### Platinum International Fund ARSN 089 528 307

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#### FACTS

Portfolio value	\$8.25 bn
Fund commenced	30 April 1995
Minimum investment	A\$10,000 or NZ\$10,000
Regular Investment Plan (min.)	A/NZ\$5,000 plus A/NZ\$200 mth/qtr
Income distribution date	Annual, 30 June
Unit valuation	Sydney Business Day
Unit prices C Class	App - 2.1511 Red - 2.1446
Unit prices P Class	App - 1.0197 Red - 1.0166

#### PERFORMANCE<sup>1</sup>

	C Class %	P Class %	MSCI %
1 month	1.9	1.9	1.4
3 months	0.2	0.3	6.0
6 months	(0.5)	(0.4)	9.0
Calendar year to date	10.1	10.4	25.8
1 year	10.1	10.4	25.8
2 years (compound pa)	6.3	6.5	15.4
3 years (compound pa)	9.8	10.1	19.1
5 years (compound pa)	8.7		14.3
7 years (compound pa)	8.2		12.8
10 years (compound pa)	12.2		15.8
Since inception (compound pa)	11.8	7.3	7.8

#### **INVESTED POSITIONS**<sup>3</sup>

	LONG %	SHORT %	NET %	CCY %
Asia-Pacific	45.6		45.6	42.5
Australia	3.5		3.5	3.6
China	19.4		19.4	20.3
Hong Kong	1.8		1.8	1.8
India	2.1		2.1	2.1
Japan	13.6		13.6	9.6
Kazakhstan	0.2		0.2	0.2
South Korea	4.8		4.8	4.8
Thailand	0.2		0.2	0.2
Europe	21.0	(0.9)	20.2	23.9
Austria	1.7		1.7	
Belgium	0.1		0.1	
Denmark	0.5		0.5	0.5
Finland	2.5		2.5	
France	3.0	(0.4)	2.5	
Germany	3.9	(0.2)	3.7	
Ireland	0.9		0.9	
Italy	1.4		1.4	
Netherlands	0.2		0.2	
Spain	0.6		0.6	
Switzerland		(0.2)	(0.2)	
United Kingdom	6.1		6.1	6.2
Euro				17.1
North America	20.9	(21.8)	(0.9)	31.6
Canada	1.6		1.6	2.9
United States of America	19.3	(21.8)	(2.5)	28.7
Other	2.0		2.0	2.0
Sub-Total	89.5	(22.7)	66.8	100.0
Cash	10.5	22.7	33.2	
Total	100.0		100.0	100.0
Long - 127 stocks, 2 swaps, 1 or	otion Short - 24	swaps, 2		

Long - 127 stocks, 2 swaps, 1 option Short - 24 swaps, 2 indices

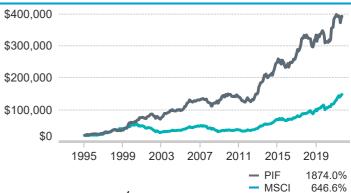
#### FEES

Nil
0.15%/0.15%
Investment management 1.35% p.a.
Investment performance N/A
Investment management 1.10% p.a.
Investment performance 15.00% p.a.*

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

#### PERFORMANCE GRAPH<sup>2</sup>



#### **TOP TEN POSITIONS<sup>4</sup>**

STOCK	COUNTRY	INDUSTRY	%
Minebea Co Ltd	Japan	Industrials	3.6
Microchip Technology Inc	United States	Info Technology	3.3
Micron Technology Inc	United States	Info Technology	3.1
Samsung Electronics Co	South Korea	Info Technology	3.1
ZTO Express Cayman Inc	China	Industrials	2.9
Glencore PLC	Australia	Materials	2.7
Tencent Holdings Ltd	China	Comm Services	2.6
Ping An Insurance Group	China	Financials	2.5
UPM-Kymmene OYJ	Finland	Materials	2.5
Weichai Power Co Ltd	China	Industrials	2.4
		Total	28.9

#### **INDUSTRY BREAKDOWN**<sup>3</sup>

SECTOR	LONG %	SHORT %	NET %
Industrials	19.6	(0.1)	19.5
Financials	15.2		15.2
Materials	13.7	(0.1)	13.6
Information Technology	13.8	(2.1)	11.7
Consumer Discretionary	12.0	(1.9)	10.1
Health Care	5.4	(0.3)	5.1
Communication Services	5.1	(0.2)	5.0
Real Estate	3.1		3.1
Consumer Staples	0.9		0.9
Energy	0.6		0.6
Other		(18.0)	(18.0)

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#### MARKET UPDATE AND COMMENTARY

- Market bifurcation is extreme, creating opportunities to add value on the long and short side.
- 2021 returns were consistent with long-term expectations and efforts to avoid permanent impairment of capital.
- Quarterly report (to be released on 14 January) provides more detail on the macro backdrop and portfolio positioning.

#### Market Commentary

The monthly evolution of the market narrative is slow. We continue to highlight a valuation chasm between speculative stocks and everything else, that reminds us of 1999/2000. For 18 months or so, we have talked about the risks of inflation and it feels like there is now more acceptance of this view. We have held the line on our view that Chinese reform is a continuation of a decade-long process where the government acts and then has a tendency to relax a little - this is happening in property currently - creating entry points.

The key thing to watch is the booming US labour market, which will indicate if we are on the cusp of a stickier period of rising prices rising wages, skills shortages and strikes are starting to point the bond market to higher rates more imminently than previously thought. This would not be good for the more speculative stocks – which have seen some crazy events in the last couple of years.

The "market" as referred to via conventional indices, is increasingly dominated by a small group of six large US companies - Alphabet (was Google), Amazon, Apple, Meta Platforms (was Facebook), Microsoft and Tesla. Last year, this group, which trades on an average P/E of about 36x (almost triple that of our portfolio) returned an average of 41%/47% (in US\$/A\$) and now has a combined market capitalisation of US\$11.5 trillion - more than any stock market outside the US, including Shanghai, Tokyo or London (as at 31 December 2021). Three of these companies - Apple, Microsoft and Alphabet were each individually worth more than all listed Australian businesses combined (Source: FactSet).

These companies mask the weaker performance of stocks in general – markets outside the US offered only 8%/14% (in US\$/A\$) in 2021 (Source: FactSet). Successive waves of higher interest rates have shown up weaknesses in valuation arguments in hotter areas; we expect this to continue in 2022. With this in mind, we continue to take a dynamic approach to opportunities to short-sell, an element of the strategy that tends to contribute most in major sell-offs. The long portfolio's key themes include decarbonisation, travel, semiconductors and Chinese growth.

#### Performance Analysis

The portfolio returned 10% in 2021. This was predominantly driven by the Fund's cyclical exposures, particularly when one considers that the technology exposures are generally semiconductor companies. For all the perceived challenges in China, the Fund's exposure to that market cost only 1% over the year; China has made a phenomenal contribution to returns since we made it the largest country exposure in 2014. The net impact of risk management - short-selling and actively managed currency positions - was a cost of 1%. Notably this was dominated by attempts to protect the portfolio using the highly valued Nasdag index. Individual company shorts and FX both added value.

The top 10 contributors to the Fund over the year added 9% combined and could all be described as cyclical, including miners (Glencore, Freeport-McMoRan), financials (Ally Financial, Raiffeisen Bank), semiconductors (Micron, Microchip), Japanese industrials (Lixil, MinebeaMitsumi) and US industrials (General Electric, Louisiana-Pacific).

#### Valuation

The portfolio's aggregate valuation metrics are attractive in both an absolute sense and relative to the market, with a 42% higher starting earnings yield and a 39% discount on an asset basis (see table below). Analyst forecasts suggest the portfolio has marginally higher growth prospects over the next two years than the broader market.

Metric	Platinum International Fund	MSCI AC World Net Index (A\$)
NTM Earnings Yield	7.8% (Price-to-Earnings ratio of 13x)	5.5% (Price-to-Earnings ratio of 18x)
NTM Dividend Yield	2.4%	2.5%
Price-to-Book Ratio	1.7x	2.8x
Enterprise Value-to-Sales	1.3x	2.1x

The valuations in the table in respect of the Fund have been calculated by Platinum and refer to the long portion of the portfolio, exclude negative net earnings and use FactSet consensus earnings. As at 31 December 2021.

With the concentration of interest in the six big companies mentioned previously (Alphabet, Amazon, Apple, Meta Platforms, Microsoft, Tesla) and ultra-low bond yields, broader context comes from comparing this to two years ago, recalling that by the end of January 2020, we were dealing with a virus outbreak in China. At that time, we were concerned about the level of speculation in high-growth areas. The earnings yield of the portfolio has declined by far less than any of the alternatives listed below over this period.

Asset	NTM Earnings Yield (31.12.19)	NTM Earnings Yield (31.12.21)	Reduction in Earnings Yield
Platinum International Fund	8.0%	7.8%	3%
MSCI AC World Index	6.1%	5.5%	10%
"Big 6" average	3.3%	2.8%	15%
US 10-year bond	1.9%	1.5%	21%
Source: FactSet			

Source: FactSet

### Platinum Global Fund (Long Only) ARSN 123 939 471

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#### FACTS

Portfolio value	\$218.65 mn
Fund commenced	28 January 2005
Minimum investment	A\$10,000 or NZ\$10,000
Regular Investment Plan (min.)	A/NZ\$5,000 plus A/NZ\$200 mth/qtr
Income distribution date	Annual, 30 June
Unit valuation	Sydney Business Day
Unit prices C Class	App - 1.6867 Red - 1.6816
Unit prices P Class	App - 1.0602 Red - 1.0570

#### **PERFORMANCE**<sup>1</sup>

	C Class %	P Class %	MSCI %
1 month	0.7	0.7	1.4
3 months	0.2	0.3	6.0
6 months	(0.1)	0.1	9.0
Calendar year to date	14.8	15.1	25.8
1 year	14.8	15.1	25.8
2 years (compound pa)	7.0	7.2	15.4
3 years (compound pa)	11.6	11.9	19.1
5 years (compound pa)	10.7		14.3
7 years (compound pa)	10.1		12.8
10 years (compound pa)	13.5		15.8
Since inception (compound pa)	10.8	8.8	8.7

#### **INVESTED POSITIONS**<sup>3</sup>

	LONG %	NET %	CCY %
Asia-Pacific	45.0	45.0	45.8
Australia	2.8	2.8	3.3
China	20.2	20.2	20.2
Hong Kong	2.0	2.0	2.3
India	2.1	2.1	2.1
Japan	12.1	12.1	12.1
Kazakhstan	0.6	0.6	0.6
South Korea	5.3	5.3	5.3
Europe	22.0	22.0	25.5
Austria	2.5	2.5	
Finland	3.4	3.4	
France	0.3	0.3	
Germany	2.3	2.3	
Ireland	0.6	0.6	
Italy	1.6	1.6	
Spain	3.7	3.7	
United Kingdom	7.6	7.6	7.9
Euro			17.6
North America	25.6	25.6	27.6
Canada	1.3	1.3	1.3
United States of America	24.3	24.3	26.2
Other	1.1	1.1	1.1
Sub-Total	93.8	93.8	100.0
Cash	6.2	6.2	
Total	100.0	100.0	100.0

Long - 71 stocks, 1 option

#### FEES

Nil
0.15%/0.15%
Investment management 1.35% p.a. Investment performance N/A
Investment management 1.10% p.a. Investment performance 15.00% p.a.*

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#### PERFORMANCE GRAPH<sup>2</sup>



#### TOP TEN POSITIONS<sup>4</sup>

STOCK	COUNTRY	INDUSTRY	%
Microchip Technology Inc	United States	Info Technology	5.3
Micron Technology Inc	United States	Info Technology	4.7
Applus Services SA	Spain	Industrials	3.7
Minebea Co Ltd	Japan	Industrials	3.7
Samsung Electronics Co	South Korea	Info Technology	3.5
ZTO Express Cayman Inc	China	Industrials	3.5
UPM-Kymmene OYJ	Finland	Materials	3.4
Weichai Power Co Ltd	China	Industrials	3.4
Tencent Holdings Ltd	China	Comm Services	3.0
Lixil Group Corp	Japan	Industrials	2.8
		Total	37.1

#### **INDUSTRY BREAKDOWN**<sup>3</sup>

SECTOR	LONG %	NET %
Industrials	22.4	22.4
Information Technology	17.6	17.6
Financials	14.9	14.9
Materials	14.5	14.5
Communication Services	7.6	7.6
Consumer Discretionary	6.9	6.9
Health Care	4.4	4.4
Real Estate	3.4	3.4
Consumer Staples	1.4	1.4
Energy	0.6	0.6

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### Platinum Asia Fund ARSN 104 043 110

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#### FACTS

Portfolio value	\$4.09 bn
Fund commenced	04 March 2003
Minimum investment	A\$10,000 or NZ\$10,000
Regular Investment Plan (min.)	A/NZ\$5,000 plus A/NZ\$200 mth/qtr
Income distribution date	Annual, 30 June
Unit valuation	Sydney Business Day
Unit prices C Class	App - 2.5371 Red - 2.5295
Unit prices P Class	App - 0.9034 Red - 0.9006

#### **PERFORMANCE**<sup>1</sup>

	C Class %	P Class %	MSCI %
1 month	(2.1)	(2.1)	(1.1)
3 months	(2.2)	(2.1)	(1.9)
6 months	(7.1)	(7.0)	(7.5)
Calendar year to date	(2.5)	(2.3)	1.1
1 year	(2.5)	(2.3)	1.1
2 years (compound pa)	12.3	11.9	7.3
3 years (compound pa)	14.0	13.9	10.9
5 years (compound pa)	12.5		11.2
7 years (compound pa)	9.1		9.1
10 years (compound pa)	13.5		11.8
Since inception (compound pa)	14.0	10.2	10.0

#### **INVESTED POSITIONS**<sup>3</sup>

	LONG %	SHORT %	NET %	CCY %
Asia-Pacific	88.4	(1.1)	87.3	94.9
Australia				0.4
China	45.5		45.5	45.9
Hong Kong	6.3		6.3	12.8
Taiwan	6.2		6.2	6.2
India	10.7	(1.1)	9.6	9.7
Macao	1.0		1.0	1.0
Philippines	1.7		1.7	1.7
Singapore	0.9		0.9	0.9
South Korea	10.4		10.4	10.4
Vietnam	5.7		5.7	5.7
Europe				0.9
United Kingdom				0.8
North America				4.2
United States of America				4.2
Sub-Total	88.4	(1.1)	87.3	100.0
Cash	11.6	1.1	12.7	
Total	100.0		100.0	100.0

Long - 58 stocks, 1 swap Short - 1 swap, 2 indices

#### 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 GRAPH<sup>2</sup>



#### **TOP TEN POSITIONS**<sup>4</sup>

STOCK	COUNTRY	INDUSTRY	%
Taiwan Semiconductor	Taiwan	Info Technology	5.5
Samsung Electronics Co	South Korea	Info Technology	5.1
Vietnam Ent Investments	Vietnam	Other	4.1
Tencent Holdings Ltd	China	Comm Services	4.1
InterGlobe Aviation Ltd	India	Industrials	3.7
ZTO Express Cayman Inc	China	Industrials	3.5
SK Hynix Inc	South Korea	Info Technology	3.4
Ping An Insurance Group	China	Financials	3.4
Weichai Power Co Ltd	China	Industrials	3.3
Alibaba Group Holding Ltd	China	Cons Discretionary	2.9
		Total	39.1

#### **INDUSTRY BREAKDOWN**<sup>3</sup>

SECTOR	LONG %	SHORT %	NET %
Consumer Discretionary	18.5		18.5
Information Technology	16.8	(1.0)	15.8
Financials	14.5		14.5
Industrials	12.9		12.9
Real Estate	10.2		10.2
Communication Services	4.1	(0.1)	4.1
Materials	3.5		3.5
Consumer Staples	2.7		2.7
Health Care	1.0		1.0
Other	4.1		4.1

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#### MARKET UPDATE AND COMMENTARY

- Non-Japan Asian equity market returns lagged global markets in 2021.
- The sell-off in Chinese tech firms is a great opportunity.
- The case for Asia is strong in the current bubble environment.

At the conclusion of a strong year for global benchmarks, Asia has been a laggard, with broad indices such as the MSCI Non-Japan Asia Index basically flat and the Fund slightly negative.

#### Reiterating the case for China

With that backdrop, it is worth reiterating the investment case for China, which dominates our holdings in the region. Here, we see an equity market that is the polar opposite of the US market, which we view as crowded and very expensive. In 2007, the Chinese equity market was the most expensive major market in the world on a price-to earnings (PE) basis, at 27x forward earnings (Source: Credit Suisse, using the MSCI AC China Index). The Shanghai Composite Index was on the verge of falling 67.5% in a matter of months, and it remains approximately 40% lower than its 2007 peak 14 years later (Source: FactSet). The MSCI AC China Index has de-rated to 11x earnings at the time of writing in early January 2022 (Source: Credit Suisse). The time to be fearful of Chinese equities was when they were in an enthusiastic bubble - in 2007!

#### Renewed holdings in China's tech giants

Ongoing regulatory pressure saw China's internet giants Tencent and Alibaba sell off heavily in 2021. These were among our biggest holdings until late 2020, when we sold due to investor crowding and clear signals of the regulatory risk that was building. We have used the sell-off in late 2021 to renew sizeable positions in these still-outstanding businesses at attractive valuations. Regulatory risk is omnipresent for dominant tech businesses in every jurisdiction. The example of Facebook in recent years provides a parallel - heightened investor anxiety regarding regulation and scandal provided excellent buying opportunities. We see a bright future for China's internet giants - they will need to tow the party line and observe more rigorously enforced regulation, but we think these will be far larger and still highly profitable businesses in five years' time. Consider that during December the Chinese National Bureau of Statistics reported that Chinese online retail sales grew at 3.2% in November off a high base and at a twoyear, pre-COVID compound annual rate of 10.6% (Source: CLSA). These numbers are weak by Chinese standards without question, but do note the strength of businesses whose market grows at over 10% in times of weakness.

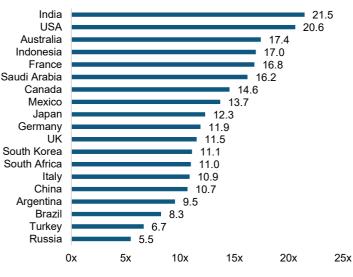
#### Potential returns and safety amid the unloved stocks of Asia

The global economy is booming amid a capex surge, reopening in fits and starts and with significant fiscal support for major economies being monetised by central banks. This is the type of environment that generally sees the "emerging market" trade work well - recall that China was the most expensive equity market globally amid the global growth boom of the 2000s. There is every chance that market leadership may shift in coming years should growth conditions remain buoyant and we are confident that our portfolio of highquality, relatively cyclical businesses would perform well in such an environment. Note also - the industrial economies of Asia, such as South Korea and China, are expected to see robust earnings growth in the year ahead, and are among the world's cheapest equity markets (see accompanying charts).

On the other hand, we are acutely focused on capital preservation in current markets - to be clear, we are of the view that equity markets are spectacularly frothy and a significant correction is likely in coming months or years. In this environment we see enormous value in holding unloved, cheap businesses in regions like Asia, which diversify investor returns. This worked well in the post-2000 world may well do so again.

In our view, now is exactly the type of environment that the diversity of returns, undemanding valuation and light ownership of Asian markets in general and China in particular are of greatest potential value.

Major market price-earnings ratios - Next 12 months







Source: Chart 2 - IBES consensus, in local currency. Correct as at 7 January 2022.

### Platinum European Fund ARSN 089 528 594

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#### FACTS

Portfolio value	\$550.94 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/qtr
Income distribution date	Annual, 30 June
Unit valuation	Sydney Business Day
Unit prices C Class	App - 3.5960 Red - 3.5816
Unit prices P Class	App - 1.0293 Red - 1.0251

#### **PERFORMANCE**<sup>1</sup>

	C Class %	P Class %	MSCI %
1 month	2.9	2.9	3.7
3 months	(3.1)	(3.0)	4.5
6 months	1.7	1.8	7.2
Calendar year to date	11.8	12.1	23.3
1 year	11.8	12.1	23.3
2 years (compound pa)	3.1	3.3	8.5
3 years (compound pa)	8.1	8.4	13.5
5 years (compound pa)	8.6		9.9
7 years (compound pa)	9.0		8.4
10 years (compound pa)	13.1		11.7
Since inception (compound pa)	11.0	6.5	3.9

#### **INVESTED POSITIONS**<sup>3</sup>

	LONG %	SHORT %	NET %	CCY %
Asia-Pacific	3.6		3.6	3.9
Australia				0.4
China	3.6		3.6	3.6
Europe	80.4	(7.5)	72.9	90.4
Austria	3.7		3.7	
Czech Republic	1.5		1.5	1.5
Finland	1.5		1.5	
France	7.4	(2.3)	5.1	
Germany	9.1	(1.5)	7.6	
Hungary	0.4		0.4	0.5
Ireland	5.7		5.7	
Italy	2.3		2.3	
Netherlands	3.9		3.9	
Norway	1.7		1.7	1.7
Romania	6.8		6.8	6.8
Spain	2.9		2.9	
Sweden	0.3		0.3	0.3
Switzerland	7.5	(2.7)	4.9	7.7
United Kingdom	25.6	(1.1)	24.5	25.6
Euro				46.1
North America	3.9		3.9	5.7
United States of America	3.9		3.9	5.7
Sub-Total	87.8	(7.5)	80.3	100.0
Cash	12.2	7.5	19.7	
Total	100.0		100.0	100.0

Long - 45 stocks, 1 swap Short - 9 swaps

#### FEES

Entry fee	Nil
Buy/sell spread	0.20%/0.20%
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.*

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

#### **PERFORMANCE GRAPH<sup>2</sup>**



#### **TOP TEN POSITIONS<sup>4</sup>**

STOCK	COUNTRY	INDUSTRY	%
Beazley PLC	UK	Financials	4.5
Airbus SE	France	Industrials	3.8
Banca Transilvania SA	Romania	Financials	3.7
Booking Holdings Inc	United States	Cons Discretionary	3.6
Prosus NV	China	Cons Discretionary	3.6
Barclays PLC	UK	Financials	3.3
Allfunds Group Plc	UK	Financials	3.3
Bank of Ireland Group PL	Ireland	Financials	3.2
SMCP SA	France	Cons Discretionary	3.1
Fondul Proprietatea SA	Romania	Financials	3.1
		Total	35.2

#### **INDUSTRY BREAKDOWN<sup>3</sup>**

SECTOR	LONG %	SHORT %	NET %
Financials	30.9		30.9
Industrials	17.5	(0.6)	16.9
Consumer Discretionary	15.7	(1.8)	13.9
Communication Services	6.2		6.2
Health Care	5.7	(1.1)	4.6
Materials	3.8	(1.1)	2.8
Energy	2.3		2.3
Real Estate	1.8		1.8
Information Technology	2.7	(2.1)	0.6
Consumer Staples	1.2	(0.9)	0.3

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### Platinum Japan Fund ARSN 089 528 825

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#### FACTS

Portfolio value	\$601.93 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/qtr
Income distribution date	Annual, 30 June
Unit valuation	Sydney Business Day
Unit prices C Class	App - 4.7891 Red - 4.7747
Unit prices P Class	App - 1.1182 Red - 1.1148

#### **PERFORMANCE**<sup>1</sup>

	C Class %	P Class %	MSCI %
1 month	0.3	0.3	(0.6)
3 months	(2.0)	(2.0)	(4.6)
6 months	4.4	4.5	3.7
Calendar year to date	13.4	13.7	7.9
1 year	13.4	13.7	7.9
2 years (compound pa)	4.7	4.9	6.1
3 years (compound pa)	9.2	9.5	10.5
5 years (compound pa)	7.4		8.4
7 years (compound pa)	10.4		9.6
10 years (compound pa)	16.1		12.1
Since inception (compound pa)	13.4	7.1	3.5

#### **INVESTED POSITIONS**<sup>3</sup>

	LONG %	SHORT %	NET %	CCY %
Asia-Pacific	87.9	(7.6)	80.3	69.4
Australia				0.2
Japan	80.5	(7.6)	72.8	61.8
South Korea	7.4		7.4	7.4
North America				30.6
United States of America				30.6
Sub-Total	87.9	(7.6)	80.3	100.0
Cash	12.1	7.6	19.7	
Total	100.0		100.0	100.0

Long - 50 stocks Short - 5 swaps, 1 index

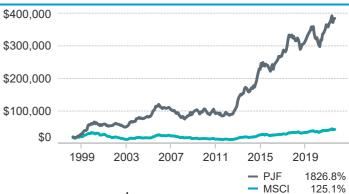
#### FEES

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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.*

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

#### PERFORMANCE GRAPH<sup>2</sup>



#### **TOP TEN POSITIONS<sup>4</sup>**

STOCK	COUNTRY	INDUSTRY	%
Minebea Co Ltd	Japan	Industrials	5.4
Toyo Seikan Group	Japan	Materials	5.2
Lixil Group Corp	Japan	Industrials	3.9
SK Hynix Inc	South Korea	Info Technology	3.8
Open House Co Ltd	Japan	Cons Discretionary	3.5
Kawasaki Kisen Kaisha Ltd	Japan	Industrials	3.3
Toyota Motor Corp	Japan	Cons Discretionary	3.3
Tokyo Electron Ltd	Japan	Info Technology	3.2
Hokuetsu Corp	Japan	Materials	3.2
DeNA Co Ltd	Japan	Comm Services	2.9
		Total	37.7

#### **INDUSTRY BREAKDOWN**<sup>3</sup>

SECTOR	LONG %	SHORT %	NET %
Industrials	24.8		24.8
Information Technology	21.1	(1.5)	19.7
Materials	16.1		16.1
Consumer Discretionary	8.2	(2.1)	6.1
Communication Services	5.1		5.1
Consumer Staples	6.5	(2.1)	4.4
Health Care	3.0		3.0
Financials	2.0		2.0
Real Estate	1.1		1.1
Other		(2.0)	(2.0)

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### Platinum Int'l Brands Fund ARSN 092 429 813

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#### FACTS

Portfolio value	\$640.94 mn
Fund commenced	18 May 2000
Minimum investment	A\$10,000 or NZ\$10,000
Regular Investment Plan (min.)	A/NZ\$5,000 plus A/NZ\$200 mth/qtr
Income distribution date	Annual, 30 June
Unit valuation	Sydney Business Day
Unit prices C Class	App - 2.3895 Red - 2.3823
Unit prices P Class	App - 0.9393 Red - 0.9364

#### **PERFORMANCE**<sup>1</sup>

	C Class %	P Class %	MSCI %
1 month	(2.2)	(2.2)	1.4
3 months	(7.2)	(7.2)	6.0
6 months	(8.1)	(7.9)	9.0
Calendar year to date	9.4	9.6	25.8
1 year	9.4	9.6	25.8
2 years (compound pa)	14.1	14.3	15.4
3 years (compound pa)	16.3	16.6	19.1
5 years (compound pa)	13.4		14.3
7 years (compound pa)	12.0		12.8
10 years (compound pa)	13.9		15.8
Since inception (compound pa)	12.6	11.4	4.8

#### **INVESTED POSITIONS**<sup>3</sup>

	LONG %	SHORT %	NET %	CCY %
Asia-Pacific	60.5	(5.1)	55.4	28.5
Australia				0.2
China	32.7		32.7	32.7
Hong Kong	3.5		3.5	3.5
Taiwan	4.3		4.3	4.3
Japan	15.3	(5.1)	10.2	5.0
Philippines	0.7		0.7	0.7
Vietnam	4.0		4.0	4.0
China Renminbi Offshore				(21.9)
Europe	23.0	(5.7)	17.3	14.7
Austria	1.5		1.5	
Denmark	1.7		1.7	1.7
France	2.6	(3.2)	(0.6)	
Germany	1.8		1.8	
Italy		(1.2)	(1.2)	
Norway	0.6		0.6	0.6
Russia	4.9		4.9	4.9
Switzerland		(1.3)	(1.3)	(0.1)
Turkey	1.2		1.2	1.2
United Kingdom	8.7		8.7	0.4
Euro				6.0
North America	11.3	(10.3)	1.0	56.5
United States of America	11.3	(10.3)	1.0	56.5
Other	0.3		0.3	0.3
Sub-Total	95.1	(21.2)	74.0	100.0
Cash	4.9	21.2	26.0	
Total	100.0		100.0	100.0

Long - 42 stocks, 2 swaps Short - 26 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.*

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#### **PERFORMANCE GRAPH**<sup>2</sup>



#### TOP TEN POSITIONS<sup>4</sup>

STOCK	COUNTRY	INDUSTRY	%
Alibaba Group Holding Ltd	China	Cons Discretionary	4.6
Tencent Holdings Ltd	China	Comm Services	4.3
Nien Made Enterprise Co	Taiwan	Cons Discretionary	4.3
ASOS PLC	UK	Cons Discretionary	4.2
Trip.com Group Ltd	China	Cons Discretionary	4.1
Facebook Inc	United States	Comm Services	4.1
Lixil Group Corp	Japan	Industrials	3.8
Prosus NV	China	Cons Discretionary	3.7
Meituan Dianping	China	Cons Discretionary	3.7
Melco Intl Development	Hong Kong	Cons Discretionary	3.5
		Total	40.4

#### **INDUSTRY BREAKDOWN<sup>3</sup>**

SECTOR	LONG %	SHORT %	NET %
Consumer Discretionary	54.1	(13.6)	40.5
Communication Services	13.0	(0.9)	12.1
Consumer Staples	16.8	(5.3)	11.5
Financials	6.9		6.9
Industrials	3.8	(1.4)	2.4
Real Estate	0.5		0.5

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### Platinum Int'l Health Care Fund ARSN 107 023 530

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#### FACTS

Portfolio value	\$639.69 mn
Fund commenced	10 November 2003
Minimum investment	A\$10,000 or NZ\$10,000
Regular Investment Plan (min.)	A/NZ\$5,000 plus A/NZ\$200 mth/qtr
Income distribution date	Annual, 30 June
Unit valuation	Sydney Business Day
Unit prices C Class	App - 2.3682 Red - 2.3611
Unit prices P Class	App - 1.2080 Red - 1.2043

#### PERFORMANCE

	C Class %	P Class %	MSCI %
1 month	(2.5)	(2.5)	4.1
3 months	(10.4)	(10.3)	6.0
6 months	(10.5)	(10.4)	10.4
Calendar year to date	5.5	5.3	24.7
1 year	5.5	5.3	24.7
2 years (compound pa)	17.5	16.0	14.2
3 years (compound pa)	19.5	18.6	17.0
5 years (compound pa)	16.1		15.0
7 years (compound pa)	14.6		12.3
10 years (compound pa)	18.0		18.2
Since inception (compound pa)	11.0	14.6	10.2

#### **INVESTED POSITIONS**<sup>3</sup>

	LONG %	SHORT %	NET %	CCY %
Asia-Pacific	24.6		24.6	25.7
Australia	11.9		11.9	12.4
China	7.9		7.9	7.9
Hong Kong				0.4
Japan	3.7		3.7	3.9
New Zealand	1.0		1.0	1.0
Singapore	0.2		0.2	0.2
Europe	22.8	(1.0)	21.8	17.0
Belgium	2.0		2.0	
France	3.9		3.9	
Germany	7.5		7.5	
Ireland	0.6		0.6	
Netherlands	1.2		1.2	
Spain	1.3		1.3	
Sweden	0.4		0.4	0.4
Switzerland	1.4	(1.0)	0.4	1.4
United Kingdom	4.5		4.5	4.5
Euro				10.8
North America	43.1	(3.1)	40.0	57.3
Canada	0.8		0.8	0.8
United States of America	42.2	(3.1)	39.1	56.4
Sub-Total	90.5	(4.1)	86.4	100.0
Cash	9.5	4.1	13.6	
Total	100.0		100.0	100.0

Long - 84 stocks, 3 options, 1 other Short - 4 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.*

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

#### PERFORMANCE GRAPH<sup>2</sup>



#### **TOP TEN POSITIONS<sup>4</sup>**

STOCK	COUNTRY	INDUSTRY	%
SpeeDx Pty Ltd	Australia	Biotechnology	4.7
Takeda Pharmaceutical Co	Japan	Pharmaceuticals	3.7
Sanofi SA	France	Pharmaceuticals	3.4
Telix Pharmaceuticals Ltd	Australia	Biotechnology	3.2
Bayer AG	Germany	Pharmaceuticals	2.6
ExScientia Ltd	UK	Biotechnology	2.2
Quanterix Corp	United States	Life Sciences Tools	2.1
FS Development Corp II	United States	Capital Markets	2.0
Gilead Sciences Inc	United States	Biotechnology	2.0
Zai Lab Ltd	China	Biotechnology	1.9
		Total	27.6

#### **INDUSTRY BREAKDOWN**<sup>3</sup>

SECTOR	LONG %	SHORT %	NET %
Health Care	85.6	(4.1)	81.5
Financials	2.0		2.0
Information Technology	1.5		1.5
Materials	1.0		1.0
Industrials	0.4		0.4

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#### FACTS

Portfolio value	\$204.77 mn
Fund commenced	18 May 2000
Minimum investment	A\$10,000 or NZ\$10,000
Regular Investment Plan (min.)	A/NZ\$5,000 plus A/NZ\$200 mth/qtr
Income distribution date	Annual, 30 June
Unit valuation	Sydney Business Day
Unit prices C Class	App - 2.6713 Red - 2.6659
Unit prices P Class	App - 1.7327 Red - 1.7292

#### PERFORMANCE

	C Class %	P Class %	MSCI %
1 month	0.6	0.6	0.4
3 months	4.6	4.7	11.9
6 months	2.3	2.4	16.9
Calendar year to date	15.6	15.9	35.2
1 year	15.6	15.9	35.2
2 years (compound pa)	20.1	20.4	33.9
3 years (compound pa)	21.6	21.9	38.2
5 years (compound pa)	15.8		29.4
7 years (compound pa)	13.6		24.9
10 years (compound pa)	15.5		25.9
Since inception (compound pa)	10.5	15.6	5.0

#### **INVESTED POSITIONS**<sup>3</sup>

	LONG %	SHORT %	NET %	CCY %
Asia-Pacific	30.1		30.1	33.9
Australia	0.4		0.4	3.7
China	11.0		11.0	11.0
Hong Kong				0.5
Taiwan	4.0		4.0	4.1
Israel	0.3		0.3	0.3
Japan	5.4		5.4	5.5
South Korea	8.9		8.9	8.9
Europe	9.1		9.1	10.0
France	0.4		0.4	
Germany	2.0		2.0	
Italy	1.0		1.0	
Netherlands	0.7		0.7	
Norway	1.3		1.3	1.3
Sweden	2.8		2.8	2.8
United Kingdom	0.9		0.9	0.9
Euro				4.9
North America	45.5	(3.4)	42.1	56.2
Canada	3.4		3.4	3.4
United States of America	42.2	(3.4)	38.7	52.8
Sub-Total	84.7	(3.4)	81.3	100.0
Cash	15.3	3.4	18.7	
Total	100.0		100.0	100.0

Long - 55 stocks Short - 2 swaps

#### FEES

Entry fee	Nil
Buy/sell spread	0.10%/0.10%
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.*

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#### **PERFORMANCE GRAPH**<sup>2</sup>



#### **TOP TEN POSITIONS<sup>4</sup>**

STOCK	COUNTRY	INDUSTRY	%
Alphabet Inc	United States	Comm Services	6.5
Ciena Corp	United States	Info Technology	4.3
Taiwan Semiconductor	Taiwan	Info Technology	4.0
Facebook Inc	United States	Comm Services	3.9
SK Hynix Inc	South Korea	Info Technology	3.9
Samsung Electronics Co	South Korea	Info Technology	3.6
Micron Technology Inc	United States	Info Technology	3.6
Constellation Software	Canada	Info Technology	3.4
Microchip Technology Inc	United States	Info Technology	3.2
Lam Research Corp	United States	Info Technology	2.9
		Total	39.3

#### **INDUSTRY BREAKDOWN<sup>3</sup>**

SECTOR	LONG %	SHORT %	NET %
Information Technology	54.2	(2.4)	51.7
Communication Services	19.1		19.1
Consumer Discretionary	6.8		6.8
Industrials	4.7		4.7
Other		(1.0)	(1.0)

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