

## PRODUCT HIGHLIGHTS SHEET

### AmanahRaya Islamic Equity Fund (ARIEF)

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#### **Responsibility Statement**

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The Securities Commission Malaysia has authorised the issuance of AmanahRaya Islamic Equity Fund ("the Fund") and a copy of this Product Highlights Sheet has been lodged with the Securities Commission Malaysia.

The authorisation of the Fund and lodgement of this Product Highlights Sheet, should not be taken to indicate that the Securities Commission Malaysia recommends the Fund or assumes responsibility for the correctness of any statement made or opinion or report expressed in this Product Highlights Sheet.

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**INVESTORS SHOULD RELY ON THEIR OWN EVALUATION TO ASSESS THE MERITS AND RISKS OF THE INVESTMENT. IF INVESTORS ARE UNABLE TO MAKE THEIR OWN EVALUATION, THEY ARE ADVISED TO CONSULT PROFESSIONAL ADVISERS.**

#### **Additional Statement**

The Fund has been certified as Shariah-compliant by the Shariah Adviser appointed for the Fund.

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This Product Highlights Sheet only highlights the key features and risks of this Fund. Investors are advised to request, read and understand the Prospectus of the Fund before deciding to invest.

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# AMANAHRAYA ISLAMIC EQUITY FUND (ARIEF)

### Brief Information of the Product

#### 1. What is this product about ?

AmanahRaya Islamic Equity Fund (ARIEF) is an Islamic equity fund issued by AmanahRaya Investment Management Sdn Bhd that aims to provide investors with above average capital growth over a medium to long term period by investing in a carefully selected portfolio of Shariah-compliant securities.

This is neither a capital protected nor capital guaranteed fund.

### Product Suitability

#### 2. Who is this product suitable for ?

The Fund is ideal for medium to long-term investors who are risk tolerant and seek higher returns for their investments.

**Investors should consult their financial advisers if in doubt whether this product is suitable for them.**

### Key Product Features

#### 3. What am I investing in ?

<b>Fund Category/Type</b>	Equity (Shariah-compliant)/Growth
<b>Benchmark</b>	FTSE Bursa Malaysia Emas Shariah Index
<b>Investment strategy</b>	<b>Invest a minimum of 70% and up to 95% of the Fund's Net Asset Value</b> Investments in Shariah-compliant securities of companies that have good growth potential and whose business activities comply with Shariah requirements.  <b>Maintain a minimum 5% of the Fund's Net Asset Value</b> Investments in Islamic liquid assets comprising of cash and Islamic deposits with licensed financial institutions, Islamic accepted bills, sukuk, Government Investment Issues and any other Shariah-compliant instrument capable of being converted into cash within seven (7) days.
<b>Launch date</b>	23 April 2008
<b>Financial year-end</b>	30 November
<b>Distribution policy</b>	The Fund is not expected to pay regular distribution.  Note: The fund will pay the distribution only if gain the profit.

#### 4. Who am I investing with ?

<b>Manager &amp; Investment Manager</b>	AmanahRaya Investment Management Sdn Bhd ("ARIM") is a licensed asset management company under the Capital Markets and Services Act and a wholly-owned subsidiary of Amanah Raya Berhad. As at December 2011, the authorized and paid-up capital of ARIM stood at RM25 million and RM10 million respectively.
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	ARIM has wealth of experience and competency in managing multiple asset classes, for both Ringgit and non-Ringgit based investments, which include but not limited to equity, fixed income, unit trust, structured products and private equity.
<b>Trustee</b>	PB Trustee Services Berhad
<b>Shariah Advisor</b>	BIMB Securities Sdn Bhd

### Key Risks

#### 5. What are the key risks associated with this product ?

Stock Specific Risk	Price of a particular stock may fluctuate in response to the circumstances affecting individual companies such as adverse financial performance, news of a possible merger or loss of key personnel of a company. Any adverse price movements of such stock will adversely affect the Fund's NAV.
Reclassification of Shariah Status Risk	This risk refers to the risk that the currently held Shariah-compliant equities in the Fund may be reclassified as Shariah non-compliant in the periodic review of the equities by the Shariah Advisory Council of the Securities Commission. If this occurs, the Manager will take the necessary steps to dispose such equities. There may be opportunity loss to the Fund due to the Fund not being allowed to retain the excess capital gains derived from the disposal of the Shariah non-compliant equities. The value of the Fund may also be adversely affected in the event of a disposal of Shariah non-compliant equities at a price lower than the investment cost.
Market Risk	Market risk refers to the possibility that an investment will lose value because of a general decline in financial markets, due to economic, political and/or other factors, which will result in a decline in the fund's NAV.
Liquidity Risk	Liquidity risk refers to the ease of liquidating an asset depending on the asset's volume traded in the market. If the fund holds assets that are illiquid, or are difficult to dispose of, the value of the fund will be negatively affected when it has to sell such assets at unfavourable prices.
Inflation Risk	This is the risk that investors' investment in the unit trust fund may not grow or generate income at a rate that keeps pace with inflation. This would reduce investors' purchasing power even though the value of the investment in monetary terms has increased.
Manager's Risk	This risk refers to the day-to-day management of the fund by the manager which will impact the performance of the fund. For example, investment decisions undertaken by the manager, as a result of an incorrect view of the market or any non-compliance with internal policies, investment mandate, the deed, relevant law or guidelines due to factors such as human error or weaknesses in operational process and systems, may adversely affect the performance of the fund.
Credit and Default Risk	Credit risk relates to the creditworthiness of the issuers of the debt instruments and their expected ability to make timely payment of interest and/or principal. Any adverse situations faced by the issuer may impact the value as well as liquidity of the debt instrument. In the case of rated debt instruments, this may lead to a credit downgrade. Default risk relates to the risk that an issuer of a debt instrument either defaulting on payments or failing to make payments in a timely manner which will in turn adversely affect the value of the debt instruments. This could adversely affect the value of the fund.
Loan Financing Risk	This risk occurs when investors take a loan/financing to finance their investment. The inherent risk of investing with borrowed money includes investors being unable to service the loan repayments. In the event units are used as collateral, an investor may be required to top-up the investors' existing instalment if the prices of units fall below a certain level due to market conditions. Failing which, the units may be sold at a lower net asset value per unit as compared to the net asset value per unit at the point of purchase towards settling the loan.

**Notes: Different types of unit trust funds carry different levels of risk. Some are higher in risk than others. Ask about the risks before investing in a fund. Make sure you know what your fund is investing in.**

## Fee and Charges

### 6. What are the fees and charges involved ?

<b>Sales Charge</b>	Cash Investment - up to 5.5% of the NAV of the Fund per unit  Investors may negotiate and at the Manager discretion to charge lower sales charge subject to qualifying criterion
<b>Annual Management Fee</b>	Maximum fee of 1.5% per annum of the NAV of the Fund
<b>Trustee Fee</b>	Up to 0.08% per annum of the NAV of the Fund, subject to a minimum fee of RM18,000
<b>Redemption Charge</b>	Nil
<b>Switching Charges</b>	Switching from equity fund to other fund may or may not incur fees.  Generally no fee will be charged on switching between funds that charge the same amount of fees unless the fund being switched from have different Sales charges from the fund to be switched to.
<b>Transfer Charges</b>	A maximum of RM50.00 may be charged for each transfer.
<b>Other Charges</b>	Bank charges, courier charges and any other indirect charges incurred as a result of redemptions will be borne by the investor.
<b>Expenses directly related to the Fund</b>	Only expenses that are directly related to the Fund can be charged to the Fund. Examples of related expenses are auditor's fee and tax agent's fee.

**Notes: In the event of the imposition of any Goods and Services Tax ("GST") on any fees, charges, and/expenses, upon the implementation of the GST Act 2014 and/or other relevant statutory law relating to goods and services and/or consumption tax in Malaysia, the unit holder and/or the Fund (as the case maybe) shall upon demand pay to the party duly entitled to collect the GST all such GST as may be applicable in addition to any other payments payable by the paying party.**

**YOU SHOULD NOT MAKE PAYMENT IN CASH TO A UNIT TRUST CONSULTANT OR ISSUE A CHEQUE IN THE NAME OF A UNIT TRUST CONSULTANT**

## Transaction Information

### 7. What are the transaction details ?

<b>Minimum initial investment</b>	RM100 or such amounts as the Manager may time to time decide.
<b>Minimum additional investment</b>	RM100 or such amounts as the Manager may time to time decide.
<b>Minimum redemption unit</b>	100 units or such amounts as the Manager may time to time decide.
<b>Cooling-off period</b>	The Cooling off period is only applicable to an individual investing for the first time in any unit trust fund managed by the Manager. The right of the Unit Holders to obtain a refund of his investment in the Fund within six (6) Business Days commencing from the date the application form is received by the Manager. Corporation or institutions, staff of the Manager and persons registered to deal in unit trust funds are not entitled to the cooling-off right.
<b>Redemption period</b>	The Manager will pay the redemption proceeds within ten (10) calendar days upon receipt of the redemption request.

<b>Switching facility</b>	The minimum switching amount is 100 units. You need to keep a minimum balance of 100 units at all times or such amounts as the Manager may decide from time to time.
<b>Transfer facility</b>	You are allowed to transfer your unit holdings, subject to conditions stipulated in the Fund's Deed. The minimum transfer amount is 100 units. The Manager may refuse to register any transfer of units at its absolute discretion.
<b>Redemption of units</b>	Unit Holders may redeem units on any Business Day and receive payment of repurchase proceeds within 10 days. There is no restriction on the frequency of redemption.
<b>Minimum holding/ balance</b>	100 Units.  In the case of partial redemption, the Manager may elect to redeem the entire account if the effect thereof would be that the Unit Holders hold less than 100 units in his account with the Fund.
<b>Switching between funds</b>	Unit Holders may switch their investments between funds on any Business Day. The minimum transaction per switch is 100 units. (Switching from a Shariah-compliant fund to a conventional fund is discouraged especially for Muslim Unit Holders).

**Notes:** You can buy unit trusts either through a Unit Trust Consultant (UTC), Institutional Unit Trust Advisers (IUTA) or directly from Unit Trust Management Company (UTMC) or online, but each has different sales charge and level of service. Choose the one that best suits your needs. Only registered UTCs are allowed to sell unit trust funds. ARIM's UTC should show you a valid authorisation card confirming that he/she is registered with the Federation of Investment Managers Malaysia (FIMM). ARIM's UTC may represent other UTMC that uses a nominee system and your rights as a unit holder may be limited if you invest in unit trust funds through it. If the UTMC uses a nominee system, ask if your rights as a unit holder will be limited in any way.

## Valuation and Exiting from Investment

### 8. How often are valuations available ?

The Fund will be valued on every Business Day and you may obtain NAV and prices of the Fund from the major daily newspaper, our website at [www.arim.com.my](http://www.arim.com.my), calling our customer service at 03-26875200 or e-mail to us at [sales@arim.com.my](mailto:sales@arim.com.my).

### 9. How can I exit from this investment and what are the risks and costs involved ?

To exit from this investment, you may withdraw from the Fund, switch out of the Fund or transfer your unit holdings to other investors. Please refer to the "Fees and Charges" and "Transaction Information" sections of the Master Prospectus for details on switching and transfer facility.

Withdrawals can be made from the Fund by completing a redemption form and sending it to our Approved Distributors or sending it directly to us. There is no restriction on the frequency of withdrawals. The amount that you will receive is calculated by the withdrawal value less the Withdrawal Fee, if any. That amount will be paid in RM within ten (10) calendar days. Any applicable bank charges and other bank fees incurred as a result of a withdrawal by way of telegraphic transfer, bank cheque or other special payment method will be charged to you.

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## Performance of the Fund

### 10. Average Total Return (in %)

Below are Annualised Average Total Return of the Fund for 1 year, 3 years and 5 years.

1-year (30.11.18 – 30.11.19)	3-year (30.11.16 – 30.11.19)	5-year (30.11.14 – 30.11.19)
-2.10%	-16.05%	-14.60%

#### **Basis of calculation for Annualised Average Total Return**

Annualised Average Total Return (%) = Total Returns / Number of Years Under Review

### 11. Annual Total Return (in %)

Below are Annual Total Return of the Fund for the last nine (9) financial years:

30.11.10 – 30.11.11	30.11.11 – 30.11.12	30.11.12 – 30.11.13	30.11.13 – 30.11.14	30.11.14 – 30.11.15	30.11.15 – 30.11.16	30.11.16 – 30.11.17	30.11.17 – 30.11.18	30.11.18 – 30.11.19
2.43%	7.64%	10.47%	3.74%	3.62%	-3.65%	2.92%	-20.81%	-2.10%

#### **Basis of calculation for Annual Total Return**

Annual Total Return (%) = [(Capital Return/100 + 1) x (Income Return/100 + 1) – 1] x 100

### 12. ARIEF Return vs Benchmark (Annualised)

As at 30 <sup>th</sup> November	ARIEF (%)	Benchmark (%)	Out/(Under) Performance (%)
1-year	-2.10	-0.35	-1.75
3-year	-16.05	-2.59	-13.46
5-year	-14.60	-11.07	-3.53

#### **Comment on Fund Performance**

For the 12-month ended 30th November 2019, the Fund registered a -2.10% return compared to the benchmark return of -0.35%, thus underperformed the benchmark by -1.75%.

### 13. Portfolio Turnover Ratio

The Portfolio Turnover Ratio (PTR) indicates the frequency of turnover for a particular fund in any given calendar year. It is calculated by taking the average of acquisitions and disposal of securities divided by the average value of the Fund for the year calculated on a daily basis.

PTR for the Fund are as follows :

Financial Year	2019	2018	2017
PTR (time)	2.19 times	1.38 times	1.32 times

The higher of PTR for FYE 30.11.2018 due to active trading activities on the back of volatile conditions during the financial year.

**Basis of calculation for Portfolio Turnover Ratio**

$$\text{Portfolio Turnover} = \frac{(\text{Total acquisition for the year} + \text{Total disposal for the year}) / 2}{\text{Average value of the Fund for the year calculated on a daily basis}}$$

**14. Distribution Record**

The Fund's first distribution was made in its financial year ended 30<sup>th</sup> November 2012. Given its investment objective, the Fund is not expected to pay regular distribution.

Financial Year	2019	2018	2017
Gross Distribution per Unit (sen)	0.00	0.00	3.50
Net Distribution per Unit (sen)	0.00	0.00	3.50

**PAST PERFORMANCE OF THE FUND IS NOT AN INDICATION OF ITS FUTURE PERFORMANCE.**

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## Contact Information

### 16. Who should I contact for further information or to lodge a complaint ?

For internal dispute resolution, you may contact our customer service personnel :-

- (a) via phone to : 03 - 2687 5200
- (b) via fax to : 03 - 2687 5300
- (c) via email to : [sales@arim.com.my](mailto:sales@arim.com.my)
- (d) via letter to : AmanahRaya Investment Management Sdn Bhd  
Level 7 & 8, Wisma Amanah Raya  
No 2 Jalan Ampang  
50508 Kuala Lumpur

If you are dissatisfied with the outcome of the internal dispute resolution process, please refer your dispute to the following bodies, details of which are as follows:

Federation of Investment Managers Malaysia (FIMM)'s Complaints Bureau:

- (a) via phone to : 03 - 2092 3800
- (b) via fax to : 03 - 2093 2700
- (c) via e-mail to : [complaints@fimm.com.my](mailto:complaints@fimm.com.my)
- (d) via online complaint form available at : [www.fimm.com.my](http://www.fimm.com.my)
- (e) via letter to : Legal, Secretarial & Regulatory Affairs  
Federation of Investment Managers Malaysia  
19-06-1, 6th Floor Wisma Tune  
No. 19 Lorong Dungun  
Damansara Heights  
50490 Kuala Lumpur

OR

Securities Industry Dispute Resolution Center (SIDREC)

- (a) via phone to : 03 - 2282 2280
- (b) via fax to : 03 - 2282 3855
- (c) via email to : [info@sidrec.com.my](mailto:info@sidrec.com.my)
- (d) via letter to : Securities Industry Dispute Resolution Center (SIDREC)  
Unit A-9-1, Level 9, Tower A  
Menara UOA Bangsar  
No.5, Jalan Bangsar Utama 1  
59000 Kuala Lumpur

You can also direct your complaint to the SC even if you have initiated a dispute resolution process with SIDREC. To make a complaint, please contact the SC's Consumer & Investor Office:

- (a) via phone to Aduan Hotline at : 03 - 6204 8999
- (b) via fax to : 03 - 6204 8991
- (c) via email to : [aduan@seccom.com.my](mailto:aduan@seccom.com.my)
- (d) via online complaint form available at : [www.sc.com.my](http://www.sc.com.my)
- (e) via letter to : Consumer & Investor Office  
Securities Commission Malaysia  
No 3 Persiaran Bukit Kiara  
Bukit Kiara  
50490 Kuala Lumpur

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## Appendix : Glossary

<b>AmanahRaya Investment Management or ARIM or the Manager</b>	AmanahRaya Investment Management Sdn Bhd (309646-H)
<b>Approved Distributors</b>	Any relevant persons and bodies, as may be approved by the SC (if necessary) or any other regulatory body and appointed by ARIM from time to time, who are responsible for selling units of the Funds.
<b>Bursa Malaysia</b>	Bursa Malaysia Securities Berhad (635998-W).
<b>Business Day(s)</b>	Mondays to Fridays when Bursa Malaysia is open for trading, and/or banks in Kuala Lumpur and/or Selangor are open for business.
<b>Deed</b>	The principal and any supplemental deed in respect of the Fund made between the Manager, the Trustee and the Unit Holders of the Fund, agreeing to be bound by the provisions of the Deed.
<b>Fund</b>	AmanahRaya Islamic Equity Fund (ARIEF)
<b>GST</b>	Refers to the tax levied on goods and services pursuant to the Goods and Services Tax Act 2014
<b>NAV or Net Asset Value</b>	Means the value of all the fund's assets less the value of all the fund's liabilities at the valuation point.
<b>NAV per Unit</b>	The Net Asset Value of the Fund divided by the number of units in circulation, at the valuation point.
<b>RM and sen</b>	Ringgit Malaysia and sen respectively
<b>Sales Charge</b>	Means a fee imposed pursuant to a purchase request.
<b>SC</b>	Securities Commission Malaysia
<b>Shariah</b>	Islamic Law comprising the whole body of rulings pertaining to human conducts derived from the primary and secondary sources of the Shariah.
<b>Shariah Requirements</b>	A phrase or expression which generally means making sure that any human conduct must not involve any elements which are prohibited by the Shariah and that in performing that conduct all the essential elements that make up the conduct must be present and each essential element must meet all the necessary conditions required by the Shariah for that element.
<b>sukuk</b>	Means certificates of equal value which evidence undivided ownership or investment in the assets using Shariah principles and concepts endorsed by the Shariah Advisory Council of the Securities Commission and/or any relevant Shariah Advisory Boards.
<b>Unit or Units</b>	A measurement of the right or interest of a Unit Holder in the Fund including a fraction of a Unit.
<b>Units in Circulation</b>	Refers to total number of units issued at a point of time.
<b>Unit Holders, you</b>	Refers to the person registered as the holder of a Unit or Units including persons jointly registered.
<b>Valuation point</b>	<p>Valuation point refers to such a time(s) on a business day as may be decided by the Manager wherein the Net Asset Value ("NAV") of the fund is calculated. Under normal circumstances, only one valuation is conducted on each Business Day.</p> <p>For funds with no foreign investments, the valuation of NAV of funds is conducted on each Business Day at the close of Bursa Securities.</p> <p>For the funds with foreign investments, the Fund will be valued at 5.00 p.m. on every Business Day (or "trading day" or "T" day). However, if the Fund has exposure to investments outside of Malaysia, the Fund shall be valued at 11.00 a.m. on the next Business Day (or "T + 1"). All foreign assets are translated into the Base Currency based on the exchange rate quoted by Bloomberg/Reuters at 4.00 p.m. (United Kingdom</p>

	<p>time) which is equivalent to 11 p.m. or 12 a.m. midnight (Malaysian time) on the same day, or at such time as stipulated in the investment management standards issued by the FIMM. If the foreign market in which the Fund is invested in is closed for business, the Manager will value the underlying assets based on the latest available price as at the day the particular foreign market was last opened for business.</p>
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