

# **Principal ASEAN Dynamic Fund - Class MYR**

31 October 2025



## **Fund Objective**

The Fund seeks to achieve capital appreciation over the medium to long term by investing in the ASEAN region. The Fund will be managed with the aim of achieving a stable and positive investment returns over the medium to long term through investments in ASEAN region regardless of market conditions. The companies invested in must be domiciled in, listed in, and/or have significant operations in the ASEAN region.

#### **Lipper Score**

**Total Return** 



# **Morningstar Rating**



#### Sustainability



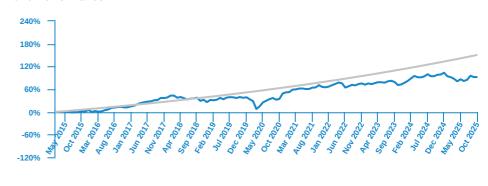




### **Fund Information**

Initial Offering Period Initial Offering Period	
NAV per unit (As at 31 Oct 2025)	MYR 0.9173
Fund Unit	138.19 million units
Fund Size (MYR)	MYR 126.77 million
Trustee Fee	0.045% p.a of the NAV of the Class
Management Fee	1.80% p.a. of the NAV of the Class
Application Fee	Principal Agency Distributor: Up to 6.50% of the NAV per unit IUTAs: Up to 5.50% of the NAV per unit
Benchmark	The Fund has a target return of nine percent (9%) per annum.
Fund Inception	3 Mar 2015
Base Currency	USD
Currency	MYR
Domicile	Malaysia
Bloomberg Ticker	CIMPATR MK
Lipper ID	68303967
ISIN Code	MYU1000FG003

#### **Fund Performance**



Fund Benchmark

ast performance does not guarantee future results. Asset allocation and diversification do not ensure a profit or protect against a loss

Cumulative Performance (%)								
	YTD	1M	3M	6M	1Y	3Y	5Y	Since Inception
Fund	-5.70	-0.09	3.85	6.14	-3.11	10.60	43.07	92.14
Benchmark	7.44	0.73	2.20	4.44	9.00	29.50	53.86	150.66

Calendar Year Returns (%)	2024	2023	2022	2021	2020	2019
Fund	15.08	2.84	4.31	8.76	9.34	10.14
Benchmark	9.00	9.00	9.00	9.00	9.00	9.00

Most Recent Fund Distributions		2024 Nov	2023 Nov	2022 Nov
Gross (sen/unit)		2.01	0.89	1.27
Annualised Yield (%)		2.12	1.05	1.47

Performance data represents the combined income & capital return as a result of holding units in the fund for the specified length of time, based on bid to bid prices. Earnings are assumed to be reinvested.

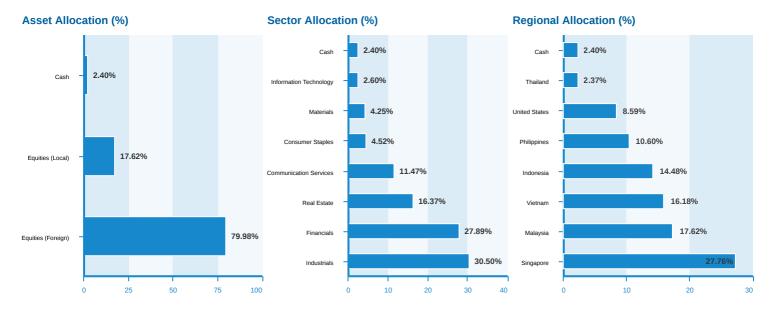
Annualised yield is calculated as the most recent monthly dividend distribution multiplied by the Fund's dividend frequency and divided by the latest NAV. Source : Lipper

Top Holdings	Country	% of Net Assets
International Container Terminal Services	Philippines	6.11
Grab Holdings Ltd	United States	5.22
Ho Chi Minh Development JSC Bank	Vietnam	5.15
CapLand Ascendas REIT	Singapore	4.44
Bank Central Asia	Indonesia	4.16
City Developments Ltd	Singapore	4.04
Kelington Group Bhd	Malaysia	3.64
Singapore Telecommunications	Singapore	3.50
SEA Ltd	United States	3.38
Keppel DC REIT	Singapore	3.20

Fund Risk Statistics				
Beta	N/A			
Information Ratio	-0.18			
Sharpe Ratio	-0.01			

(3 years monthly data)

The holdings listed do not constitute a recommendation to purchase or sell a particular security. Any repeated issuer shown means same issuer with different coupon rate and/or maturity date. Cash and/or derivative positions that are not part of the core investment strategy will not be reflected in the top holdings list.



Fund holdings and allocations shown are unaudited and may not be representative of current or future investments. Percentages may not add up to 100% due to rounding and/or inclusion or exclusion of cash will not be reflected in the top holdings list.

#### **Fund Manager's Report**

For the month of October, the Fund recorded a loss of 0.09% in MYR term, underperforming the absolute benchmark by 82 basis points (bps). For the month, the major contributor were Indonesia and Thailand. By sectors, the major contributors were Industrials, Information Technology and Communication Services.

The Trump administration settled on tariffs at 10-20% of ASEAN economies. This removes much of the trade policy uncertainty, but external headwinds remains from geopolitical tensions. DXY appreciated in October as Fed easing in December turned uncertain. In October, Bank Indonesia surprised, keeping rates unchanged at 4.75%. Meanwhile, Philippines cut rates by 25bps to 4.75%. Earnings expectations have generally been trending lower through the year on macro uncertainty. Recovery expectations in 2H25 is pushed further back into 4Q25. Surprisingly, early 3Q GDP prints are beating expectations – demonstrating resilience in the region.

We continue to reduce our underweight in Singapore and investing into REITs, Property, Industrial and SMID names. We continue to like select Tech, Industrial and Utilities in Malaysia. Thailand's temporary political stability and upcoming elections offers relief in Consumer and Financials. Vietnam remains an overweight on strong policy supporting economic growth. We remain selective in Indonesia and are monitoring our Gold and Copper exposure.

Based on the fund's portfolio returns as at 15 October 2025, the Volatility Factor (VF) for this fund is 8.41 and is classified as "Moderate" (source: FIMM). The VF means there is a possibility for the fund in generating an upside return or downside return around this VF. The Volatility Class (VC) is assigned by FIMM based on quintile ranks of VF for qualified funds. VF is subject to monthly revision and VC will be revised every six months. The fund's portfolio may have changed since this date and there is no guarantee that the fund will continue to have the same VF or VC in the future. Presently, only funds launched in the market for at least 36 months will display the VF and its VC. We recommend that you read and understand the contents of the Principal ASEAN Dynamic Fund Prospectus Issue No. 5 dated 14 April 2023 which has been duly registered with the Securities Commission Malaysia, before investing and that you keep the said Fund Prospectus for your record. Any issue of units to which the Fund Prospectus relates will only be made upon receipt of the completed application form referred to in and accompanying the Fund Prospectus, subject to the terms and conditions therein. Investments in the Fund are exposed to country risk, credit (default) risk, currency risk, Equity specific risk, interest rate risk, liquidity risk, risk associated with temporary defensive positions, risk of investing in emerging markets. You can obtain a copy of the Fund Prospectus from the head office of Principal Asset Management Berhad or from any of our approved distributors. Product Highlight Sheet ("PHS") is available and that investors have the right to request for a PHS; and the PHS and any other product disclosure document should be read and understood before making any investment decision. There are fees and charges involved in investing in the funds. We suggest that you consider these charges carefully prior to making an investment. Unit prices and income distributions, if any, may fall or rise. Past performance is not reflec

Carefully consider a fund's objective, risks, charges and expenses.

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