

## NIT ISLAMIC EQUITY FUND

### FUND MANAGER REPORT - October 2016

#### NIT-IEF Objective

The objective of the Fund is to provide investors with long term capital growth from an actively managed portfolio of Shariah Compliant listed equities.

#### Profile of Investment Managers

National Investment Trust Ltd. (NITL) is the first and the largest Asset Management Company of Pakistan, formed in 1962. With the recent launch of 1 new Funds namely NIT Islamic Income Fund the size of total Funds under management by NITL is approximately Rs. 99 billion as of October 31, 2016. The family of Funds of NIT comprises of 10 funds including 4 equity Funds 2 fixed income nature Funds, 1 Islamic Income Fund, 1 Money Market Fund, 1 conventional Pension Fund and 1 Islamic Pension Fund. NIT's tally of nationwide branches is 23, no other Mutual Fund in Pakistan has such a vast network of nationwide branches. Further to cater to the matters relating to investments in NIT and day to day inquiries/issues of its unit holders, a state of the art Investors' Facilitation Centre is also in place. The Board of Directors of NITL consists of representatives of leading financial institutions, prominent industrialists and nominee of Govt. of Pakistan. The Company has been assigned an Asset Manager rating of "AM2+" by PACRA, which reflects the company's very strong capacity to manage the risks inherent in the asset management business and the asset manager meets very high investment management industry standards and benchmarks. All investment decisions are taken by the Investment Committee of NITL.

#### Fund's Information

Fund Type	Open-End	Trustee	Central Depository Company
Category	Islamic Equity	Auditors	KPMG Taseer Hadi & Co.
Launch Date	18th May 2015	Pricing Mechanism	Forward Pricing
Management Fee	2.00%	Dealing Days*	Daily (Monday to Friday)
Front End Load	0%-3%	Valuation Days*	Daily (Monday to Friday)
Back End Load	0.00%	AMC Rating	AM2+ (PACRA)
Benchmark	KMI-30	Risk Profile	Moderate / High
Par Value	PKR 10.00	Fund Manager	Wasim Akram
Minimum Investment	PKR 5,000	Cut-off timing**	9.00 AM to 3.30 PM (Mon to Fri)

\*except public holiday \*\*Ramzan Timing 8.00 AM to 2.00 PM (Mon to Thur), 8.00 AM to 12.30 Noon (Fri)

#### Fund Commentary & Performance Review

The benchmark KMI-30 declined by 3.36% during the month of October, 2016 as volatility persisted on account of political turmoil. Investors opted a cautious approach as the opposition party PTI called for a lockdown of the capital Islamabad in order to force the government to order a probe into the Panama leak scandal. Consequently, volumes traded dropped down to average at 449 million shares for the month, down 20% on a MoM basis. However, downside to the market remained limited mainly on account of positive developments including S&P increasing Pakistan's sovereign rating from 'B-' to 'B' with stable outlook. Announcement regarding Shanghai Electric's acquisition of K-Electric coupled with a successful issue of Sukuk in the international market improved investor sentiment. Foreigners remained net buyers in the market during the month to the tune of USD 2 million.

NIT IEF posted a return of -2.80% for the month of October, 2016 as against a benchmark return of -3.36% showing an outperformance of 0.56%.

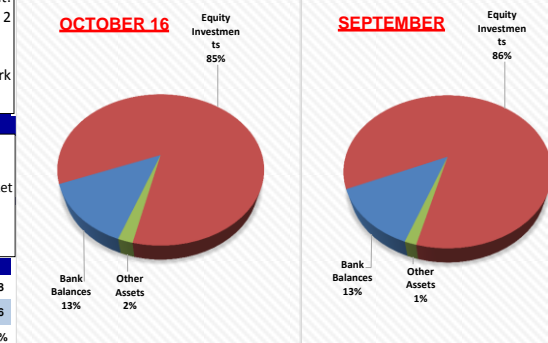
#### Future Outlook

Escalation of tensions along the border with India will have a negative bearing on the stock market going forward.

#### Fund Returns

	NIT-IEF	KMI-30
Oct-16	-2.80%	-3.36%
Since Inception	7.60%	22.61%
YTD	3.16%	0.73%
5 yrs	N/A	N/A
Leverage	Nil	

#### Fund's Asset Allocation



#### Technical Information 31-10-2016

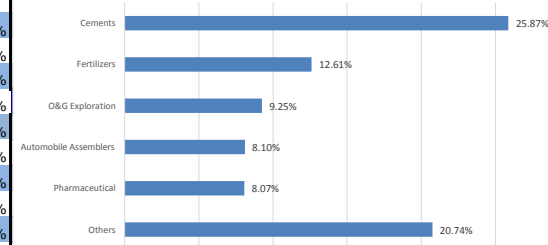
Net Assets NIT-IEF (PKR Million)	4,658
Nav per Unit NIT-IEF (PKR)	10.76
Total Expense Ratio (Incl. Govt Levy)	2.64%
Total Expense Ratio (Excl. Govt Levy)	2.27%

#### Top Ten Holdings

(As % of Total Assets)

Lucky Cement	11.43%
DG Khan Cement	9.15%
HUB Power Company Limited	6.00%
Pakistan State Oil	4.26%
Indus Motors Limited	4.06%
Engro Fertilizer	3.90%
The Searle Company Limited	3.78%
Fauji Fertilizer Company Limited	3.66%
Oil and Gas Development Company Limited	3.66%
Engro Corporation Limited	3.16%

#### Sector Allocation (As % of Total Assets)



#### WWF Disclosure:

The Scheme has maintained provisions against Workers' Welfare Fund's liability to the tune of **Rs. 134,000**, if the same were not made the NAV per unit/ year to date return of the Scheme would be higher by **Rs. 0.00 / 0.00%**. For details investors are advised to read the latest Financial Statement of the Scheme.

#### Compliance with Circular # 16 of 2010 / Non-compliant Investments

N/A

#### Members of the Investment Committee

Shahid Ghaffar - Managing Director	Manzoor Ahmed - Chief Operating Officer	S. Zubair Ahmed - Controller of Branches	Amir Amin - Head of Finance
Shahid Anwer - Head of MD's Sectt. & Personnel	M. Imran Rafiq, CFA - Head of Research	Raza Abbas Jaffery - Head of Trading	
Ammar Habib - Manager / Incharge Risk Mngm	Aqib Hussain - Incharge Compliance	Wasim Akram - Fund Manager	

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Note: Performance data does not include the cost incurred directly by an investor in the form of sales load etc.  
Note: All the figures given in the report are being under Full Year Audit review.