



## NIT ISLAMIC INCOME FUND

# FUND MANAGER REPORT - February 2018

Fund's	Basic Informations				
Fund Type	Open-End				
Category	Shariah Compliant (Islamic) Income				
Launch Date	4th July 2016				
Listing	Applied for listing				
Stability Rating	AA- (f) (PACRA) 12-July-17				
Management Fee	7.5% of Gross Earnings, subject to a minimum fee of 0.25% p.a. and maximum fee of 1% p.a. of Average Annual Net Assets.				
Front End Load	Nil				
Back End Load	Nil				
Cutt-off timing	3:30 PM				
Par Value	PKR 10.00				
Min Subscription	Growth Unit PKR 1,000 Income Unit PKR 100,000				
Trustee	Central Depositary Co. (CDC)				
Auditors	KPMG Taseer Hadi				
Registrar	National Investment Trust Ltd.				
Pricing Mechanism	Forward Day Pricing				
Valuation Days	Daily (Monday to Friday) except public holiday				
Redemption Days	Daily (Monday to Friday) except public holiday				
Subscription Days	Each valuation day				
AMC Rating	AM2++ (PACRA) 08-Dec-17				
Risk Profile	Medium				
Benchmark	6-Mth avg. deposit rates of three A rated Islamic Bank or Islamic windows of Conventional Banks as selected by MIJFAP				
Fund Manager	Shoaib Ahmad Khan				

The objective of the NIT Islamic Income Fund is to generate a stable Shariah compliant income stream, while seeking maximum possible preservation of capital, over the medium to long-term period, by investing in a diversified portfolio of Shariah Compliant fixed income and money market instruments.

#### **Profile of Investment Managers**

Objective of the fund

National Investment Trust Ltd. (NITL) is the first and the largest Asset Management Company of Pakistan, formed in 1962. With approximately Rs. 102 billion assets under management as on 28 February 2018, the family of Funds of NIT comprises of ten funds including 4 equity funds, 2 fixed income funds, 1 money market fund, 1 islamic income fund, 1 conventional pension fund and 1 islamic pension fund. NIT's tally of nationwide branches is 23 and sales desk is also available in financial hub at Abbotabad, yet another or nationwide branches is 23 and sales desk is also available in Imancial nub at Abbotabad, yet another milestone as no Asset Management Company in Pakistan has such a big network of branches. Further to cater to the matters relating to investments in NITL managed Funds and day to day inquiries/issues of their 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 a nominee of Govt. of Pakistan. The Company has been assigned an Asset Manager rating of "AM2++" by PACRA, which reflects the company's high investment management industry standards and benchmarks with noted strengths in several of the rating factors. All Investment decisions are taken by the Investment Committee of the respective fund.

#### **Fund Performance Review**

The YTD return for FY18 stood at 4.25% p.a. against the benchmark return of 2.47% p.a. The Fund posted ar annualized return of 4.29% p.a for the month of February against its benchmark return of 2.50% p.a.

The Consumer Price Index (CPI) for the month of February reduced to 3.80% versus 4.40% over the previous month. The 8MFY18 average CPI inflation now stands at 3.84% compared to 3.90% during the previous fiscal

As at February 28, 2018, the Fund had an exposure of about 90.85% of total assets in cash at bank, about 8.51% in corporate sukuk and the remaining was in the form of other assets. The weighted average time to maturity of the portfolio stood at 261 days.

## Technical Information Net Assets NAV per Unit (Feb 28, 2018) 10.3097 Weighted Avg. Maturity (Days) ever Stand Total I \*This in

aging	Nil					
ard Deviation of Return	0.004					
expense Ratio *	1.08%					
cludes 0.26% representing Govt. Levy, Sindh Workers						
Fund & SECP Fee.						

### Fund's Return v/s Benchmark

	NIT-IIF	Benchmark
February-18	4.29%	2.50%
Year to Date	4.25%	2.47%
12 M Trailing	4.28%	2.51%
3 Years	-	-
Since Inception	4.60%	2.85%

Returns are calculated inclusive of dividends)

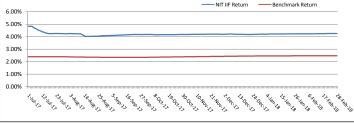
#### Asset Allocation (% of TA) ash Others 0.64% 0.74% Sukuk 8.51% 11.41%

TFC / Sukuk Holdings (% of TA) DAWOOD HERC - SUKUK II 3.97% DUBAI ISLAMIC BANK 3.37% GHANI GASES LTD. - SUKUK 3.15% FATIMA FERTILIZER - SUKUK 0.93%



# NIT IIF Year to Date Return v/s Benchmark

11.41%



re- The Scheme has maintained provisions against Sindh Workers' Welfare Fund's liability to the tune of Rs. 0.80m, If the

same were not made the NAV per unit/ current year to date return of the Scheme would be higher by Rs. 0.0111/ 0.17%.									
Performance Period	FY17	FY16	FY15	FY14	FY13				
NIT-IIF	4.61%	Launched on 4th July, 2016							
Benchmark	3.11%								

#### Members of the Investment Committee

Manzoor Ahmed, COO/Managing Director Aamir Amin, Head of Finance Ali Kamal, Head of Research Shoaib. A. Khan, SVP/ Fund Manager Ammar Habib, Incharge/Manager Risk Mgmt. Faisal Aslam, Head of Compliance

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Note: Performance data does not include the cost incurred directly by an investor in the form of sales load etc

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