

Unusual Phenomena of the Risk-Return Relationship in Indonesia Sharia Stocks Market

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Abstract—This study aims to prove the existence of an unusual phenomenon in the short-term investment market of Sharia stocks in Indonesia in 2018. The usual phenomenon that is in accordance with the axiom "Risk and Return Trade-off" is "High risk - high return, low risk - low return", both for total risk, systematic risk, and specific risk. Does this phenomenon exist? An understanding of the returns and risks rankings of stock investments will be useful in the stocks analysis, especially in the analysis phase when potential investors will determine the stocks that will be the object of investment. Data on investment returns and risk of Sharia stocks are taken and processed from the IDX data. Descriptive analysis is carried out to explain the ranking of profitability, returns and risk of existing investments. Inferential analysis (Rank Difference Test) is carried out to test hypotheses about the difference between return and risk ranking. Research shows the results that rank of return and risks ratings are differ. This shows that the phenomenon of "High risk - high return, low risk - low return" does not exist in the short-term investment market of sharia stocks in Indonesia in 2018, or that the unusual phenomenon occurs.

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I. INTRODUCTION

With a population that is predominantly Muslim, sharia stocks are the choice of some Indonesians to stocks investment. On the Indonesia stock exchange (market) there are currently 627 officially registered and traded stocks, 624 issuers, capitalization value of Rp 7,415,933,688,057,700. - Of these there are 414 (66.03%) sharia stocks (ISSI), 407 (65, 22%) issuers, with ISSI capitalization of Rp 3,861,714,080,000,000 (52.07%), and JII capitalization of Rp 2,376,039,140,000,000 (32.04%) [1]. The aim of investors in investing in general is to obtain the maximum return with a certain risk that is calculated, or a certain return is obtained with the minimum risk. Returns are an indicator for increasing wealth (equity) and prosperity (wealth) of investors, as well as benchmarks for growth in company stocks. Stock returns can be in the form of Capital Gain and a part of earnings (Dividends). For short-term investors, capital gain is more wanted than the dividend. Capital gains are obtained through changes in the stock market price or the stock price index of the individual companies.

Before making investment decisions, rational stock investors make an analysis of the potential returns and risks of stock investments [2]. Stock analysis consists of fundamental analysis and technical analysis. With technical analysis,

investors try to forecast the potential of stock returns and risks through the values of stock technical factors (stock index and stock returns fluctuations for several periods observation).

Among sharia stocks in the stock market, potential investors still need to make a selection based on the returns and risks of their investments. Ideally, all stocks marketed have relatively the same investment return and risk, but the reality is not the case. This makes the need for investors to make a selection.

The phenomena of differences in investment returns and risk among the sharia stocks and their fluctuations raises curiosity about investor behavior in the stock market relating to these factors, especially for sharia stocks. How do investors respond to differences in investment returns and risks in making investment decisions? The respond is certainly reflected in the returns and risks that occur in the stock market. Do stocks with high investment returns carry a high investment risk? Do stocks with low investment returns carry a low investment risk?

With the background described above, this research was conducted with the aim of proving whether the phenomenon of "High Risk - High Return, Low Risk - Low Return (HR-HR, LR-LR)" occurs in the short-term investment market of sharia stocks in Indonesia or not. Therefore, the research problem is formulated in the form of a question: Does the phenomenon of "HR-HR, LR-LR" occur in the short-term investment market of sharia stocks in Indonesia? The research problem is detailed (specified) as follows:

- Do sharia stocks that obtain high return also contain high Total Risk, and vice versa?
- Do sharia stocks that obtain high return also contain high Systematic Risk, and vice versa?
- Do sharia stocks that obtain high return also contain high Specific Risk, and vice versa?

Several studies relating to stock returns and risks have been conducted, but the results vary. Martani et al. shows that profitability, turnover and market ratios have a significant impact on stock returns [3]. Research by Fama and French found that lagged profitability, asset growth, and accruals are related to average return [4]. Research by Jawadi found that by staying focused on Islamic financial products investors can expect attractive investment opportunities [5]. The Narayan

and Bannigidadmath study concludes [6]: First, both positive and negative news can predict the majority of Islamic and conventional stock returns, where positive news has a greater impact on both types of stock returns. Second, shocking financial news only reverses rewards for some stocks. Third, for mean-variance investors, investing in Islamic stocks is relatively more profitable than investing in comparable conventional stocks. Fourth, earnings have a strong influence on various time series risk factors (market risk, size-based risk, and risk caused by momentum). Narayan and Bannigidadmath study concluded that investing in a portfolio of sharia stocks belonging to emerging markets and sharia stock portfolios in the consumer goods sector offers the most returns among regions and industries [6]. Anhar found that there are differences in the ranking of stock returns between sectors, including sharia stock groups if considered as a separate "sector" [7]. Endri found that the price of sharia stocks is influenced by fundamental factors (EPS, ROE, Exchange Rate of Rp, JII) and technical factors (past stock prices), where technical factors have the greatest influence on sharia stock prices [8]. Sudarto et al. in his study concluded that the relationship of systematic risk (Beta) with positive and significant rewards [9]. Natarsyah concluded that fundamental factors and risks affect stock prices [10]. Bhandari concluded that the relationship of D-E and Beta ratios of stocks with positive and significant rewards [11]. Zulfahmidar and Jontus research concluded that systematic risk and total risk (Beta and standard deviation) and leverage (D-E ratio) have a significant negative effect on stock returns [12]. Healy and Palepu conclude that the average increase in equity Beta is consistent with the reaction of the average stock price to the announcement of the offer, and that company-specific risk information is included in the equity offering when other companies in the same industry do not experience changes in risk and changes in leverage are similar [13].

In order to answer the research problem, the following hypotheses are formulated:

H1: Sharia stocks that obtain high returns carry a high total investment risk, and vice versa.

H2: Sharia stocks that obtain high investment returns carry high systematic risk, and vice versa.

H3: Sharia stocks that obtain high investment returns carry high specific risks, and vice versa.

II. METHOD

This study was designed as quantitative, ex post facto, and comparative research by analyzing the difference between the returns and risks of sharia stock investments. Descriptive analysis and hypothesis testing were conducted in this study. Sharia stocks of the JII group (Jakarta Islamic Index) are used as samples of sharia stocks because this group of stocks is considered to be a leading sharia stock. The variables studied were return and risk of stock investment, each using indicators *Capital Gain (CG)*, *Total Risk (TR, σ)*, *Systematic Risk (SR, β)*, dan *Residual Risk (RR, σ - β)* of sharia stocks.

Individual stock returns (R_i) and market stock returns (R_m) are formulated as follows [14]:

$$R_i = \frac{IHSI_t - IHSI_{t-1}}{IHSI_{t-1}} \tag{1}$$

$$R_m = \frac{IHSG_t - IHSG_{t-1}}{IHSG_{t-1}} \tag{2}$$

Whereas total risk (σ), systematic risk (β) and specific residual risk (σ(e_i)) are formulated as follows [15]:

$$x = \frac{\sum xi}{n} \tag{3}$$

$$\sigma^2 = \frac{\sum (xi-x)^2}{n-1} \tag{4}$$

$$\sigma = \sqrt{\sigma^2} \tag{5}$$

where X_i = period i stock return, X = average return or expected return{E(r)}, and n = number of observed periods.

$$\beta = \frac{n\sum xy - (\sum x)(\sum y)}{n\sum x^2 - (\sum x)^2} \tag{6}$$

$$\sigma(e_i) = \sigma_i - \beta_i \tag{7}$$

where X = market share returns, and Y = individual stock returns.

The Mann-Whitney Difference Test is used to test the hypothesis. This method is used to test the hypothesis about the difference between return rank and risk rank. The testing procedure is as follows:

Hypothesis formulation:

H1₀: There is no difference between rank and rank of the sharia stocks.

H1_a: There is a difference between rank and rank of the sharia stocks.

The level of significance (α) is 0,05.

Test criteria: T and W Mann-Whitney

$$T = \sum R_x - \{n(n+1)/2\}$$

$$W_1 = (nm/2)$$

$$W_2 = Z \{nm (n+m+1)\}/12$$

H₀ is accepted (no rank difference) if W₁ ≤ T count ≤ W₂

H_a is accepted (there is a difference in rank) if T count < W₁ or T count > W₂.

The number of stocks = 30, means that n₁ = 30 and n₂ = 30

III. RESULTS AND DISCUSSION

From the descriptive statistical analysis, the following research results were obtained:

- Sharia stock returns have a minimum value of -4.73 achieved by PT. Pembangunan Perumahan, a maximum value of 20.30 achieved by PT. Surya Citra Media, the median value of -0.18 achieved by PT. Wijaya Beton Precast, and average return 0.62. The average return of

0.62 means that sharia stocks in 2018 will receive an average return of 0.62% per month.

- The total investment risk of sharia stocks has a minimum value of 3.82 faced by PT. Telkom Indonesia, the maximum value of 99.41 faced by PT. Surya Citra Media, the median value of 11.97 faced by the stocks of PT. XL Axiata, and the average is 15.01. The average total risk of 15.01 means that sharia stocks in 2018 face the risk of obtaining a reward of 15.01% lower than the expected reward.
- Systematic risk of sharia stock investment has a minimum value of -1.32 faced by PT. Pembangunan Perumahan, a maximum value of 4.93 faced by PT. Wijaya Karya, the median value of 1.40 faced by PT. AKR Corporindo, and the average of 1.54. A systematic risk rate of 1.54 means that sharia stocks in 2018 face the risk to decrease return of 1.54% when market returns decrease by 1%.

The specific / residual risk of sharia stocks has a minimum value of 3.40 faced by PT. Telkom Indonesia, the maximum value of 99.98 faced by PT. Surya Citra Media, the median value of 11.06 faced by PT. Indocement Tunggal Perkasa, and average 13.48. The average residual risk of 13.48 means that sharia stocks in 2018 face the risk to decrease return of 13.48% when the company's financial performance falls.

TABLE I. FROM THE HYPOTHESIS TEST THE FOLLOWING RESEARCH RESULTS ARE OBTAINED

H	Hypothesis	T Count		W	Conclusion
H1 _a	Return rank is different from the total risk rank	0	<	450	Ha received (different rank)
H2 _a	Return rank is different from systematic risk rank	0	<	450	Ha received (different rank)
H3 _a	Return rank is different from residual risk rank	0	<	450	Ha received (different rank)

Source: Analysis Results

A. Sharia Stock Return Rank is Differ than the Total Risk Rank

The results of this study prove that there is a significant difference between the rank of sharia stock returns with their total risk rank. This means that stocks that get high returns do not always face a higher total risk than stocks that get low returns, and stocks that get low returns do not always face lower total risk than stocks that get high returns. In other words, stocks that earn high return may face low total risk. Likewise, on the other hand, a stock that receives a low return may face a high total risk. So it can be said that the phenomenon of "high risk - high return, low risk - low return" does not occur in the sharia stock market in Indonesia. This is an unusual phenomenon, contrary to the axiom / general rule "Risk and Return Trade-off".

The total risk itself shows the potential for obtaining a return not in accordance with the expected return. An average return of 0.62% with a systematic risk of 15.01% means that

Islamic stocks carry the risk of obtaining a negative return (loss of capital) 14.39% (= 062% - 15.01%).

B. Sharia Stock Return Rank is Differ than the Systematic Risk Rank

The results of this study prove that there is a significant difference between the rank of sharia stock returns with its systematic risk rank. This means that stocks that get high returns do not always face higher systematic risk than stocks that get low returns, and stocks that get low returns do not always face lower systematic risk compared to stocks that get high returns. In other words, stocks that earn high returns may face low systematic risk. Likewise, on the other hand, a stock that receives a low return may face a high systematic risk. So it can be said that the phenomenon of "high risk -high return, low risk - low return" does not occur in the sharia stock market in Indonesia. This is an unusual phenomenon, contrary to the axiom / general rule "Risk and Return Trade-off".

Systematic risk itself shows the potential decline in rewards obtained when market stock returns (stocks in general) fall. Systematic risk of an average of 1.54% means that in Islamic stocks there is a potential for a 1.54% reduction in return when market stocks generally only fall by 1%.

C. Sharia Stock Return Rank is Different from the Residual Risk Rank

The results of this study prove that there is a significant difference between the rank of Islamic stock returns with the rank of residual risk. This means that stocks that get high returns do not always face a higher residual risk than stocks that get low returns, and stocks that get low returns do not always face lower residual risk than stocks that get high returns. In other words, stocks that earn high rewards may face low residual risk. Likewise, on the other hand, stocks that receive low returns may face high residual risk. So it can be said that the phenomenon of "high risk-high return, low risk-low return" does not occur in the Islamic stock market in Indonesia. This is an unusual phenomenon, contrary to the axiom/general rule "Risk and Return Trade-off".

The residual risk itself is mathematically a residual risk, i.e. the remaining risk after the total risk is reduced by systematic risk. Residual risk is often identified with specific risk, that is risk that shows the potential for obtaining return that are not in accordance with the expected return when the company's financial performance decreases. The company's financial performance can be measured by its financial ratios. Because residual risk is identified with specific risk, the average residual risk of 13.48% means that in sharia stocks there is generally a potential decrease in return of 13.48% when the company's financial performance decreases.

The implication of this unusual phenomenon is that a prospective stock investor must not make a trade-off between stock returns and stock risk. Prospective investors can choose stocks that have high potential returns with the low potential risk at the same time.

IV. CONCLUSION

Research shows the results that rank of return and risks ratings are differ. This shows that the phenomenon of "High risk - high return, low risk - low return" does not exist in the short-term investment market of sharia stocks in Indonesia in 2018, or that the unusual phenomenon occurs.

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