

# PRODUCT HIGHLIGHTS SHEET

for

## AHAM Income Fund 4

*(Formerly known as Affin Hwang Income Fund 4)*

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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 Information Memorandum of the Fund before deciding to invest.

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### AHAM INCOME FUND 4

#### BRIEF INFORMATION ON THE PRODUCT

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

AHAM Income Fund 4 is an open-ended fixed income fund, issued and managed in-house by the Manager. The Fund is an income based fund that aims to provide investors with steady income over the long-term investment horizon.

#### PRODUCT SUITABILITY

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

The Fund is designed for Sophisticated Investors who seek regular income and have a long-term investment horizon.

#### KEY PRODUCT FEATURES

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

<b>Launch date</b>	8 January 2020
<b>Tenure</b>	The Fund is an open-ended fund where it does not have a fixed maturity date and may only be terminated in accordance with the terms of the Information Memorandum and the provisions of the Deed.
<b>Base currency</b>	MYR
<b>Asset allocation</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>➤ A minimum of 70% of the Fund's NAV to be invested in bonds; and</li> <li>➤ A maximum of 30% of the Fund's NAV to be invested in money market instruments, deposits and/or cash.</li> </ul>
<b>Benchmark</b>	<p>Bloomberg Barclays Global: Malaysia Total Return Index</p> <p><i>The risk profile of this Fund is different from the risk profile of the benchmark.</i></p>
<b>Investment strategy</b>	<p>To achieve the objective of the Fund, a minimum of 70% of the Fund's NAV will be invested in bonds and a maximum of 30% of the Fund's NAV will be invested in money market instruments, deposits and/or cash.</p> <p>The portfolio will comprise primarily of government bonds and issuances guaranteed by the government of Malaysia. These instruments may include but not limited to Malaysian government securities, government investment issues, treasury bills and Bank Negara monetary notes and government guaranteed ("GG") bonds.</p> <p>We will employ an active investment management strategy that aims to outperform the performance benchmark of the Fund and to provide regular income to investors. We endeavour to add value primarily via active asset allocation, duration and yield curve strategy. We will take into consideration of the fundamentals of the Malaysian economy, interest rates outlook, valuation of the underlying bonds and technical aspects of the domestic government and GG bond market.</p> <p><b>Temporary Defensive Measure</b></p> <p>We may take temporary defensive positions that may be inconsistent with the Fund's principal strategy and asset allocation to protect the Fund against adverse market conditions. There may be cases where we would hold higher levels of cash than stipulated to protect against sharp rise in interest rates.</p>

	<p>We may hold more than 30% of the Fund's NAV in cash under circumstances such as:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(i) large injection of cash by investors into the Fund;</li> <li>(ii) sale of investment holdings of the Fund; and</li> <li>(iii) any other circumstances that are in line with the Fund's objective.</li> </ul> <p>In the event the Fund's cash level exceeds 30% of the Fund's NAV due to the above circumstances, we will, on best effort basis, ensure that the cash level is to be reduced to 30% of the Fund's NAV within five (5) consecutive Business Days.</p>
<b>Distribution policy</b>	<p>The first distribution will be paid after 6 months from the Commencement Date, thereafter the Fund endeavours to pay quarterly distribution.</p> <p>At our discretion, the Fund may distribute (1) realised income, (2) realised capital gains, (3) unrealised income, (4) unrealised capital gains (5) capital or (6) a combination of any of the above.</p>
<b>Minimum initial investment*</b>	MYR 100,000
<b>Minimum additional investment*</b>	MYR 100,000
<b>Minimum Repurchase Amount</b>	N/A
<b>Minimum holding of Units*</b>	100,000 Units

*Note: Please refer to the Information Memorandum for further details of the Fund.*

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

Relevant parties' information:

<b>The Manager</b>	AHAM Asset Management Berhad
<b>The Trustee</b>	TMF Trustees Malaysia Berhad

#### 5. What are the possible outcomes of my investment?

This Fund is a wholesale fixed income fund that will focus on building a Malaysia-focused fixed income portfolio which will consist of bonds, money market instruments, deposits and/or cash. The performance of the Fund would be dependent on the fixed income securities that the Fund invests in.

Unlike fixed deposits which generally provide a guarantee on capital invested and carry specific rate of return, the Fund's investments in bonds does not provide a guarantee on capital contributed nor does it guarantee a fixed rate of return.

The Fund endeavours to distribute income, if any, on a quarterly basis. However, the amount of income available for distribution may fluctuate.

\* At our discretion, we may reduce the minimum initial investment, minimum additional investment and minimum holding of units.

**KEY RISKS****6. What are the key risks associated with this product?****General risks**

- **Affected by variable factors and not guaranteed** – The performance of the Fund is affected by many variable factors and is not guaranteed. These include overall economic and financial market conditions such as interest rate fluctuation and stability of local currency. While a track record may provide some insight on future performance, it is by no means guaranteed. The prices of Units may go down as well as up. Likewise, distribution may vary from year to year depending on the performance of the Fund.
- **Fund management risk** – This risk refers to the day-to-day management of the Fund by us which will impact the performance of the Fund. For example, investment decisions undertaken by us as a result of an incorrect view of the market or any non-compliance with internal policies, investment mandate, the Deed, relevant laws or guidelines due to factors such as human error, fraud, dishonesty or weaknesses in operational process and systems, may adversely affect the performance of the Fund.
- **Operational risk** – This risk refers to the possibility of a breakdown in the Manager's internal controls and policies. The breakdown may be a result of human error, system failure or fraud where employees of the Manager collude with one another. This risk may cause monetary loss and/or inconvenience to you. The Manager will review its internal policies and system capability to mitigate instances of this risk. Additionally, the Manager maintains a strict segregation of duties to mitigate instances of fraudulent practices amongst employees of the Manager.
- **Inflation risk** – This is the risk that your investment in the Fund may not grow or generate income at a rate that keeps pace with inflation. This would reduce your purchasing power even though the value of the investment in monetary terms has increased.
- **Loan / financing risk** – This risk occurs when you take a loan/financing to finance your investment. The inherent risk of investing with borrowed/financed money includes you being unable to service the loan/financing repayments. In the event Units are used as collateral, you may be required to top-up your 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 NAV per Unit as compared to the NAV per Unit at the point of purchase towards settling the loan/financing.
- **Risk of non-compliance** – This risk refers to the possibility that the rules governing the Fund which is set out in the Deed or the Guidelines may not be observed by the Manager, whether intentionally or otherwise. Whilst not every non-observance to the rules governing the Fund will necessarily result in some losses to the Fund, investors are advised that the potential for the Fund to suffer losses may be heightened if the non-observation of the rules governing the Fund is due to the fraud or dishonest acts on the part of the Manager.
- **Liquidity risk** – Liquidity risk refers to two scenarios. The first scenario is where an investment cannot be sold due to the unavailability of a buyer for that investment. The second scenario exists where the investment, by its nature, is thinly traded. This will have the effect of causing the investment to be sold below its fair value which would adversely affect the NAV of the Fund and subsequently the value of Unit Holders' investments in the Fund. Upon such event and in the best interest of the Unit Holders, the Manager may suspend the repurchase of Units requests. Please refer to "Suspension of Dealing in Units" section of the Information Memorandum for more details.
- **Suspension of repurchase request risk** - Having considered the best interests of Unit Holders, the repurchase requests by the Unit Holders may be subject to suspension due to exceptional circumstances, where the market value or fair value of a material portion of the Fund's assets cannot be determined, or such other circumstances as may be determined by the Manager, where there is good and sufficient reason to do so. In such case, Unit Holders will not be able to redeem their Units and will be compelled to remain invested in the Fund for a longer period of time. Hence, their investments will continue to be subject to the risks inherent to the Fund.
- **Related party transaction risk** - The Fund may also have dealings with parties related to AHAM. Nevertheless, it is our policy that all transactions with related parties are to be executed on terms which are best available to the Fund and which are not less favourable to the Fund than an arm's length transaction between independent parties.

**Specific risks**

- **Interest rate risk** – This risk refers to the impact of interest rate changes on the valuation of bonds or money market instruments (hereinafter referred to as "investment"). Generally, movement in interest rates affects the prices of investment inversely. For example, when interest rates rise, prices of investment will fall. The fluctuations of the prices of investment will also have an impact on the NAV of the Fund. This risk can largely be eliminated by holding the investment until their maturity. We also manage interest rate risk by considering each investment's sensitivity to interest rate changes. When interest rates are expected to increase, the Fund would then likely seek to switch to investment that are less sensitive to interest rate changes. For investments in deposits, the fluctuations in the interest rates will not affect the placement of deposits but will result in the opportunity loss by the Fund if the placement of deposits is made at lower interest rate.

- **Credit and default risk** – Credit risk relates to the creditworthiness of the issuers of the bonds and money market instruments and the Financial Institutions where the deposits are placed (hereinafter referred to as “investment”) and their expected ability to make timely payment of interest and/or principal. Any adverse situations faced by the issuer and/or Financial Institution may impact the value as well as liquidity of the investment. In the case of rated investment, this may lead to a credit downgrade. Default risk relates to the risk of an issuer and/or a Financial Institution of the investment either defaulting on payments or failing to make payments in a timely manner which will in turn adversely affect the value of the investment. This could adversely affect the value of the Fund.

**Note: Please refer to “Understanding the Risks of the Fund and the Target Fund” in Information Memorandum for further details on each risk.**

It is important to note that events affecting the investments cannot always be foreseen. Therefore, it is not possible to protect investments against all risks. You are recommended to read the whole Information Memorandum to assess the risks associated with the Fund. If necessary, you should consult your professional adviser(s) for a better understanding of the risks.

## FEES & CHARGES

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

There are fees and charges involved and you are advised to consider them before contributing to the Fund.

#### What will I be charged by the Manager?

<b>Sales charge</b>	Nil.
<b>Repurchase charge</b>	Nil.
<b>Switching fee</b>	The Manager does not impose any switching fee. However, if the amount of sales charge of the fund (or class) that the Unit Holder intends to switch into is higher than the sales charge imposed by the fund (or class) being switched from, then the difference in the sales charge between the two (2) funds (or classes) shall be borne by the Unit Holder.
<b>Transfer fee</b>	Not applicable as transfer facility is not available for this Fund.

#### What are the key ongoing fees charged to the Fund?

<b>Management fee</b>	Up to 0.20% per annum of the NAV of the Fund (before deducting the management fee and trustee fee).
<b>Trustee fee</b>	Up to 0.02% per annum of the NAV of the Fund (excluding foreign custodian fees and charges) (before deducting the management fee and trustee fee).

**Note: Please refer to the Information Memorandum for further explanation and illustration on the Fund’s fees, charges and expenses.**

**ALL FEES AND CHARGES PAYABLE BY YOU ARE SUBJECT TO ALL APPLICABLE TAXES AND / OR DUTIES AS MAY BE IMPOSED BY THE GOVERNMENT AND / OR THE RELEVANT AUTHORITIES FROM TIME TO TIME.**

## VALUATIONS AND EXITING FROM INVESTMENT

### 8. How often are valuations available?

The Fund will be valued on every Business Day and you may obtain the NAV and NAV per Unit of the Fund from our website at [www.aham.com.my](http://www.aham.com.my), our customer service via our toll free number 1-800-88-7080 or email to [customercare@aham.com.my](mailto:customercare@aham.com.my).

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

You may request to redeem investments in the Fund at any point in time by simply completing the repurchase application form and returning it to us on any Business Day from 8.45 a.m. to 3.30 p.m. Payments will be made to you within ten (10) Business Days from the day the repurchase request is received by us and provided that all documentations are completed and verifiable.

**CONTACT INFORMATION**

**10. Who should I contact for further information or to lodge a complaint?**

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

- (a) via phone to : 03 – 2116 6000
- (b) via fax to : 03 – 2116 6100
- (c) via toll free no. : 1-800-88-7080
- (d) via email to : [customercare@aham.com.my](mailto:customercare@aham.com.my)
- (e) via letter : AHAM Asset Management Berhad  
Ground Floor, Menara Boustead  
69, Jalan Raja Chulan  
50200 Kuala Lumpur

Complaints should be made in writing with the following information:

- (a) particulars of the complainant which include name, correspondence address, contact number, e-mail address (if any) and other relevant information;
- (b) circumstances of the non-compliance or improper conduct;
- (c) parties alleged to be involved in the improper conduct; and
- (d) other supporting documentary evidence (if any).

2. If you are dissatisfied with the outcome of the internal dispute resolution process, please refer your dispute to the Securities Industries Dispute Resolution Centre (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

3. 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 the Aduan Hotline at : 03 – 6204 8999
- (b) via fax to : 03 – 6204 8991
- (c) via e-mail 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

4. Federal of Investment Managers Malaysia (FIMM)'s Complaints Bureau:

- (a) via phone to : 03 – 20923800
- (b) via fax to : 03 – 20932700
- (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  
Federal of Investment Managers Malaysia  
19-06-1, 6th Floor Wisma Tune,  
No. 19, Lorong Dungun Damansara Heights,  
50490 Kuala Lumpur

**APPENDIX : GLOSSARY**

<b>Bursa Malaysia</b>	Means the stock exchange operated by Bursa Malaysia Securities Berhad including such other name as it may be amended from time to time.
<b>Business Day</b>	Means a day on which Bursa Malaysia is open for business/trading. The Manager may declare certain Business Day as a non-Business Day when deemed necessary, such as in the event of market disruption.
<b>Commencement Date</b>	Means the date on which the sale of Units of the Fund was first made. The Commencement Date is also the date of constitution of the Fund.
<b>Deed</b>	Refers to the deed dated 6 December 2019 and the first supplemental deed dated 16 November 2023 entered into between the Manager and the Trustee and includes any subsequent amendments and variations to the deed.
<b>deposits</b>	Has the same meaning as per the definition of "deposit" in the Financial Services Act 2013. For the avoidance of doubt, it shall exclude structured deposit.
<b>Development Financial Institution</b>	Means a development financial institution under the Development Financial Institutions Act 2002.
<b>Financial Institutions</b>	Means (1) if the institution is in Malaysia – (i) Licensed Bank; (ii) Licensed Investment Bank; (iii) Development Financial Institution; or (iv) Licensed Islamic Bank; or (2) if the institution is outside Malaysia, any institution that is licensed, registered, approved or authorised by the relevant banking regulator to provide financial services.
<b>Fund</b>	Means AHAM Income Fund 4 ( <i>formerly known as Affin Hwang Income Fund 4</i> ).
<b>Guidelines</b>	Means the <i>Guidelines on Unlisted Capital Market Products Under The Lodge And Launch Framework</i> issued by the SC as may be amended from time to time.
<b>Information Memorandum</b>	Means the offer document in respect of this Fund as may be replaced or amended from time to time.
<b>Licensed Bank</b>	Means a bank licensed under the Financial Services Act 2013.
<b>Licensed Investment Bank</b>	Means an investment bank licensed under the Financial Services Act 2013.
<b>Licensed Islamic Bank</b>	Means an Islamic bank licensed under the Islamic Financial Services Act 2013.
<b>long-term</b>	Means a period of five (5) years and above.
<b>Manager / AHAM / we / us / our</b>	Means AHAM Asset Management Berhad.
<b>NAV</b>	Means the value of all the assets of the Fund less the value of all the liabilities of the Fund at a valuation point.
<b>NAV per Unit</b>	Means the NAV of the Fund at a particular valuation point divided by the number of Unit in Circulation at the same valuation point.
<b>Repurchase Charge</b>	Means a charge imposed pursuant to a repurchase request.
<b>Sales Charge</b>	Means a charge imposed pursuant to a purchase request.
<b>Sophisticated Investor</b>	Refers to any person (a) who falls within any of the categories of investors set out in Part 1, Schedules 6 and 7 of the Act; (b) who acquires unlisted capital market products where the consideration is not less than two hundred and fifty thousand ringgit or equivalent in foreign currencies for each transaction whether such amount is paid for in cash or otherwise; or (c) any other person as may be determined by the SC from time to time under the Guidelines.  Note: For more information, please refer to our website at <a href="http://www.aham.com.my">www.aham.com.my</a> for the current excerpts of Part 1, Schedules 6 and 7 of the Act and the list of other Sophisticated Investors as permitted by the SC under the Guidelines.
<b>Trustee</b>	Refers to TMF Trustees Malaysia Berhad.
<b>Unit or Units</b>	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.
<b>Unit Holder, you</b>	Means the person/corporation for the time being who, in full compliance to the relevant laws is a Sophisticated Investor pursuant to the Guidelines including a jointholder.
<b>Units in Circulation</b>	Means Units created and fully paid for and which have not been cancelled. <i>It is also the total number of Units issued at a particular valuation point.</i>