fallen 3.85% in 2020, while MSCI emerging market has gained 10.20% over the same period.

Inflows into emerging markets reached a monthly record high in November according to the Institute of International Finance. Low interest rates, increased probability of another U.S. stimulus and progress on the COVID-19 vaccine causing an unwinding effect in 'flight-to-quality', should keep the U.S. dollar dropping, helping provide a boost to equities.

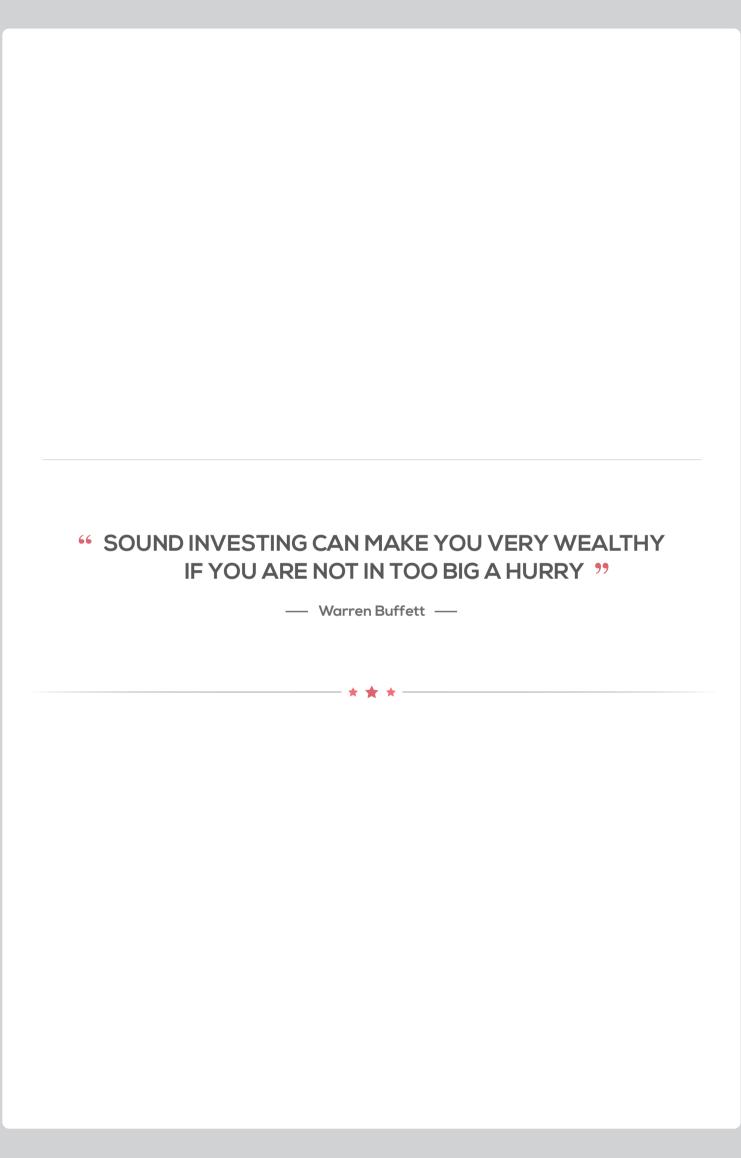
### **Colombo Stock Exchange Performance**



		Nov 2020	Nov 2019
	Market PER	10.61 X	10.97 X
CSE	Market PBV	1.05 X	1.15 X
	Market DY	2.80%	3.13%
MSCI Frontier Market	Market PER	15.81 X	13.09 X
	Market PBV	1.78 X	1.87 X
	Market DY	3.68%	4.07%

Foreign sellers continued to be net sellers in the market as net foreign selling for the month stood at LKR 2.78 Billion, increasing the total net foreign selling for the year to LKR 48.4 Billion.

Colombo Stock Exchange	Jan - Nov 2020	Jan - Nov 2019
Foreign Inflows	LKR 50.82 Billion	LKR 54.41 Billion
Foreign Outflows	LKR 99.22 Billion	LKR 65.15 Billion
Net Foreign Inflows/(Outflows)	(LKR 48.40 Billion)	(LKR 10.74 Billion)



### FIXED INCOME OUTLOOK

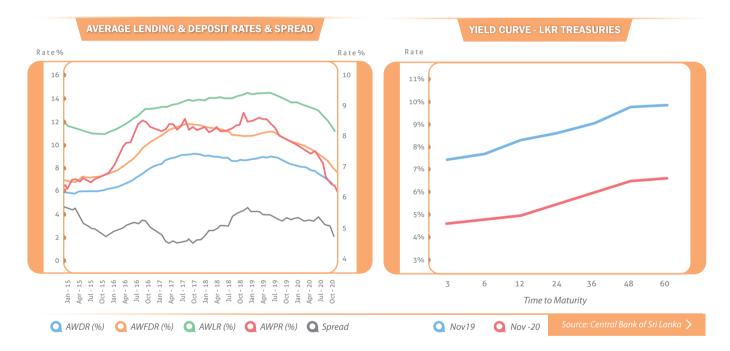
### Interest Rates in Sri Lanka

The Central Bank maintained the Standing Lending Facility Rate (the rate CBSL lends to commercial banks) and the Standing Deposit Facility Rate (the rate which commercial banks place their excess cash with CBSL) at 5.50% and 4.50% respectively at the monetary policy meeting held in November.

	Nov 19	Dec 19	0ct 20	Nov 20
364 Day T-bill	8.29%	8.45%	4.96%	5.00%
5-Year Bond	9.84%	9.94%	6.37%	6.59%
1-Year Finance Company Fixed Deposit Ceiling Rate	11.63%	11.63%	6.88%	6.88%

<sup>\*</sup> Gross Rates provided. Net returns would change based on prevailing tax regulations.

Source: Central Bank of Sri Lanka 🔰



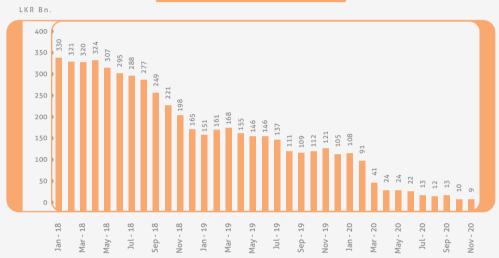
AWDR: Average Weighted Deposit Rate | AWFDR: Average Weighted Fixed Deposit Rate | AWLR: Average Weighted Lending Rate | AWPR Average Weighted Prime Lending rate

Treasury Bill rates edged up in November, with the benchmark 364-day T-Bill rate increasing to 5.00% and the 91-day and 182-day T-Bills rising to 4.64% and 4.76% respectively.

Broad money (M2b) growth picked up to 20.9% year-on-year in October, from the previous month's 19.2% whilst credit extended to the private sector spiked to 6.4% year-on-year from 5.8% in September 2020. Monthly private sector credit disbursements continued to recover rising by LKR 58.9 bn. or 1.0% during October.

Outstanding LKR Govt. Securities LKR 6,859 Billion			
T Bills (Total)	T Bonds (Total)		
LKR 1,446 Billion	LKR 5,413 Billion		
Domestic (Bills & Bonds)	Foreign (Bills & bonds)		
LKR 6,850 Billion	LKR 9 Billion		
Total Foreign Holding of Bills and Bonds: 0.13%			

# FOREIGN HOLDING OF LKR G-SEC



Source: Central Bank of Sri Lanka

Foreign holding of LKR denominated bills and bonds continued its declining trend, falling by LKR 1.72 bn to stand at a low of 0.13% of outstanding Government Securities in November whilst net selling by foreigners for the year so far stood at LKR 96.08 bn.

1 Year FD Rates - Sri Lankan Banks				
	Nov 2020	Oct 2020		
NSB	5.25%	5.50%		
COMB	5.00%	5.00%		
SAMP	5.00%	5.50%		
HNB	5.00%	5.50%		
NDB	5.50%	5.50%		

Rates on Credit Cards	Nov 20
HSBC	18.00%*
SCB	18.00%*
Sampath	18.00%*
NDB	18.00%*
AMEX	18.00%*

Source: Respective Commercial Banks `



NSB, Sampath and HNB reduced their fixed deposit rates during the month of November.

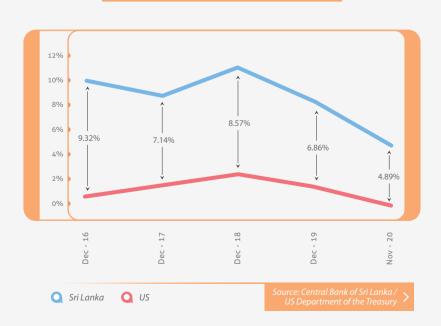
NDIB CRISIL Fixed Income Indices Total return as at 30/11/2020	3 Month Return	1 Year Return	3 Year Return
NDBIB-CRISIL 91 Day T-Bill Index	1.13%	6.89%	8.12%
NDBIB-CRISIL 364 Day T-Bill Index	1.08%	9.74%	9.64%
NDBIB-CRISIL 3 Year T-Bond Index-TRI	0.83%	16.57%	13.47%
NDBIB-CRISIL 5 Year T-Bond Index-TRI	0.77%	21.10%	14.96%

Source: www.crisil.com

Central Bank Policy Rates	2017	2018	2019	Latest
Sri Lanka	7.25%	8.00%	7.00%	4.50%
US	1.25% - 1.50%	2.25% - 2.50%	1.50% - 1.75%	0.00% - 0.25%
Euro Zone	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%
Australia	1.50%	1.50%	0.75%	0.10%
India	6.00%	6.50%	5.15%	4.00%

Source: www.cbrates.com >

### 1 YEAR TREASURY RATE - USD Vs. LKR & SPREAD



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The US Federal Reserve held its benchmark interest rates steady in November. Economic activity remains well below levels pre-pandemic levels and has been further exacerbated by a widespread resurgence in new COVID-19 infections and business restrictions, reinforcing expectations for a sharp slowdown in economic growth in the fourth quarter.

364 Day Treasury Bill Rate	Nov 19	Dec 19	Oct 20	Nov 20
Sri Lanka	8.29%	8.45%	4.96%	5.00%
India	5.14%	5.29%	3.44%	3.39%
US	1.60%	1.59%	0.13%	0.11%
Euro Zone	-0.63%	-0.66%	-0.75%	-0.72%

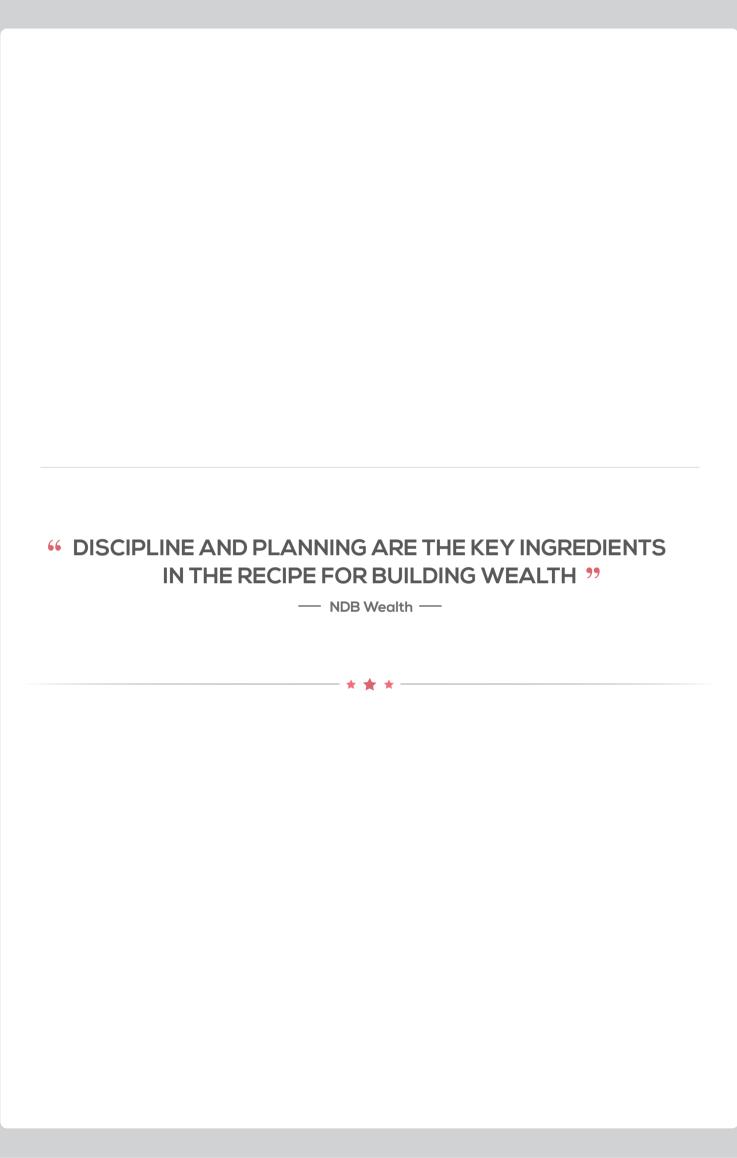
Source: Respective Central Ranks

	Rates on Savings Accounts Nov 2020
Sri Lanka	3.50%
US	0.01%
Euro Zone	0.11%
Australia	0.45%
India	3.00%

Source: Respective Commercial Banks



Eurozone GDP grew 12.7% in the third quarter, as relaxed COVID-19 restrictions helped the economy recover from the slump in the previous quarter. The European Central Bank (ECB) however, warned that the region's economic recovery was losing momentum faster than expected, and that the latest pandemic related lockdowns would dampen output in the fourth quarter.



### **INFLATION RATES**

Country	Nov 19	Dec 19	0ct 20	Nov 20
Sri Lanka	4.36%	4.83%	3.97%	3.96%
US	2.05%	2.29%	1.18%	1.18%*
Euro Zone	0.96%	1.33%	-0.27%	-0.27%*
India	5.54%	7.35%	7.61%	7.61%*

\*Oct 2020

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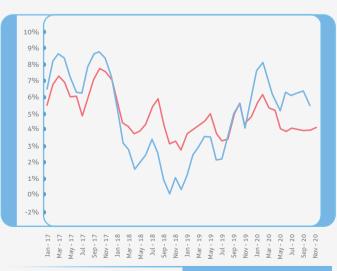
During the month, the index was up 0.4% due to food prices increasing by 1.2% and non-food prices rising 0.2%. Within the food category, prices of mainly big onion, red onions and potatoes increased. On an annual average basis inflation remained unchanged at 4.6% in November.

Core inflation, which excludes the more volatile aspects of price movements (food, energy and transport) remained flat at 3.00% year-on-year whilst slowing to 3.2% on an annual average basis in November.

We believe the Central Bank will be able to manage inflation at mid-single digit levels in the short term.

On the global front, U.S. inflation slowed to 1.18% whilst Euro zone inflation contracted by 0.27% year-on-year in October.

### INFLATION - POINT TO POINT CHANGE - CCPI VS. NCPI



Q CCPI

○ NCPI

### **GLOBAL INFLATION RATES**



Sri Lanka

O US



Euro zone



### **FOREX OUTLOOK**

Exchange Rates Vs. LKR	Nov 19	Dec 19	Nov 20	1 Year App/(Dep) LKR	YTD App/(Dep) LKR
USD	180.43	181.63	184.96	-2.45%	-1.80%
GBP	232.93	238.46	246.71	-5.59%	-3.34%
EURO	198.69	203.67	221.42	-10.26%	-8.02%
YEN	1.65	1.67	1.78	-7.46%	-6.12%
AUD	122.09	127.25	136.78	-10.74%	-6.96%
CAD	135.81	139.21	142.42	-4.64%	-2.26%
INR	2.52	2.55	2.50	0.87%	1.80%
BHD	478.57	481.78	490.58	-2.45%	-1.79%
CNY	25.66	26.01	28.09	-8.66%	-7.41%

Source: Central Bank of Sri Lanka

The Sri Lankan Rupee depreciated against the USD falling by 0.37% in November to close the month at LKR 184.96 and remains a net loser on a year-to-date basis at 1.80%. The Rupee lost a considerable 2.94% against the Pound Sterling and 2.15% against the Euro during the month.

The US dollar fell to its lowest level in nearly three months as confidence in the global market improved following Joe Biden's victory as U.S. president and the possibility of a Covid-19 vaccine in the horizon.

The Pound Sterling fell sharply against most of its peers as the UK and EU faced significant hurdles in reaching a Brexit deal.

Most emerging Asian currencies gained against the U.S. Dollar with vaccine hopes raising investor optimism coupled with a weak U.S. dollar in the backdrop of a lackluster U.S. economic outlook.

### **USD PER 1 EURO MOVEMENT**



### **COMMODITY OUTLOOK**

	Past month Performance (1st Nov - 30th Nov 2020)	Past 12 months Performance (Nov 2019 - Nov 2020)	Year to Date Performance (1st Jan - 30th Nov 2020)
Bloomberg Commodity Index	3.15%	-3.57%	-8.07%
Gold	-1.79%	26.89%	26.18%
Теа	-1.03%	8.90%	8.22%
Oil (Brent)	6.82%	-31.10%	-34.35%

Source: www.worldbank.com, Bloomberg and NDB Wealth Research

The Bloomberg Commodity Index continued to yield positive returns in November 2020 as it gained 3.51% during the month.

Copper, iron ore and aluminum futures are around multi-year highs and the Bloomberg Commodity Spot Index is close to its strongest since 2014 after rising from pandemic lows.

The impending deployment of COVID - 19 vaccines together with the impact of stimulus are driving expectations of a recovery, setting up the platform for commodities to perform well in 2021.

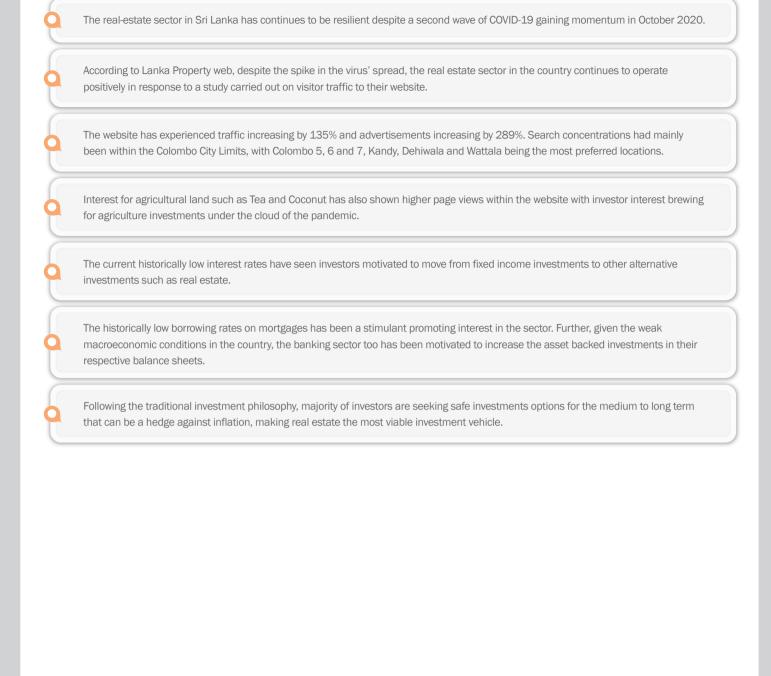
Prices of precious metals such as Gold declined, as risk-on sentiment dominated markets. Investors were eager to realize gains out of gold positions in a search of yield.

Oil prices gained 6.82% in November 2020, boosted by hopes that three promising coronavirus vaccines in the pipeline may curb the rapid spread of the disease and in doing so support fuel demand.

However, high inventories in the U.S. leading to higher supply output versus production cuts by OPEC+ and recovery in demand for crude oil in the backdrop of a coronavirus vaccine will have a major bearing on global oil prices in the medium term.



### PROPERTY OUTLOOK



### ISLAMIC FINANCE INDUSTRY

**Islamic Financing** is finance activity that is consistent with principles of Islamic law (Shari'ah) which prohibits the payment or acceptance of interest.

**NDB WM** provides our client's discretionary management services on a shari'ah compliant basis for portfolio values above Rs. 100.0 million.

The Islamic Money Plus Fund is a unit trust fund offered by NDB Wealth Management and approved by the Securities Exchange Commission of Sri Lanka, investing in a diversified portfolio of Shari'ah compliant short term securities issued by corporates and in Mudharabah deposits and savings accounts. The fund provides reasonable liquidity and tax free income to its investors and would be an ideal substitute for direct investments in Mudharabah savings accounts and deposits. (Trustee: Hatton National Bank PLC)

### Mudharabah Deposit Rates of Selected Service Providers

	Savings		3 month		1 Year+		3 Year+		5 Year+
Amana Bank - As	of Novembe	r 2020							
Profit Sharing Ratio*	30:70	-	60:40	65:35	75:25	80:20	85:15	-	90:10
Distributed Profit	2.34%	-	4.30%	4.69%	5.30%	6.25%	6.64%	-	7.03%
Bank of Ceylon Is	lamic Busin	ess Unit - /	As of Nover	mber 2020					
Profit Sharing Ratio*	45:55	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Distributed Profit	1.17%	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Commercial Bank	of Ceylon P	LC-Al Adala	ah Islamic	Banking u	nit - As of N	ovember 2	2020		
Profit Sharing Ratio*	45:55	-	55:45	65:35	75:25	-	-	-	-
Distributed Profit	1.89%	-	2.31%	2.74%	3.18%	-	-	-	-
<b>Hatton National B</b>	ank PLC-"Hi	nb Al- Najal	n" Islamic E	Banking un	it - As of S	eptember 2	2020		
Profit Sharing Ratio*	30:70	-	55:45	60:40	70:30	-	-	-	-
Distributed Profit	2.50%	-	4.25%	4.50%	5.50%	-	-	-	-
National Developm	nent Bank P	LC-"Share	ek" Islamic	Banking u	init - As of	November	2020		
Profit Sharing Ratio* 3Mn - 50Mn)	40:60	60:40	65:35	40:60	65:35	-	-	-	-
Distributed Profit	4.15%	4.20%	4.25%	4.75%	5.60%	-	-	-	-
Citizen Developme	ent Busines	s Finance	PLC- Islami	c Banking	unit - As of	August 20	019		
Profit Sharing Ratio*	32:68	52:48	52:48	52:48	55:45	62:38	62:38	-	-
Distributed Profit	6.43%	8.23%	8.64%	9.24%	11.05%	11.65%	12.25%	-	-
<b>Commercial Leasi</b>	ng & Financ	e PLC- Isla	mic Financ	ce - As of I	November 2	2020			
Profit Sharing Ratio*	30:70	50:50	53:47	55:45	55:45	59:41	60:40	64:36	65:35
Distributed Profit	4.45%	4.88%	5.13%	5.38%	6.88%	7.54%	7.70%	8.01%	8.31%
LB Al Salamah (LE	B Finance Pl	.C - Islamic	Business	Unit) - As o	f October 2	2020			
Profit Sharing Ratio*	25:75	31:69	34:66	36:64	38:62	-	-	-	-
Distributed Profit	3.64%	4.52%	4.96%	5.25%	5.54%	-	-	-	-
LOLC Al-Falaah (La	anka Orix Fi	nance PLC	- Islamic B	usiness Ur	nit) - As of N	November 2	2020		
Profit Sharing Ratio*	30:70	60:40	62:38	66:34	66:34	67:33	69:31	70:30	74:26
Distributed Profit	4.11%	4.88%	5.13%	5.38%	6.88.%	7.84%	8.31%	9.59%	9.87%
Peoples Leasing Is	slamic Busii	ness Unit -	As of Nove	mber <b>202</b> 0	)				
Profit Sharing Ratio*	45:55	-	60:40	65:35	75:25	-	-	-	-
Distributed Profit	3.45%	_	4.60%	4.99%	5.75%	_	_	_	_

\* Profit sharing ratio provides profit ratio for Customer: Financial Institution; \* Profits distributed at Maturity

The white list of shari'ah compliant stocks provides investors a means of ethical investing. The Core business is screened to ensure that corporate dealing in conventional banking, conventional insurance, alcoholic drinks, tobacco, pork production, arms manufacturing, pornography or related activities are excluded. Companies are also screened in terms of levels of debt, illiquid assets and non compliant investments.

### WHITE LIST AS OF ILLLY 2019

Beverages and Food	Singer Industries (Ceylon) Plc
Bairaha Farms PLC	Teejay Lanka PLC
Dilmah Ceylon Tea Company PLC	Power & Energy
Kotmale Holdings PLC	Lanka IOC PLC
Nestle Lanka PLC	Lotus Hydro Power PLC
Renuka Agri Foods PLC	Vallibel Power Erathna PLC
Tea Smallholder Factories PLC	Vidullanka PLC
Chemicals and Pharmaceuticals	Services
Union Chemicals Lanka Plc	Lake House Printing & Publishers PLC
Diversified Holdings	Stores & Supplies
Hemas Holdings PLC	Gestetner of Ceylon PLC
Healthcare	Hunter & Company PLC
Asiri Surgical Hospitals PLC	Trading
Manufacturing	Office Equipment PLC
ACL Plastics PLC	Motors
Bogala Graphite Lanka PLC	Autodrome PLC
Ceylon Grain Elevators PLC	Plantations
Chevron Lubricants Lanka PLC	Aitken Spence Plantation Managements PLC
Lanka Ceramic PLC	Elpitiya Plantations PLC
Richard Pieris Exports PLC	Hatton Plantations PLC
Sierra Cables PLC	Namunukula Plantation PLC

Source: www.icp.lk ( I Capital Partners - former Amana Capital Limited) 🕽

NOTE 1: The White List has taken to consideration based on the December 2018 company financials

NOTE 2: Removals – Amana Takaful PLC, Amana Takaful Life PLC, Amana Bank PLC, Harischandra Mills PLC, Raigam Wayamba Salterns PLC, Renuka Foods PLC, Three Acre Farms PLC, Chemanex PLC, Haycarb PLC, Industrial Asphalts (Ceylon) PLC, J.L. Morison Son & Jones (Ceylon) PLC, Access Engineering PLC, Lankem Developments PLC, Expolanka Holdings PLC, Sunshine Holdings PLC, Ceylon Leather Products PLC, Hayleys Fabric PLC, Odel PLC, Ceylon Hospitals PLC (Durdans), Singhe Hospitals PLC, Ascot Holdings PLC, Lanka Century Investments PLC, Renuka Holdings PLC, Colombo Land & Development Company PLC, Serendib Engineering Group PLC, Abans Electricals PLC, ACL Cables PLC, Agstar Fertilizers PLC, Alurfab PLC, Alurfab PLC, B P P L Holdings PLC, Central Industries PLC, Dankotuwa Porcelain PLC, Dipped Products PLC, Kelani Cables PLC, Lanka Aluminium Industries PLC, Lanka Tiles PLC, Lanka Walltiles PLC, Laxapana Batteries PLC, Piramal Glass Ceylon PLC, Printcare (Ceylon) PLC, Regnis(Lanka) PLC,Royal Ceramic Lanka PLC, Samson International, Swadeshi Industrial Works PLC, Swisstek Ceylon PLC, Tokyo Cement (Company) PLC, C M Holdings PLC, Diesel & Motor Engineering PLC, Sathosa Motors PLC, United Motors Lanka PLC, Balangoda Plantations PLC, Bogawantalawa Tea Estates PLC,Horana Plantations PLC, Kahawatte Plantation PLC, Kelani Valley Plantations PLC, Madulsima Plantations PLC, Malwatte Valley Plantations PLC, Hapugastanne Plantations PLC, Panasian Power PLC, Paragon Ceylon PLC, Dialog Axiata PLC, Sri Lanka Telecom PLC, C. W. Mackie PLC, Eastern Merchants PLC

NOTE 3: Additions – Kotmale Holdings PLC, Hemas Holdings PLC, Hatton Plantations PLC

## **UNIT TRUST FUNDS** OFFERED BY NDB WM

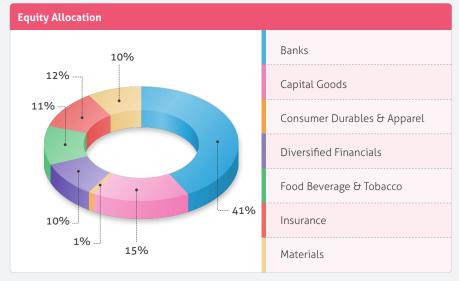
- NDB Wealth Growth Fund
- NDB Wealth Growth & Income Fund
   NDB Wealth Money Plus Fund
- NDB Wealth Income Fund
- NDB Wealth Income Plus Fund
- NDB Wealth Money Fund
- NDB Wealth Islamic Money Plus Fund
- NDB Wealth Gilt Edged Fund



### NDB Wealth Growth Fund

Type: Open Ended Investments: Listed Equities
Currency: LKR ISIN: LKNWGRU00005

NDB Wealth Growth Fund is an open-ended equity fund incorporated in Sri Lanka, invested in listed shares of the Colombo Stock Exchange. The Fund aims to achieve capital growth on a medium to long term basis by investing in a diversified portfolio of stocks of stable companies with a proven track record.



Historical Returns				
Period	Fund Returns *	ASPI Returns		
Last Month	-3.45%	-4.32%		
Last 3 months	8.98%	11.75%		
Last 6 months	20.60%	25.26%		
Last 12 months	-12.35%	-4.40%		
Year 2019	-0.59%	1.27%		
Year 2018	-6.79%	-4.98%		
★ After fees, excluding front end and back end loads				

Fund Snapshot	31-Oct-20
YTD Yield	-12.85%
NAV per unit	8.84
AUM (LKR Mn.)	177.67
Fund Currency	LKR
Fund Inception	1-Dec-97
Expense Ratio	2.32%
Max Equity Allocation	97.00%
Current Equity Allocation	93.27%
Fund Leverage	0.00%

Top 5 Portfolio Holdings	(In Alphabetical Order)		
ACCESS ENG LTD			
COMMERCIAL BANK OF CEYLON PLC			
DISTILLERIES COMPANY OF SRI LANKA PLC			
HATTON NATIONAL BANK PLC			
PEOPLES INSURANCE LTD			

Fixed Income Allocation			
Minimum Fixed Income Allocation		3.00%	
Current Fixed Income Allocation		6.73%	
Average Duration		0.0027	
Maturity % F		lolding	
Under 1 Month 100.00%		0.00%	

Other Features	
Valuation	Daily Valuation Instruments less than one year - cost plus accrued basis. Instruments greater than one year - n/a.
Investment/Withdrawal	Any Time A notice period of 07 working days may be required prior to large redemptions. However, the time period can be discussed with potential investors prior to the investment.
Exposure Restrictions	Maximum exposure restrictions to listed equity 15% of NAV; maximum exposure restrictions on fixed income investments depend on the features of each security, (Ex: Rated, Guaranteed, etc.), and are regulated by the Trustee and the SEC.
Fee Details	Management Fee : 2.25% p.a. of NAV. Trustee fee : 0.10 - 0.19% p.a. of NAV. Custodian fee : 0.05% p.a.of NAV, depending on fund size Front-end fee : 2% / Exit fee : 1% if less than 1 year ; 0 if greater than 1 year.
Fund Manager	NDB Wealth Management Ltd.
Trustee & Custodian	Bank of Ceylon

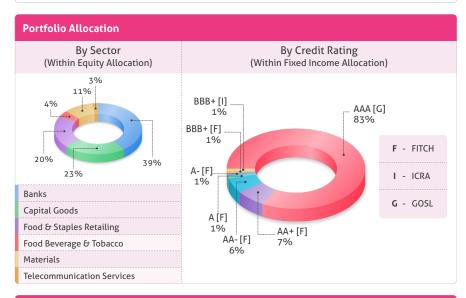
### Disclaimer

### NDB Wealth Growth and Income Fund

Type: Open Ended Investments: Listed Equities and Corporate Debt

Currency: LKR ISIN: LKNWGIU00004

NDB Wealth Growth and Income Fund is an open-ended balanced fund incorporated in Sri Lanka, invested in a combination of listed shares in the Colombo Stock Exchange and LKR based corporate debt instruments and government securities. The Fund aims to achieve income on a medium to long term basis by investing in a diversified portfolio of stocks of stable companies with a proven track record.



Fund Snapshot	31-0ct-20
YTD Yield	5.41%
NAV per unit	41.35
AUM (LKR Mn.)	2,406.92
Fund Currency	LKR
Fund Inception	1-Dec-97
Expense Ratio	1.72%
Max Equity Allocation	97.00%
Current Equity Allocation	29.80%
Fund Leverage	0.00%

Top 5 Portfolio Holdings	(In Alphabetical Order)	
CARGILLS (CEYLON) PLC		
COMMERCIAL BANK OF CE	YLON PLC	
HATTON NATIONAL BANK P	LC	
JOHN KEELLS HOLDINGS PLC		
SAMPATH BANK PLC		

Historical Returns				
Period	Fund Returns*	ASPI Returns		
Year to Date	5.41%	-6.57%		
Last month	0.16%	-4.32%		
Last 3 months	3.07%	11.75%		
Last 6 months	6.99%	25.26%		
Last 12 months	5.36%	-4.40%		
Year 2019	11.09%	1.27%		
Year 2018	7.47%	-4.98%		
★ After fees, excluding front end and back end loads.				

Fixed Income Allocation		
Minimum Fixed Income Allocation		3.00%
Current Fixed Income Allocation		70.20%
Average Duration 0.07		0.07
Maturity % Holding		lolding
Under 3 Months	er 3 Months 91.43%	
3 Months - 6 Months	4.46%	
6 Months - 1 Year	3.46%	
1 Year - 5 Years	ar - 5 Years 0.65%	

Other Features	
Valuation	Daily Valuation Instruments less than one year - cost plus accrued basis, Instruments greater than one year - marked to market.
Investment/Withdrawal	Any Time A notice period of 07 working days may be required prior to large redemptions. However, the time period can be discussed with potential investors prior to the investment.
Exposure Restrictions	Maximum exposure restrictions to listed equity 15% of NAV; maximum exposure restrictions on fixed income investments depend on the features of each security, (Ex: Rated, Guaranteed, etc.), and are regulated by the Trustee and the SEC.
Fee Details	Management Fee : 1.5% p.a. of NAV / Trustee fee : 0.11-0.15% p.a. of NAV, depending on fund size. Custody Fee : Rs.10,000 per Month, Front-end fee : 1.5%.
Fund Manager	NDB Wealth Management Ltd.
Trustee & Custodian	Hatton National Bank PLC

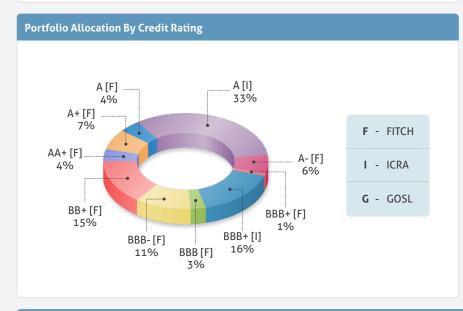
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### NDB Wealth Income Fund

Type: Open Ended Investments: Corporate Debt Instruments

Currency: LKR ISIN: LKNWINU00000

NDB Wealth Income Fund is an open-ended fixed income fund incorporated in Sri Lanka, invested in LKR based corporate debt instruments including commercial paper, securitized paper, quoted and unquoted debentures as well as Sri Lanka Treasury Bills, Bonds and government securities backed Repurchase transactions. The Fund aims to enhance returns by investing in a diversified portfolio of corporate debt securities.



Fund Snapshot	31-0ct-20
YTD Yield	11.59%
YTD Yield (Annualized)	13.87%
NAV per unit	15.6967
AUM (LKR Mn.)	377.28
Fund Currency	LKR
Fund Inception	1-Dec-97
Expense Ratio	1.39%
Average Maturity (Yrs)	1.53
Average Duration	1.14

Maturity Profile		
Maturity	% Holding	AVG YTM (Net)
Under 1 Month	4.15%	7.43%
1 Month - 3 Months	10.93%	11.40%
3 Months - 6 Months	12.60%	12.10%
6 Months - 1 Year	40.93%	11.70%
1 Year - 10 Years	31.40%	12.60%

Historical Returns			
Period	Fund Returns	Annualized Return	
Year to Date	11.59%	13.87%	
Last month	0.76%	9.00%	
Last 3 months	2.21%	8.78%	
Last 6 months	6.32%	12.54%	
Last 12 months	13.56%	13.56%	
Year 2019	12.97%	12.97%	
Year 2018	10.00%	10.00%	

Other Features	
Valuation	Daily Valuation All Instruments are marked to market.
Investment/Withdrawal	Any Time A notice period of 07 working days may be required prior to large redemptions. However, the time period can be discussed with potential investors prior to the investment.
Exposure Restrictions	Maximum exposure restrictions on investments depend on the features of each security, (Ex: Rated, Guaranteed, etc), and are regulated by the Trustee and the SEC.
Fee Details	Management Fee : 1.00% p.a. of NAV. Trustee fee : 0.10 - 0.19% p.a. of NAV, based on fund size. Custodian fee : 0.05% p.a.of NAV.
Fund Manager	NDB Wealth Management Ltd.
Trustee & Custodian	Bank of Ceylon

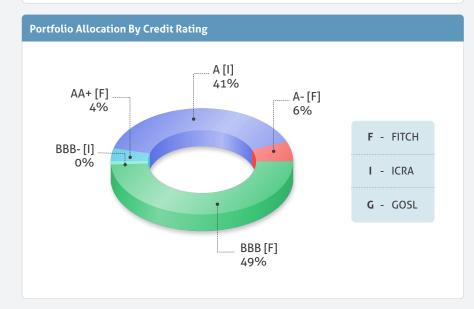
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### NDB Wealth Income Plus Fund

Type: Open Ended Investments: Fixed Income Securities

Currency: LKR ISIN: LKNWIPU00005

NDB Wealth Income Plus Fund is an open-ended fixed Income fund incorporated in Sri Lanka, invested in LKR based corporate debt instruments including commercial paper, securitized paper, quoted and unquoted debentures, bank deposits as well as Sri Lanka Treasury Bills, Bonds and government securities backed Repurchase transactions. The Fund aims to provide higher returns by investing in a portfolio of Gilt Edged and Corporate Debt securities.



Fund Snapshot	31-Oct-20
YTD Yield	10.24%
YTD Yield (Annualized)	12.26%
NAV per unit	16.6675
AUM (LKR Mn.)	52.72
Fund Currency	LKR
Fund Inception	7-Apr-16
Expense Ratio	0.76%
Average Maturity (Yrs)	0.26
Average Duration	0.25

Maturity Profile			
Maturity	% Holding	AVG YTM (Net)	
Under 1 Month	4.37%	4.55%	
1 Month - 3 Months	49.24%	12.10%	
3 Months - 6 Months	46.39%	10.50%	

Historical Returns			
Period	Fund Returns	Annualized Return	
Year to Date	10.24%	12.26%	
Last month	0.87%	10.29%	
Last 3 months	2.78%	11.01%	
Last 6 months	5.82%	11.54%	
Last 12 months	12.34%	12.34%	

Other Features	
Valuation	Daily Valuation Cost plus accrued basis
Investment/Withdrawal	Any Time A notice period of 07 working days may be required prior to large redemptions. However, the time period can be discussed with potential investors prior to the investment.
Fee Details	Management Fee : 0.50% p.a. of NAV. Trustee and Custodian fee : 0.065 - 0.1% p.a. of NAV, based on fund size. Exit fee : 2% if less than 1 year ; 0 if greater than 1 year
Fund Manager	NDB Wealth Management Ltd.
Trustee & Custodian	Bank of Ceylon

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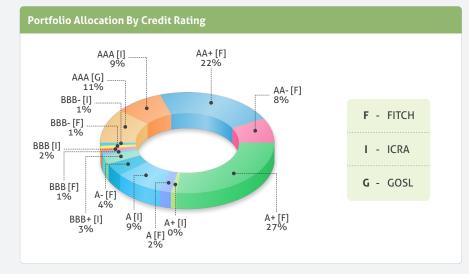
### NDB Wealth Money Plus Fund

Type: Open Ended Investments: Money Market Corporate Debt Securities

Currency: LKR ISIN: LKNWMPU00007

NDB Wealth Money Plus Fund is an open-ended money market fund incorporated in Sri Lanka, invested in short term LKR based corporate debt instruments including commercial paper, securitized paper, bank deposits as well as Sri Lanka Treasury Bills, Bonds and government securities backed Repurchase transactions.

The Fund aims to provide liquidity to investors while enhancing returns by investing in a diversified portfolio of short term corporate debt securities with maturities less than 365 days



Fund Snapshot	31-Oct-20
YTD Yield	8.28%
YTD Yield (Annualized)	9.91%
NAV per unit	23.1977
AUM (LKR Mn.)	80,605.85
Fund Currency	LKR
Fund Inception	1-Jun-12
Expense Ratio	0.81%
Average Maturity (Yrs)	0.35
Average Duration	0.34

Maturity Profile			
Maturity	% Holding	AVG YTM (Net)	
Under 1 Month	16.92%	5.64%	
1 Month - 3 Months	13.89%	8.00%	
3 Months - 6 Months	46.28%	6.80%	
6 Months - 1 Year	22.91%	9.30%	

Historical Returns		
Period	Fund Returns	Annualized Return
Year to Date	8.28%	9.91%
Last month	0.59%	6.92%
Last 3 months	1.87%	7.41%
Last 6 months	4.40%	8.72%
Last 12 months	10.14%	10.14%
Year 2019	11.73%	11.73%
Year 2018	11.53%	11.53%

Other Features	
Valuation	Daily Valuation Instruments less than one year - cost plus accrued basis, Instruments greater than one year - n/a.
Investment/Withdrawal	Any Time A notice period of 07 working days may be required prior to large redemptions. However, the time period can be discussed with potential investors prior to the investment.
Exposure Restrictions	Maximum exposure restrictions on investments depend on the features of each security, (Ex: Rated, Guaranteed, etc) and are regulated by the Trustee and the SEC.
Fee Details	Management Fee : 0.65% p.a. of NAV. Trustee fee : 0.11- 0.15% p.a. of NAV, depending on fund size. Custody Fee : Rs.10,000 per Month
Fund Manager	NDB Wealth Management Ltd.
Trustee & Custodian	Hatton National Bank PLC

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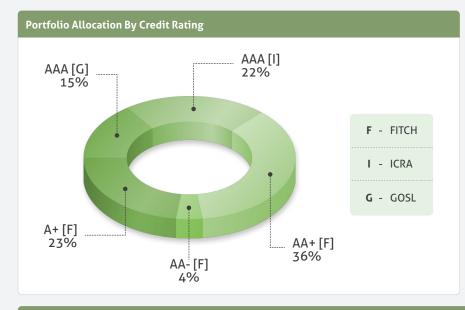
### NDB Wealth Money Fund

Type: Open Ended Investments: Short Term Bank Deposits

Currency: LKR ISIN: LKNWMNU00002

NDB Wealth Money Fund is an open-ended money market fund incorporated in Sri Lanka, invested in short-term high credit quality LKR based bank deposits.

The Fund aims to provide optimal returns with low risk and moderate liquidity to investors by investing in short-term high quality bank deposits with maturities less than 365 days with credit ratings of A- and above.



Fund Snapshot	31-Oct-20
YTD Yield	7.17%
YTD Yield (Annualized)	8.58%
NAV per unit	20.3485
AUM (LKR Mn.)	818.21
Fund Currency	LKR
Fund Inception	1-Jun-12
Expense Ratio	0.82%
Average Maturity (Yrs)	0.32
Average Duration	0.31

Maturity Profile		
Maturity	% Holding	AVG YTM (Net)
Under 1 Month	26.47%	6.10%
1 Month - 3 Months	13.81%	7.30%
3 Months - 6 Months	49.02%	6.70%
6 Months - 1 Year	10.70%	8.00%

Historical Returns		
Period	Fund Returns	Annualized Return
Year to Date	7.17%	8.58%
Last month	0.59%	6.90%
Last 3 months	1.85%	7.35%
Last 6 months	4.06%	8.04%
Last 12 months	8.83%	8.83%
Year 2019	10.24%	10.24%
Year 2018	8.74%	8.74%

Other Features	
Valuation	Daily Valuation Instruments less than one year - cost plus accrued basis, Instruments greater than one year - n/a.
Investment/Withdrawal	Any Time A notice period of 07 working days may be required prior to large redemptions. However, the time period can be discussed with potential investors prior to the investment.
Fee Details	Management Fee : 0.55% p.a. of NAV. Trustee fee : 0.11-0.15% p.a. of NAV, depending on fund size. Custody Fee : Rs.10,000 per Month
Fund Manager	NDB Wealth Management Ltd.
Trustee & Custodian	Hatton National Bank PLC

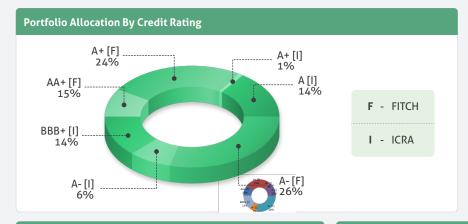
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### NDB Wealth Islamic Money Plus Fund

Type: Open Ended Investments: Short Term Shariah Compliant Investments
Currency: LKR ISIN: LKNWISU00009

NDB Wealth Islamic Money Plus Fund is an open-ended money market fund incorporated in Sri Lanka, invested exclusively in short term LKR based Shariah compliant investments including Mudharabah term deposits, Mudharabah savings deposits, Wakala investments and sukuk investments less than 366 days.

The Fund aims to provide investors with liquidity and regular income through investing in a portfolio of short term shariah compliant securities.



Fund Snapshot	31-Oct-20
YTD Yield	8.06%
YTD Yield (Annualized)	9.65%
NAV per unit	16.0606
AUM (LKR Mn.)	826.90
Fund Currency	LKR
Fund Inception	1-Jun-15
Expense Ratio	1.22%
Average Duration	0.34

Maturity Profile		
Maturity	% Holding	AVG YTM (Net)
Under 1 Month	17.85%	4.94%
1 Month - 3 Months	33.61%	9.00%
3 Months - 6 Months	14.22%	7.70%
6 Months - 1 Year	34.32%	9.30%

Target Asset Allocation		
Investment Type	Asset Allocation	
Shariah compliant money market investments up to 366 days	Max 90%	
Shariah compliant money market investments less than 15 days	Min 10%	

Shariah Supervisory Board		
Shafique Jakhura	Mufti	
Muhammed Huzaifah	Maulana	

Approved Investments		
	Investment Type	
Shariah compliant money market investments up to 366 days	Mudharabah term deposits and Wakala Investments in Commercial Banks / Specialised Banks / Finance Companies or any other authorized deposit taking Institution Sukuk / Wakala / Mudharabah securities issued by corporate entities subject to Shariah council approval.	
Shariah compliant money market investments less than 15 days	Mudharabah savings deposits	

Historical Returns		
Period	Fund Returns	Annualized Return
Year to Date	8.06%	9.65%
Last month	0.62%	7.36%
Last 3 months	1.99%	7.91%
Last 6 months	4.36%	8.64%
Last 12 months	9.77%	9.77%

Other Features		
Valuation	Daily Valuation Instruments less than one year - cost plus accrued basis, Instruments greater than one year - n/a.	
Investment/Withdrawal	Any Time A notice period of 07 working days may be required prior to large redemptions. However, the time period can be discussed with potential investors prior to the investment.	
Fee Details	Management Fee : 0.80% p.a. of NAV. Trustee fee : 0.11% - 0.15% p.a. of NAV, based on the fund size Custody Fee : Rs.10,000 per Month.	
Fund Manager	NDB Wealth Management Ltd.	
Trustee & Custodian	Hatton National Bank PLC	

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### NDB Wealth Gilt Edged Fund

Type: Open Ended Investments: Government of Sri Lanka Securities

Currency: LKR ISIN: LKNWGEU00003

NDB Wealth Gilt Edged Fund is an open-ended unit trust fund incorporated in Sri Lanka, invested in Government of Sri Lanka Treasury Bills, Bonds and government securities backed Repurchase transactions. The Fund aims to maximize returns from investments by investing the fund exclusively in government securities and government guaranteed securities.



Fund Snapshot	31-Oct-20
YTD Yield	9.66%
YTD Yield (Annualized)	11.57%
NAV per unit	18.5695
AUM (LKR Mn.)	65.37
Fund Currency	LKR
Fund Inception	1-Dec-97
Expense Ratio	1.56%
Average Maturity (Yrs)	0.05
Average Duration	0.05

Maturity Profile				
Maturity	% Holding	AVG YTM (Net)		
Under 1 Month	100%	4.90%		

Historical Returns		
Period	Fund Returns	Annualized Return
Year to Date	9.66%	11.57%
Last month	0.29%	3.36%
Last 3 months	5.90%	23.39%
Last 6 months	7.32%	14.53%
Last 12 months	10.81%	10.81%
Year 2019	19.12%	19.12%
Year 2018	11.45%	11.45%

Other Features	
Valuation	Daily Valuation All Instruments are marked to market.
Investment/Withdrawal	Any Time A notice period of 07 working days may be required prior to large redemptions. However, the time period can be discussed with potential investors prior to the investment.
Fee Details	Management Fee : 0.65% p.a. of NAV Trustee fee : 0.10-0.19% p.a. of NAV, depending on fund size Custodian fee : 0.05% p.a.of NAV.
Fund Manager	NDB Wealth Management Ltd.
Trustee & Custodian	Bank of Ceylon

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