# AHLI INTERNATIONAL MULTI-ASSET HOLDING FUND

## Fact Sheet - December 2023

# الصندوق الأهلي الدولي متعدد الأصول القابض **Ahli International Multi-Asset Holding Fund**

# **NAV** KWD 10.625952

#### **Fund Objective**

Aims to provide long-term capital appreciation and diversify risk globally with investments spread across asset classes and licensed funds.

Open-ended Fund type **Asset Class** Multi-Asset **Investment Universe** International **Launch Date** December 2018 **Risk Categorization** Moderate Currency **KWD Minimum Subscription KWD 500** Subscription/Redemption Monthly **Subscription Fee** 1.00% **Management Fee** 1.35%

**Fund Manager ABK Capital** 

Sub-Investment Manager BlackRock Asset Management Limited

**Custodian/Investment Controller** Gulf Custody Company Auditor Deloitte & Touche (Bader AlWazzan)

Rajesh George

Wajih Al-Boustany Talal Al-Othman Khaled Al-Duaij

Since Inception 3 Year 4 Year YTD '23 Return' Return\* 2.84% 4.05% 13.2% 24.16% 2.25%

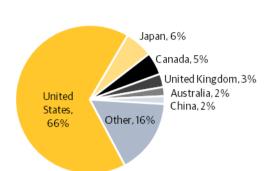
\*Annualized

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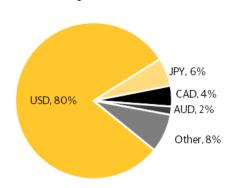
**Executive Committee** 

Top 5 Holdings	Weight	Asset Class
1) BGINAX2 BLACKROCK GIF I NA EQ IN X2U	18.61%	Equity
2) SUSA-ISHARES MSCI USA ESG SELECT ETF	10.39%	Equity
3) MBB - ISHARES MBS ETF	7.74%	Fixed Income
4) IJPA—ISHARES CORE MSCI JAPAN IMI UCITS ETF	5.33%	Equity
5) BRAWDUA—BLK SUS ADV WRLD E F—DUSDA	5.04%	Equity

## Geographical Allocation



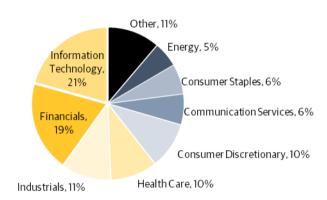
#### Currency Allocation



#### Asset Allocation



#### Sector Allocation



Monthly Performance						
JUL '23	AUG '23	SEP '23	OCT '23	NOV '23	DEC '23	
2.79%	-1.60%	-3.17%	-2.85%	6.63%	4.05%	
JAN '23	FEB '23	MAR '23	APR '23	MAY '23	JUN '23	
4.69%	-1.86%	1.97%	1.01%	-0.67%	1.98%	

Historical Performance				
2019	2020	2021	2022	
14.16%	4.61%	9.94%	-14.07%	

Historical performance returns are inclusive of dividends/bonus distributed

Profits Distributed					
2019	2021	2022	Since Inception		
Units	Units	Units	Units		
7%	5%	4%	16%		

#### **Investment Risks**

Some of the risks the Fund is exposed to:

- Capital Risk Investment value and income generated may vary from the initial investment amount.
- Market risk Due to market volatility.
- Economic Risk at the government and geographical levels including Political Risk and Regulatory Risk.
- Currency Risk and Interest Rate Risk exposures from dealing with global markets.
- Liquidity Risk due to exposure to different asset classes and associated regulatory requirements.

For more information on investment risks and features refer to the Fund's Articles of Association following the link here

#### **Market Commentary**

Global markets demonstrated broadly positive returns over December. Inflation continued to decrease in the US and other regions amid ongoing economic resilience. Developed market equities were up 4.2% over the month. At a regional level, European equities returned 3.2%, while US equities and Japanese equities ended the month at 4.7% and -0.5% respectively. Emerging markets increased by 3.9%. During the month, developed market bonds delivered positive returns. US treasuries and UK gilts both increased by 3.3% and 5.6% respectively. In currencies, the Euro appreciated by 1.2% relative to the USD, while Sterling appreciated by 0.7% against the USD.

In the US, headline inflation fell to 3.1% year-on-year from 3.2%, while the core inflation reading remained at 4.0% in November. The Fed left its target rate range at 5.25-5.50% for the third consecutive meeting, but Powell signalled the prospects of rate cuts. Economic momentum accelerated, the labour market remained tight. The US composite PMI increased to 50.9 points in December. In Europe, headline inflation rose to 2.9% from 2.4% year-on-year, while core inflation declined to 3.4% year-on-year in December. The ECB left its policy rate unchanged at 4%. The eurozone composite PMI was 47.6 points in December. In the UK, headline inflation fell to 3.9% year-on-year in November, while core inflation dropped to 5.1% year-on-year. The BoE did not change its policy rate.

Fixed income markets showed positive returns overall. US 10-year yields fell from 4.34% to 3.87%, with the two-year falling from 4.70% to 4.25%. Germany's 10-year yield fell from 2.45% to 2.03%, whilst the 2-year yield fell from 2.82% to 2.40%. The UK 10-year yields fell from 4.18% to 3.54%, while the 2-year yield fell from 4.59% to 3.98%. Both US and European high yield delivered positive results. Global investment grade credit performed positively. Emerging market debt performed positively in both local currency and USD. Commodities delivered mixed returns, with crude oil falling by 3.7% while gold appreciated by 1.4%.

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