# Eastspring Investments – Asian Smaller Companies Fund



A member of Prudential plc (UK)

# **Key information**

Morningstar Overall Rating	J*** ***
Fund size (mil)	29.9
Fund base currency	USD
Fund dealing frequency	Daily
Net asset value (Class A)	USD 13.319
ISIN (Class A) LU1	634259631
Inception date (Class A)	02-Aug-17
Benchmark (BM)	

# MSCI AC Asia ex Japan Small Cap Index^

^The MSCI Index is calculated with dividends reinvested.

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Morningstar Category: Asia ex-Japan Small/Mid-Cap Equity

## **Key measures**

Number of Securities	49
*3 year tracking error(%)	5.5
(Class A)	
*3 year sharpe ratio (Class A)	0.4
*3 year volatility(%) (Class A)	21.9

\*Source: Morningstar

# Investment objective

This Sub-Fund aims to generate long-term capital growth by investing primarily in equity and equity-related securities of small and medium sized entities, which are incorporated in, or listed in, or have their area of primary activity in the Asia Pacific ex Japan Region. The investment universe is the bottom third in terms of total market capitalisation of all publicly listed equity in the Asia Pacific ex Japan markets. The Sub-Fund may also invest in depository receipts including ADRs and GDRs, debt securities convertible into common shares, preference shares and warrants.

# Class A Performance

Returns (%)

	1 m	3 m	YTD	1 y	3 y (p.a.)	5 y (p.a.)	10 y (p.a.)	Since inception (p.a.)
Bid-bid	1.9	7.0	10.8	62.8	6.9	-	_	7.8
Offer-bid	-3.2	1.7	5.3	54.6	5.1	-	_	6.3
Benchmark	1.1	8.2	17.1	71.7	8.9	_	_	9.8

#### Calendar year returns (%)

Year	2020	2019	2018	2017	2016
Bid-bid	21.7	7.8	-14.5	7.2	-
Offer-bid	15.6	2.4	-18.8	1.8	-
Benchmark	26.2	7.2	-18.9	11.4	_

(p.a.): per annum. Source: Eastspring Investments (Singapore) Limited. Returns are based in share class currency and computed on bid-bid basis with net income reinvested, if any. Offer-bid is inclusive of sales charge which is subject to changes. Since inception returns for periods less than a year are not annualised. The benchmark for the hedged share classes, if any, is also calculated on a hedged basis. Calendar year returns are based on the share class performance for the year, and if the share class was incepted during a particular year, the returns shown relate to the performance of the share class since its inception to the end of that calendar year. Wef July 2018, the monthly fund and benchmark returns calculated are aligned to the last NAV date of the fund for the month. Past performance information presented is not indicative of future performance.

# Top 10 holdings (%)

1.	SINBON ELECTRONICS CO LTD	3.3
2.	MONDE NISSIN CORP	3.1
3.	ICICI SECURITIES LIMITED	3.0
4.	XL AXIATA TBK PT	3.0
5.	ACC LTD	3.0
6.	CHINA LESSO GROUP HOLDINGS LTD	2.9
7.	PVR LTD	2.7
8.	SHENZHEN SUNWAY COMMUNICATION CO LTD	2.7
9.	SPORTON INTERNATIONAL INC	2.5
10.	CREDIT BUREAU ASIA LTD	2.5

#### Sector allocation (%) Consumer 20.2 discretionary Industrials 14.5 Information 14.0 technology 11.0 Financials Communication 8.3 services 7.6 Materials Consumer staples 7.0 Real estate 6.3 Others 4.1 7.0 Cash and cash equivalents

24.6
20.2
16.1
12.5
5.8
4.5
4.1
2.0
3.2
7.0

Due to rounding, the allocation table may not add up to 100% or may be negative.

### **Share class details**

Sh	nare ass	Currency	ISIN	Subscription method	Annual management fee% (Current)	Distribution frequency	Ex-date	Dividend per share	Annual dividend yield %
A		USD	LU1634259631	Cash	1.500	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.

Distributions are not guaranteed. Distributions may be paid out of distributable income, capital or both. Important Notes: (i) Payment of distributions out of capital amounts to a return or withdrawal of part of an investor's original investment or from any capital gains attributable to that original investment; and (ii) Any distributions involving payment out of the Fund's capital may result in an immediate reduction of the net asset value per share. Funds with Monthly and Quarterly Distribution Frequency: Annualised Dividend yield = (Dividend per share / Reference NAV at start of distribution period) x (No. of calendar days in a year / No. of calendar days in distribution period) x 100%. Funds with Yearly Distribution Frequency: Annualised Dividend Yield = (Dividend amount / Total Net Assets) x (No. of calendar days in a year / No. of calendar days in distribution period) x 100%. "N.A." means that this share class does not distribute dividends.

#### IMPORTANT INFORMATION

Investment manager Eastspring Investments (Singapore) Limited

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