# Platinum Japan Fund ARSN 089 528 825

MONTHLY REPORT 30 April 2023

## FACTS

Portfolio value	\$502.58 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 - 4.3845 Red - 4.3713
Unit prices P Class	App - 1.0237 Red - 1.0206

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

	C Class %	P Class %	MSCI %
1 month	1.9	1.9	1.7
3 months	7.0	7.1	7.0
6 months	11.0	11.2	13.4
Calendar year to date	9.0	9.0	9.4
1 year	10.3	10.5	12.2
2 years (compound pa)	4.6	4.8	2.8
3 years (compound pa)	6.9	7.2	5.3
5 years (compound pa)	3.5	3.8	3.9
7 years (compound pa)	7.7		7.1
10 years (compound pa)	11.4		9.0
Since inception (compound pa)	12.7	5.9	3.2

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

	LONG %	SHORT %	NET %	CCY %
Asia-Pacific	91.7	(7.6)	84.0	96.4
Australia				15.5
Japan	83.4	(7.6)	75.7	72.5
South Korea	8.3		8.3	8.4
North America				3.6
United States of America				3.6
Sub-Total	91.7	(7.6)	84.0	100.0
Cash	8.3	7.6	16.0	
Total	100.0		100.0	100.0

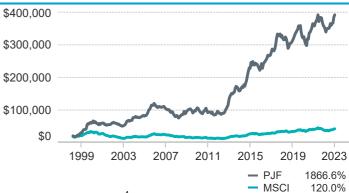
Long - 42 stocks Short - 7 swaps

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



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

STOCK	COUNTRY	INDUSTRY	%
Toyo Seikan Group	Japan	Materials	7.6
Fuji Soft Inc	Japan	Info Technology	4.5
Minebea Co Ltd	Japan	Industrials	4.4
Fujitec Co Ltd	Japan	Industrials	4.4
Pigeon Corp	Japan	Consumer Staples	4.0
DTS Corp	Japan	Info Technology	3.9
Lixil Group Corp	Japan	Industrials	3.2
Oyo Corp	Japan	Industrials	2.9
Doosan Bobcat Inc	South Korea	Industrials	2.9
Asahi Group Holdings Ltd	Japan	Consumer Staples	2.8
		Total	40.7

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

SECTOR	LONG %	SHORT %	NET %
Information Technology	27.6		27.6
Industrials	26.0	(2.3)	23.7
Materials	17.7		17.7
Consumer Staples	7.8		7.8
Communication Services	4.0	(0.9)	3.0
Health Care	2.4		2.4
Financials	2.3		2.3
Consumer Discretionary	3.8	(1.6)	2.2
Real Estate		(2.8)	(2.8)

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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, 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. The "Industry breakdown", index positions (whether through ETFs or derivative) are only 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). All data where MSCI is referenced is the property of MSCI Limited ("MSCI"). No use or distribution of this data is permitted without the written consent of MSCI. This data is provided "as is" without any warranties by MSCI. MSCI assumes no liability for or in connection with this data. Please see full MSCI disclaimer in https://www.platinum.com.au/Special-Pages/Terms-Conditions

