AIA's Monthly Investment Market and Unit Linked Fund Update

For the month of May 2025

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Unit-linked Price Performance - As at month end

	Growth	Balanced	Secure	Protected	Stable MM	ASPI	S&P SL20
Since 01 Jan 2025 (YTD)	5.4%	3.9%	3.1%	2.9%	3.3%	5.7%	2.5%
Annual Effective Growth Rate							
1 year	40.8%	28.4%	8.5%	7.9%	8.8%	39.2%	39.6%
3 years	29.8%	25.4%	17.7%	16.6%	17.9%	27.6%	22.9%
5 years	21.4%	19.5%	12.9%	12.2%	13.1%	28.3%	19.8%
7 years	10.8%	13.2%	12.0%	11.3%	12.2%	14.8%	4.9%
From Inception - CAGR	11.5%	12.3%	10.9%	10.4%	11.8%	11.0%	4.4%

Note: Past performance is not an indication of future performance

Tip: Your Investment Linked Long Term Insurance Policy allows you to be in control of your investments in Unit Linked Funds. Kindly refer your policy document to learn more about options like unit switches and premium redirections which are available for you to manage your investments. You can also contact us if you like to know how you can use the options available to you.

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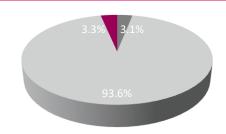
Your fund performance: Growth fund

Unit Price Movement



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Asset Allocation



■ Government Securities ■ Fixed Deposits ■ Equity ■ Money Market

Note: The asset allocation for the fund is presented as at month end. The future asset allocation may change based on market conditions and investment strategy.

Unit Price Growth (as a percentage)

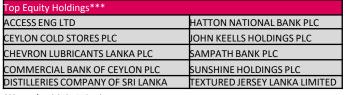
*Period from 31/12/2024 to 31/05/2025

Year	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025*
Unit Price	32.90	34.40	37.60	39.56	42.81	43.68	50.63	37.48	49.18	78.38	79.57
Growth (%)	1.7%	4.6%	9.3%	5.2%	11.2%	2.0%	15.9%	-20.1%	31.2%	53.5%	5.4%

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Equity Allocation

Sector	%
Banks	35%
Capital Goods	23%
Food Beverage and Tobacco	21%
Materials	8%
Consumer Durables & Apparel	7%
Diversified Financials	4%
Energy	1%
Software & Services	0%
Telecommunication Services	0%
Food & Staples Retailing	0%
Utilities	0%
Transportation	0%
Total	100%



^{***}Note: In alphabetical order



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■ The unit price has increased by 5.4% for the period 01 January 2025 to 31 May 2025.

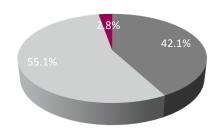
The <u>annual average growth rate</u> of the unit price for the Growth fund is <u>11.5% per year</u>, since the unit linked fund was started.

Your fund performance: Balanced fund

Unit Price Movement

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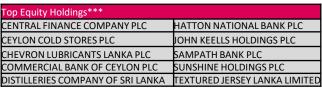
*Period from 31/12/2024 to 31/05/2025

Year	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025*
Unit Price	32.90	34.40	37.60	39.56	42.81	43.68	50.63	50.68	64.73	88.36	91.81
Growth (%)	1.7%	4.6%	9.3%	5.2%	11.2%	2.0%	15.9%	0.1%	27.7%	36.5%	3.9%

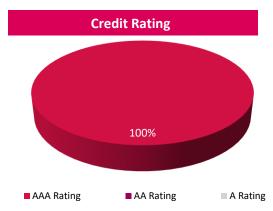
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Equity Allocation

Sector	%
Banks	38%
Food Beverage and Tobacco	20%
Capital Goods	18%
Consumer Durables & Apparel	9%
Materials	7%
Diversified Financials	7%
Consumer Services	0%
Telecommunication Services	0%
Food & Staples Retailing	0%
Utilities	0%
Transportation	0%
Software & Services	0%
Total	100%



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■ The unit price has increased by 3.9% for the period 01 January 2025 to 31 May 2025.

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The <u>annual average growth rate</u> of the unit price for the Balanced fund is <u>12.3% per year</u>, since the unit linked fund was started.

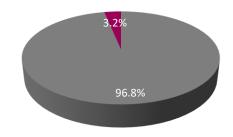
Your fund performance: Secure fund

Unit Price Movement



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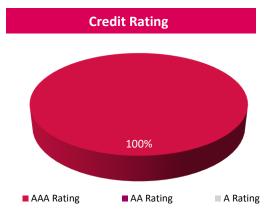
Unit Price Growth (as a percentage)

*Period from 31/12/2024 to 31/05/2025

Year	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025*
Unit Price	26.21	28.37	31.32	34.49	38.05	40.68	42.53	50.47	63.01	70.08	72.24
Growth (%)	5.9%	8.2%	10.4%	10.1%	10.3%	6.9%	4.5%	18.7%	24.8%	11.2%	3.1%

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- The <u>annual average growth rate</u> of the unit price for the Secure fund is <u>10.9% per year</u>, since the unit linked fund was started.
- The unit price has <u>increased by 3.1% for the period</u> 01 January 2025 to 31 May 2025.
- Investment holdings as of 31 May 2025 are in government securities* resulting in AAA rated instruments for the portfolio.

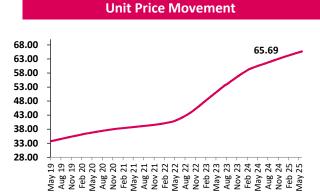


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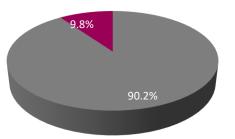
^{*}Includes money market Instruments

Your fund performance: Protected fund



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Asset Allocation



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Unit Price Growth (as a percentage)

*Period from 31/12/2024 to 31/05/2025

Year	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025*
Unit Price	25.20	27.18	29.82	32.66	35.58	38.25	39.88	47.09	58.08	63.83	65.69
Growth (%)	5.8%	7.9%	9.7%	9.5%	9.8%	6.7%	4.3%	18.1%	23.3%	9.9%	2.9%

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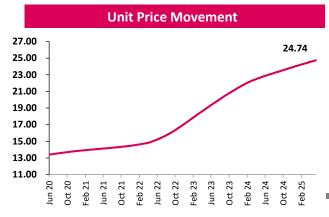
- The <u>annual average growth rate</u> of the unit price for the Protected fund is <u>10.4% per year</u>, since the unit linked fund was started.
- The unit price has <u>increased by 2.9 % for the period</u> 01 January 2025 to 31 May 2025.
- Investment holdings as of 31 May 2025 are in government securities* resulting in AAA rated instruments for the portfolio.

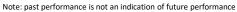


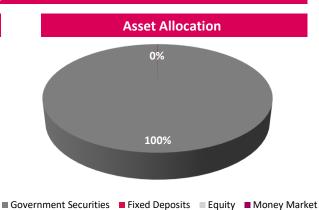
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Your fund performance: Stable Money Market fund







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Unit Price Gro	Unit Price Growth (as a percentage) *21/04/2017 to 31/12/2017								from 31/12,	'2024 to 31,	/05/2025
Year	2015	2016	2017*	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025**
Unit Price	-	-	10.62	11.70	12.88	13.85	14.49	17.18	21.51	23.96	24.74
Growth (%)	-	-	6.2%	10.2%	10.1%	7.5%	4.6%	18.6%	25.2%	11.4 %	3.3%

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- The <u>annual average growth rate</u> of the unit price for the Stable Money Market fund is <u>11.8% per year</u>, since the unit linked fund was started.
- The unit price has <u>increased by 3.3 % for the period</u> 01 January 2025 to 31 May 2025.
- Investment holdings as of 31 May 2025 are in government securities* resulting in AAA rated instruments for the portfolio.

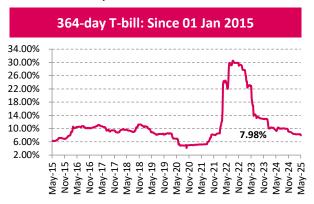


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Market Update: Interest Rates

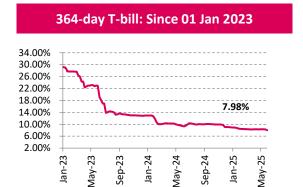
We use the 364-day T- Bill as an indicator of how interest rates move



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Major events during the month

- The Monetary Policy Board decided to reduce the OPR by 25 bps to 7.75% at its meeting held in May 2025, thereby easing monetary policy further.
- Most market interest rates have stabilized at lower levels. With the current policy easing, the Board expects further downward adjustments in lending rates.
- Inflation is expected to turn positive in early third quarter of 2025 and gradually align with the target thereafter according to Central Bank of Sri Lanka.



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Inflation: Since 01 Jan 2015





ASPI Movement: Since 01 Jan 2015



S&P SL Movement: Since 01 Jan 2015



ASPI Movement: Since 01 Jan 2023



S&P SL Movement: Since 01 Jan 2023



Year	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025**
ASPI	6,894	6,228	6,369	6,052	6,129	6,774	12,226	8,490	10,654	15,945	16,855
Growth (%)	-5.50%	-9.70%	2.30%	-5.00%	1.30%	10.50%	80.50%	-30.56%	25.50%	49.66%	5.71%
S&P SL 20	3,626	3,496	3,672	3,135	2,937	2,638	4,233	2,636	3,068	4,862	4,982
Growth (%)	-11.30%	-3.60%	5.00%	-14.60%	-6.30%	-10.20%	60.50%	-37.74%	1.94%	58.46%	2.46%

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*The S&P SL20 index was introduced on 18 June 2012. Inclusions in the S&P 20 index are rebalanced on a bi-annual basis.

Highlights of the performance

- The annual average growth rate of ASPI is 11.05% per year and S&P SL20 index is 5.7% per year, since the unit linked funds were first started.
- The ASPI and S&P SL 20 have increased by 5.71% and 2.46% for the period of 31 December 2024 to 31 May 2025, respectively.

Market Update: Stock Market

For the month

Description	April-25	May-25
All Share Price Index (ASPI)	15,800	16,855
ASPI growth for the month	-0.09%	6.68%
S&P SL 20 Index	4,644	4,982
S&P SL 20 growth for the month	-1.92%	7.28%
Total market turnover (LKR Millions)	48,267	52,255
Market Capitalization (LKR Billions)	5,606	6,080
PE Ratio (times)	8.39x	9.01x

10 Companies with highest market Capitalisation on the CSE as of 31 May 2025

- JOHN KEELLS HOLDINGS PLC
- LOLC HOLDINGS PLC
- CEYLON TOBACCO COMPANY PLC
- COMMERCIAL BANK OF CEYLON PLC
- DISTILLERIES COMPANY OF SRI LANKA PLC
- LOLC FINANCE PLC
- DIALOG AXIATA PLC
- MELSTACORP PLC
- CARGILLS (CEYLON) PLC
- HATTON NATIONAL BANK PLC
- SAMPATH BANK PLC

Highlights of the month

- The ASPI and S&P SL20 grew by 5.71% and 2.46% respectively, for the month of May 2025.
- Net foreign flows for the month amounted to LKR 6.17 Bn of inflows, an increased inflow from the prior period.
- The market has witnessed increased turnover for the period compared to the prior period.

Investment strategy: AIA Sri Lanka maintains a prudent investment strategy for its investment portfolios, in line with its investment philosophy and guidelines as set out in the investment policy. The Company advocates a long-term investment strategy supporting long-term growth. The equity strategy is driven by in-depth research with emphasis on growth and sustainability of earnings whilst principles such as liquidity, solvency and corporate governance also play a significant role in stock selection.

Fund manager's outlook



Fixed income outlook

- The Central Bank held its third monetary policy review in May, where it implemented a 25-basis point reduction in the Standing Overnight Policy Rate, Bringing it down to 7.75%. This marks a further easing of the monetary policy stance. The monetary Board assessed that this calibrated policy relaxation is appropriate to guide inflations towards the medium-term target of 5%, especially considering ongoing global uncertainties and subdued inflationary pressures.
- The central bank stated that recent forecasts indicate a slower than anticipated pickup in price levels. Headline inflation is now projected to turn positive in the third quarter of 2025 and gradually align with target. Core inflation, currently at low levels, is also anticipated to rise steadily in the coming months. Moreover, inflation expectations show signs of realignment with the official inflation target. On the external front, performance remains resilient. Despite a widening trade deficit, the sector has been supported by continued inflows from tourism earnings and worker remittances. The Central Banks's net foreign exchange purchase has contributed to a strengthening of official reserves, even as the country meets it debt obligations and navigates other foreign currency outflows. The Sri Lankan rupee has experienced a modest depreciation against the US dollar so far this year, following two consecutive years of annual appreciation relative to major global currencies.
- The treasury bill yields declined across all tenures in May. The benchmark 364-day T-bill yield decreased the most by 31 basis points to 7.94% from the preceding month, whilst the 91-day Yield Decreased the least, which was only 7 basis points, which brought the yields down to 7.55%. The 182-day tenor yields, which recorded a 21-basis point increase bringing the rate to 7.73%.
- Foreign holdings of LKR-denominated Government securities marginally increased in May, registering an inflow of LKR 956 billion which was a 1% increase from the preceding month. This increased foreign participation to 0.49% of total outstanding government securities.
- The average weighted Prime Lending Rate (AWPR) marginally declined by 4 basis points to 8.35% by the last week of May from the preceding month.
- A further easing of deflationary pressures was observed in May 2025, with the inflation rate reaching -0.7% (Y-o-Y), compared to -2.0% (Y-o-Y) in April, primarily driven by a rise in food inflation during the month. Food inflation (Y-o-Y) increased to 5.2% in May 2025 from 1.3% recorded in April 2025 while Non-Food inflation (Y-o-Y) stood at -3.3% in May 2025 compared to -3.6% observed in April 2025.

Fund manager's outlook



Equity outlook

- The Colombo Stock Exchange (CSE) demonstrated bullish momentum throughout May, with the All-Share Price Index (ASPI) gaining over 1,000 basis points, translating to a 6.58% rise for the month. The more liquid S&P Sri Lanka 20 Index (S&P SL20) demonstrated a stronger performance with a 7.28% gain. The recent upward trend observed in the market was primarily driven by strong performance across several key sectors. Notably, the Food, Beverage, and Tobacco sector played a significant role, supported by gains in the Capital Goods sector and Banking sector shares. Additionally, positive momentum was seen in the Diversified Financial sector as well as Telecommunications. The primary counters that contributed most significantly to this market growth included Melstacorp PLC, Commercial Bank of Ceylon, Hayleys PLC, and Dialog Axiata.
- Investor participation intensified notably, as seen by a 66% surge in average daily turnover, reaching LKR 4.21 billion. This uptick in trading activity underscores renewed investor engagement and liquidity in the market. During this period, Foreigners were net buyers of Sri Lankan equities with modest net foreign inflow of LKR 136 million. The market's Price-to-Earnings (P/E) ratio increased to 9.01 from 8.39 by the end of May, suggesting a marginal increase in market valuations from the preceding month.

AIA Unit Linked Funds





FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS

Where are AIA Unit Linked Funds invested?

The Unit Linked funds are invested in instruments specified in the policy documents i.e. government securities, debt securities and money market investments such as fixed deposits, etc, and in shares listed on the Colombo Stock Exchange. These investments are made within the parameters provided in the policy documents, in order to achieve the investment objective of each fund.

- **Equities:** Investment in shares listed on the Colombo Stock Exchange.
- **Debt Securities:** Investments in Treasury instruments, Corporate Debt instruments, repurchase agreements of Treasury instruments and Corporate Debt instruments of longer maturity tenor than those classified as Money Market investments.
- Money Market investments: Funds held as Corporate Debt instruments, overnight repurchase agreements of Treasury instruments, Corporate Debt instruments with a tenor of one day, investments in Treasury instruments and cash in bank current accounts.

Treasury instruments refers to instruments such as Treasury Bills and Treasury Bonds issued by the government of Sri Lanka. Corporate debt refers to debt instruments issued by financial institutions and companies.

How does AIA manage Unit Linked funds?

AIA maintains a prudent investment strategy for its investment portfolios, in line with its investment philosophy and guidelines, as set out in the Company's investment policy. The investments of each fund are carried out in line with the investment objectives of the respective fund. The Company advocates a long-term investment strategy supporting long-term growth. The equity strategy is driven by in-depth research with emphasis on growth and sustainability of earnings whilst principles such as liquidity, solvency and corporate governance also play a significant role in stock selection.

Why do unit prices of the Growth & Balanced Funds fluctuate in comparison to the other Unit Linked Funds?

The prices of all unit linked funds move in tandem with the price movements or market values of their underlying investments. The Growth & Balanced funds invest in shares listed on the Colombo Stock Exchange. As prices of shares can be volatile at times, the unit prices of Growth & Balanced funds too can move higher or lower in tandem with these movements in share prices.

Is the All Share Price Index (ASPI) or S&P20 movement comparable with AIA Growth & Balanced Funds Performance?

The Growth and Balance fund performance may differ from the performances of the ASPI and the S&P SL 20 stock indices due to the fund portfolios holding different stocks and different proportions of stocks when compared to those used in the computation of the indices. The ASPI measures the movement of share prices of all listed companies on the Colombo Stock Exchange based on market capitalization and the S&P SL 20 measures the movement of share prices of 20 of the leading companies selected and rebased on certain criteria including market capitalisation.

*Subject to Policy conditions Terms and Conditions apply

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AIA Unit Linked Funds



What are the Investment Strategies mentioned in the Policy Document*?

Depending on the policy you have purchased, at the date of commencement the policy owner selects the investment strategy out of the four available; namely Aggressive, Moderate, Cautious and Advanced. Aggressive, Moderate and Cautious strategies have their funds allocated and switched at predetermined milestones depending on the policy term. Policy owners can switch fund strategies on written request during the policy period subject to conditions. Policy owners with Advanced investment strategy are responsible for determining the allocation and switching throughout the lifetime of the policy.

What are Unit switches and amendment of Regular Premium Allocation Proportions?

Depending on the policy you have purchased, your Investment Linked Long Term Insurance Policy allows you to be in control of your investments. Options such as Unit switches* and amendment of Regular Premium Allocation Proportions* may be available to you, so that you have total control over your long term investment.

- Unit switches: If you request to switch units from one unit linked fund to another, the Company will cancel units of equal amount from the fund from which the units are to be switched from at the Unit price of that fund prevailing on the day and after deduction of switching charge, if any, and the funds so generated will be used to create units in the fund in which the amount is to be switched to at the Unit price of that fund prevailing on the day. Note that the unit switches are not permitted into or out of the Protected Fund and Stable Money Market Fund.
- Amendment of Regular Premium Allocation Proportions: At the written request of the Policy Owner, the Company will amend the Allocation Proportion whereafter the previous Allocation Proportion will become ineffective, and the amended Allocation Proportion will be applicable to all future Basic Premiums received from the date of the Company's acceptance of the request. Note that the amendment of allocation proportions is not permitted into or out of the Stable Money Market Fund.

How often can Unit switches and Amendment of Allocation Proportions be executed?

- There is no limitation on frequency of Unit switches*
- The Company will only allow two (2) requests for Amendment of the Allocation Proportion within any Policy Year*
- The relevant applicable charges will be applied as stipulated in the Policy Document

How can we get information on AIA Unit Linked Funds performance?

- Visit AIA Sri Lanka corporate website to view 'AIA Investor' for fund performance updates and details: https://www.aialife.com.lk/en/help-support/our-unit-linked-fund-performance.html.
- Our new and improved AIA Customer Portal is accessible in all three languages. Simply visit our AIA corporate website and register for free and access your policy details from the comfort of your own home, at any time (aialife.com.lk). Accessing unit price updates, policy information and receiving real-time updates are the benefits of availing the customer portal.
- If you wish to receive the daily unit prices via SMS, kindly contact us on our hotline or via the customer portal and we will make necessary arrangements for you to receive the daily SMS. We would also appreciate if you could notify us of any changes to your contact details.

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