# Value Partners Multi-Asset Fund

NAV per unit: Class A USD Acc - USD7.45

: USD31.9 million **Fund size** 



# CIES Eligible

March 2024

- Value Partners Multi-Asset Fund (The "Fund") aims to achieve capital growth by investing across a range of asset classes and currencies globally including equities, debt`securities, commodities, collective investment schemes, listed exchange traded funds ("ETFs"), real estate investment trusts ("REITs") and money market instruments which are primarily linked to the global trend of economies.
- The Fund adopts a dynamic asset allocation strategy which may be periodically rebalanced and therefore the Fund may incur greater transaction costs than a fund with static allocation strategy.
- The Fund may invest in small and mid-capitalization companies and emerging markets and therefore subject to higher volatility and lower liquidity in general.
- The Fund may invest in debt securities which may be unrated or below investment grade and financial derivative instruments. The Fund is therefore exposed to additional risks, including volatility risk, valuation risk, leverage risk, liquidity risk, correlation risk, counterparty/credit risk, legal risk, over-the-counter transaction risk and settlement risk, and may expose the Fund to significant losses.
- The Fund may invest in contingent convertible bonds which are risky and highly complex instruments. These instruments may be subject to conversion risk e.g. compulsory conversion by the issuer upon uncontrollable triggering events and hence the Fund may
- In respect of the distribution units for the Fund, the Manager currently intends to make monthly dividend distribution. However, the distribution rate is not guaranteed. Distribution yield is not indicative of the return of the Fund. Distribution may be paid from capital of the Fund. Investors should note that where the payment of distributions are paid out of capital, this represents and amounts to a return or withdrawal of part of the amount you originally invested or capital gains attributable to that and may result in an immediate decrease in the value of units.
- You should not make investment decision on the basis of this material alone. Please read the explanatory memorandum for details and risk factors.

## Investment objective

The Fund aims to achieve capital growth by investing in global markets which are primarily linked to the global trend of economies. Currently it primarily invests in Asian markets, with a particular focus on China equities, fixed income securities (investment-grade and high-yield) and other alternative income sources to capture opportunities across different market cycles.

### Performance since launch 1



3/2017 3/2018 3/2019 3/2020 3/2021 3/2022 3/2023 3/2024

# Performance update 1

	The Fund (Class A USD Acc)
Year-to-date	-1.6%
One month	-0.4%
One year	-13.1%
Three years	-37.6%
Five years	-31.5%
Total return since launch	-25.5%
Annualized return since launch ^	-3.4%

#### **NAVs & codes**

Classes <sup>2</sup>	NAV	ISIN	Bloomberg
Class A USD Acc	7.45	HK0000269149	VPMAAUS HK
Class A HKD Acc	7.42	HK0000269156	VPMAHKD HK
Class A USD MDis	4.95	HK0000408119	VPMAUMD HK
Class A HKD MDis	4.93	HK0000408127	VPMAHMD HK
Class A AUD Hedged MDis	4.55	HK0000408135	VPMAAHM HK

#### Dividend information - Class MDis 3

Classes <sup>2</sup>	Dividend amount / unit		Ex-dividend date
Class A USD MDis	0.0220	5.3%	28-3-2024
Class A HKD MDis	0.0219	5.3%	28-3-2024
Class A AUD Hedged MDis	0.0158	4.2%	28-3-2024

### Top holdings - equities 4

Holdings	Industry 5	Country/Region	%
Tencent Holdings Ltd	Media & entertainment	Hong Kong	3.0
Huaneng Power International Inc	Utilities	Hong Kong	2.8
China Merchants Bank Co Ltd	Banks	Hong Kong	2.7
AIA Group Ltd	Insurance	Hong Kong	2.6
China Construction Bank Corp	Banks	Hong Kong	2.6

## Top holdings - fixed income 4,6

Holdings	Sector 5	Country/Region	%
China Hongqiao Group Ltd 6.25% 06/08/2024	Materials	China	1.3
Bangkok Bank Public Co Ltd (Hong Kong Branch) 5.5% 09/21/2033	Banks	Thailand	1.0
Health & Happiness H&H International Holdings Ltd 13.5% 06/26/2026		China	1.0
Hutchison Whampoa International 14 Ltd 3.625% 10/31/2024	Capital goods	Others	1.0
MGM China Holdings Ltd 5.25% 06/18/2025	Consumer services	Macao	0.9

# The Fund - Class A USD Acc: Monthly performance

Year	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Annual
2015	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	-0.4%	-1.5%	+0.1%	-1.8%
2016	-3.5%	-0.8%	+1.8%	+0.3%	-1.1%	+2.6%	+2.4%	+1.0%	+0.5%	-0.8%	-2.3%	-0.4%	-0.5%
2017	+2.7%	+1.6%	+0.5%	+1.0%	+0.9%	+0.5%	+2.2%	+0.8%	+0.2%	+2.9%	+0.6%	+1.2%	+16.0%
2018	+4.9%	-3.1%	-1.5%	-1.0%	-0.2%	-2.0%	+0.4%	-1.9%	-0.9%	-4.9%	+1.5%	-2.1%	-10.7%
2019	+3.9%	+1.9%	+1.6%	+0.6%	-3.2%	+2.5%	-0.2%	-2.5%	+0.3%	+1.6%	-0.4%	+3.1%	+9.4%
2020	-2.6%	-0.5%	-12.8%	+4.0%	-0.3%	+4.9%	+5.0%	+4.9%	-2.5%	+1.0%	+5.2%	+3.1%	+8.1%
2021	+3.9%	+1.0%	-5.0%	+1.0%	+0.8%	-1.0%	-8.5%	+2.5%	-2.0%	-2.2%	-4.5%	-0.3%	-14.0%
2022	-4.4%	+0.2%	-7.0%	-2.6%	-0.1%	-1.0%	-4.5%	-3.3%	-9.8%	-7.5%	+17.4%	+5.0%	-18.6%
2023	+7.9%	-6.4%	+1.3%	-1.3%	-7.6%	+2.6%	+4.1%	-7.3%	-2.8%	-2.4%	+2.5%	+0.7%	-9.7%
2024 (YTD)	-6.5%	+5.6%	-0.4%										-1.6%

The Fund is one of the eligible collective investment schemes for the purpose of the New Capital Investment Entrant Scheme (New CIES) in Hong Kong with effect from 1 March 2024.



Annualized return is calculated from inception based on published NAV

#### **Portfolio characteristics**

As at 28 Mar 2024	
Portfolio yield <sup>7</sup>	5.0%
	The Fund (Class A USD Acc)
Annualized volatility (3 years) 8	18.4%

#### Asset type by geography (%) 4

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	Equities	Fixed Income	<b>Other Assets</b>	Total
Hong Kong	57.3	6.4	-	63.7
China	5.6	15.6	-	21.2
Brazil	-	5.2	-	5.2
<b>United States</b>	2.5	-	-	2.5
Macao	-	1.6	-	1.6
Singapore	0.2	0.9	-	1.1
Thailand	0.1	1.0	-	1.1
India	-	0.5	-	0.5
Korea	0.3	-	-	0.3
Philippines	0.3	-	-	0.3
Taiwan	0.2	-	-	0.2
Indonesia	0.1	-	-	0.1
Others	-	0.9	-	0.9
Cash <sup>9</sup>	-	-	-	1.3
Total	66.6	32.1	-	100.0

# Asset type by sector (%) 5

	<b>Equities</b>	Fixed Income	Other Assets	Total
Financials	9.6	7.5	-	17.1
Consumer discretionary	12.2	3.5	-	15.7
Industrials	10.7	4.4	-	15.1
Information technology	7.3	0.6	-	7.9
Materials	5.5	2.3	-	7.8
Real estate	2.7	3.8	-	6.5
Utilities	2.8	3.1	-	5.9
Communication services	5.3	-	-	5.3
Consumer staples	3.9	1.1	-	5.0
Health care	4.6	-	-	4.6
Energy	2.0	0.6	-	2.6
Others	-	5.2	-	5.2
Cash <sup>9</sup>	-	-	-	1.3
Total	66.6	32.1	-	100.0

#### Credit ratings 10

AA	0.8%
Α	6.0%
BBB	6.6%
BB	5.3%
B & Below	6.4%
Non-Rated	7.0%

Investment grade	13.4%
High yield	11.7%
Average credit rating 11	BBB-

#### **Fund facts**

Manager: Value Partners Hong Kong Limited

Base currency:

HSBC Institutional Trust Services (Asia) Limited Trustee: Custodian: HSBC Institutional Trust Services (Asia) Limited

Launch date: 13 Oct 2015

- Class A USD Acc 18 Aug 2016 – Class A HKD Acc 19 Jun 2018 - Class A USD MDis - Class A HKD MDis

- Class A AUD Hedged MDis

Dealing frequency: Daily

### Fee structure & Subscription information

	Class A
Minimum subscription	USD10,000 or equivalent
Minimum subsequent subscription	USD5,000 or equivalent
Subscription fee	Up to 5%
Management fee	1.75% p.a.

#### Senior investment staff

#### Co-Chairmen & Co-Chief Investment Officers:

Cheah Cheng Hye; Louis So

Deputy Chief Investment Officer, Equities: Yu Chen Jun Senior Investment Directors: Norman Ho, CFA; Renee Hung Chief Investment Officer, Multi Assets: Kelly Chung, CFA Investment Directors: Lillian Cao; Luo Jing, CFA; Michelle Yu, CFA

Senior Fund Manager: Frank Tsui Fund Manager: Willie Wu, CFA

# Key fund and corporate awards



Best Fund Provider - Multi-Asset Solution 12 ~ 2022 Asian Private Banker Asset Management Awards for

Excellence

Best Total Return – Multi-asset allocation (1-Year & 3-Year, 2<sup>nd</sup> Runner-up) <sup>13</sup>

~ HKCAMA & Bloomberg, Offshore China Fund Awards 2020

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Source: Value Partners, HSBC Institutional Trust Services (Asia) Limited, FactSet and Bloomberg, data as at the last valuation date of the month as stated above, unless stated otherwise. Performance is calculated on NAV to NAV in base currency with dividend reinvested and net of fees. All indices are for reference only. Our portfolio disclosure policy can be obtained from the Investment Manager upon request to email fis@vp.com.hk.

1. Effective 19 Jun 2018, the Fund has been changed from a fund of funds investing in multi-assets to a multi-asset fund and therefore the investment objective and policies have also been changed refer to the offering document for details. 2. Each hedged share class will hedge the Fund's base currency prior to 19 Jun 2018 was achieved under circumstances that no longer apply. Please refer to the offering document for details. 2. Each hedged share class will hedge the Fund's base currency of denomination on a best efforts basis. However, the volatility of the hedged classes measured in the Fund's base currency may be higher than that of the equivalent class denominated in the Fund's base currency. The hedged classes may be suitable for investors who wish to reduce the impact of changes in exchange rates between their local currency and the Fund's base currency. 3. As dividends may be paid out from capital, this may result in an immediate decrease in the NAV per share/unit and may reduce the capital available for the Fund for future investment and capital growth. Distributions are not guaranteed and may fluctuate. Past distributions are not necessarily indicative of future trends, which may be lower. Distribution payouts and its frequency are determined by the manager. The payment of distributions should not be confused with the Fund's performance, rate of return or yield. Positive distributions provided does not imply positive return. Annualized yield of MDis Class is calculated as follows: (Latest dividend amount/NAV as at ex-dividend date) x 12. Please refer to the offering document

Holding Period : 14. For Hong Rong investors only.

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