

ASI Asia Pacific Equity Enhanced Index Fund



B Accumulation GBP

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Objective

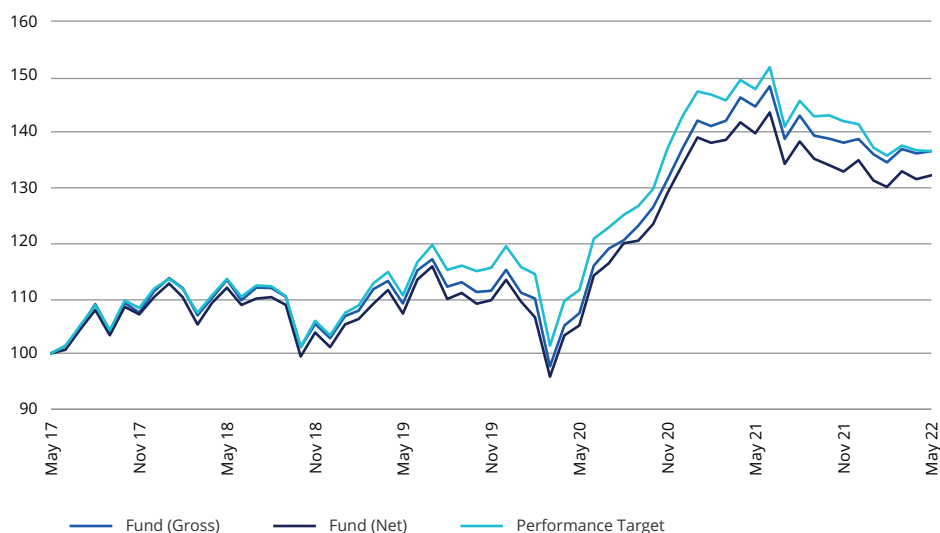
To generate growth over the long term (5 years or more) by investing in Asia Pacific, excluding Japan equities (company shares).

Performance Target: To exceed the return of the MSCI AC Asia Pacific ex Japan Index by 0.75% per annum over rolling three year periods (before charges). The Performance Target is the level of performance that the management team hopes to achieve for the fund. There is however no certainty or promise that they will achieve the Performance Target. The ACD believes this is an appropriate target for the fund based on the investment policy of the fund and the constituents of the index.

Portfolio Securities

- The fund will invest at least 70% in equities and equity related securities that are constituents of the MSCI AC Asia Pacific ex Japan Index.
- The fund will typically invest directly but may also invest indirectly when deemed appropriate in order to meet its objective.
- Indirect investment may be achieved via derivatives.
- The fund may also invest in other funds (including those managed by Aberdeen Standard Investments), money-market instruments, cash and to a small extent equities which are not constituents of the above index.

Performance



Cumulative and annualised performance (%)

	1 month	6 months	Year to date	1 year	3 years	5 years
Fund (Gross) (%)	0.30	-1.10	-1.58	-5.57	7.81	6.44
Fund (Net) (%)	0.53	-0.52	-2.03	-5.44	7.24	5.74
Performance target (%)	-0.11	-3.82	-3.46	-7.59	7.32	6.43

Discrete Annual Returns (%) - year to 31/5

	2022	2021	2020	2019	2018
Fund (Net) (%)	-5.44	33.14	-2.02	-4.18	11.88
Performance target (%)	-7.59	32.63	0.86	-2.64	13.49

Performance Data: Share Class B Acc

Fund (Net) Source: Lipper, Basis: Total Return, NAV to NAV, UK net income reinvested.

Fund (Gross) Source: abrdn, Basis: Total Return, Gross of fees.

Performance Target source: Lipper, Basis: close of business return, income reinvested, gross of expenses.

"Fund (Net)" refers to the actual unit price performance of the shareclass shown; "Fund(Gross)" adds back charges such as the annual management charge to present performance on the same basis as the performance target / performance comparator / portfolio constraining benchmark.

Fund Gross and Performance Target numbers are based on a valuation at close-of-business whereas Fund Net is based on prices at 12 noon.

Past performance is not a guide to future returns and future returns are not guaranteed.

Key facts

Fund manager (s)	Quantitative Investments
Fund launch date	22 March 2016
Shareclass launch date	22 March 2016
Fund size	£188.2m
Number of holdings	461
Performance target	MSCI Asia Pacific ex Japan Index +0.75%
Portfolio constraining benchmark	MSCI AC Asia Pacific ex Japan Index
Entry charge (up to) ³	0.00%
Historic yield ²	2.50%
Annual management charge	0.20%
Ongoing charge figure ¹	0.29%
Ex-Dividend Dates	1 January & 1 July
Payment Dates	28 February & 31 August
Minimum initial investment	£GBP 1,000,000
Fund type	OEIC
Valuation point	12:00 (UK time)
Base currency	GBP
Sedol	BRJL7V2
ISIN	GB00BRJL7V21
Citicode	KWWX
Bloomberg	ABAPEIB LN
Domicile	United Kingdom

Risk and reward profile

Lower risk Typically lower rewards Higher risk Typically higher rewards

1 2 3 4 5 6 7

This indicator reflects the volatility of the fund's share price over the last five years. See Key Investor Information Document (KIID) for details.

Key risks

- The value of investments and the income from them can fall and investors may get back less than the amount invested
- The fund may invest in companies with Variable Interest Entity (VIE) structures in order to gain exposure to industries with foreign ownership restrictions. There is a risk that investments in these structures may be adversely affected by changes in the legal and regulatory framework.
- Investing in China A shares involves special considerations and risks, including greater price volatility, a less developed regulatory and legal framework, exchange rate risk/controls, settlement, tax, quota, liquidity and regulatory risks.

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Management process

- The management team use their discretion (active management) to identify the investments they believe are most appropriate for the fund's objective.
- The management team uses numerical techniques to select investments, seeking to improve the level of return that can be achieved for a level of risk similar to that of the index.
- In seeking to achieve the Performance Target, the MSCI AC Asia Pacific ex Japan Index is also used as a reference point for portfolio construction and as a basis for setting risk constraints. The tracking error of the fund, which is a measure of expected variation between the returns of the fund and the index, is not ordinarily expected to exceed 2.5%. Due to the fund's risk constraints, the intention is that the fund's performance profile will not deviate significantly from that of the MSCI AC Asia Pacific ex Japan Index over the longer term.

Top 10 Holdings (%)

	Fund	Benchmark
Taiwan Semiconductor	6.4	6.5
Samsung Electronics	3.9	4.4
Tencent	3.3	3.6
BHP Billiton	2.4	2.2
ALIBABA GROUP HOLDING LTD HKD0.000003125	2.4	2.5
Commonwealth Bank Aust	1.5	1.7
China Construction Bank	1.3	1.0
AIA	1.2	1.7
Meituan Dianping	1.2	1.3
Reliance Industries	1.1	1.3
Total	24.7	26.2

Major Geographic Breakdown (%)

	Fund	Benchmark	Deviation
Singapore	3.9	2.9	1.1
China	30.0	29.0	1.0
Australia	17.2	16.6	0.6
Malaysia	2.0	1.4	0.6
Thailand	2.2	1.8	0.4
New Zealand	0.6	0.4	0.2
Taiwan	15.3	15.1	0.2
Hong Kong	4.9	6.2	-1.2
India	10.8	12.1	-1.3
Korea	10.4	12.0	-1.6
Cash	0.1	0.0	0.1

Source : abrdn 31/05/2022

Major Sector Breakdown (%)

	Fund	Benchmark	Deviation
Energy	5.7	3.7	2.1
Telecom Services	10.1	8.7	1.5
Industrials	7.0	6.4	0.6
Financials	23.0	22.5	0.4
Info Technology	20.6	20.2	0.4
Utilities	3.2	2.9	0.3
Real Estate	4.3	4.4	-0.1
Healthcare	4.5	4.9	-0.5
Consumer Staples	4.4	5.0	-0.7
Materials	7.1	8.8	-1.7
Consumer Disc	10.1	12.5	-2.4
Cash	0.1	0.0	0.1

- (d) The use of derivatives carries the risk of reduced liquidity, substantial loss and increased volatility in adverse market conditions, such as a failure amongst market participants. The use of derivatives may result in the fund being leveraged (where market exposure and thus the potential for loss by the fund exceeds the amount it has invested) and in these market conditions the effect of leverage will be to magnify losses.
- (e) The fund invests in emerging market equities and / or bonds. Investing in emerging markets involves a greater risk of loss than investing in more developed markets due to, among other factors, greater political, tax, economic, foreign exchange, liquidity and regulatory risks.
- (f) The fund invests in equity and equity related securities. These are sensitive to variations in the stock markets which can be volatile and change substantially in short periods of time.

Risk stats

Alpha % (p.a.) [^]	0.10
Beta [^]	0.96
Information Ratio [^]	0.52
R-Squared [^]	0.97
Sharpe Ratio [^]	0.48
Tracking Error % (p.a.) [^]	2.10

Source : abrdn. [^] Three year annualised.

Derivative usage

- The fund may use derivatives to reduce risk, reduce cost and/or generate additional income or growth consistent with the risk profile of the fund (often referred to as "Efficient Portfolio Management").
- Where derivatives are used, this would typically be to maintain allocations to company shares while meeting cash inflows or outflows. Where these are large relative to the size of the fund, derivative usage may be significant for limited periods of time.
- Derivative usage in the fund otherwise is expected to be very limited.

To help you understand this fund and for a full explanation of risks and the overall risk profile of this fund and the shareclasses within it, please refer to the Key Investor Information Documents and Prospectus which are available on our website www.abrdn.com The Prospectus also contains a glossary of key terms used in this document.

¹The Ongoing Charge Figure (OCF), is the overall cost shown as a percentage of the value of the assets of the Fund. It is made up of the Annual Management Charge (AMC) of 0.20% and other charges. It does not include any initial charges or the cost of buying and selling stocks for the Fund. The Ongoing Charges figure can help you compare the annual operating expenses of different funds.

²The Historic Yield as at 30/04/2022 reflects distributions declared over the past twelve months as a percentage of the mid-market share price, as at the date shown. It does not include any preliminary charge and investors may be subject to tax on their distributions.

³These are the maximum charges that we might take out of your money before it is invested. In some cases, the charges may be less and you should speak to your financial advisor about this.

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