

# Senfin Dividend Fund (LKR)

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# **Fund Manager Comment**

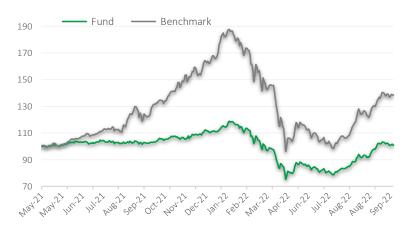
The Colombo Stock Exchange indices recorded an increase during Sep 2022 with ASPI\* increasing by 9.48% while the S&P SL20 Index increasing by 8.07%. The Fund's benchmark ASTRI\* also increased by 9.48% while the Fund increased by 6.19%. Positive sentiment was witnessed during the month, mainly driven by the reaching of Staff Level Agreement with IMF and assurance by several lender countries supporting the debt restructuring process. In addition, the Interim Budget presented had a minimum negative impact on listed corporates. However during the latter part of the month, the positive momentum slowed down to some extent. Foreign activity increased to LKR 22.0 Bn in Sep 2022 from LKR 7.9 Bn in Aug 2022. Foreigners were net buyers with a staggering net foreign inflow of LKR 14.7 Bn during the month, driven by foreign buying on Expolanka Holdings. Although the country is showing glimpse of recovery, we believe that there are further challenges in the short run such as lack of dollar liquidity, possible tax hikes, fiscal consolidation measures required by IMF, challenges in debt restructuring and possible decline in corporate earnings. However, beyond short term testing times, we look forward positively on equity in the medium run.

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\*Source: SENEIN & CSE website

#### Performance Since Inception 06/05/2021 to 30/09/2022

Growth of LKR 100 invested on 06.05.2021



## Risk - Reward Indicator

< Less risk			More risk >
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Investors should consider the following risks: Market risks, Currency risks, Liquidity risks, Operational risks, Political and Legal risks.

# **Key Facts**

Open-ended Dividend Fund
9.8725
87.45
06-May-21
Sri Lanka
Semi Annually
LK0SDFU00000
LKR
ASTRI

Performance Summary	Fund	Benchmark
Last Month/1M	6.19%	9.48%
YTD	-9.65%	-18.77%
3M	25.39%	35.26%
6M	16.07%	11.54%
1 Year	-2.53%	5.10%
2 Year p.a. (CAGR)	N/A	N/A
3 Year p.a. (CAGR)	N/A	N/A
5 Year p.a. (CAGR)	N/A	N/A
Since Inception (Cumulative)	0.59%	38.35%
Since Inception p.a. (CAGR)	0.42%	19.39%

#### Investment Terms

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Issue/Redemption	Daily
Minimum investment (LKR)	1,000
Front-end-fee	Nil
Management & Administration fee p.a.	0.75%
Trustee fee p.a.	0.15%
Custodian fee p.m.(charged to the Fund)	LKR 20,000
Total Expense Ratio (TER)*	1.13%

<sup>\*</sup>as at 31 Dec 2021

## Monthly Performance

Year		Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	YTD
2022	SDF	4.4%	-7.2%	-19.6%	-7.4%	6.1%	-5.8%	5.4%	12.0%	6.2%				-9.65%
	ASTRI	6.4%	-11.0%	-23.1%	-14.4%	6.3%	-9.4%	5.3%	17.3%	9.5%				-18.77%
2021	SDF	-	-	-	-	2.0%	-0.2%	1.5%	-0.6%	0.4%	4.2%	1.0%	2.6%	11.33%
	ASTRI	-	-	-	_	2.7%	5.9%	3.6%	10.8%	5.1%	7.5%	12.7%	6.9%	70.32%

Past performance is not a guarantee, nor an indication of current or future performance. Fund performance data is calculated net of all fees and commissions. All performance data shown in the table are not annualized.



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Тор	10 Holdings	% of TNA	Fund Indicators	Fund	Benchmark
1	Teejay Lanka PLC	9.11%	1 Year Standard Deviation (%)	8.26	11.89
2	Expolanka Holdings PLC	8.21%	3 Years Standard Deviation) (%)	NA	NA
3	HNB Money Market Savings a/c	6.87%	1 Year Sharp Ratio	0.24	0.81
4	Aitken Spence PLC	6.74%	3 Year Sharp Ratio	NA	NA
5	Hemas Holdings PLC	6.56%	1 Year Beta	0.66	
6	Ceylon Tobacco Company PLC	6.43%	1 Year Alpha (%)	-0.61	
7	Ceylon Cold Stores PLC	6.15%			
8	John Keells Holdings PLC	6.12%	Fund performance Analysis		12 months
9	Lanka Milk Foods PLC	5.48%	Fund Turnover ratio (%)		164.9
10	Tokyo Cement Company PLC – X	4.62%	Max. Monthly Gain* (%)	(Aug '22)	12.0
		66.29%	Max. Monthly Loss* (%)	(Mar '22)	-19.6
Equ	ity Sector Allocation (Top 10)	% of TNA	Hit Ratio		
1	Food Beverage & Tobacco	27.62%	Months Outperformance		5
2	Capital Goods	23.31%	Hit Ratio (%)		41.7
3	Consumer Durable & Apparel	13.06%			
4	Transportation	8.21%	*Maximum Gain/Loss returns for	the last 12	months (non
5	Utilities	5.52%	annualized return)		
6	Materials	4.62%			
7	Banks	4.49%	Asset Allocation		% of TNA
8	Food & Staples Retailing	3.93%	Equities		95.65%
9	Telecommunication Services	3.81%	Money Market Savings a/c		6.87%
10	Diversified Financials	1.09%	Cash & Other Net Assets		-2.52%
		95.65%			100.00%



### Regulatory Information

Regulated by Trustee and Custodian Redemption Payment Days Cut-off Time & Day Securities & Exchange Commission of Sri Lanka Hatton National Bank PLC - Head Office Branch Monday- Friday (Excluding holidays) Before 3.00 pm on any working day

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