

AL RAJHI GCC EQUITY FUND
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Condensed Interim Financial Statements (Unaudited)
For the six-month period ended 30 June 2021
together with the
Independent Auditor's Report to the Unitholders

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Independent auditor's review report on the condensed interim financial statements

To the Unitholders of Al Rajhi GCC Equity Fund

Introduction

We have reviewed the accompanying 30 June 2021 condensed interim financial statements of **Al Rajhi GCC Equity Fund** (the "Fund"), managed by Al Rajhi Capital Company (the "Fund Manager"), which comprises:

- the condensed interim statement of financial position as at 30 June 2021;
- the condensed interim statement of comprehensive income for the six-month period ended 30 June 2021;
- the condensed interim statement of changes in net assets (equity) attributable to the Unitholders for the six-month period ended 30 June 2021;
- the condensed interim statement of cash flows for the six-month period ended 30 June 2021; and
- the notes to the condensed interim financial statements.

The Fund Manager is responsible for the preparation and presentation of these condensed interim financial statements in accordance with IAS 34, 'Interim Financial Reporting' that is endorsed in the Kingdom of Saudi Arabia and to comply with the applicable provisions of the Investment Funds Regulations issued by Capital Market Authority, the Fund's Terms and Conditions and the Information Memorandum. Our responsibility is to express a conclusion on these condensed interim financial statements based on our review.

Scope of review

We conducted our review in accordance with the International Standard on Review Engagements 2410, 'Review of Interim Financial Information Performed by the Independent Auditor of the Entity' that is endorsed in the Kingdom of Saudi Arabia. A review of interim financial information consists of making inquiries, primarily of persons responsible for financial and accounting matters, and applying analytical and other review procedures. A review is substantially less in scope than an audit conducted in accordance with International Standards on Auditing that are endorsed in the Kingdom of Saudi Arabia, and consequently does not enable us to obtain assurance that we would become aware of all significant matters that might be identified in an audit. Accordingly, we do not express an audit opinion.

Conclusion

Based on our review, nothing has come to our attention that causes us to believe that the accompanying 30 June 2021 condensed interim financial statements of **Al Rajhi GCC Equity Fund** are not prepared, in all material respects, in accordance with IAS 34, 'Interim Financial Reporting' that is endorsed in the Kingdom of Saudi Arabia.

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Condensed Interim Statement of Financial Position (Unaudited)
As at 30 June 2021

	<i>Notes</i>	30 June 2021 (Unaudited) SR	31 December 2020 (Audited) SR
<u>ASSETS</u>			
Cash and cash equivalents	7	3,531,715	4,045,376
Investments at fair value through profit or loss (“FVTPL”)	8	148,025,520	118,405,778
Receivable from sold securities		10,114,470	-
Dividends receivable		247,616	415,357
Total Assets		161,919,321	122,866,511
<u>LIABILITIES</u>			
Management fee payable	9	251,876	209,232
Fund Board fee payable	9	3,497	6,450
Payable against investments		9,636,313	558,996
Payable to Unitholders on account of redemptions		-	150,966
Accrued expenses	10	160,513	148,079
Total Liabilities		10,052,199	1,073,723
Net assets (equity) attributable to the Unitholders		151,867,122	121,792,788
Units in issue (numbers)		823,054	865,147
Net assets (equity) attributable to each unit (SR)		184.52	140.78

The accompanying notes 1 to 18 form an integral part of these condensed interim financial statements.

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Condensed Interim Statement of Comprehensive Income (Unaudited)
For the six-month period ended 30 June 2021

		For the six-month period ended 30 June	
		<u>2021</u>	<u>2020</u>
<i>Notes</i>		<i>SR</i>	<i>SR</i>
INCOME			
		15,041,884	(5,164,795)
		21,367,019	(5,506,192)
		2,331,900	2,302,649
		38,740,803	(8,368,338)
EXPENSES			
	9	(1,383,715)	(919,556)
	11	(84,541)	(61,023)
	12	(83,943)	(107,699)
		(1,552,199)	(1,088,278)
		37,188,604	(9,456,616)
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		37,188,604	(9,456,616)

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Condensed Interim Statement of Changes in Net Assets (Equity)
Attributable to the Unitholders (Unaudited)
For the six-month period ended 30 June 2021

	For the six-month period ended 30 June	
	<u>2021</u>	<u>2020</u>
	SR	SR
Net assets (equity) attributable to the Unitholders at beginning of the period	121,792,788	119,240,873
Net income / (loss) for the period	37,188,604	(9,456,616)
Other comprehensive income for the period	-	-
Total comprehensive income / (loss) for the period	37,188,604	(9,456,616)
Contributions and redemptions by the Unitholders		
Proceeds from issuance of units during the period	976,256	208,810
Payments on redemption of units during the period	(8,090,526)	(3,106,537)
Net redemptions by the Unitholders	(7,114,270)	(2,897,727)
Net assets (equity) attributable to the Unitholders at end of the period	151,867,122	106,886,530
	<u>2021</u>	<u>2020</u>
	<u>Units</u>	<u>Units</u>
Unit transactions (numbers)		
Units in issuance at beginning of the period	865,147	989,385
Issuance of units during the period	5,651	1,799
Redemption of units during the period	(47,744)	(27,579)
Net decrease in units	(42,093)	(25,780)
Units in issuance at end of the period	823,054	963,605

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Condensed Interim Statement of Cash Flows (Unaudited)
For the six-month period ended 30 June 2021

	For the six-month period ended 30 June	
	<u>2021</u> SR	<u>2020</u> SR
Cash flows from operating activities		
Net income / (loss) for the period	37,188,604	(9,456,616)
<i>Adjustments for:</i>		
Net (gain) / loss on investments at FVTPL	(36,408,903)	10,670,987
Net changes in operating assets and liabilities		
Decrease / (increase) in investments at FVTPL	6,789,161	(3,964,265)
Decrease in dividend receivable	167,741	570,850
(Increase) / decrease in receivables from sold securities	(10,114,470)	11,888,678
Increase / (decrease) in management fee payable	42,644	(222,651)
(Decrease) / increase in Fund board fee payable	(2,953)	3,511
Increase in payable against investments	9,077,317	6,765
(Decrease) / increase in payable to Unitholders on account of redemptions	(150,966)	3,058
Increase in accrued expenses	12,434	4,329
	6,600,609	9,504,646
Net cash flows generated from operating activities		
Cash flows from financing activities		
Proceeds from issuance of units	976,256	208,810
Payments on redemption of units	(8,090,526)	(3,106,537)
Net cash flows (used in) financing activities	(7,114,270)	(2,897,727)
Net (decrease) / increase in cash and cash equivalents	(513,661)	6,606,919
Cash and cash equivalents at the beginning of the period	4,045,376	275,551
Cash and cash equivalents at the end of the period	3,531,715	6,882,470

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1. LEGAL STATUS AND PRINCIPAL ACTIVITIES

- (a) Al Rajhi GCC Equity Fund (the “Fund”) is an open-ended investment fund created by an agreement between Al Rajhi Capital Company (the “Fund Manager”), a wholly owned subsidiary of Al Rajhi Banking and Investment Corporation (the “Bank”) and investors (the “Unitholders”) in the Fund. The address of the Fund Manager is as follows:

Al Rajhi Capital, Head Office
8467 King Fahad Road, Al Muruj District
P.O. Box 2743
Riyadh 11263
Kingdom of Saudi Arabia

The Fund is designed for investors seeking capital appreciation over long term. The assets of the Fund are invested in publicly traded stocks in GCC markets in accordance with Sharia principles. All the trading profits are reinvested in the Fund. The Fund was established on 21 Shawal 1418H (corresponding to February 18, 1998).

The Fund Manager is responsible for the overall management of the Fund's activities. The Fund Manager can also enter into arrangements with other institutions for the provision of investment, custody or other administrative services on behalf of the Fund. The Fund pays the Fund Manager a management fee calculated at an annual rate of 1.75% per annum calculated on the total assets value at each valuation date. The fee is intended to compensate the Fund Manager for administration of the Fund.

The Fund has appointed Al Bilad Investment Company (the “Custodian”) to act as its custodian. The fees of the custodian are paid by the Fund.

- (b) The Fund is governed by the Investment Fund Regulations (the “Regulations”) issued by the Capital Market Authority (“CMA”) on 3 Dhul Hijja 1427H (corresponding to 24 December 2006) thereafter amended (the “Amended Regulations”) on 16 Sha’ban 1437H (corresponding to 23 May 2016) detailing requirements for all funds within the Kingdom of Saudi Arabia. The Amended Regulations came into effect from 6 Safar 1438H (corresponding to 6 November 2016).

Furthermore, the Capital Market Authority, on 1 March 2021, has issued certain amendments to the Investment Funds Regulations and Glossary of Defined Terms Used in the Regulations and Rules of the Capital Market Authority. These amendments have effective dates starting from 1 May 2021. The Fund Manager is currently in the process of evaluating the impact, if any, of these amendments on the Fund's financial statements.

2. BASIS OF ACCOUNTING

These condensed interim financial statements are prepared in accordance with International Accounting Standard 34 ‘Interim Financial Reporting’ (“IAS 34”) as endorsed in the Kingdom of Saudi Arabia and to comply with the applicable provisions of the Investment Fund Regulations issued by the CMA, the Fund's terms and conditions and the Information Memorandum. These condensed interim financial statements do not include all the information and disclosures required in the annual audited financial statements, and should be read in conjunction with the Fund's annual audited financial statements for the year ended 31 December 2020.

3. BASIS OF MEASUREMENT

These condensed interim financial statements have been prepared on a historical cost basis, using the accrual basis of accounting except for investments held at FVTPL that were measured at fair value.

The Fund does not have a clearly identifiable operating cycle and therefore does not present current and non-current assets and liabilities separately in the condensed interim statement of financial position. Instead, assets and liabilities are presented in order of their liquidity.

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4. FUNCTIONAL AND PRESENTATION CURRENCY

These condensed interim financial statements are presented in Saudi Arabian Riyal (“SR”), which is the Fund’s functional currency. All amounts have been rounded to the nearest SR, unless otherwise indicated.

5. USE OF JUDGMENTS AND ESTIMATES

In preparing these condensed interim financial statements, management has made judgments, estimates and assumptions that affect the application of accounting policies and the reported amounts of assets, liabilities, income and expenses. Actual results may differ from these estimates.

Estimates and underlying assumptions are reviewed on an ongoing basis. Revisions to estimates are recognized prospectively.

6. SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

The principal accounting policies applied in the preparation of these condensed interim financial statements are consistent with those used in the preparation of the annual audited financial statements for the year ended 31 December 2020.

a) *New IFRS standards, IFRIC interpretations and amendments thereof, adopted by the Fund*

The following new standards, amendments and revisions to existing standards, which were issued by the International Accounting Standards Board (IASB) have been effective from 1 January 2021 and accordingly adopted by the Fund, as applicable:

<u>Standards / Amendments</u>	<u>Description</u>
Amendments to IFRS 9, 7, 4, 16 and IAS 39	Interest Rate Benchmark Reform

The adoption of the amended standards and interpretations applicable to the Fund did not have any significant impact on these condensed interim financial statements.

b) *New IFRS standards, IFRIC interpretations and amendments thereof issued but not yet effective*

The following new standards, amendments and revisions to existing standards, which were issued by IASB but not yet effective up to the date of issuance of the Fund’s condensed interim financial statements. The Fund intends to adopt these standards when they become effective.

<u>Standards / Amendments</u>	<u>Description</u>	<u>Effective from periods beginning on or after the following date</u>
Amendments to IAS 37	Onerous Contracts: cost of Fulfilling a Contract	1 January 2022
Amendments to IFRS 1, IFRS 9	Annual Improvements to IFRS Standards 2018-2020	1 January 2022
Amendments to IAS 16	Property, Plant and Equipment: Proceeds before Intended Use	1 January 2022
Amendments to IFRS 3	Reference to the Conceptual framework	1 January 2022
Amendments to IAS 1	Classification of Liabilities as Current or Non-current	1 January 2023
IFRS 17	Insurance Contracts	1 January 2023
Amendments to IAS 8	Definition of Accounting Estimate	1 January 2023
Amendments to IAS 1 and IFRS Practice Statement 2	Disclosure of Accounting Policies	1 January 2023
Amendments to IFRS 10 and IAS 28	Sale for Contribution of Assets between an Investor and its Associate or Joint Venture	Available for optional adoption

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7. CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS

Cash and cash equivalents comprise of bank balances with Al Rajhi Banking and Investment Corporation (the "Bank"), being the parent entity of the Fund Manager. In addition, these balances also comprise of cash placed with Al Bilad Investment Company (the Custodian) for buying and selling of investment securities.

8. INVESTMENTS AT FAIR VALUE THROUGH PROFIT OR LOSS (FVTPL)

Investments at FVTPL comprise equity securities in the following countries as at the reporting date:

	30 June 2021 (Unaudited)			
	Cost SR	Fair value SR	% of Fair value	Unrealised gain SR
<i><u>Investments (by country)</u></i>				
Kingdom of Saudi Arabia	103,456,391	128,664,600	86.92	25,208,209
United Arab Emirates	9,666,360	12,260,164	8.28	2,593,804
Kuwait	3,650,195	4,030,064	2.72	379,869
Oman	1,546,046	3,070,692	2.08	1,524,646
Total	118,318,992	148,025,520	100.00	29,706,528
31 December 2020 (Audited)				
	Cost SR	Fair value SR	% of Fair value	Unrealised gain/(loss) SR
<i><u>Investments (by country)</u></i>				
Kingdom of Saudi Arabia	81,117,026	94,004,634	79.39	12,887,608
United Arab Emirates	9,811,331	11,841,632	10.00	2,030,301
Kuwait	11,055,407	10,357,331	8.75	(698,076)
Oman	1,757,370	2,202,181	1.86	444,811
Total	103,741,134	118,405,778	100.00	14,664,644

9. RELATED PARTY TRANSACTIONS AND BALANCES

The related parties of the Fund include the Bank, the Fund Manager, the Fund Board, other funds managed by the Fund Manager and key management personnel of the Fund Manager. In the ordinary course of its activities, the Fund transacts business with the Fund Manager.

In addition to transactions disclosed elsewhere in these condensed interim financial statements, the Fund entered into the following transactions with related parties during the period. These transactions were carried out on the basis of approved terms and conditions of the Fund.

Related Party	Nature of relationship	Nature of transaction	For the six-month period ended 30 June	
			<u>2021</u>	<u>2020</u>
Al Rajhi Capital Company	The Fund Manager	Management fee	1,383,715	919,556
The Fund Board	The Fund Board	Fund Board fee to members of the Board	1,729	2,100

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9. RELATED PARTY TRANSACTIONS AND BALANCES (CONTINUED)

Balances arising from the above transactions with related parties are as follows

Related Party	Nature of relationship	Nature of balance	30 June	31 December
			<u>2021</u>	<u>2020</u>
Al Rajhi Capital Company	The Fund Manager	Management fee payable	251,876	209,232
The Fund Board	The Fund Board	Fund Board fee payable to members of the Board	3,497	6,450

The units in issue at 30 June 2021 include 101 units held by the employees of the Fund Manager (31 December 2020: 101 units).

The independent directors are entitled to remuneration for their services at rates determined by the Fund's terms and conditions in respect of attending meetings of the board of directors or meetings of the Fund. Independent directors' fees are currently SR 5,000 per meeting up to a maximum of 2 meetings per annum per director which is paid equally by all funds supervised by the board.

10. ACCRUED EXPENSES

	<i>30 June</i> <i>2021</i> <i>(Unaudited)</i> <i>SR</i>	<i>31 December</i> <i>2020</i> <i>(Audited)</i> <i>SR</i>
Accrued purification fees	68,548	56,104
Accrued edaa fees	29,314	22,832
Accrued professional fees	22,716	25,300
Accrued benchmark fees	15,112	30,475
Other accrued expenses	24,823	13,368
	<u>160,513</u>	<u>148,079</u>

11. PURIFICATION CHARGES

The purification charges amounting to SR 84,541 (30 June 2020: SR 61,023), represent charges incurred in respect of purification of the income generated from the investee companies in order to achieve a Sharia compliant return. These charges are calculated based on the Fund's Sharia Board approved formula and paid to charities recommended by the Fund's Sharia Board through the Fund Manager.

12. OTHER EXPENSES

	For the six-month period ended 30 June	
	<i>2021</i> <i>(Unaudited)</i> <i>SR</i>	<i>2020</i> <i>(Unaudited)</i> <i>SR</i>
Custody fee	25,892	9,876
Professional fees	22,716	18,275
Benchmark fees	15,112	13,836
Others	20,223	65,712
	<u>83,943</u>	<u>107,699</u>

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13. FAIR VALUE MEASUREMENT

The Fund measures fair values using the following fair value hierarchy that reflects the significance of the inputs used in making the measurements. Level 1: Inputs that are quoted market prices (unadjusted) in active markets for identical instruments.

Level 2: Inputs other than quoted prices included within Level 1 that are observable either directly (i.e. as prices) or indirectly (i.e. derived from prices). This category includes instruments valued using: quoted market prices in active markets for similar instruments; quoted prices for identical or similar instruments in markets that are considered less than active; or other valuation techniques in which all significant inputs are directly or indirectly observable from market data.

Level 3: Inputs that are unobservable. This category includes all instruments for which the valuation technique includes inputs not based on observable data and the unobservable inputs have a significant effect on the instrument's valuation. This category includes instruments that are valued based on quoted prices for similar instruments but for which significant unobservable adjustments or assumptions are required to reflect differences between the instruments.

The Fund only carries investments at FVTPL which are measured at fair value and are classified within level 1 of the fair value hierarchy. Other financial instruments such as cash and cash equivalents, management fee payable and accrued expenses are short term financial assets and financial liabilities whose carrying amounts are approximate to fair value, because of their short-term nature and the high credit quality of counterparties. There were no transfers between various levels of fair value hierarchy during the current period or prior year.

14. MATURITY ANALYSIS OF FINANCIAL ASSETS AND FINANCIAL LIABILITIES

The table below shows an analysis of assets and liabilities according to when they are expected to be recovered or settled respectively:

	<i>No fixed maturity SR</i>	<i>Within 12 months SR</i>	<i>After 12 months SR</i>	<i>Total SR</i>
<i>As at 30 June 2021 (Unaudited)</i>				
ASSETS				
Cash and cash equivalents	3,531,715	-	-	3,531,715
Investments at FVTPL	148,025,520	-	-	148,025,520
Receivable from sold securities	-	10,114,470	-	10,114,470
Dividends receivable	-	247,616	-	247,616
TOTAL ASSETS	<u>151,557,235</u>	<u>10,362,086</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>161,919,321</u>
LIABILITIES				
Management fee payable	-	251,876	-	251,876
Fund Board fee payable	-	3,497	-	3,497
Payable against investments	-	9,636,313	-	9,636,313
Accrued expenses	-	160,513	-	160,513
TOTAL LIABILITIES	<u>-</u>	<u>10,052,199</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>10,052,199</u>

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14. MATURITY ANALYSIS OF FINANCIAL ASSETS AND FINANCIAL LIABILITIES (CONTINUED)

	<i>No fixed maturity SR</i>	<i>Within 12 months SR</i>	<i>After 12 months SR</i>	<i>Total SR</i>
<i>As at 31 December 2020 (Audited)</i>				
ASSETS				
Cash and cash equivalents	4,045,376	-	-	4,045,376
Investments at FVTPL	118,405,778	-	-	118,405,778
Dividends receivable	-	415,357	-	415,357
TOTAL ASSETS	<u>122,451,154</u>	<u>415,357</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>122,866,511</u>
LIABILITIES				
Management fee payable	-	209,232	-	209,232
Fund Board fee payable	-	6,450	-	6,450
Payable against investments	-	558,996	-	558,996
Payable to Unitholders on account of redemptions	-	150,966	-	150,966
Accrued expenses	-	148,079	-	148,079
TOTAL LIABILITIES	<u>-</u>	<u>1,073,723</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>1,073,723</u>

15. LAST VALUATION DAY

The last valuation day of the period was 30 June 2021 (2020: 31 December 2020).

16. IMPACT OF COVID-19

The Coronavirus (“COVID-19”) pandemic continues to disrupt global markets as many geographies are experiencing multiple waves of infections despite having previously controlled the outbreak through aggressive precautionary measures. The Government of the Kingdom of Saudi Arabia, however, managed to successfully control the outbreak to date.

The Fund Manager continues to evaluate the current situation through reviewing its investment strategy and other risk management practices to manage the impact COVID 19 outbreak has had on its normal operations and financial performance.

17. EVENTS AFTER THE END OF THE REPORTING PERIOD

There are no events subsequent to the reporting date which require adjustments of or disclosure in the financial statements or notes thereto.

18. APPROVAL OF THE CONDENSED INTERIM FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

These condensed interim financial statements were approved by the Fund Board on 8 Muharram 1443H (corresponding to 16 August 2021).