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NF Nikkei High Dividend Yield 50 ETF



NEXT FUNDS Nikkei 225 High Dividend Yield Stock 50 Index Exchange Traded Fund (Open-ended Investment Trust, Domestic, Equity, ETF, Index Type)

Monthly Report as of Jun-30-2025

■ Objective of the Fund

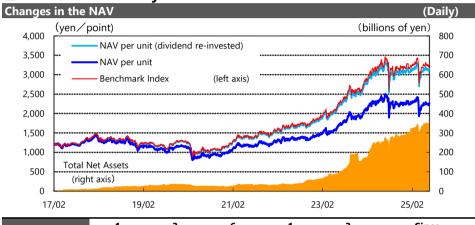
The Fund aims at investment performance tracking the Nikkei 225 High Dividend Yield Stock 50 Index (Total Return)(Benchmark Index).

■ Nikkei 225 High Dividend Yield Stock 50 Index (Total Return)

The "Nikkei 225 High Dividend Yield Stock 50 Index (Total Return)" measures the performance of the Nikkei 225 High Dividend Yield 50, including the both movements in the index prices and the reinvestment of the dividend incomes from the constituent stocks.

The Nikkei 225 High Dividend Yield Stock 50 Index is comprised of 50 high dividend yield and liquidity stocks selected from the Nikkei 225 constituents and is calculated using the dividend yield as weight of the constituents. The index level on December 28 2001, the inception date was 10000.

Performance History



Return	1 month	3 months	6 months	1 year	3 years	Since Incep.
NAV (dividend re-invested)	-1.4%	-0.6%	-0.4%	-1.7%	91.4%	165.1%
Benchmark Index	-1.4%	-0.7%	-0.4%	-1.6%	94.1%	174.5%
					(Since I	nception 2/10/2017)

[•] The Fund has conducted the split in the beneficial interests. The changes in the NAV and the return are adjusted in order to mitigate the impact of the share split.

- ·Value of the benchmark index is converted based on the NAV on the inception date.
- •The changes and the return of the NAV (dividend re-invested) is calculated based on the Fund value after deduction of the management fee, and based on the assumption that the dividends before taxes are re-invested. Therefore, the actual performance of the Fund will vary depending upon the tax status of the investor. Also, expenses and taxes when liquidating the Fund are not considered.
- •For each calculation period of the return, the last business day of the month is used.

Fund Composition

Sector Allocation	(% of NAV)
TRANSPORTATION EQUIPMENT	9.9%
BANKS	8.1%
MARINE TRANSPORTATION	7.6%
PHARMACEUTICAL	7.3%
IRON & STEEL	7.2%
Others	57.0%
Call Loan, Others	2.9%
Total	100.0%

Asset Allocation			
Stocks	97.1%		
Call Loan, Others	2.9%		
(Index Futures	2.9%)		

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	Top 10 Holdin	gs	Sector	(% of NAV)
4502	TAKEDA PHARMACEUTICA	L COMPANY LIMITED	PHARMACEUTICAL	4.0%
9107	KAWASAKI KISEN KAISH	A,LTD.	MARINE TRANSPORTATION	3.9%
7267	HONDA MOTOR CO.,LTE	D.	TRANSPORTATION EQUIPMENT	3.8%
9101	NIPPON YUSEN KABUSH	IIKI KAISHA	MARINE TRANSPORTATION	3.7%
2914	JAPAN TOBACCO INC.		FOODS	3.5%
4503	ASTELLAS PHARMA INC.		PHARMACEUTICAL	3.3%
8604	NOMURA HOLDINGS,IN	C.	SECURITIES & COMMODITY FUTURES	3.2%
1605	INPEX CORPORATION		MINING	3.2%
8058	MITSUBISHI CORPORATI	ON	WHOLESALE TRADE	3.1%
8411	MIZUHO FINANCIAL GRO	OUP,INC.	BANKS	3.0%
		Total	_	34.8%

Fund Profile

Inception Date : Feb-10-2017 Listing Date: Feb-13-2017 Stock Exchange: Tokyo Stock Exchange Trust Term: Unspecified **Board Lot:** Fiscal year end: Jan-7, Apr-7, Jul-7, Oct-7 1489 JP <Equity> Bloomberg: (iNAV) 1489IV <Index> ISIN: JP3048390003 SEDOL: BYXPJX5 PCF: Available

Total Net Assets	
¥367.8	bil.
NAV*	
¥2,261	

*Per 1 unit, after deduction of dividends

Dividend (before	Tax, per 1 unit)
Apr-2025	¥40.00
Jan-2025	¥4.00
Oct-2024	¥38.00
Jul-2024	¥5.00
Apr-2024	¥30.00
Since Inception	¥468.24

- •The dividends before the effective date of the share split are calculated based on the adjusted units of the beneficial interests.
- •The dividend amount paid does not suggest or guarantee the future level of dividends.
- ·As a general rule, the full amount of dividends and other income arising from the trust assets are distributed after deduction of expenses. However, the amount of dividends that are payable may in some circumstances amount to zero. Even if any profits are realized from the sale of individual stocks, no dividends shall be paid.

Reference: Index Dividend Yield

Nikkei 225 High Dividend	
Yield Stock 50 Index	4.5%
Estimated Dividend Yield	

Source: Nikkei Inc.

The estimated dividend yield is calculated as a weighted average using the ratios of individual securities incorporated in the index.

Number of Holdings:

50

 Sector references are based on the TSE 33 Sector Classification.

■ Share Split and Reverse Split in Beneficial Interests

Effective Date Split / Reverse Split Ratio
Jan-19-2024 Split 1:30

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Investment Risks

Because the Fund substantially invests in securities for which prices may fluctuate, etc., the NAV of the Fund can fall as well as rise, influenced by factors such as fluctuations in the stock price index that the Fund tracks, fluctuations in the prices of constituent stocks, default or a material deterioration in financial conditions of those constituent companies, and other market factors, etc. Investment principal is therefore not guaranteed, and investors may incur a loss because of a drop in the market price or the NAV. The investment trust is therefore different from a savings deposit.

**For further information, please refer to the "Investment Risks" section of the summary prospectus. The summary prospectus is available on our website.

■ Commissions and Fees Related to the Fund

Direct Expenses

(Expenses borne directly when dealing through the stock exchange)

Trading Fee: Trading of the Fund incurs brokerage commission fees set by a first financial instruments business provider (securities firm) that handles the transaction

(Expenses borne directly for creation or exchange of units)

Creation Fee: Set independently by the distributing company

Redemption Fee (Amount to be Retained in Trust Assets): None

Exchange Fee: Set independently by the distributing company

*Trading fee, creation fee, and exchange fee above vary depending on the setting of the distributing companies, so details of rates and upper limits cannot be provided ahead of time.

Indirect Expenses Paid out of Trust Assets

Management Fee:

Total amount of the management fee is the sum of the following two items: (i) The amount calculated by multiplying the daily total net assets of the Fund by the Annual Trust Fee Rate, no more than 0.308% per annum (0.28% per annum, exclusive of taxes) (0.308% per annum (0.28% per annum, exclusive of taxes) as of June 25, 2025), (ii) When the Fund lends stocks, the amount within 44% (40% exclusive of taxes) of the lending fee, which accrues on a daily basis.

Other Fees and Commissions:

Annual Fees for Use of Trademarks Pertaining to the Benchmark Index (as of June 25, 2025)

0.055% per year (0.05% exclusive of taxes) of the Fund's total net assets.

Expenses Pertaining to Listing of the Fund (as of June 25, 2025)

- •Additional listing fee: 0.00825% (0.0075% exclusive of taxes) of the amount of increase in value of the Fund's total net asset value at the end of the year as compared with the larger of i) the total net asset value at the time of the initial listing; or ii) the largest of the total net asset values at the end of each subsequent year up to the year immediately prior to the fee payment year.
- -Annual listing fee: Maximum of 0.00825% (0.0075% exclusive of taxes) of the total net assets at year-end.

Brokerage Commission on Transactions in Portfolio Securities, Expenses for Maintaining Custody of Assets Denominated in Foreign Currency, Costs Paid to Auditors for Fund Audits, Tax Related to the Fund, etc.

- * These expenses and fees above are paid out of the trust assets when they are incurred.
 - (These expenses and fees vary according to management and other conditions, so details of rates and upper limits cannot be provided ahead of time.)
- * Total fees and other expenses will vary according to how long an investor holds the Fund, so they cannot be estimated ahead of time. For further details, please refer to the "Fund Expenses and Taxes" section of the summary prospectus.
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(The party who instructs the management of the Fund)

Trustee: The Nomura Trust and Banking Co., Ltd.

(The party who acts as a custodian and administrator)

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