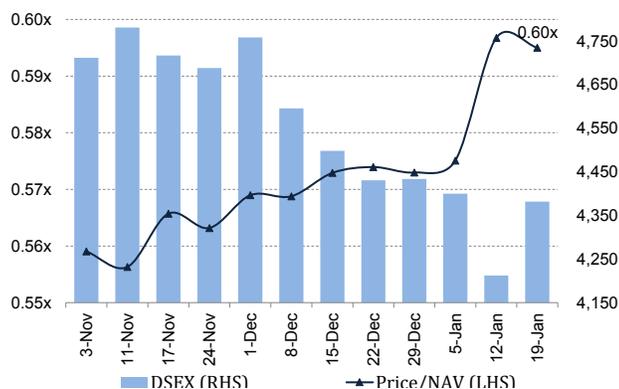


Weekly Report on Mutual Funds January 19, 2020

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

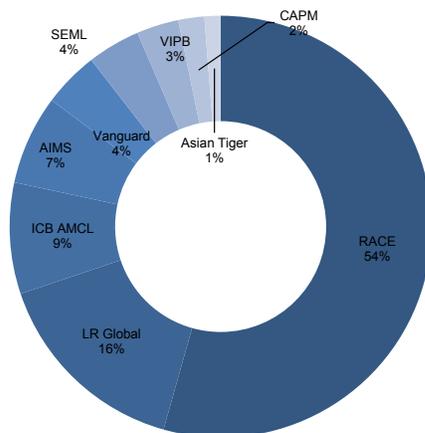


Source: BRAC EPL Research and DSE, January 2020

The fund managers have reported NAV of the closed-ended mutual funds for the week ending on January 16, 2020. Based on the recently reported NAV and today's (January 19, 2020) close prices, the sectoral Price to NAV stood at 0.60x, equivalent to last week's Price to NAV. On average, price of the mutual funds decreased by 0.88% and NAV of mutual funds decreased by 0.59% from previous week against a negative 1.13% WoW change in DSEX. Among all the asset managers, LR Global performed best in terms of NAV return of its funds, gaining 0.19% during the week.

Among the 37 mutual funds, 34 of them were trading at discount. Market capitalization of 37 funds stood at BDT 30.4 billion (USD 370.8 million), while the Asset Under Management (AUM) of the sector stood at BDT 51.1 billion (USD 623.3 million). RACE holds the highest market share of 54.04 with 10 funds and AUM of BDT 27.8 billion. The fund manager has the lowest Price/NAV ratio of 0.44x, while Vanguard stood at the second lowest Price/NAV ratio of 0.58x. The average daily turnover of the sector stood at BDT 44.1 million in the last week, which was 7.8% higher than the previous week's turnover value.

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



Source: BRAC EPL Research and DSE, January 2020

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

Fund Name	Fund Manager	Discount	Price/NAV	Price (BDT)
First Bangladesh Fixed Income Fund	RACE	60.5%	0.40x	3.80
EBL NRB M.F.	RACE	57.4%	0.43x	4.10
Popular Life First M.F.	RACE	57.3%	0.43x	4.20
AB Bank 1st M.F.	RACE	56.8%	0.43x	4.10
PHP First M.F.	RACE	56.7%	0.43x	4.20

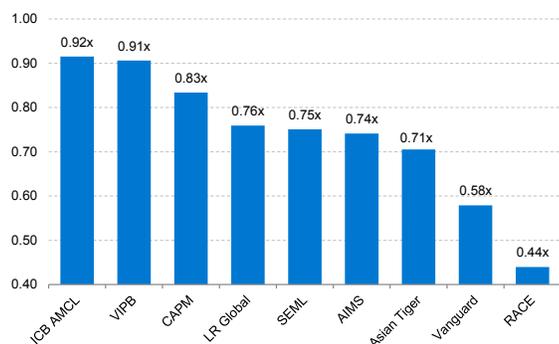
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Table 2 - Funds traded with highest premium

Fund Name	Fund Manager	Premium	Price/NAV	Price (BDT)
Prime Finance First M.F.	ICB AMCL	72.7%	1.73x	14.90
ICB AMCL Second M.F.	ICB AMCL	30.4%	1.30x	7.90
Phoenix Finance 1st M.F.	ICB AMCL	1.8%	1.02x	5.80

Source: BRAC EPL Research and DSE, January 2020

Chart 3 - Price/NAV of the fund managers:



Source: BRAC EPL Research and DSE, January 2020

* Calculated on the basis of total NAV reported in DSE

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

Fund Name	Fund Manager	Excess Return over DSEX	Price/NAV	Price (BDT)
Prime Finance First Mutual Fund	ICB AMCL	7.5%	1.73x	14.90
SEML FBLSL Growth Fund	SEML	6.1%	0.89x	9.00
Popular Life First Mutual Fund	RACE	4.1%	0.43x	4.20
CAPM IBBL Islamic Mutual Fund	CAPM	4.0%	0.78x	7.00
PHP First Mutual Fund	RACE	3.9%	0.43x	4.20

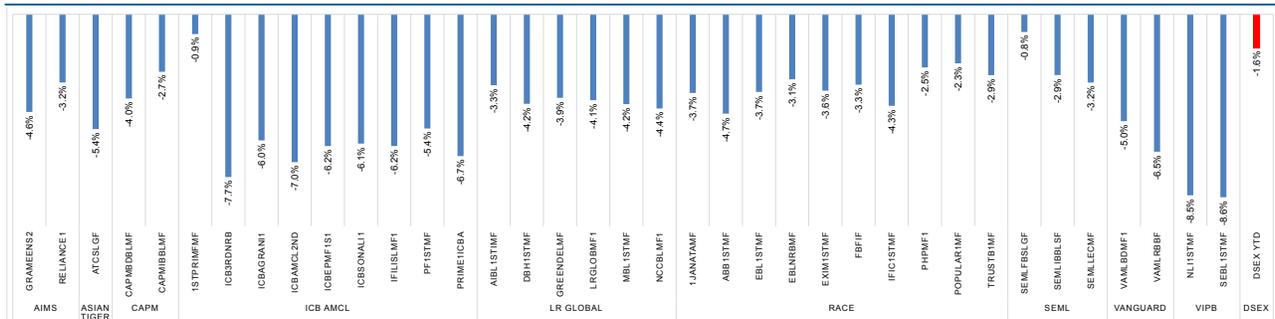
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Table 4 - Top five funds based on YTD NAV return

Fund Name	Fund Manager	NAV YTD	Price/NAV	Price (BDT)
SEML FBLSL Growth Fund	SEML	-0.8%	0.89x	9.00
Prime Finance First Mutual Fund	ICB AMCL	-0.9%	1.73x	14.90
Popular Life First Mutual Fund	RACE	-2.3%	0.43x	4.20
PHP First Mutual Fund	RACE	-2.5%	0.43x	4.20
CAPM IBBL Islamic Mutual Fund	CAPM	-2.7%	0.78x	7.00

Source: BRAC EPL Research and DSE, January 2020

Chart 4 - YTD NAV Return of Mutual Funds:



Source: BRAC EPL Research and DSE, January 2020

Table 5 - Mutual Fund Sector Matrix

DSE Ticker	Year End	Price/NAV	Current Price	Latest NAV/ unit	Market Share	Total NAV	YTD NAV***	Redemption Year	ADTV Last Week (BDT MM)	Dividend Yield**
AIMS										
RELIANCE1	Jun	0.71x	7.70	10.90	1.5%	659.2	-3.2%	Jul-21	1.20	10.3%
GRAMEENS2	Jun	0.75x	11.70	15.62	7.0%	2,848.4	-4.6%	Sep-18	0.3	7.3%
Asian Tiger										
ATCSLGF	Jun	0.71x	7.20	10.21	1.5%	630.5	-5.4%	Mar-25	1.9	8.3%
CAPM										
CAPMBDBLMF	Jun	0.91x	7.60	8.39	1.3%	420.4	-4.0%	Jan-27	0.3	7.0%
CAPMIBBLMF	Jun	0.78x	7.00	8.94	1.5%	597.5	-2.7%	Mar-28	0.9	9.6%
ICB AMCL										
ICBEPMF1S1	Jun	0.84x	4.40	5.24	1.1%	393.2	-6.2%	Jan-20	0.2	8.7%
1STPRIMFMF	Dec	1.73x	14.90	8.63	1.0%	172.5	-0.9%	Mar-29	4.5	7.5%
ICBAMCL2ND	Jun	1.30x	7.90	6.06	1.3%	303.0	-7.0%	Oct-19	0.6	7.5%
PRIME1ICBA	Jun	0.81x	4.90	6.03	1.6%	603.5	-6.7%	Jan-20	0.1	9.7%
ICB3RDNRB	Jun	0.88x	4.70	5.34	1.5%	534.4	-7.7%	May-20	0.0	7.4%
PF1STMF	Jun	1.02x	5.80	5.70	1.1%	342.0	-5.4%	May-20	4.8	7.8%
IFILSLMF1	Jun	0.87x	5.40	6.18	1.8%	617.9	-6.2%	Nov-20	0.1	9.2%
ICBSONALI1	Jun	0.83x	5.60	6.75	1.8%	674.8	-6.1%	Jun-23	0.1	9.2%
ICBAGRANI1	Jun	0.78x	5.70	7.33	1.8%	719.7	-6.0%	Aug-27	0.5	8.2%
LR Global										
DBH1STMF	Jun	0.81x	7.10	8.75	2.8%	1,049.7	-4.2%	Feb-30	0.3	9.3%
GREENDELMF	Jun	0.81x	7.10	8.77	3.5%	1,314.8	-3.9%	Sep-30	0.2	10.3%
AIBL1STMF	Mar	0.80x	7.30	9.12	2.4%	912.1	-3.3%	Jan-31	0.0	9.8%
MBL1STMF	Mar	0.71x	6.30	8.92	2.1%	892.4	-4.2%	Feb-31	0.0	10.8%
LRGLOBMF1	Sep	0.75x	6.70	8.91	6.9%	2,772.0	-4.1%	Sep-31	0.9	6.1%
NCCBLMF1	Dec	0.66x	5.90	8.90	2.1%	965.9	-4.4%	May-32	0.2	8.0%
RACE										
EBL1STMF	Jun	0.46x	4.40	9.57	2.1%	1,385.9	-3.7%	Aug-29	0.2	5.5%
TRUSTB1MF	Jun	0.51x	5.00	9.71	5.0%	2,948.0	-2.9%	Jan-30	5.6	7.8%
IFIC1STMF	Jun	0.52x	4.90	9.43	2.9%	1,718.7	-4.3%	Mar-30	1.5	0.7%
1JANATAMF	Jun	0.45x	4.40	9.70	4.2%	2,811.5	-3.7%	Sep-30	1.0	6.8%
POPULAR1MF	Jun	0.43x	4.20	9.83	4.1%	2,940.4	-2.3%	Oct-30	2.3	7.0%
PHPMF1	Jun	0.43x	4.20	9.70	3.9%	2,735.2	-2.5%	Nov-30	0.8	7.0%
EBLNRBMF	Jun	0.43x	4.10	9.63	3.0%	2,159.5	-3.1%	May-31	0.3	6.1%
ABB1STMF	Jun	0.43x	4.10	9.48	3.2%	2,266.4	-4.7%	Jan-32	3.6	6.8%
FBFIF	Jun	0.40x	3.80	9.61	9.7%	7,461.0	-3.3%	Feb-32	0.6	7.0%
EXIM1STMF	Jun	0.44x	4.20	9.47	2.0%	1,356.1	-3.6%	Jun-33	0.7	7.1%
SEML										
SEMLLECMF	Jun	0.63x	5.60	8.91	0.9%	445.7	-3.2%	Oct-25	1.5	7.2%
SEMLIBLSF	Jun	0.70x	6.20	8.91	2.0%	891.0	-2.9%	Feb-27	0.6	5.6%
SEMLFBSLGF	Jun	0.89x	9.00	10.10	2.2%	736.5	-0.8%	Mar-29	6.8	2.8%
Vanguard										
VAMLBDMF1	Sept	0.58x	5.10	8.84	1.7%	922.0	-5.0%	Oct-25	0.1	0.0%
VAMLRBBF	Dec	0.58x	4.60	7.93	2.4%	1,259.0	-6.5%	Dec-26	0.2	7.2%
VIPB										
SEBL1STMF	Jun	0.92x	9.80	10.71	3.2%	1,069.0	-8.6%	May-21	0.1	10.1%
NLI1STMF	Jun	0.89x	10.20	11.47	1.7%	577.5	-8.5%	Feb-22	1.0	10.2%

Figures in BDT

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The table above lists fund managers on alphabetical order.

*NAV of ICB AMCL funds were updated on January 14, 2020; NAVs of all other funds were updated on January 16, 2020.

**Dividend Yield is based on latest declarations and price on record date.

***YTD NAV is calculated on the basis of calendar year (from Dec 29, 2019).

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