# **NBO GCC Fund Fact Sheet**

NAV - RO 0.796 | NAV (Adj.\*) - RO 0.916

30<sup>th</sup> April 2021

## **Manager Comments**

Global markets continued to rally during the month of April. A strong earnings season along with prospective additional stimuli contributed to the markets upward move. 10 Year Treasury yields eased a bit to finish the month at 1.63% about 11 basis points lower than the previous month end.

Brent settled at USD 67.25 per barrel about 6% higher than the previous month. The move was in the midst of a very strong month for all commodities.

The S&P GCC Large and Mid-Cap index closed the month 4.41% higher, in line with the MSCI World's 4.52% and better than the MSCI Emerging Market's 2.37% returns. Saudi Arabia was again the best performing market largely on the back of a strong performance from its large caps, Saudi National Bank, Saudi Basic Industries and Riyad Bank. Kuwait ,Qatar and UAE returned 5.28%, 3.50% and 0.47% respectively. The fund gained 3.99% during the month as the impact of the underweight in Saudi Arabia was partially offset by its selection in other GCC countries.

## **Top Holdings**

NAME	COUNTRY	PORTFOLIO WEIGHT
Qatar National Bank	QAT	8.67%
Industries Qatar	QAT	6.74%
Saudi National Bank	KSA	5.25%
Emaar Properties	UAE	4.57%
United Electronics	KSA	3.87%

# **Fund Characteristics**

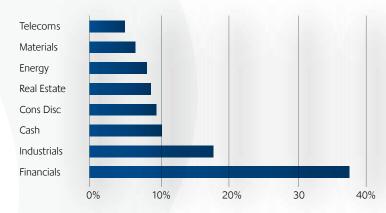
RATIOS	FUND	S&P GCC
Price to Earnings Ratio	22.10	23.62
Price to Book Ratio	1.69	2.04
Dividend Yield (%)	3.09	2.79

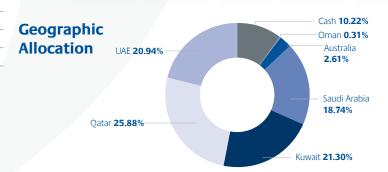
#### **Key Features**

Domiciled in	Sultanate of Oman				
Denomination	Rial Omani				
Fund Structure	Open-Ended (Weekly NAV)				
Objective	Dividend income and Capital Growth				
Regulated by	Capital Market Authority, Oman				
Managed by	National Bank of Oman SAOG				
Administrated by	National Bank of Oman SAOG				
Audited by	Crowe Horwath Mak Ghazali LLC				
Legal Advisor	Rajab Al Kathiri & Associates				
Management Fee	1.10% p.a.				
Performance Fee	10% of return above hurdle rate of 10% p.a.				
Dividend for 2014	4%				
Dividend for 2015	2%				
Dividend for 2018	3%				
Dividend for 2019	3%				
Fund Size	OMR 9,827,369				

<sup>\*</sup>Please refer to the Prospectus for detailed terms & Fund features.

#### Sector Allocation

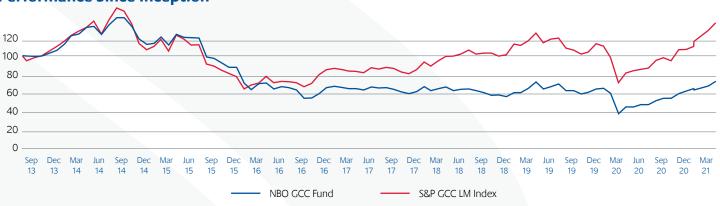




# **Historical Performance (Adj. for Dividends)**

	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	ост	NOV	DEC	YTD	SINCE INCEPTION
2013	2013 Inception (NAV Starting 14 <sup>th</sup> Aug 2013)					-0.08%	-0.26%	0.24%	1.71%	2.20%	3.84%	3.84%		
2014	4.20%	5.30%	0.91%	4.12%	0.51%	-4.7%	5.90%	4.04%	-0.05%	-4.67%	-7.15%	-3.37%	4.01%	8.00%
2015	0.56%	4.09%	-4.94%	6.88%	-1.72%	-0.35%	-0.21%	-11.54%	-1.09%	-2.90%	-3.52%	0.08%	-14.75%	-7.93%
2016	-11.96%	5.379%	5.28%	0.61%	-5.17%	2.18%	-1.00%	-2.00%	-7.32%	0.01%	4.31%	5.57%	-5.70%	-13.17%
2017	1.17%	-0.77%	-1.29%	0.00%	-0.98%	2.74%	-0.97%	0.36%	-1.43%	-2.50%	-1.59%	1.97%	-3.37%	-16.10%
2018	4.49%	-3.47%	1.80%	1.45%	-3.21%	1.28%	0.19%	-1.34%	-1.84%	-2.51%	0.23%	-1.50%	-4.66%	-20.01%
2019	3.85%	-0.03%	4.10%	5.45%	-5.80%	2.21%	2.19%	-5.62%	-0.19%	-2.80%	1.47%	2.89%	7.19%	-14.25%
2020	0.69%	-4.30%	-19.10%	7.76%	-0.16%	2.56%	0.23%	3.90%	2.38%	0.19%	4.32%	2.70%	-1.56%	-15.38%
2021	2.04%	-1.21%	3.73%	3.99%									8.73%	-7.99%

# **Performance Since Inception**



# **Analytics - Since Inception**

	NBO GCC Fund	S&P GCC LM Index
Volatility (Ann.)	14.50%	16.50%
Ann. Return	-1.06%	2.68%

### **Return Comparison**

	NBO GCC Fund	S&P GCC LM Index
1 Month	3.99%	4.41%
3 Months	6.55%	15.26%
1 Year	27.41%	39.21%
YTD	8.73%	17.48%
Since Inception	-7.99%	23.02%

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