

Kuwait Market I Equity

## Kamco Investment Fund

Factsheet I July-2025

### Fund Information

#### Benchmark

S&P Kuwait Domestic Liquid  
Capped Select Index TR

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Kuwait

#### Launch Date

April 2004

#### Structure

Open-Ended

#### NAV

KWD 2.633

#### Current Fund Size

KWD 36.42 mn

#### Base Currency

Kuwaiti Dinar (KWD)

#### Initial Investment

KWD 1,000

#### NAV Frequency

Weekly

#### Fees

Management 1.00% p.a.

Custodian & Controller 0.10% p.a.

Performance None

Redemption None

#### Custodian

Kuwait Clearing Co. K.S.C.

#### Auditors

BDO Al Nisf & Partners

#### Bloomberg Code

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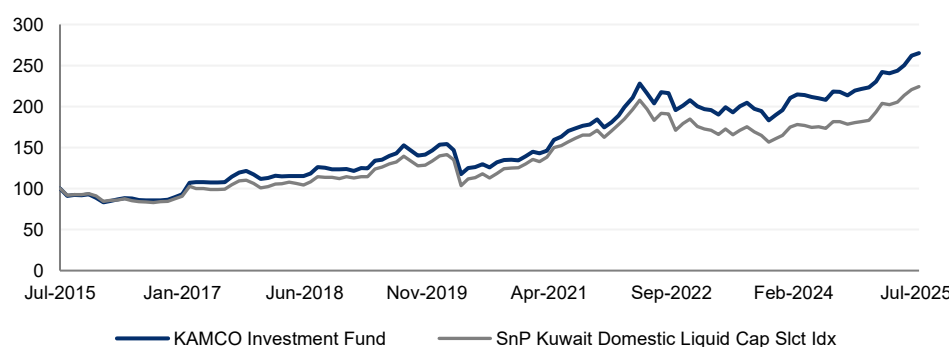
#### Fund Manager

Kamco Investment Company

### Fund Objective & Strategy

To provide investors with attractive returns both in the form of capital gains and income by investing selectively in companies listed on Boursa Kuwait, Treasury Bills and Initial Public Offerings (IPOs).

### USD100 Invested Trailing 10 Years



\*Benchmark: Kuwait Weighted Index through December-2016; S&P Kuwait Domestic Liquid Capped Select Index (TR) thereafter.

### Cumulative Returns

	1 M	3 M	6M	YTD	1 Y	3Y	5Y	10Y
<b>Fund</b>	1.2%	8.9%	15.1%	18.6%	21.5%	21.9%	110.9%	165.1%
<b>Benchmark</b>	1.7%	9.2%	16.0%	22.4%	23.6%	17.1%	98.8%	124.3%
<b>Difference</b>	-0.5%	-0.3%	-0.9%	-3.8%	-2.1%	4.8%	12.1%	40.8%

### Yearly Performance Ending 31st December

	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024
<b>Fund</b>	26.4%	-9.2%	29.8%	10.8%	-2.4%	14.3%
<b>Benchmark</b>	23.8%	-7.2%	30.9%	3.2%	-6.1%	11.2%

### Statistics over 5 years

Tracking Error	Beta	Information Ratio	Sharpe Ratio	Standard Deviation
3.47%	0.95	0.66	1.07	12.72%



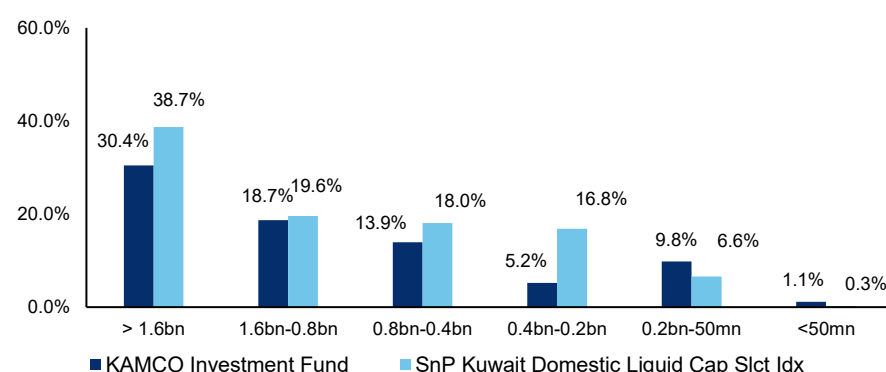
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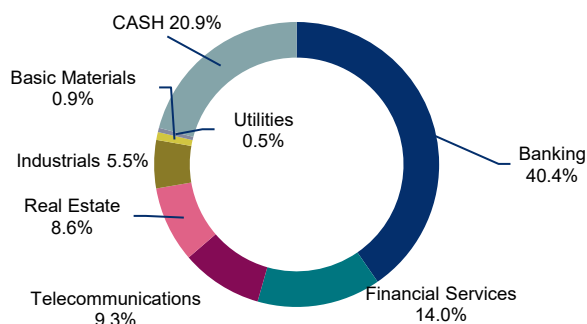
## Top Five Fund Holdings

MOBILE TELECOMMUNICATIONS COMPANY K.S.C. (ZAIN)
NATIONAL BANK OF KUWAIT
KUWAIT FINANCE HOUSE
GULF BANK
BOUBYAN BANK

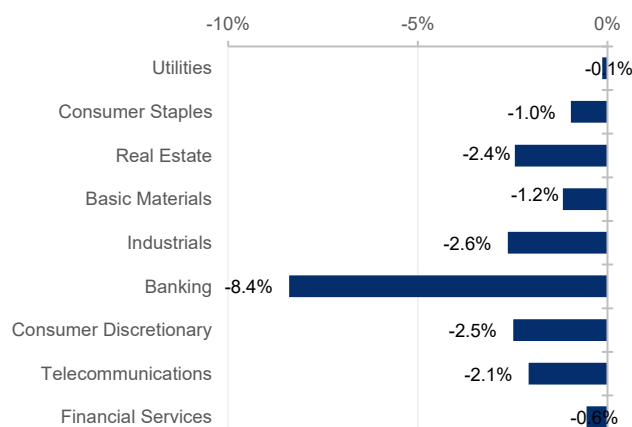
## Market Cap Weightings



## Sector Breakdown



## Sector Allocation vs. Benchmark



## Market Commentary

The S&P 500 increased 2.2% M-o-M in July, marking its third consecutive month of gains, despite paring some of the gains. Investors' optimism over strong corporate earnings pushed the index up, while weak jobs data and Trump's revamped plan for tariffs dampened the sentiment towards the month-end. The Federal Reserve kept the rate unchanged in July; however, the weak labor market data raises prospects for a rate cut in the upcoming meeting in September.

Brent Oil was up 7.3% M-o-M, driven by secondary tariff threats from the US on countries buying crude from Russia along with formal sanctions on Russian barrels. In early July, OPEC+ agreed to increase production by a larger than expected 548,000 barrels per day in August. Barring the geopolitical tensions, the oil prices might come under pressure owing to the expected continued hike in OPEC+ production and slowdown in the US economy.

The MSCI GCC index booked gains for the second consecutive month, rising by 2.2% M-o-M in July. The rally in the MSCI GCC index was led by the Dubai and Abu Dhabi indices, which were up 7.9% and 4.1% M-o-M, respectively. Investors flocked towards UAE stock markets owing to strong corporate results, especially in the real estate and banking sectors. The Kuwait Premier Market Index was also up by 1.2% M-o-M led by the technology and telecommunications sectors. Ten sectors ended the month in green while only three sectors were in the red namely Healthcare, Industrials, and Consumer Discretionary. The Saudi Tadawul Index was a major drag on MSCI GCC index, dropping by 2.2% M-o-M. The fall in the index was broad-based, with Utilities (-10.7%), Insurance (-9.1%), and Software & Services (-8.6%) sectors declining the most. Apart from Telecom, all sectors declined on a M-o-M basis and index heavy names like ACWA Power, and Al

Rajhi Bank led the drop. The 2QFY25 result season has been mixed with corporate earnings failing to impress the investors, while the banking sector posted good profitability growth Y-o-Y.

Trump's tariffs and geopolitical tensions shaped the investor sentiment in July. More clarity on tariff deals and subsiding geopolitical tensions will drive near-term performance in global equity markets. We maintain our strategy to invest in quality names with defensive growth, while opportunistically taking advantage of the prevalent mispricing in stocks that provide medium term growth at attractive fundamental levels.