

FACTS

Portfolio value	\$592.11 mn
Fund commenced	30 June 1998
Minimum investment	A\$10,000 or NZ\$10,000
Regular Investment Plan (min.)	A/NZ\$5,000 plus A/NZ\$200 mth/qr
Income distribution date	Annual, 30 June
Unit valuation	Sydney Business Day
Unit prices C Class	App - 4.6313 Red - 4.6174
Unit prices P Class	App - 1.0809 Red - 1.0776

PERFORMANCE¹

	C Class %	P Class %	MSCI %
1 month	(5.3)	(5.2)	(7.1)
3 months	(0.3)	(0.3)	0.2
6 months	3.6	3.7	5.2
Calendar year to date	9.7	9.9	5.1
1 year	17.0	17.3	12.1
2 years (compound pa)	3.3	3.5	5.0
3 years (compound pa)	6.5	6.7	7.4
5 years (compound pa)	7.9		8.6
7 years (compound pa)	11.4		10.1
10 years (compound pa)	15.5		11.8
Since inception (compound pa)	13.4	6.6	3.4

INVESTED POSITIONS³

	LONG %	SHORT %	NET %	CCY %
Asia-Pacific	87.4	(5.5)	81.9	70.4
Australia				0.4
Japan	81.1	(5.5)	75.6	63.6
South Korea	6.3		6.3	6.3
North America				29.6
United States of America				29.6
Sub-Total	87.4	(5.5)	81.9	100.0
Cash	12.6	5.5	18.1	
Total	100.0		100.0	100.0

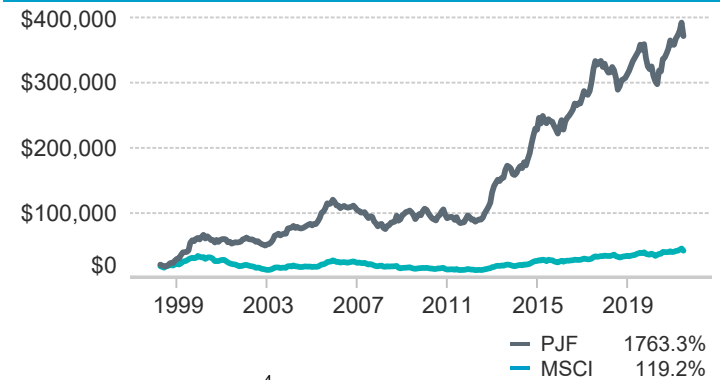
Long - 53 stocks Short - 5 swaps

FEES

Entry fee	Nil
Buy/sell spread	0.15%/0.15%
C Class	Investment management 1.35% p.a. Investment performance N/A
P Class	Investment management 1.10% p.a. Investment performance 15.00% p.a.*

* of the amount by which the Fund's return exceeds its index return

PERFORMANCE GRAPH²



TOP TEN POSITIONS⁴

STOCK	COUNTRY	INDUSTRY	%
Minebea Co Ltd	Japan	Industrials	4.7
Open House Co Ltd	Japan	Cons Discretionary	4.6
Toyo Seikan Group	Japan	Materials	4.1
Lixil Group Corp	Japan	Industrials	3.7
DeNA Co Ltd	Japan	Comm Services	3.4
Showa Denko KK	Japan	Materials	3.4
Hokuetsu Corp	Japan	Materials	3.3
Toyota Motor Corp	Japan	Cons Discretionary	3.1
SK Hynix Inc	South Korea	Info Technology	3.0
Pigeon Corp	Japan	Consumer Staples	2.9
Total			36.1

INDUSTRY BREAKDOWN³

SECTOR	LONG %	SHORT %	NET %
Industrials	21.4		21.4
Information Technology	22.5	(1.5)	21.1
Materials	15.4		15.4
Consumer Discretionary	10.5	(2.1)	8.5
Health Care	5.3		5.3
Consumer Staples	6.4	(2.0)	4.4
Communication Services	3.7		3.7
Financials	1.5		1.5
Real Estate	0.7		0.7

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1. & 2. Source: Platinum for Fund returns and Factset Research Systems for MSCI returns. Investment returns are calculated using the Fund's NAV unit price (i.e. exclude a buy/sell spread) for C Class and P Class (as indicated), and represent the combined income and capital returns for each of these unit classes in the specified period. All returns are pre-tax, net of fees and costs and assume the reinvestment of distributions. Returns for P Class are net of any accrued investment performance fee. The returns are calculated relative to the MSCI Japan Net Index in A\$ (the gross MSCI Index was used prior to 31/12/98). Since inception date for C Class is 30/06/98 and for P Class is 03/07/17. Since inception date of C Class has been used for the purposes of calculating since inception returns of the index. The investment returns depicted in the graph are cumulative on A\$20,000 invested in C Class units in the Fund since the C Class inception date. **Past performance is not a reliable indicator of future returns.** Platinum does not invest by reference to the weightings of the index. The index is provided as a reference only.

3. The "Long %" is the exposure to long securities and long securities/index derivative positions, the "Short %" is the exposure to short securities and short securities/index derivative positions and the "Net %" is the exposure to long and short securities and long and short securities/index derivative positions, each as a percentage of the market value of the Fund's portfolio. The "Currency %" is the effective currency exposure as a percentage of the market value of the Fund's portfolio, taking into account long and short securities, cash, forwards and long and short securities/index derivative positions. For the "Industry breakdown", index positions (whether through ETFs or derivatives) are only included under the relevant sector if they are sector specific, otherwise they are included under "Other".

3. and 4. Country classifications for securities reflect Bloomberg's "country of risk" designations, and currency classifications for securities reflect the relevant local currencies of our country classifications.

4. The "Top ten positions" show the Fund's top ten long securities positions as a percentage of the market value of the Fund's portfolio (including long securities and long securities derivative positions).

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