## AL HAYER Fund Class A

# **May 2020**

Investment Objective - The Fund will invest primarily in listed shares and other securities issued by companies established or operating in GCC countries and other countries approved by the Founder and Fund Manager. The Fund Manager will have the flexibility to invest in initial public offerings of shares of companies in these countries, money market and fixed income instruments, bank deposit accounts, sovereign bond issues of GCC countries, other funds and unit trusts both investing predominantly in securities of companies listed on Qualifying Exchanges.

Manager's Commentary
In May, regional stock markets took a breather from the stellar, rising-from-
the-abyss, month of April. Still they generally trended higher with the
exception of Abu Dhabi and Dubai markets. The best performing market for
May was the Saudi market where it appreciated by 1.7%, followed by Qatar
Stock Exchange, appreciating by 1.22%. The Kuwaiti market followed through
with a positive performance of 0.75% for the month. Even with the positive
numbers, regional markets are still in the negative for the year. The regional
benchmark, S&P GCC Large Cap index is still stuck in the negative performance
of -14% year to date, where the Fund is similarly negative for the year by
14.1%.

With global headlines pointing to a gradual opening of economies, regional		
governments followed through with its own plans for returning to semi-		
normal stance. UAE and Saudi were the first and followed by Qatar. Kuwait is		
still extending its partial curfews until they see a decline in infections. These		
measures coupled with the low oil price and its effect on budgets have		
negatively affected markets, so any positive news like coming back to		
normalcy is a welcome news, hence the positive performance in early June.		

As indicated last month we have taken advantage of the declines during March and April by buying undervalued names, we started booking profits during May and preparing to reposition in other cyclical sectors as opposed to consumer staples. For the coming period, we plan to further rotate into still beaten names on the hope that prices will come back to February levels. We remain conservative in deploying our +30%cash position, as we hold it to provide a tail risk hedge (Since our markets lack other tools) and to be deployed in case of major corrections.

#### **Fund Information**

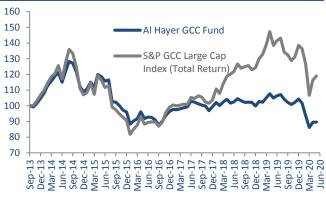
Fund Information			
Fund NAV as on close 31 May 2020	USD 89.67 per unit		
Fund NAV as on close 30 April 2020	USD 89.42 per unit		
Fund AUM	USD 3.3 million		
Fund Launch Date	23 September 2013		
Fund Type	Open ended		
Subscription/Redemption	Monthly		
Bloomberg Ticker	ALHAYER QD Equity		
Founder	Doha Bank Q.P.S.C.		
Fund Manager	Aventicum Capital Management (Qatar) LLC Since 01 September 2019		
Management Fee	1.5%		
Performance Fee	15% over 10% annual hurdle rate		
Auditors	KPMG		
Custodian and Administrator	Standard Chartered		
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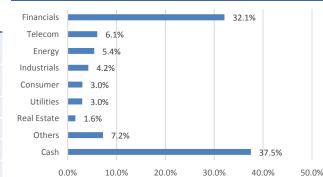
Performance Metrics	Fund	Index*
Return – May 2020	+0.3%	+2.3%
YTD 2020	-14.1%	-14.0%
Return Since Inception	-10.3%	+19.1%
Volatility	11.8%	16.7%

\* S&P GCC Large-Cap Index

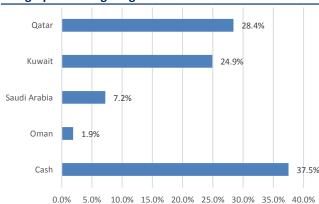
## **Performance Since Inception**



### **Sector Weightings**



**Geographical Weightings in %** 



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