

#### Facts

Portfolio value Fund commenced Minimum investment Regular Investment Plan (min.)

Income distribution date

\$592.37 mn 30 June 1998

A\$20,000 or NZ\$20,000 A\$200 or NZ\$200 per mth/qtr

Annual, 30 June

Unit valuation Unit prices App - 4.2517 Red - 4.2304

Sydney Business Day

### Performance<sup>1</sup>

FUND %	MSCI %
3.60	3.03
7.40	5.51
17.42	11.50
11.48	2.87
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18.04	12.59
15.66	9.98
25.40	15.96
15.81	8.93
9.33	1.39
15.09	2.22
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Entry fee Nil Exit fee

Management Expense Ratio/ 1.54% per annum Indirect Cost Ratio (MER/ICR) (inclusive of investment & administration costs)

Brokerage paid

Buy/sell spread 0.25%/0.25%

### Performance graph<sup>2</sup>



## Top ten positions4

STOCK	COUNTRY	INDUSTRY	%
Mitsubishi UFJ Financial Grp	Japan	Financials	4.2
Ushio Inc	Japan	Industrials	4.0
Sumitomo Mitsui Financial	Japan	Financials	3.9
Nippon Tel and Tel CP	Japan	Telecom Services	3.5
Inpex Corporation Ltd	Japan	Energy	3.5
Nintendo Co Ltd	Japan	Info Technology	3.5
JSR Corp	Japan	Materials	3.5
Ibiden Co Ltd	Japan	Info Technology	3.1
Japan Petroleum Exploration	Japan	Energy	3.1
Kyocera Corp	Japan	Info Technology	3.1

# Industry breakdown<sup>3</sup>

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SECTOR	LONG %	NET %
Info Technology	27.1	27.1
Industrials	13.4	13.4
Cons Discretionary	13.2	13.2
Financials	12.8	12.8
Materials	11.3	11.3
Energy	6.6	6.6
Telecom Services	6.6	6.6
Health Care	2.9	2.9
Consumer Staples	1.1	1.1

#### Invested positions<sup>3</sup>

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	LONG %	NET %	CURRENCY %
Japan	95.0	95.0	70.9
	95.0	95.0	
Australian Dollar			8.6
United States Dollar			20.5
Cash	5.0	5.0	
Total	100.0	100.0	100.0

Long - 70 stocks

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4. Top Ten positions shows the Fund's top long share exposure positions as a % of NAV. Long derivative exposures are included, however, short derivative exposures are not.

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