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#### **Eastspring Investments Islamic Income Fund**

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#### PRODUCT HIGHLIGHTS SHEET

# Eastspring Investments Islamic Income Fund ("Fund")

Fund Category	Islamic money market	Launch Date	8 February 2007
Fund Type	Income	Manager	Eastspring Investments Berhad
Financial Year End	31 March		

## PRODUCT SUITABILITY

#### WHO IS THE PRODUCT SUITABLE FOR?

The Fund is suitable for investors who:

- seek liquidity and a steady income\* stream;
- · have low risk tolerance; and
- adopt a short-term investment horizon.

Refer to "Investor Profile" in the "Information In Relation to the Fund" section of the Fund's Master Prospectus.

## **KEY PRODUCT FEATURES**

#### WHAT ARE YOU INVESTING IN?

You are investing in an Islamic money market fund which seeks to provide liquidity and a steady income\* stream by investing in Islamic money market instruments and/or Islamic Deposits.

Name of Class	Launch Date
Class C	8 February 2007
Class R	20 December 2021

With effect from 20 December 2021, the Fund will be split into Class C and Class R where non-individual unit holders will be designated to Class C and individual unit holders will be designated to Class R.

\*Income distributed to a Unit Holder will be reinvested into additional Units unless Unit Holders opt for the distribution to be paid out. Refer to "Fund Objective" in the "Information In Relation to the Fund" section of the Fund's Master Prospectus.

#### **Investment Strategy**

The Fund seeks to achieve its objective by investing in a portfolio of short Islamic money market instruments and/or Islamic Deposits.

The Fund shall invest in short-term Islamic money market instruments issued by financial institutions or its parent company with minimum credit rating of A3 or P1 by RAM Rating Services Berhad, or its equivalent rating by any other domestic rating agencies. Should the credit rating of the short-term Islamic money market instruments or the issuing financial institutions or its parent company be downgraded by the rating agencies to below the minimum credit rating, the Manager shall cease to place new monies with the financial institutions concerned.

Refer to "Investment Strategy" in the "Information In Relation to the Fund" section of the Fund's Master Prospectus.





Asset Allocation	
<ul> <li>Minimum of 90% of the Fund's NAV in permitted investments which have a remaining maturity period of not more than 397 days.</li> <li>Maximum of 10% of the Fund's NAV in permitted investments which have a remaining maturity period of more than 365 days but fewer than 732 days.</li> <li>Minimum of 1% of the Fund's NAV in short-term Islamic Deposits or Islamic liquid assets.</li> </ul>	Refer to "Asset Allocation" in the "Information In Relation to the Fund" section of the Fund's Master Prospectus.
Income Distribution Policy	
Class R and Class C Distribution of income, if any, after deduction of taxation and expenses, will be declared at least once a month.	Refer to "Income Distribution Policy" in the "Transaction Information" section of the Fund's Master Prospectus.
Parties Involved	
<ul> <li>WHO ARE YOU INVESTING WITH?</li> <li>The Manager is Eastspring Investments Berhad (company no.: 200001028634 (531241-U)) incorporated in November 2000 and is an ultimately wholly owned subsidiary of Prudential plc.</li> <li>The Trustee of the Fund is Deutsche Trustees Malaysia Berhad (company no.: 200701005591 (763590-H)).</li> <li>The Shariah Adviser of the Fund is BIMB Securities Sdn Bhd (company no.: 199401004484 (290163-X)).</li> </ul>	Refer to "The Management and the Administration of the Fund", "The Trustee" and "The Shariah Adviser" sections of the Fund's Master Prospectus.
Possible Outcomes of Investing in the Fund	
Investment involves risk and different types of unit trust funds carry different levels of risk. The value of the Fund and its distributions (if any) may rise or fall. These risk factors, among others, may cause you to lose some or all of your investment.	Refer to "Risk Factors" in the "Information In Relation to the Fund" section of the Fund's Master Prospectus.
KEY RISKS	
WHAT ARE THE KEY RISKS ASSOCIATED WITH THE FUND?	Refer to "Risk Factors" in the "Information In relation in the Fund" section of the Fund's Master Prospectus.
Credit or Default Risk	
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This risk refers to the creditworthiness of the financial institutions and their expected ability to make timely payment of profit and/or principal. In the event the financial institutions default in the profit and/or principal payments, the value of the Fund will be adversely affected.

## Interest Rate Risk

Interest rate fluctuations will affect the Islamic deposit returns of the Fund. Interest rates offered by the financial institutions will fluctuate according to the overnight policy rate determined by Bank Negara Malaysia and this has direct impact on the Fund's future placement in Islamic deposit. The Fund will benefit from higher interest rate and in the event that the interest rate is low, the Fund's returns will also be low.





## **Shariah Status Risk Reclassification**

This risk refers to the risk of a possibility that the currently held Islamic money market instruments or Islamic deposits invested by the Fund may be declared as Shariah non-compliant by the relevant authority or the Shariah Adviser. If this occurs, the Manager will take the necessary steps to dispose of or withdraw such Shariah non-compliant instruments.

Please be advised that if you invest in Units through an Institutional Unit Trust Scheme Adviser which adopts the nominee system of ownership, you would not be considered to be a Unit Holder under the deed of the Fund and you may, consequently, not have all the rights ordinarily exercisable by a Unit Holder (for example, the right to call for a Unit Holder's Meeting and to vote thereat and the right to have your particulars appearing in the register of Unit Holders of the Fund).

## **FEES AND CHARGES**

#### WHAT ARE THE FEES AND CHARGES OF THE FUND?

The fees, charges and expenses disclosed are exclusive of any taxes or duties that may be imposed by the government or other authorities from time to time.

Refer to "Fees, Charges and Expenses" section of the Fund's Master Prospectus.

#### Payable directly by you

	Class(es) of Units		
	Class R	Class C	
Sales charge	Nil		
Repurchase charge	Nil		
Switching fee	There is no switching fee important Unit Holders have to pay the charge if Unit Holders wish to a higher sales charge. Howe imposed if the fund to be sucharge than the Fund.	ne difference between sales switch into another fund with ever, no sales charge will be	

#### Payable indirectly by you

	Class(es) of Units		
	Class R Class C		
Annual management fee	Up to 0.25% of the NAV of the Fund per annum.		
Annual Trustee fee	Up to 0.04% of the NAV of the Fund per annum, subject to a minimum of RM18,000 per annum.		

You can buy unit trusts either through a Unit Trust Scheme Consultant (UTC), Institutional Unit Trust Scheme Adviser (IUTA), Corporate Unit Trust Scheme Adviser (CUTA) or directly from the Manager or online, but each has different sales charge and level of service.

If you redeem your units in a unit trust fund and purchase units in another unit trust fund, you will probably have to pay a sales charge. However, if you perform switching, you may pay lower sales charge. Please refer to switching fee for more details.





#### **VALUATION AND EXITING FROM THE FUND**

#### HOW OFTEN ARE VALUATIONS AVAILABLE FOR THE FUND?

The Fund will be valued at least once every Business Day. The latest Unit prices are published every Business Day on the Manager's website, <a href="www.eastspring.com/my">www.eastspring.com/my</a> or you may contact the Manager directly at (603) 2778 1000.

Refer to "Valuation of the Fund" in the "Information In Relation to the Fund" section of the Fund's Master Prospectus.

#### HOW CAN YOU EXIT FROM THE FUND AND WHAT ARE THE RISKS AND COSTS INVOLVED?

- You may redeem all or some of the Units held on any Business Day by executing a sell transaction via online through myEastspring or completing a transaction form.
- Redemption application should be made before the cut-off time of 11.00 a.m. on any Business
  Day. The Units will be redeemed at the NAV per Unit calculated at the next valuation point (i.e.
  forward pricing) after the redemption application is received by the Manager. The cut-off time
  will be determined based on the transaction submission time (online submission) or stamped
  time and date made at the Manager's head office and branch offices (manual submission).
- When the redemption application is received after the cut-off time as stated above, the
  redemption application will be deemed to have been received on the next Business Day. The
  Manager reserves the right to vary the terms and conditions for redemption from time to time,
  which shall be communicated to you in writing
- The Manager shall pay you the redemption proceeds via e-payment according to your bank account details as stated in your myEastspring account or in the master account opening form or redemption form, or in such other manner as determined by the Manager on a case to case basis, within four (4) Business Days from the date the Manager receives the duly completed redemption application. If you redeem immediately after the purchase of Units, the Manager shall have the right to withhold the redemption application until sufficient time has elapsed to ensure that the amount remitted by you (for purchase of Units) is realised and credited to the Manager's client trust bank account.

Refer to "Transaction Information" section of the Fund's Master Prospectus.

## COOLING-OFF POLICY

- A cooling-off right is only given to an individual investor who is investing in any of the unit trust
  funds managed by the Manager for the first time but shall not include the Manager's staff and a
  person registered with a body approved by the Securities Commission Malaysia ("SC") to deal
  in unit trusts.
- The cooling-off right allows Unit Holder the opportunity to reverse an investment decision which could have been unduly influenced by certain external elements or factors.
- There is a cooling-off period of six (6) Business Days commencing from the day your application is accepted or deemed to be accepted by the Manager. Within these six (6) Business Days, you have the right to request for withdrawal of the investment. The refund for every Unit held by you pursuant to the exercise of your cooling-off right are as follows:
  - (a) if the NAV per Unit on the day the Units were first purchased ("original price") is higher than the price of a Unit at the point of exercise of the cooling-off right ("market price"), the market price at the point of cooling-off; or
  - (b) if the market price is higher than the original price, the original price at the point of coolingoff; and
  - (c) the sales charge per Unit originally imposed on the day the Units were purchased.

Refer to "Cooling-off Period & Colling-off Right" in the "Transaction Information" section of the Fund's Master Prospectus.



#### PERFORMANCE OF THE FUND

(Source: Annual Report for Eastspring Investments Islamic Income Fund for the Financial Year Ended 31 March 2025)

#### **AVERAGE TOTAL RETURN OF THE FUND**

Period	1-Year	3-Year	5-Year	10-Year
As at 31 March 2025 (%)				
Class C	3.56	3.31	2.79	3.23
Class R	3.57	3.31	2.79	3.23

(Source: The above total return of the Fund was sourced from Lipper for Investment Management)

#### ANNUAL TOTAL RETURN OF THE FUND FOR THE LAST 10 YEARS

## As at 31 March (%)

Year	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025
Class C	3.82	3.70	3.56	3.70	3.54	2.26	1.79	2.73	3.64	3.56
Class R	3.82	3.70	3.56	3.70	3.54	2.26	1.79	2.73	3.64	3.57
Benchmark	1.85	1.79	1.78	1.90	1.56	0.35	0.25	0.80	1.28	1.30

For the period under review (1 April 2024 – 31 March 2024), Class C of the Fund registered a positive return of 3.56%, outperforming its benchmark return of 1.30% by 2.26%, while Class R of the Fund registered a positive return of 3.57%, outperforming its benchmark return of 1.30% by 2.27%. The outperformance of the Fund was contributed by investing in short-term Islamic deposits and Islamic money market placements of diversified maturities while maintaining its liquidity requirements.

#### BASIS OF CALCULATION AND ASSUMPTIONS MADE IN CALCULATING RETURNS

Percentage growth = NAV

 $NAV_{o}$ 

 $NAV_t = NAV$  at the end of the period

 $NAV_0 = NAV$  at the beginning of the period

Performance annualised =  $(1 + Percentage Growth)^{1/n} - 1$ 

(Adjusted for unit split and distribution paid out for the period)

n = number of years

## PORTFOLIO TURNOVER RATIO ("PTR") FOR THREE MOST RECENT FINANCIAL YEARS

### As at 31 March

Year	2025	2024	2023
	(times)	(times)	(times)
Fund	12.37	10.87	13.39

There were no significant changes to the PTR during the period under review.

## INCOME DISTRIBUTION FOR THREE MOST RECENT FINANCIAL YEARS As at 31 March

Eastspring Islamic Income	2025	2024	2023
Gross distribution per Unit (sen)			
-Class C	0.85	1.00	0.12
-Class R	0.85	0.48	0.12
Net distribution per Unit (sen)			
-Class C	0.63	0.74	0.12
-Class R	0.85	0.48	0.12

Income distribution is in the form of cash.





## OTHER INFORMATION

- Only registered unit trust scheme ("UTS") consultants are allowed to sell unit trust funds. You may log on to <a href="www.fimm.com.my">www.fimm.com.my</a> to verify the UTS consultant's registration status via "Is My Consultant Authorised?" or request the UTS consultant to show you the search result of the check to confirm that he or she is registered with the Federation of Investment Managers Malaysia ("FiMM").
- A unit trust fund may only be offered to the public if it is approved by SC. Go to <a href="www.sc.com.my">www.sc.com.my</a> for a list of unit trust funds currently available in the market or call 603-6204 8777 for assistance.
- When you buy into a unit trust fund, you should be given the latest copy of prospectus for free. Read the prospectus carefully; understand its contents before investing.

## **CONTACT INFORMATION**

1) To lodge a complaint or for an internal dispute resolution, you can contact our client services personnel:

(a) via phone to : (603) 2778 1000

(b) via email to : cs.my@eastspring.com

(c) via letter to : Eastspring Investments Berhad

Level 22, Menara Prudential

Persiaran TRX Barat

55188 Tun Razak Exchange

Kuala Lumpur

2) Investor can contact FiMM Complaints Bureau:

(a) via phone to : (603) 7890 4242

(b) via email to : complaints@fimm.com.my

(c) via online complaint form : www.fimm.com.my

(d) via letter to : Legal & Regulatory Affairs

Federation of Investment Managers Malaysia

19-06-1, 6th Floor, Wisma Capital A

No. 19, Lorong Dungun Damansara Heights 50490 Kuala Lumpur

3) Should an individual or a sole proprietor investor be dissatisfied with the outcome of the internal dispute resolution process, he may refer his dispute to the Financial Markets Ombudsman Service ("FMOS") (formerly known as Ombudsman for Financial Services) via the following modes. The individual or a sole proprietor investor may do so within 6 months of receiving the final answer from the Manager or after 60 calendar days from filing the complaint if there was no response from the Manager. He may file his dispute to FMOS:

(a) through the FMOS website under the : www.fmos.org.my

"File A Complaint" section

(b) via phone to : (603) 2272 2811

(c) via mail to : Financial Markets Ombudsman Service

Level 14, Main Block Menara Takaful Malaysia No. 4, Jalan Sultan Sulaiman

50000 Kuala Lumpur

(d) by visiting the FMOS office (address stated above) to submit the dispute in person.





4) The investor can also direct his complaint to the SC even if he has initiated a dispute resolution process with FMOS. To make a complaint, please contact the SC's Consumer & Investor Office:

(a) via phone to the Aduan Hotline at : (603) 6204 8999 (b) via fax to : (603) 6204 8991

(c) via email to : aduan@seccom.com.my

(d) via online complaint form available at : www.sc.com.my

(e) via letter to : Consumer & Investor Office

Securities Commission Malaysia

No. 3 Persiaran Bukit Kiara

Bukit Kiara

50490 Kuala Lumpur

	APPENDIX: GLOSSARY OF TERMS		
Business Day	Means a day in which Bursa Malaysia is open for trading.		
Class	Means any class of Units representing similar interest in the assets of the Fund although a class of Units of the Fund may have different features from another class of Units of the same Fund.		
Deposits	Means money placed with financial institutions in fixed deposit or current account.		
Eligible Market	Eligible Market means an exchange, government securities market or an over-the-counter (OTC) market-		
	(a) that is regulated by a regulatory authority of that jurisdiction;		
	(b) that is open to the public or to a substantial number of market participants; and		
	on which financial instruments are regularly traded;		
liquid assets	Means any permitted investments capable of being converted into cash within seven (7) days.		
Net Asset Value or (NAV)	Is determined by deducting the value of all the Fund's liabilities from the value of all the Fund's assets, at the valuation point.		
NAV per Unit	Means the NAV of the Fund divided by the number of units in circulation, at the valuation point.		
SAC	Means Shariah Advisory Council.		
Short-term Islamic money market	Islamic money market instrument that meets the following criteria:		
instruments	(a) It must meet either one (1) of the following requirements:		
	(i) It has a legal maturity at issuance of 397 calendar days or less;		
	(ii) It has a remaining term of maturity of not more than 397 calendar days; or		
	(iii) Where a debt security/sukuk or a money market instrument/Islamic money market instrument is issued by, or the issue is guaranteed by, either a government, government agency, central bank or supranational, the remaining maturity period must not be more than two (2) years;		
	(b) It must be traded or dealt in under the rules of an Eligible Market; and		
	(c) It must not contain an embedded derivative;		
Unit(s)	Means an undivided share in the beneficial interest and/or right in the Fund and a measurement of the interest and/or right of a Unit Holder in the Fund and means a unit of the Fund.		
Unit Holder(s) or you	Means the person for the time being who is registered pursuant to the deed of the Fund as a holder of Units of the Fund, including jointholder.		