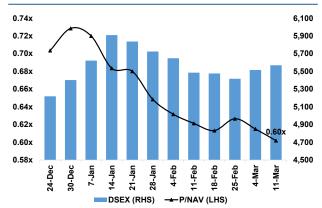


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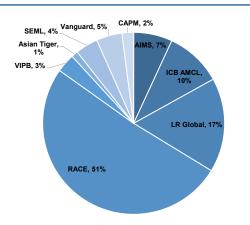
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Chart 1 - Change in weighted average Price to NAV ratio of the sector in the last two months:



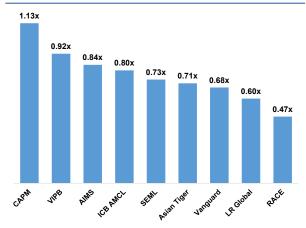
Source: BRAC EPL Research and DSE, March 2021

Chart 2 - Market share (AUM) of the fund managers:



Source: BRAC EPL Research and DSE, March 2021

Chart 3 - Price/NAV of the fund managers:



Source: BRAC EPL Research and DSE, March 2021

The fund managers have reported NAV of the closed-ended mutual funds for the week ending on March 11, 2021. Based on the recently reported NAV and today's (March 14, 2021) close prices, the sectoral Price to NAV stood at 0.60x, lower than last week's Price to NAV of 0.61x. On average, price of the mutual funds decreased by 1.10% and NAV of mutual funds increased by 1.06% from previous week against a positive 0.96% WoW change in DSEX. Among all the asset managers, ICB AMCL performed the best in terms of NAV return of its funds, gaining 1.88% during the week.

Among the 37 mutual funds, 35 of them were trading at discount. Market capitalization of 37 funds stood at BDT 38 billion (USD 450.2 million), while the Asset Under Management (AUM) of the sector stood at BDT 63.2 billion (USD 748 million). RACE holds the highest market share of 51.1% with 10 funds and AUM of BDT 32.3 billion. The fund manager has the lowest Price/NAV ratio of 0.47x, while LR Global stood at the second lowest Price/NAV ratio of 0.60x. The average daily turnover of the sector stood at BDT 92.1 million in the last trading week, which was 8.7% lower than the previous week's turnover value.

Table 1 - Funds traded with highest discount (top five)

Fund Name	Fund Manager	Discount	Price/ NAV	Price (BDT)
First Bangladesh Fixed Income Fund	RACE	56.0%	0.44x	4.90
Popular Life First M.F.	RACE	56.0%	0.44x	4.90
PHP First M.F. EBL NRB M.F.	RACE RACE	54.4% 53.1%	0.46x 0.47x	5.10 5.30
EXIM Bank 1st M.F.	RACE	51.7%	0.48x	5.50

Source: BRAC EPL Research and DSE, March 2021

Table 2 - Funds traded with highest premium

Fund Name	Fund	Premium	Price/ NAV	Price (BDT)
CAPM IBBL Islamic Mutual Fund	CAPM	42.6%	1.43x	16.20
Prime Finance First M.F.	ICB AMCL	26.6%	1.27x	15.10

Source: BRAC EPL Research and DSE, March 2021

Table 3 - Top five funds based on last four weeks NAV return*

Fund Name	Fund Manager	Return over DSEX	Price/ NAV	Price (BDT)
Phoenix Finance 1st M.F.	ICB AMCL	4.0%	0.82x	7.10
ICB AMCL Third NRB M.F.	ICB AMCL	3.8%	0.73x	6.10
Prime Finance First M.F.	ICB AMCL	3.5%	1.27x	15.10
CAPM IBBL Islamic Mutual Fund	CAPM	3.4%	1.43x	16.20
ICB Employees Provident M.F. 1: Scheme 1	ICB AMCL	3.2%	0.79x	6.50

Source: BRAC EPL Research and DSE, March 2021

Table 4 - Top five funds based on YTD NAV return

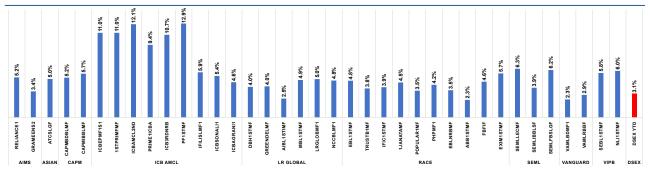
Fund Name	Fund Manager	NAV YTD	Price/ NAV	Price (BDT)
Phoenix Finance 1st M.F.	ICB AMCL	12.9%	0.82x	7.10
ICB AMCL Second M.F.	ICB AMCL	12.1%	0.85x	8.10
Prime Finance First M.F.	ICB AMCL	11.0%	1.27x	15.10
ICB Employees Provident M.F. 1: Scheme 1	ICB AMCL	11.0%	0.79x	6.50
ICB AMCL Third NRB M F	ICB AMCI	10.7%	0.73x	6 10

Source: BRAC EPL Research and DSE, March 2021

^{*} Calculated on the basis of total NAV reported in DSE



Chart 4 - YTD NAV Return of Mutual Funds:



Source: BRAC EPL Research and DSE, March 2021

Table 5 - Mutual Fund Sector Matrix

DSE Ticker	Year End	Price/ NAV		Latest NAV/ unit		Total NAV	Weekly NAV Return	Weekly Price Return	YTD NAV***	Redemption Year	ADTV Last Week (BDT MM)	Dividend Yield**
AIMS RELIANCE1 GRAMEENS2	Jun Jun	0.83x 0.84x	11.4 16.2	13.7 19.3	1.8% 7.8%	828 3,526	2.1% 0.8%	-0.9% -1.2%	5.2% 3.4%	Jul-21 Sep-28	1.9 5.0	0.0% 5.1%
Asian Tiger ATCSLGF	Jun	0.71x	8.4	11.9	1.4%	735	0.9%	-2.3%	5.0%	Mar-25	2.0	0.0%
CAPM CAPMBDBLMF CAPMIBBLMF	Jun Jun	0.73x 1.43x	8.0 16.2	11.0 11.4	1.1% 2.8%	552 760	1.1% 1.5%	-3.6% 0.6%	5.2% 5.7%	Jan-27 Mar-28	3.7 6.0	0.0% 0.0%
ICB AMCL ICBEPMF1S1 1STPRIMFMF ICBAMCL2ND PRIME1ICBA ICB3RDNRB	Jun Dec Jun Jun Jun	0.79x 1.27x 0.85x 0.75x 0.73x	6.5 15.1 8.1 6.7 6.1	8.3 11.9 9.5 9.0 8.3	1.3% 0.8% 1.1% 1.8% 1.6%	620 239 475 898 834	2.4% 1.1% 2.3% 1.7% 2.1%	-1.5% -3.8% 2.5% 1.5% 1.7%	11.0% 11.0% 12.1% 9.4% 10.7%	Jan-30 Mar-29 Oct-29 Jan-30 May-30	0.4 3.5 2.6 0.3 0.9	6.8% 4.7% 6.0% 6.9% 7.1%
PF1STMF IFILISLMF1 ICBSONALI1 ICBAGRANI1	Jun Jun Jun Jun	0.82x 0.74x 0.88x 0.73x	7.1 6.3 8.2 7.4	8.7 8.5 9.3 10.1	1.1% 1.7% 2.2% 1.9%	520 851 930 994	2.3% 1.9% 1.5% 1.7%	0.0% 1.6% 3.8% -2.6%	12.9% 5.9% 5.4% 4.6%	May-30 Nov-20 Jun-23 Aug-27	2.4 0.5 0.7 1.1	6.0% 5.9% 6.0% 6.3%
LR Global DBH1STMF GREENDELMF AIBL1STMF MBL1STMF LRGLOBMF1 NCCBLMF1	Jun Jun Mar Mar Sep Dec	0.59x 0.59x 0.76x 0.63x 0.54x 0.62x	6.9 6.9 8.9 7.6 6.6 7.2	11.8 11.6 11.8 12.1 12.2	2.2% 2.7% 2.3% 2.0% 5.4% 2.1%	1,415 1,740 1,177 1,215 3,787	0.4% 0.4% 0.5% 0.6% 0.6%	0.0% -4.2% -2.2% 1.3% 0.0%	4.0% 4.0% 2.5% 4.9% 5.0%	Feb-30 Sep-30 Jan-31 Feb-31 Sep-31	1.6 3.1 1.5 2.6 0.7	0.0% 0.0% 0.0% 0.0% 0.0% 8.1%
RACE EBL1STMF TRUSTB1MF	Jun Jun	0.55x 0.50x	6.1 5.7	11.6 11.2 11.5	2.3% 4.5%	1,264 1,619 3,484	0.7% 1.4% 1.2%	-4.0% -3.2% -1.7%	4.8% 4.8% 3.8%	May-32 Aug-29 Jan-30	3.4 1.1 6.5	0.0% 0.0%
IFIC1STMF 1JANATAMF POPULAR1MF PHPMF1	Jun Jun Jun Jun	0.50x 0.49x 0.44x 0.46x	5.5 5.5 4.9 5.1	11.0 11.2 11.1 11.2	2.6% 4.2% 3.9% 3.8%	2,009 3,249 3,328 3,155	1.2% 1.2% 0.8% 1.0%	-1.8% 0.0% 0.0% 0.0%	3.9% 4.5% 3.5% 4.2%	Mar-30 Sep-30 Oct-30 Nov-30	3.3 1.6 2.2 1.8	0.0% 0.0% 0.0% 0.0%
EBLNRBMF ABB1STMF FBFIF EXIM1STMF	Jun Jun Jun Jun	0.47x 0.50x 0.44x 0.48x	5.3 5.6 4.9 5.5	11.3 11.2 11.1 11.4	3.1% 3.5% 10.0% 2.1%	2,536 2,680 8,638 1,630	0.7% 0.7% 1.0% 1.3%	-1.9% -1.8% 0.0% 0.0%	3.5% 2.3% 4.6% 5.7%	May-31 Jan-32 Feb-32 Jun-33	2.2 5.8 3.4 4.7	0.0% 0.0% 0.0% 0.0%
SEML SEMLLECMF SEMLIBBLSF SEMLFBSLGF	Jun Jun Jun Jun	0.68x 0.83x 0.65x	7.7 9.1 7.8	11.4 11.0 12.0	1.0% 2.4% 1.5%	568 1,098 877	2.0% 1.2% 1.3%	-1.3% 1.1% 0.0%	6.3% 3.9% 6.2%	Oct-25 Feb-27 Mar-29	2.2 2.2 2.4	0.0% 0.0% 2.3%
Vanguard VAMLBDMF1 VAMLRBBF	Sept Dec	0.60x 0.74x	7.0 7.7	11.7 10.5	1.9% 3.2%	1,222 1,661	1.1% 0.8%	-4.1% -12.5%	2.3% 2.9%	Oct-25 Dec-26	1.3	3.4% 0.0%
SEBL1STMF NLI1STMF	Jun Jun	0.93x 0.89x	12.7 13.0	13.7 14.6	3.3% 1.7%	1,365 733	1.3% 1.5%	1.6% 0.0%	5.8% 6.0%	May-21 Feb-22	1.6 2.1	3.0% 4.5%

Figures in BDT

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The table above lists fund managers on alphabetical order.

^{*}NAVs of ICB AMCL funds were updated on March 09, 2021; NAVs of all other funds were updated on March 11, 2021.
**Dividend Yield is based on latest declarations and price on record date.
***YTD NAV is calculated on the basis of calendar year (from Dec 30, 2020).



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