# HONG LEONG ASEAN-5 EQUITY FUND (HLASEF)

(formerly known as Hong Leong SEA-5 Equity Fund) As at 31 January 2025



#### **Fund Objective**

The Fund aims to achieve medium to long-term capital growth by investing in a portfolio of investments in 5 South-East Asia markets, namely Malaysia, Singapore, Indonesia, Thailand and Philippines.

#### **Fund Information**

Category/Type of Fund Launch Date - Class A - Class B Financial Year End Fund Size - Class A - Class B Units in Circulation - Class A - Class B **Initial Offer Price** NAV Per Unit - Class A - Class B Minimum Investment Sales Charge - Class A - Class B Exit Fee - Class A · Class B

Annual Management Fee

Trustee Fee

Equity/Growth 9 January 2017 27 February 2023 30 November RM2.36 million RM0.0009 million 5.39 million 0.002 million RM0.5000 RM0.4370 RM0.4690 RM1,000 (initial) RM100 (subsequent)

Up to 6% of NAV Per Unit 2% on redemption units

Up to 1.80% p.a. Up to 0.08% p.a., subject to a minimum of RM9,000 p.a.

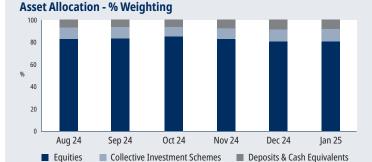
#### **Highlight on HLA5EF Class A**



CALCULATION: Percentage Growth, NAV Per Unit-to-NAV Per Unit basis with gross income (if any) from HLA5EF Class A reinvested, since launch, in MYR terms. Past performance is not necessarily indicative of future performance and unit prices and investment returns may go down, as well as up.

#### **Performance Records**

	Percentage Growth		Annualised Compounded Return	
	HLA5EF Class A (%)	Benchmark (%)	HLA5EF Class A (%)	Benchmark (%)
Year-to-date	-2.91	-0.54	-	-
1 Month	-2.91	-0.54	-	-
3 Months	-6.24	-0.36	-	-
6 Months	-6.92	1.57	-	-
1 Year	-8.50	4.11	-8.50	4.11
3 Years	-7.97	14.80	-2.73	4.71
5 Years	16.45	16.72	3.09	3.14



#### Sector Allocation (% of NAV)



**Deposits & Cash Equivalents 9.31** Collective Investment Schemes 10.03

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Sectors:	
Banks	26.83
Retail	6.89
Telecommunications	6.23
Utilities	4.90
Financial Services	4.08
Commercial Services	3.53
Construction	3.18
Transportation & Logistics	3.02
Auto Manufacturers	2.88
Other Sectors	19.12

### **Calendar Year Returns**

	HLA5EF Class A (%)	Benchmark (%)	Distribution Yield HLA5EF Class A (%)
2024	-4.66	4.50	6.51
2023	0.18	5.09	6.40
2022	-1.94	8.23	6.13
2021	7.09	6.67	-
2020	17.19	-12.16	-
2019	0.32	3.91	-
2018	-14.79	-6.55	-
2017*	9.56	14.08	-

\*For the period 09/01/2017 - 31/12/2017

Source: Lipper, in MYR Terms.

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### Geographical Allocation (% of NAV)

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1	Singapore	39.57
2	Indonesia	21.16
3	Malaysia	19.00
4	Thailand	5.83
5	Philippines	5.13
6	Deposits & Cash Equivalents	9.31

## Income Distributions / Unit Splits (HLA5EF Class A)

Entitlement Date	20/0//2022	18/0//2023	24/0//2024
Unit Split (Units)	-	-	-
Income Distribution (Gross)	3.500 sen	3.500 sen	3.500 sen

Historical Fund Prices	NAV Per Unit	
	HLA5EF Class A (RM)	Date
Highest NAV Per Unit	0.6506	06/08/2020
Lowest NAV Per Unit	0.3718	19/03/2020

On an ex-distribution basis, if there is any income distribution and/or unit split since inception.

Top Five Holdings (% of NAV)			
1	DBS Group Holdings Limited	8.21	
2	Oversea-Chinese Banking Corporation Limited	5.34	
3	United Overseas Bank Limited	5.23	
4	PT Bank Central Asia Tbk	4.93	
5	Tenaga Nasional Berhad	4.90	

Note:-(1) Based on the Fund's portfolio returns as at 31 January 2025, the Volatility Factor (VF) for this Fund is 7.5 and is classified as "Low" (Source: Lipper). "Low" includes funds with VF that are above 5.060 but not more than 9.180 (Source: Lipper). The VF means there is a possibility for the Fund in generating an upside return or downside return around this VF. The Volatility Class (VC) is assigned by Lipper based on quintile ranks of VF for qualified funds. VF is subject to monthly revision and VC will be revised every six months. The Fund's portfolio may have changed since this date and there is no guarantee that the Fund will continue to have the same VF or VC in the future. Presently, only funds launched in the market for at least 36 months will display the VF and VC.

Disclaimer:- This fact sheet has not been reviewed by the Securities Commission Malaysia (SC). Investors are advised to read and understand the contents of the Hong Leong Master Prospectus dated 27 February 2023, 1st Supplemental Hong Leong Master Prospectus dated 18 August 2023, 2nd Supplemental Hong Leong Master Prospectus dated 5 January 2024, 3rd Supplemental Hong Leong Master Prospectus dated 19 August 2024 (collectively known as the "Prospectus") and Product Highlights Sheet (the "PHS") before investing. The Prospectus has been registered and PHS lodged with the SC who takes no responsibility for the contents of the Prospectus and PHS. The registration of Prospectus or lodgement of PHS to the SC does not amount to nor indicate that the SC has recommended or endorsed the fund. A copy of the Prospectus can be obtained from any of Hong Leong Asset Management offices, agents or our authorised distributors. The PHS is also available and investors have the right to request for it. Investors shall also consider the fees and charges involved before investing. Prices of units and distributions payable, if any, may go down or up, and past performance of the Fund is not an indication of its future performance.

Where a distribution/unit split is declared, investors are advised that following the issue of additional units/distribution, the NAV per unit will be reduced from cum-distribution NAV/pre-unit split NAV to ex-distribution NAV/post-unit split NAV. Where a unit split is declared, the value of investors' investment in Malaysian Ringgit will remain unchanged after the distribution of the additional units. Where unit trust loan financing is available, investors are advised to read and understand the contents of the unit trust loan financing risk disclosure statement before deciding to borrow to purchase units. Investors shall be aware of the risks for the Fund before investing. Investors are also advised to perform the suitability assessment to evaluate investors' risk tolerance level before making any investment decision.

Applications must be made on the Account Opening Form and Investment Application Form referred to and accompanying the Prospectus. The Fund may not be suitable for all and if in doubt, investors shall seek independent advice.