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# Value Partners Fund Offerings

Morningstar Rating TM\*
As at 30-04-2022

#### China / Greater China equities strategy

#### **Greater China**

- Value Partners Classic Fund
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- Value Partners China Greenchip Fund Limited CIES Eligible<sup>1</sup>

#### China

- Value Partners Intelligent Funds –
   China Convergence Fund
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- Value Partners Intelligent Funds –
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#### China A-share

- Value Partners Fund Series –
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   Select Fund RQFII
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#### **Taiwan**

Value Partners Taiwan Fund

#### Asia equities strategy

 Value Partners High-Dividend Stocks Fund



#### Thematic product

- Value Partners Ireland Fund ICAV -Value Partners Health Care Fund
- Value Partners Fund Series –
   Value Partners Asian Innovation Opportunities
   Fund
- Value Gold ETF

#### **Fixed income strategy**

- Value Partners Greater China High Yield Income Fund
- Value Partners Fund Series –
   Value Partners Asian Total Return
   Bond Fund



 Value Partners Fund Series –
 Value Partners Asian Fixed Maturity Bond Fund 2022

#### **Multi-asset strategy**

- Value Partners Multi-Asset Fund

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<sup>1.</sup> Value Partners China Greenchip Fund Limited is one of the eligible collective investment schemes for the purpose of the Hong Kong Capital Investment Entrant Scheme (CIES). The CIES was suspended by the Hong Kong Government with effect from 15 January 2015 until further notice.

# **Performance**

|  | Inception<br>date |            | Fund size           | 2011                    | 2012           | 2013                | 2014          | 2015           | 2016                   | 2017               | 2018                    | 2019           | 2020           | 2021             | 2022 YTD         | Since<br>inception      |
|--|-------------------|------------|---------------------|-------------------------|----------------|---------------------|---------------|----------------|------------------------|--------------------|-------------------------|----------------|----------------|------------------|------------------|-------------------------|
| Value Partners Classic Fund (A unit)   | 1 Apr 1993        |            |                     | -17.2%                  | 14.0%          | 11.2%               | 13.5%         | -1.5%          | -3.2%                  | 44.9%              | -23.1%                  | 32.4%          | 37.6%          | -6.6%            | -24.8%           | 3,526.8%                |
| Index <sup>µ</sup>   |                   |            |                     | -17.4%                  | 27.7%          | 6.5%                | 5.5%          | -3.9%          | 4.3%                   | 37.4%              | -14.8%                  | 23.8%          | 28.2%          | -9.5%            | -15.9%           | 633.0%                  |
| Value Partners Classic Fund (B unit)   | 15 May 1996       | USD (Total | SD 1,115.5 million  | -17.6%                  | 13.4%<br>27.7% | 10.6%               | 13.0%         | -2.0%<br>-3.9% | -3.7%<br>43%           | 44.1%<br>37.4%     | -14.8%                  | 31.7%<br>23.8% | 37.2%<br>28.2% | -7.0%<br>-9.5%   | -24.9%<br>-15.9% | 1,493.7%                |
| Value Partners Classic Fund (C unit)   | 15 Oct 2009       | ,          |                     | -17.6%                  | 13.4%          | 10.8%               | 13.3%         | -2.0%          | -3.7%                  | 43.3%              | -23.5%                  | 31.9%          | 36.8%          | -7.2%            | -24.9%           | 99.4%                   |
| Index"   |                   |            |                     | -17.4%                  | 27.7%          | 6.5%                | 5.5%          | -3.9%          | 4.3%                   | 37.4%              | -14.8%                  | 23.8%          | 28.2%          | -9.5%            | -15.9%           | 81.3%                   |
| Value Partners China Greenchip Fund Limited  | 8 Apr 2002        | HKD        | 1,355.0 million     | -25.0%                  | 24.8%          | 16.5%               | 2.4%          | -13.0%         | -4.0%                  | 38.4%              | -23.4%                  | 29.1%          | 32.6%          | -6.6%            | -20.6%           | 585.6%                  |
| I many oberganics. MSCI China Index (Total Net Return)*  |                   |            |                     | -18.2%                  | 22.0%          | 3.7%                | 8.0%          | -7.9%          | 0.9%                   | 55.3%              | -18.8%                  | 22.9%          | 28.9%          | -21.3%           | -17.2%           | 602.0%                  |
| Value Partners Intelligent Funds –<br>China Convergence Fund   | 14 Jul 2000       | USD        | 136.5 million       | -22.4%                  | 9.3%           | 9.2%                | 14.6%         | -0.5%          | -8.7%                  | 41.3%              | -13.2%                  | 20.2%          | 47.5%          | -14.8%           | -24.8%           | 1,759.6%                |
| MSCI China Index <sup>9</sup>  |                   |            |                     | -18.4%                  | 22.7%          | 3.6%                | 8.0%          | -7.8%          | 0.9%                   | 54.1%              | -18.9%                  | 23.5%          | 29.5%          | -21.7%           | -17.7%           | 227.7%                  |
| Chinese Mainland Focus Fund<br>MSCI China Index (Total Net Return)π                                    | 27 Nov 2003       | USD        | 157.8 million       | <b>-17.8%</b><br>-18.4% | 11.6%<br>22.7% | <b>8.3%</b><br>3.6% | 10.6%<br>8.0% | 1.7%<br>-7.8%  | - <b>10.3%</b><br>0.9% | <b>61.2%</b> 54.1% | <b>-28.3%</b><br>-18.9% | 36.6%<br>23.5% | 73.6%<br>29.5% | -13.2%<br>-21.7% | -30.8%<br>-17.7% | <b>509.7%</b><br>399.0% |
| Value Partners Fund Series — Value Partners China A-Share Select Fund                                  | 16 Oct 2014       | RMB        | 332.1 million       | ,                       |                |                     | 18.1%         | 12.1%          | -5.3%                  | 27.1%              | -22.3%                  | 27.4%          | 40.2%          | 2.7%             | -22.7%           | 75.6%                   |
| Value Partners Taiwan Fund   | 3 Mar 2008        | USD        | 74.2 million        | -13.0%                  | 26.1%          | 13.7%               | 2.1%          | 6.5%           | 16.2%                  | 25.9%              | -7.2%                   | 27.2%          | 19.6%          | 22.0%            | -20.9%           | 187.5%                  |
| MSCI Taiwan Index (Total Net Return)φ  |                   |            |                     | -19.5%                  | 16.9%          | 9.1%                | 9.4%          | -11.7%         | 18.5%                  | 27.5%              | -8.9%                   | 36.4%          | 41.0%          | 26.1%            | -15.7%           | 219.7%                  |
| Value Partners High-Dividend Stocks Fund (Class AI) MSCT ACA Aria (aw. Inone) Indoor (Trank Nov Domonf | 2 Sep 2002        | USD        | USD 1,627.8 million | -11.9%                  | 25.2%          | 8.1%                | 9.4%          | 3.7%           | -0.2%                  | 32.9%              | -14.2%                  | 14.9%          | 13.9%          | 3.5%             | -10.0%           | 907.1%                  |
| Value Partners High-Dividend Stocks Fund (Class A2)  | 28 Sep 2012       |            |                     |                         | 7.2%           | 7.5%                | 9.4%          | -3.8%          | -0.3%                  | 31.7%              | -14.2%                  | 14.9%          | 13.9%          | 3.5%             | -10.0%           | 66.9%                   |
| Value Partners Health Care Fund  | 2 Apr 2015        | USD        | 204.9 million       | •                       |                |                     |               | -3.7%          | 1.9%                   | 20.8%              | -5.4%                   | 21.0%          | 34.4%          | -14.8%           | -25.4%           | 16.0%                   |
| Value Partners Fund Series — Value Partners Asian Innovation Opportunities Fund                        | 26 Feb 2019       | USD        | 69.4 million        |                         |                |                     |               |                |                        |                    |                         | 20.2%          | 43.0%          | 9.0%             | -19.7%           | 50.5%                   |
| Value Gold ETF   | 3 Nov 2010        | HKD        | 1,881.0 million     | 11.1%                   | 5.0%           | -28.1%              | -0.6%         | -11.9%         | 8.6%                   | 12.3%              | -1.4%                   | 17.7%          | 23.1%          | -3.6%            | 5.8%             | 39.0%                   |
| Value Partners Greater China High Yield Income Fund (P USD Acc)  | 27 Mar 2012       | USD        | 979.1 million       |                         | 13.0%          | 1.2%                | 1.1%          | 6.1%           | 15.9%                  | 10.1%              | -4.9%                   | 9.4%           | -0.3%          | -22.5%           | -18.9%           | 2.0%                    |
| Value Partners Fund Series Value Partners Asian Total Return Bond Fund                                 | 9 Apr 2018        | USD        | 80.6 million        |                         |                |                     |               | ı              |                        |                    | -0.1%                   | 12.6%          | 5.2%           | -1.9%            | -9.1%            | 5.5%                    |
| Value Partners Multi-Asset Fund  | 13 Oct 2015       | USD        | 41.4 million        |                         |                |                     |               | -1.8%          | -0.5%                  | 16.0%              | -10.7%                  | 9.4%           | 8.1%           | -14.0%           | -13.2%           | -10.7%                  |
| Value Partners Fund Series Value Partners Asian Income Fund  | 13 Nov 2017       | USD        | 286.1 million       |                         |                |                     |               |                |                        | 2.5%               | -3.9%                   | 10.4%          | 17.6%          | 3.3%             | -11.7%           | 16.5%                   |
|  |                   |            |                     |                         |                |                     |               |                |                        |                    |                         |                |                |                  |                  |                         |

Source: HSBC Institutional Trust Services (Asia) Limited and Bloomberg.

Unless otherwise stated, performance is calculated in USD, NAV to NAV, with dividends reinvested. Performance data is not of all fees. All indices are for reference only.

<sup>\*</sup>Index refers to MSCI AC Asia Pacific (ex-apan) Index (Total Net Return) up to 30 Apr 2016, thereafter it is the MSCI AC Asia (ex-apan) Index (Total Net Return) due to a change in investment profile. MSCI Total Net Return Indices takes into account of dividend reinvestment after deduction of vithholding tax.

+Performance is calculated in HKD, NAV to NAV, with dividends reinvested. Performance data is net of all fees, Investors should note that figures for Non-Redeemable Class N shares shown above may differ from those of classes currently available for subscription (namely Class A and Class A2 QDis), due to differences in launch due of these classes. For Class A, the since launch return is +93.9%.

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o Taiwan Stock Exchange Weighted Index (Total Return) (TAIEX). MSCI Taiwan Index (Total Net Return) which takes into account of dividend reinvestment after deduction of withholding tax.

# Value Partners Classic Fund



**Fund size** : USD1,115.5 million





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Value Partners Classic Fund (The "Fund") primarily invests in markets of the Asia-Pacific region, with a Greater China focus.

The Fund invests in China-related companies and emerging markets which involve certain risks not typically associated with investment in more developed markets, such as greater political, tax, economic, foreign exchange, liquidity and regulatory risks.

The Fund is also subject to concentration risk due to its concentration in Asia-Pacific region, particularly China-related companies. The value of the Fund can be extremely volatile and could go down substantially within a short period of time. It is possible that the entire value of your investment could be lost.

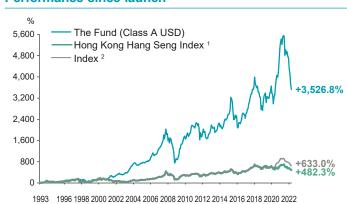
The Fund may also invest in derivatives which can involve material risks, e.g. counterparty default risk, insolvency or liquidity risk, and may expose the Fund to significant losses.

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 consistent superior returns through an investment discipline that places emphasis on the fundamental value of potential investments, which the Manager believes are being traded at deep discounts to their intrinsic values. The Fund will concentrate on investing in the markets of the Asia Pacific region (particularly in Greater China region) but without fixed geographical, sectoral or industry weightings.

#### Performance since launch



#### Performance update

|                                  | USD       | USD       | USD    | Index 1 | Index <sup>2</sup> |
|----------------------------------|-----------|-----------|--------|---------|--------------------|
| Year-to-date                     | -24.8%    | -24.9%    | -24.9% | -10.1%  | -15.9%             |
| One month                        | -5.4%     | -5.4%     | -5.4%  | -4.3%   | -6.0%              |
| One year                         | -35.2%    | -35.5%    | -35.6% | -25.5%  | -28.2%             |
| Three years                      | +3.9%     | +2.6%     | +2.3%  | -22.1%  | +2.3%              |
| Five years                       | +23.9%    | +21.1%    | +20.0% | +0.1%   | +26.1%             |
| Total return since launch        | +3,526.8% | +1,493.7% | +99.4% | +482.3% | +633.0%            |
| Annualized return since launch ^ | +13.1%    | +11.2%    | +5.6%  | +6.2%   | +7.1%              |

#### **NAVs & codes**

| Classes <sup>3</sup>     | NAV      | ISIN         | Bloomberg  |
|--------------------------|----------|--------------|------------|
| Class A USD              | 362.68   | HK0000264868 | VLPARAI HK |
| Class B USD              | 159.37   | HK0000264876 | VLPARBI HK |
| Class C USD              | 19.94    | HK0000264884 | VLPARCI HK |
| Class C HKD <sup>4</sup> | 156.4742 | HK0000264884 | VLPARCI HK |
| Class C RMB              | 13.61    | HK0000264926 | VLCHCRM HK |
| Class C AUD Hedged       | 15.12    | HK0000264892 | VLCHAUD HK |
| Class C CAD Hedged       | 15.25    | HK0000264900 | VLCHCAD HK |
| Class C HKD Hedged       | 13.22    | HK0000264934 | VLCHCHH HK |
| Class C NZD Hedged       | 15.77    | HK0000264918 | VLCHNZD HK |
| Class C RMB Hedged       | 14.14    | HK0000264942 | VLCHCRH HK |
| Class C USD MDis         | 8.48     | HK0000360880 | VLCCMDU HK |
| Class C HKD MDis         | 8.50     | HK0000360898 | VLCCMDH HK |
| Class C RMB MDis         | 8.13     | HK0000362241 | VLCCMDR HK |
| Class C RMB Hedged MDis  | 8.31     | HK0000362258 | VLCCMRH HK |

#### Dividend information - Class C MDis 5

| Classes <sup>3</sup>    | Dividend<br>per unit <sup>6</sup> | Annualized yield <sup>7</sup> | Ex-dividend date |
|-------------------------|-----------------------------------|-------------------------------|------------------|
| Class C USD MDis        | 0.0196                            | 2.8%                          | 29-4-2022        |
| Class C HKD MDis        | 0.0194                            | 2.7%                          | 29-4-2022        |
| Class C RMB MDis        | 0.0197                            | 2.9%                          | 29-4-2022        |
| Class C RMB Hedged MDis | 0.0391                            | 5.6%                          | 29-4-2022        |

#### The Fund - Class A USD: Monthly performance from 1 Jan 2013 to 29 Apr 2022

| Year       | Jan    | Feb   | Mar    | Apr    | May    | Jun   | Jul    | Aug    | Sep   | Oct    | Nov    | Dec   | Annual |
|------------|--------|-------|--------|--------|--------|-------|--------|--------|-------|--------|--------|-------|--------|
| 2013       | +7.9%  | -2.5% | -2.9%  | +0.6%  | +1.2%  | -9.0% | +2.3%  | +0.5%  | +2.2% | +6.2%  | +4.8%  | +0.4% | +11.2% |
| 2014       | -5.5%  | +2.3% | -4.0%  | -1.6%  | +2.0%  | +4.6% | +6.2%  | +3.0%  | -1.5% | +1.6%  | +1.9%  | +4.6% | +13.5% |
| 2015       | +0.3%  | +2.4% | +3.7%  | +17.1% | -1.5%  | -3.5% | -11.0% | -11.6% | +0.2% | +6.5%  | -3.8%  | +2.9% | -1.5%  |
| 2016       | -15.9% | -1.5% | +8.7%  | +0.2%  | -1.4%  | +2.4% | +5.0%  | +7.4%  | +1.4% | -1.8%  | -0.2%  | -5.0% | -3.2%  |
| 2017       | +6.1%  | +1.9% | +3.7%  | +2.6%  | +5.7%  | +3.0% | +4.5%  | +3.5%  | +0.3% | +4.9%  | -0.1%  | +1.8% | +44.9% |
| 2018       | +10.8% | -5.7% | -2.5%  | -1.8%  | +1.5%  | -5.8% | -0.2%  | -4.4%  | -1.1% | -13.7% | +4.8%  | -5.8% | -23.1% |
| 2019       | +10.6% | +7.2% | +2.4%  | +1.5%  | -10.3% | +7.1% | -0.5%  | -1.5%  | +0.3% | +5.5%  | +1.4%  | +6.4% | +32.4% |
| 2020       | -7.3%  | -1.3% | -10.0% | +8.2%  | +2.4%  | +9.9% | +6.9%  | +3.4%  | -1.7% | +4.4%  | +10.2% | +9.7% | +37.6% |
| 2021       | +4.9%  | +2.1% | -3.7%  | +5.1%  | +1.0%  | -0.3% | -12.7% | +4.1%  | -3.0% | +1.6%  | -3.2%  | -1.3% | -6.6%  |
| 2022 (YTD) | -8.3%  | -4.9% | -8.9%  | -5.4%  |        |       |        |        |       |        |        |       | -24.8% |
|            |        |       |        |        |        |       |        |        |       |        |        |       |        |

<sup>^</sup> Annualized return is calculated from inception based on published NAV.

#### Top holdings

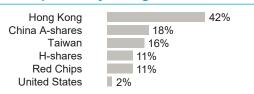
| Name   | Industry 8                               | % <sup>9</sup> |
|--|--|----------------|
| Taiwan Semiconductor<br>Manufacturing Co Ltd | Semiconductors & semiconductor equipment | 9.4            |
| Meituan                                      | Retailing                                | 7.0            |
| Kweichow Moutai Co Ltd                       | Food, beverage & tobacco                 | 6.8            |
| China Merchants Bank Co Ltd                  | Banks                                    | 5.7            |
| AIA Group Ltd                                | Insurance                                | 4.8            |
| NetEase Inc                                  | Media & entertainment                    | 4.7            |
| China Mobile Ltd                             | Telecom services                         | 3.7            |
| East Money Information<br>Co Ltd             | Diversified financials                   | 3.7            |
| Chervon Holdings Ltd                         | Consumer durables & apparel              | 3.6            |
| SIIC Environment Holdings Ltd                | Utilities                                | 3.1            |

These securities constitute 53% 9 of the Fund

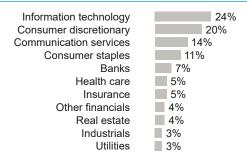
#### Portfolio characteristics

| As at 29 Apr 2022 10               |                |                |                |                                 |                    |
|------------------------------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|---------------------------------|--------------------|
| Price/earnings ratio               |                |                |                | 10.5 tir                        | nes                |
| Price/book ratio                   |                |                |                | 1.5 tim                         | nes                |
| Portfolio yield                    |                |                |                | 3.3%                            | 6                  |
|                                    | Class A<br>USD | Class B<br>USD | Class C<br>USD | Hang Seng<br>Index <sup>1</sup> | Index <sup>2</sup> |
| Annualized volatility (3 years) 11 | 21.2%          | 21.2%          | 21.2%          | 17.6%                           | 18.5%              |

#### Geographical exposure by listing <sup>9</sup>



#### Sector exposure 8,9



#### **Fund facts**

| Manager:<br>Base currency:<br>Trustee:<br>Custodian:<br>Launch date: | Value Partners Hong Kong Limited USD HSBC Institutional Trust Services (Asia) Limited HSBC Institutional Trust Services (Asia) Limited Class A USD - 1 Apr 1993 |
|--|---|
|  | Class B USD - 15 May 1996<br>Class C USD - 15 Oct 2009  |
|  | Class C AUD/CAD/NZD Hedged - 17 Mar 2014  |
|  | Class C RMB Hedged - 28 Oct 2015  |
|  | Class C HKD Hedged - 30 Nov 2015  |
|  | Class C RMB - 1 Dec 2015  |
|  | Class C USD MDis - 16 Oct 2017  |
|  | Class C HKD MDis - 16 Oct 2017  |
|  | Class C RMB MDis - 16 Oct 2017  |
|  | Class C RMB Hedged MDis - 16 Oct 2017   |
| Dividend Policy 5:   | Class C MDis – aim at monthly distribution, subject to Manager's discretion   |
|  |   |

Class A, B and C are invested in the same fund, Class A and B were no longer issued from 12 Apr 2002 and 15 Oct 2009 respectively. Only Class C is currently available

#### Fee structure

|                                 | Class A          | Class B           | Class C                   |
|---------------------------------|------------------|-------------------|---------------------------|
| Minimum subscription            | Closed           | Closed            | USD10,000 or equivalent   |
| Minimum subsequent subscription | Nil              | Nil               | USD5,000<br>or equivalent |
| Subscription fee                | Closed           | Closed            | up to 5%                  |
| Management fee                  | 0.75% p.a.       | 1.25% p.a.        | 1.25% p.a.                |
| Performance fee 12              | 15% of pr        | ofit (High-on-hig | h principle)              |
| Redemption fee                  |                  | Nil               |                           |
| Dealing day                     | Daily redemption | Daily redemption  | Daily dealing             |
|                                 |                  |                   |                           |

#### Senior investment staff

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

Cheah Cheng Hye; Louis So

Senior Investment Directors: Norman Ho, CFA; Renee Hung Investment Directors: Chung Man Wing; Yu Chen Jun; Michelle Yu, CFA Senior Fund Managers: Lillian Cao; Anthony Chan, CFA; Kelly Chung, CFA; Doris Ho; Glenda Hsia; Amy Lee, CFA, CAIA; Luo Jing, CFA; Frank Tsui

#### Key fund and corporate awards



Golden Bull Overseas China Equity Fund (1-Year) 13 ~ China Securities Journal, The Overseas Fund Golden Bull Fund Awards 2020 & 2021

Asia ex-Japan Equity House: Best-in-Class 14 Greater China Equity House: Outstanding Achiever 14 ~ Benchmark Fund of the Year Awards 2018, Hong Kong

Offshore China Equity (10-year) 15 ~ Insight & Mandate, Professional Investment Awards 2018

Scan QR code<sup>16</sup>:





Fund documents

notices

Source: HSBC Institutional Trust Services (Asia) Limited 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.

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#### Value Partners Classic Fund Commentary / First Quarter 2022

- Value Partners Classic Fund (The "Fund") primarily invests in markets of the Asia-Pacific region, with a Greater China focus.
- The Fund invests in China-related companies and emerging markets which involve certain risks not typically associated
  with investment in more developed markets, such as greater political, tax, economic, foreign exchange, liquidity and
  regulatory risks.
- The Fund is also subject to concentration risk due to its concentration in Asia-Pacific region, particularly China-related companies. The value of the Fund can be extremely volatile and could go down substantially within a short period of time. It is possible that the entire value of your investment could be lost.
- The Fund may also invest in derivatives which can involve material risks, e.g. counterparty default risk, insolvency or liquidity risk, and may expose the Fund to significant losses.
- 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.
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Volatility was carried into the beginning of 2022, with geopolitical tensions and external uncertainties weighing on investor sentiment. During the first quarter, the Value Partners Classic Fund was down 20.5%, while the MSCI Golden Dragon Index dropped 10.6% <sup>1</sup>.

#### Russia-Ukraine tensions take center stage

Inflation in the west continued to be a key concern among investors, especially in the US. Following the military conflicts between Russia and Ukraine, inflationary pressures were exacerbated. With both countries being major exporters of oil and other commodity products, the tensions pushed up energy and food prices, especially after the various sanctions imposed against Russia by other economies.

While we view that the uncertainties stemming from the tensions will linger in the medium-term, we expect that inflation in China is more manageable compared to the west. Due to softer domestic demand recovery and less significant commodity prices pass through, inflation has been more under control, with both CPI and PPI trending down since late last year. This offers more room for monetary easing, especially after it articulated in December its clear pro-growth stance, which has been our focus on how China could yield better performance in 2022.

#### Potential ADR delisting, COVID concerns

Meanwhile, ADR delisting uncertainties resurfaced during the quarter. While the talk of this is not new, tensions were heightened at the beginning of March as the Holding Foreign Companies Accountable Act (HFCAA) implementation began, with the SEC announcing five ADRs to be on the provisional list. The identified firms could be subject to delisting from the US if they fail to comply with the HFCAA requirements. We expect volatility in Chinese ADRs to remain, given the provisional list will keep growing on the back of the SEC undertaking the assessment on a rolling basis. We note that while there are more than 100 Chinese companies with a primary listing in the US, the direct impact of ADRs on our portfolios is insignificant, given our exposure to Chinese ADRs is minimal to none.



Adding to investor concerns is the spike of COVID infections in China towards the end of the quarter, as the lockdowns may affect supply chains and further weaken consumption in the near term. If control measures are managed properly, we expect that China's production activities would recovery from the lockdown disruption. While we are optimistic about the containment of the virus, we are cautious on the downside risks to 2022 consensus numbers in the near term and will continue to monitor the frequency of lockdowns and their impacts on the economy.

#### **Pro-growth stance**

Despite the uncertainties surrounding Greater China equities, we are constructive about the government's clear stance on easing, which has been our focus on how China could yield better performance this year.

In a move to counter sluggish demand and help the economy achieve stable growth, the government shifted to a more pro-growth stance in December last year. The following month, the government started with monetary easing, cutting down the medium-term lending facility (MLF) operation and the one-year and five-year Chinese loan market quoted rates (LPRs). In March, the National People's Congress further articulated its more pro-growth stance, setting its target GDP growth for 2022 at 5.5%<sup>2</sup>, although this may be challenging given the pandemic disruption. The government is expected to employ proactive fiscal and monetary policies. For example, on the fiscal front, the government will be increasing infrastructure spending. Tax rebates are also expected to be rolled out, especially for SMEs, to support the economy. On the monetary front, policies will be more accommodative. As mentioned above, with CPI remaining low, China has more room for rate cuts, contrary to most developed markets in the west. In the wake of market weakness, we expect a further step up in easing is almost a must scenario from policymakers. While these pro-growth moves will take several months to take effect, they should eventually lift market sentiment towards the Greater China market.

#### Portfolio strategy review

The first quarter was challenging for Chinese equities given a series of macro events that drove the risk-off sentiment and triggered global investors to exit China.

All sectors plummeted amid the selloff. Our exposure in the information technology sector was hit amid end demand weakness, leading to fears of inventory correction in the consumer electronics and semiconductor space. During the period, we have selectively trimmed our Taiwan and China consumer electronics exposures, while, we believe our core holdings in high-quality technology leaders in the industry should continue to benefit longer-term on the back of their better pricing power and continued digitalization trend both locally and globally. Another sector that was sold down during the quarter was the internet sector, as investors anticipated a moderated first quarter macro environment. In particular, our core holding of an e-commerce platform detracted on the policy guide to offer preferential rates to restaurants that are located in the "medium-to-high COVID risk areas". We remain very selective in the sector to ensure intact fundamentals and be cautious of potential policy changes as the government rolls out its common prosperity agenda. We have also trimmed our higher education exposures as there is a risk of potential change in policy to shape the quality education agenda in the higher education space.

On the positive contributors, our increased exposure to telecommunication companies paid off as the sector continues to benefit from higher pricing for 5G and is riding on China's industrial



digitalization trend. The sector offers stable earnings visibility at undemanding valuations. Our selective financials holdings contributed positively as they benefited from a rising US interest rate environment. Meanwhile, our newly added core holding of an online entertainment company yielded positively as its existing online game titles are steadily growing. We are positive about the company's growth outlook on the back of its product upcycle and global expansion, which includes the continued launch of new gaming titles in other parts of Asia.

#### **Outlook**

Overall, we view that volatility will remain in the near term as geopolitical risks and COVID resurgence in China have created uncertainties, while the hawkish central banks driven by faster-than-expected inflation hike is another key factor to watch. However, we maintain our view that the current investment landscape will continue to drive bottom-up opportunities, with divergent performances in sectors and companies. That said, we remain cautious in assessing our holdings' vulnerability to these uncertainties and how their fundamentals change amid the worsening sentiment. In the medium term, we view that the government's pro-growth stance should eventually uplift market sentiment, although it will take time for monetary and fiscal actions to be reflected in the economy. We continue to prefer high-quality companies with earnings visibility and those that will benefit from policy tailwinds, including consumer names, technology hardware, and financial companies that provide wealth management services.

Value Partners Investment Team 12 April 2022

Sources:

- 1. MSCI. 31 March 2022
- 2. National People's Congress, China, 5 March 2022

Fund performance mentioned referred to Value Partners Classic Fund "A" Unit. All performance figures are sourced from HSBC Institutional Trust Services (Asia) Limited and Bloomberg (Data computed in US\$ terms on NAV-to-NAV basis with dividends reinvested) as at 31 March 2022. Performance data is net of all fees. Individual stock performance is not indicative of fund performance.

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# Value Partners Classic Fund: 10 largest holdings of securities as at 31 March 2022

| Stock  | Industry                                   | Valuation<br>(2022 Estimates)                             | Remarks  |
|--|--|---|--|
| Taiwan Semiconductor<br>Manufacturing<br>(Code: 2330 TT) | Semiconductors and semiconductor equipment | Price: TWD597.0<br>P/E: 18.3x<br>P/B: 5.4x<br>Yield: 2.1% | Taiwan Semiconductor Manufacturing is a world-class independent semiconductor foundry. It provides integrated circuit (IC) design houses with integrated services for process design, wafer manufacturing and testing. As a global leader with more than 50% share of the outsourcing market, the Company has consistently outperformed competitors in technology and profitability. |
| Market cap:<br>US\$540.8 billion                         |  |   | We think the Company is well-positioned to continue to benefit from the growing IC manufacturing outsourcing market and the rising demand for the Internet of things trend, AI chips and new application areas.  |
| China Merchants Bank<br>(Code: 3968 HK)                  | Banks                                      | Price: HK\$61.5<br>P/E: 9.2x<br>P/B: 1.5x                 | Founded in 1987, Shenzhen-based China Merchants Bank is one of the largest banking groups in China. CMB has over 90,000 employees worldwide as of the end of 2020 and more than 1,800 branches globally.   |
| Market cap:<br>US\$188.4 billion                         |  | Yield: 3.6%   | CMB has a strong brand name and well-established retail franchise with higher-than-peers retail deposits and over RMB 10 trillion of total retail assets under management. With its strong asset sourcing and growth at the asset management arm, CBM Wealth Management is a beneficiary of the structural demand growth for professionally managed solutions.                       |
| Kweichow Moutai  | Food, beverage and                         | Price: CNY1,719.0   | Kweichow Moutai is China's largest liquor manufacturer in terms of market value. With its  |
| (Code: 600519 CH)  | tobacco                                    | P/E: 34.8x<br>P/B: 9.5x                                   | premium brand positioning and effective channel management, Moutai has successfully expanded its market share in private consumption in the past years after a considerable decline  |
| Market cap:<br>US\$340.6 billion                         |  | Yield: 1.5%   | in official consumption. It has a distinguished brand among other players in China and is expected to benefit from the consumption upgrade cycle.  |
| Meituan<br>(Code: 3690 HK)                               | Retailing                                  | Price: HK\$155.6<br>P/E: N/A<br>P/B: 6.5x                 | Meituan is China's group buying website offering food delivery and hotel booking services at the same time. Established in Beijing and listed in Hong Kong, Meituan has grown as one of China's biggest e-commerce platforms.  |
| Market cap:<br>US\$122.8 billion                         |  | Yield: 0.0%   | China's addressable consumer services market offers one of the most visible growth prospects within the Internet sector. Meituan's leading position in multiple high-frequency categories and a large user base of over 650 million provide good cross-selling opportunities.  |



| Stock  | Industry                      | Valuation<br>(2022 Estimates)                             | Remarks  |
|--|-------------------------------|---|--|
| AIA Group<br>(Code: 1299 HK)                   | Insurance                     | Price: HK\$82.4<br>P/E: 17.3x<br>P/B: 2.0x                | AIA is the largest independent publicly listed pan-Asian life insurance group – with a presence in 18 markets across the Asia-Pacific region. We expect AIA to deliver superior new business growth than most of its peers, underpinned by a favorable geographical exposure, strong   |
| Market cap:<br>US\$127.3 billion               |                               | Yield: 2.0%   | competitive positioning and a high-quality management team. AIA China also supports the company's growth as its high-end and protection-oriented business in China is more resilient.  |
| Chervon Holdings<br>(Code: 2285 HK)            | Consumer durables and apparel | Price: HK\$54.5<br>P/E: 17.9x<br>P/B: 2.9x<br>Viold: 1.7% | Chervon is a leading power tools manufacturer in China, with strong innovation capability to capture the growth of the electric outdoor power equipment market. The company has significant global penetration of distribution networks, having partnered with huge players,   |
| Market cap:<br>US\$3.4 billion                 |                               | 11000. 1.270  | including Lowe's, waimart, Amazon and JJ.com.  |
| East Money<br>Information<br>(Code: 300059 CH) | Diversified financials        | Price: CNY25.3<br>P/E: 26.1x<br>P/B: 4.7x<br>Yield: 0.4%  | East Money is an online securities firm with a one-stop financial ecosystem. It has over 100 million users. It has a distinctive comprehensive business model that creates a financial ecosystem with strong client traffic and stickiness to monetize. East Money has been gaining market share in brokerage and mutual fund AUM from traditional brokers. The company is a key |
| Market cap:<br>US\$44.0 billion                |                               |   | beneficiary of China's wealth management development trend, which is supported by the growing household financial assets and needs to diversify away from property investments.  |
| NetEase Group<br>(Code: 9999 HK)               | Media and entertainment       | Price: HK\$143.8<br>P/E: 19.3x<br>P/B: 3.5x               | Netease is an online entertainment company in China. It operates in three main segments, including online game services, advertising services, and e-commerce. The company's existing online game titles are steadily growing, which show resilience to a weaker macro backdrop, as  |
| Market cap:<br>US\$61.6 billion                |                               | Yield: 1.1%   | well as less vulnerability to regulations. We are positive about the company's growth outlook on the back of its product upcycle and global expansion, which includes the continued launch of new gaming titles in other parts of Asia.  |



| Stock                            | Industry                      | Valuation<br>(2022 Estimates)              | Remarks  |
|----------------------------------|-------------------------------|--|--|
| Li Ning<br>(Code: 2331 HK)       | Consumer durables and apparel | Price: HK\$67.6<br>P/E: 24.5x<br>P/B: 5.1x | Li Ning is a Chinese sporting goods maker and retailer, focusing on footwear, apparel, equipment, and accessories for professional and leisure purposes. The brand is a major beneficiary of demand recovery post-pandemic and consumer premiumization, as well as                   |
| Market cap:<br>US\$22.6 billion  |                               | Yield: 3.5%                                | domestic consumers' increasing preference towards national brands.   |
| China Mobile<br>(Code: 941 HK)   | Telecom services              | Price: HK\$54.1<br>P/E: 7.6x<br>P/R: 0.7x  | China Mobile is one of the leading telecommunication services provider in Mainland China. As of the end of the third quarter in 2021, the company had about 956 million mobile business customers and 235 million wireline broadband customers. With the continued roll-out of 5G in |
| Market cap:<br>US\$151.0 billion |                               | Yield: 8.0%                                | the country, the company is expected to attract more mobile customers, which should further lift revenues in the next few years.   |

Note: The above investments made up 49.33% of Value Partners Classic Fund as at 31 March 2022. The stock prices are based on the closing of 31 March 2022.

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# Value Partners **China Greenchip Fund Limited**



NAV per share: Class A HKD - HKD68.56 | Class A2 HKD QDis - HKD11.31

: USD172.7 million (HKD1,355.1 million)

CIES Eligible<sup>△</sup>

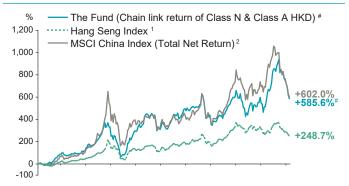
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#### Investment objective

The Fund aims to achieve medium-term capital growth by means of investing in companies established in Greater China or which derive a majority of their revenue from business related to Greater China, whether in the form of direct investment in, or trade with, Greater China. This includes companies incorporated and/or listed outside Greater China.

#### Performance since launch



2002 2004 2006 2008 2010 2012 2014 2016 2018 2020 2022

#### Performance update

|                                  | Class A<br>HKD | Class A2<br>HKD QDis | China Index<br>(Total Net<br>Return) <sup>2</sup> | Hang Seng<br>Index <sup>1</sup> |
|----------------------------------|----------------|----------------------|---|---------------------------------|
| Year-to-date                     | -20.6%         | -20.6%               | -17.2%  | -9.5%                           |
| One month                        | -4.6%          | -4.6%                | -3.9%   | -4.1%                           |
| One year                         | -29.9%         | -30.0%               | -35.5%  | -24.7%                          |
| Three years                      | +6.3%          | +5.8%                | -14.4%  | -22.1%                          |
| Five years                       | +16.7%         | +15.8%               | +12.0%  | +1.0%                           |
| Total return since launch        | +585.6%#       | +29.4%               | +602.0%   | +248.7%                         |
| Annualized return since launch ^ | +10.1%#        | +3.0%                | +10.2%  | +6.4%                           |

#### **NAVs & codes**

| C | Classes <sup>3</sup>   | NAV                              | ISIN   | Bloomberg                              |
|---|--|----------------------------------|--|--|
| C | Class A HKD  | 68.56                            | KYG9317M1033   | VPCHIGC KY                             |
| C | Class A USD  | 11.18                            | KYG9317M1603   | VPCHAUS KY                             |
| C | Class A AUD Hedged   | 10.82                            | KYG9317M1371   | VPCHAAH KY                             |
| C | Class A CAD Hedged   | 10.75                            | KYG9317M1454   | VPCHACH KY                             |
| C | Class A NZD Hedged   | 10.80                            | KYG9317M1520   | VPCHANH KY                             |
| C | Class A2 HKD QDis  | 11.31                            | KYG9317M1116   | VPCA2QD KY                             |
|   | Class A USD Class A AUD Hedged Class A CAD Hedged Class A NZD Hedged | 11.18<br>10.82<br>10.75<br>10.80 | KYG9317M1603<br>KYG9317M1371<br>KYG9317M1454<br>KYG9317M1520 | VPCHAUS KY<br>VPCHACH KY<br>VPCHACH KY |

#### Dividend information - Class A2 QDis 4

| Ex-dividend date | Ex-dividend date NAV (HKD) | Dividend per unit 5 (HKD) | Annualized yield <sup>6</sup> |
|------------------|----------------------------|---------------------------|-------------------------------|
| 31-3-2022        | 11.85                      | 0.0607                    | 2.0%                          |
| 31-12-2021       | 14.31                      | 0.0607                    | 1.7%                          |
| 30-9-2021        | 15.30                      | 0.0607                    | 1.6%                          |
| 30-6-2021        | 17.35                      | 0.0607                    | 1.4%                          |
| 31-3-2021        | 15.63                      | 0.0607                    | 1.6%                          |

#### The Fund – Class A HKD: Monthly performance from 1 Jan 2013 to 29 Apr 2022

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|------------|--------|-------|--------|----------|--------|-------|--------|--------|-------|--------|-------|--------|--------|
| Year       | Jan    | Feb   | Mar    | Apr      | May    | Jun   | Jul    | Aug    | Sep   | Oct    | Nov   | Dec    | Annual |
| 2013       | +6.4%  | +0.0% | -2.2%  | +1.2%    | +3.3%  | -8.9% | +1.8%  | +1.7%  | +3.0% | +4.8%  | +4.5% | +0.7%  | +16.5% |
| 2014       | -3.0%  | +4.0% | -2.6%  | -1.2%    | +1.9%  | +2.9% | +1.1%  | +0.6%  | -1.8% | +0.6%  | +0.6% | -0.4%  | +2.4%  |
| 2015       | +0.4%  | +2.9% | +2.0%  | +12.6%   | -1.4%  | -6.2% | -11.7% | -13.9% | +1.5% | +5.0%  | -3.8% | +1.7%  | -13.0% |
| 2016       | -14.3% | -1.7% | +7.8%  | +0.4%    | -0.9%  | +0.6% | +5.1%  | +3.8%  | +2.2% | -1.2%  | +0.6% | -4.5%  | -4.0%  |
| 2017       | +6.2%  | +1.7% | +4.0%  | +2.8%    | +4.5%  | +2.0% | +1.5%  | +4.2%  | +2.7% | +2.5%  | -0.3% | +1.3%  | +38.4% |
| 2018       | +7.6%  | -4.8% | -4.3%  | +0.1%    | +5.6%  | -7.5% | -2.8%  | -7.9%  | -0.7% | -12.0% | +5.6% | -3.2%  | -23.4% |
| 2019       | +8.3%  | +6.6% | +3.6%  | -0.1%    | -10.7% | +9.1% | +0.1%  | -2.5%  | +0.4% | +5.8%  | +0.3% | +6.6%  | +29.1% |
| 2020       | -7.4%  | -1.4% | -11.2% | +8.3%    | +0.6%  | +8.9% | +10.1% | +4.3%  | -1.6% | +3.3%  | +6.2% | +11.3% | +32.6% |
| 2021       | +3.0%  | +0.1% | -2.3%  | +5.0%    | +2.9%  | +3.0% | -11.4% | +3.1%  | -3.0% | -0.7%  | -5.2% | -0.3%  | -6.6%  |
| 2022 (YTD) | -4.7%  | -4.4% | -8.6%  | -4.6%    |        |       |        |        |       |        |       |        | -20.6% |



Value Partners China Greenchip Fund Limited is one of the eligible collective investment schemes for the purpose of the Hong Kong Capital Investment Entrant Scheme (CIES). The CIES was suspended by the Hong Kong Government with effect from 15 Jan 2015 until further notice.

Annualized return is calculated from inception based on published NAV.

Refers to chain link return of Class N & Class A HKD, Class N since inception (7 Sep 2002) to 17 Dec 2020 and Class A since 18 Dec 2020. Class N was firstly launched in 2002 & closed for subscription from 26 Mar 2007. Class A was launched on 27 Mar 2007 with the same NAV of Class N. Therefore Classes A & N have the same NAV since 27 Mar 2007. Class N was fully redeemed on 17 Dec 2020 and NAV was no longer available. Hence Class A is now the representative share class after 17 Dec 2020. For Class A, return since launch i.e. 27 Mar 2007 return and annualized return are +93.9% and +4.5% respectively.

#### Top holdings (as at 31 Mar 2022)

| Name   | Industry 7                               | %   |
|--|--|-----|
| Taiwan Semiconductor<br>Manufacturing Co Ltd | Semiconductors & semiconductor equipment | 9.0 |
| China Mobile Ltd                             | Telecom services                         | 6.6 |
| China Merchants Bank Co Ltd                  | Banks                                    | 5.3 |
| China Telecom Corp Ltd                       | Telecom services                         | 4.2 |
| Tencent Holdings Ltd                         | Media & entertainment                    | 3.8 |
| AIA Group Ltd                                | Insurance                                | 3.7 |
| ZTE Corporation                              | Technology,<br>hardware & equipment      | 3.5 |
| ANTA Sports Products Ltd                     | Consumer durables & apparel              | 3.4 |
| China Mengniu Dairy Co Ltd                   | Food, beverage & tobacco                 | 3.3 |
| Kweichow Moutai Co Ltd                       | Food, beverage & tobacco                 | 3.0 |

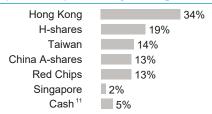
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#### Portfolio characteristics

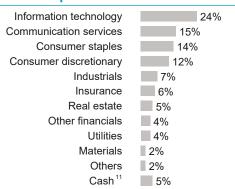
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| AS at 29 Apr 2022                 |                |                      |   |                                 |
|-----------------------------------|----------------|----------------------|---|---------------------------------|
| Price/earnings ratio              |                |                      | 9.5   | times                           |
| Price/book ratio                  |                |                      | 1.2   | times                           |
| Portfolio yield                   |                |                      | 3   | 3.9%                            |
|                                   | Class A<br>HKD | Class A2<br>HKD QDis | MSCI<br>China Index<br>(Total Net<br>Return) <sup>2</sup> | Hang Seng<br>Index <sup>1</sup> |
| Annualized volatility (3 years) 9 | 20.9%          | 20.9%                | 19.9%   | 17.5%                           |

#### Geographical exposure by listing



#### Sector exposure 7, 10



#### **Fund facts**

Manager: Value Partners Limited

Base currency: HKD

HSBC Trustee (Cayman) Limited Administrator:

Custodian: HSBC Institutional Trust Services (Asia) Limited Class N HKD - 8 Apr 2002 (Closed) Launch date:

Class A HKD - 27 Mar 2007 Class A2 HKD QDis - 22 Jul 2013

Class A AUD Hedged/CAD Hedged/NZD Hedged/

USD - 26 May 2014

Class A2 QDis - aim at quarterly distribution, subject Dividend policy 4:

to Manager's discretion

#### Fee structure

| Minimum subscription            | HKD80,000 or equivalent 12             |
|---------------------------------|--|
| Minimum subsequent subscription | HKD40,000 or equivalent 12             |
| Subscription fee                | Up to 5%                               |
| Management fee                  | 1.5% p.a.                              |
| Performance fee 13              | 15% of profit (High-on-high principle) |
| Redemption fee                  | Nil                                    |
| Dealing day                     | Daily                                  |

#### Senior investment staff

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

Cheah Cheng Hye; Louis So

Senior Investment Directors: Norman Ho, CFA; Renee Hung Investment Directors: Chung Man Wing; Yu Chen Jun; Michelle Yu, CFA Senior Fund Managers: Lillian Cao; Anthony Chan, CFA; Kelly Chung, CFA; Doris Ho; Glenda Hsia; Amy Lee, CFA, CAIA; Luo Jing, CFA; Frank Tsui

#### **Key corporate awards**



Asia ex-Japan Equity House: Best-in-Class 14 Greater China Equity House: Outstanding Achiever 14 
~ Benchmark Fund of the Year Awards 2018, Hong Kong

Offshore China Equity (10-year) 15 ~ Insight & Mandate, Professional Investment Awards 2018

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Source: HSBC Institutional Trust Services (Asia) Limited 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@yp.com.hk.

1. Hang Seng Index (Price Return) up to 31 Dec 2004, thereafter it is the Hang Seng Index (Total Return) Hang Seng Index (Price Return) does not take into account reinvestment of dividends: 2. MSCI China Index (Total Neturn) since fund inception to present which takes into account of dividend reinvestment after deduction of withholding tax. 3. Each hedged share class will hedge the Fund's base currency be to the forts basis. However, the volatility of the hedged classes measured 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. 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. 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. The hedged classes may be suitable for investors who will not the fund's base currency and the fund's base currency and the Fund's base currency. The hedged classes may be suitable for investors who will not the fund's base currency and the fund's base currency and the fund's base currency of the Manager's discretion. S. The receiving bank may change a fee for incoming payments. Such fees will not be subject to the Manager's discretion. S. The receiving bank may change a fee for incoming payments. Such fees will not the fund in the fund's base currency of the fund and the fund and any currency and for incoming paym

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# **China Convergence Fund**

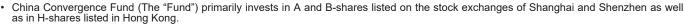
#### A Sub-Fund of Value Partners Intelligent Funds

NAV per unit: Class A USD - USD185.96

Fund size : USD136.5 million



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- The Fund invests in China and therefore is subject to emerging market risks. Generally, investments in emerging markets are more volatile
  than investments in developed markets due to additional risks relating to political, social, economic and regulatory uncertainty.
- The Fund is also subject to concentration risk due to its concentration in China-related companies. Adverse development in such region may affect the value of the underlying securities in which the Fund invests.
- The Fund may directly invest in A-shares and other eligible securities through the qualified foreign institutional investors ("QFII") quota. Investors will be subject to certain risks including repatriation risk, custodial risk, regulatory risk. In addition, the QFII policy and rules are subject to change. All these may adversely impact the Fund.
- The Fund may also invest in derivatives which can involve material risks, e.g. counterparty default risk, insolvency or liquidity risk, and may
  expose the Fund to significant losses.
- 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**

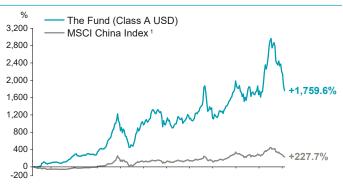
The Fund aims to achieve long-term capital appreciation by investing primarily in equity securities of China-related companies. This includes securities listed on a Mainland China stock exchange, the Hong Kong Stock Exchange and major stock exchanges in other jurisdictions. The investable universe covers, but is not limited to A, B and H-shares as well as American Depositary Receipts.

#### **NAVs & codes**

| Classes <sup>2</sup> | NAV    | ISIN         | Bloomberg  |
|----------------------|--------|--------------|------------|
| Class A USD          | 185.96 | KYG9317Q1047 | VAPAICB KY |
| Class A AUD Hedged   | 11.25  | KYG9317Q1385 | VAPAAHD KY |
| Class A CAD Hedged   | 12.61  | KYG9317Q1468 | VAPACAH KY |
| Class A NZD Hedged   | 13.06  | KYG9317Q1534 | VAPANZH KY |
| Class A RMB Hedged   | 8.29   | KYG9317Q2789 | VAFCCAR KY |

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#### Performance since launch



 $2000\ 2002\quad 2004\quad 2006\quad 2008\quad 2010\quad 2012\quad 2014\quad 2016\quad 2018\quad 2020\quad 2022$ 

#### Performance update

|                                  | Class A USD | MSCI China<br>Index <sup>1</sup> |
|----------------------------------|-------------|----------------------------------|
| Year-to-date                     | -24.8%      | -17.7%                           |
| One month                        | -5.8%       | -4.1%                            |
| One year                         | -36.2%      | -36.2%                           |
| Three years                      | -3.4%       | -14.4%                           |
| Five years                       | +23.5%      | +11.0%                           |
| Total return since launch        | +1,759.6%   | +227.7%                          |
| Annualized return since launch ^ | +14.3%      | +5.6%                            |

#### The Fund – Class A USD: Monthly performance from 1 Jan 2013 to 29 Apr 2022

| Year       | Jan    | Feb   | Mar    | Apr    | May    | Jun    | Jul    | Aug    | Sep   | Oct   | Nov   | Dec   | Annual |
|------------|--------|-------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|-------|-------|-------|-------|--------|
| 2013       | +7.5%  | -2.0% | -2.9%  | -0.6%  | +2.7%  | -9.9%  | +3.5%  | +1.8%  | +2.2% | +3.9% | +5.6% | -1.8% | +9.2%  |
| 2014       | -5.6%  | +1.0% | -3.6%  | -1.0%  | +1.2%  | +3.4%  | +8.8%  | +1.3%  | -1.2% | +3.2% | +1.6% | +5.4% | +14.6% |
| 2015       | +1.8%  | +1.3% | +6.7%  | +19.8% | +1.7%  | -8.1%  | -12.6% | -12.5% | +1.5% | +5.5% | -3.8% | +2.4% | -0.5%  |
| 2016       | -16.6% | -0.9% | +8.5%  | -2.1%  | -2.5%  | -1.1%  | +4.8%  | +6.7%  | +0.4% | -1.8% | +1.1% | -3.5% | -8.7%  |
| 2017       | +5.9%  | +2.3% | +3.8%  | +0.3%  | +2.9%  | +3.7%  | +1.8%  | +3.1%  | +1.6% | +5.5% | +1.3% | +2.9% | +41.3% |
| 2018       | +10.5% | -6.0% | -2.0%  | -0.4%  | +3.3%  | -6.7%  | -1.5%  | -5.1%  | +3.4% | -9.4% | +5.6% | -4.0% | -13.2% |
| 2019       | +7.7%  | +7.8% | +2.8%  | -1.4%  | -10.3% | +4.9%  | +0.8%  | -2.5%  | -0.9% | +3.9% | +0.7% | +6.5% | +20.2% |
| 2020       | -10.1% | +4.6% | -7.5%  | +6.8%  | +0.2%  | +10.6% | +12.8% | +7.4%  | -3.8% | +4.5% | +7.3% | +9.6% | +47.5% |
| 2021       | +4.0%  | +1.5% | -7.1%  | +2.4%  | +1.9%  | -2.7%  | -12.2% | -1.8%  | -1.7% | +3.7% | -4.3% | +1.6% | -14.8% |
| 2022 (YTD) | -7.1%  | -2.6% | -11.8% | -5.8%  |        |        |        |        |       |       |       |       | -24.8% |

<sup>^</sup> Annualized return is calculated from inception based on published NAV.

#### Top holdings

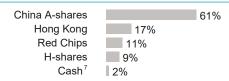
| Name   | Industry <sup>3</sup>          | %   |
|--|--------------------------------|-----|
| China Merchants Bank Co Ltd                  | Banks                          | 7.5 |
| Ping An Bank Co Ltd                          | Banks                          | 7.2 |
| Midea Group Co Ltd                           | Consumer durables & apparel    | 7.0 |
| China Mobile Ltd                             | Telecom services               | 5.5 |
| AIA Group Ltd                                | Insurance                      | 5.1 |
| China Construction Bank Corp                 | Banks                          | 5.0 |
| Centre Testing International<br>Group Co Ltd | Commercial services & supplies | 4.8 |
| Tongkun Group Co Ltd                         | Materials                      | 4.6 |
| China Power International<br>Development Ltd | Utilities                      | 4.4 |
| Kweichow Moutai Co Ltd                       | Food, beverage & tobacco       | 4.3 |

These securities constitute 55% of the Fund.

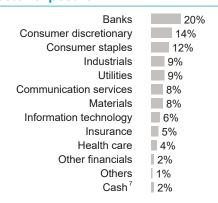
#### Portfolio characteristics

| As at 29 Apr 2022 4               |             |                                  |
|-----------------------------------|-------------|----------------------------------|
| Price/earnings ratio              |             | 10.6 times                       |
| Price/book ratio                  |             | 1.5 times                        |
| Portfolio yield                   |             | 2.8%                             |
|                                   | Class A USD | MSCI China<br>Index <sup>1</sup> |
| Annualized volatility (3 years) 5 | 22.2%       | 20.1%                            |

#### Geographical exposure by listing <sup>6</sup>



### Sector exposure 3, 6



#### **Fund facts**

Manager: Value Partners Limited

Base currency: USD

HSBC Trustee (Cayman) Limited Trustee:

Custodian: HSBC Institutional Trust Services (Asia) Limited Launch date:

Class A USD - 14 Jul 2000

Class A AUD Hedged - 27 Oct 2015 Class A CAD Hedged - 7 Jan 2016 Class A NZD Hedged - 7 Jan 2016 Class A RMB Hedged - 23 Feb 2022

#### Fee structure

|                                 | Class A                                |
|---------------------------------|--|
| Minimum subscription            | USD10,000 or equivalent                |
| Minimum subsequent subscription | USD5,000 or equivalent                 |
| Subscription fee                | Up to 5%                               |
| Management fee                  | 1.25% p.a.                             |
| Performance fee 8               | 15% of profit (High-on-high principle) |
| Redemption fee                  | Nil                                    |
| Dealing day                     | Daily                                  |

#### Senior investment staff

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

Cheah Cheng Hye; Louis So

Senior Investment Directors: Norman Ho, CFA; Renee Hung

 $\textbf{Investment Directors: } \underline{\textbf{Chung}} \ \textbf{Man Wing; } \underline{\textbf{Yu}} \ \textbf{Chen Jun; Michelle } \underline{\textbf{Yu}}, \textbf{CFA}$ Senior Fund Managers: Lillian Cao; Anthony Chan, CFA; Kelly Chung, CFA; Doris Ho; Glenda Hsia; Amy Lee, CFA, CAIA; Luo Jing, CFA; Frank Tsui

#### **Key awards**



Best Total Return - Greater China Equity Fund (5-year)

- 2nd Runner-up 9

~ HKCAMA and Bloomberg, Offshore China Fund Awards 2018

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Asia ex-Japan Equity House: Best-in-Class 10 Greater China Equity House: Outstanding Achiever 10 ~ Benchmark Fund of the Year Awards 2018, Hong Kong

Offshore China Equity (10-year) 11 ~ Insight & Mandate, Professional Investment Awards 2018

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# Chinese Mainland Focus Fund

#### A Sub-Fund of Value Partners Intelligent Funds

NAV per unit: Class A USD - USD60.97

**Fund size** : USD157.8 million



Morningstar Rating™ April 2022 As at 30-04-2022

- Chinese Mainland Focus Fund (The "Fund") invests primarily in investments which are related to mainland China.
- The Fund invests in China-related companies which involve certain risks not typically associated with investment in more developed markets, such as greater political, tax, economic, foreign exchange, liquidity and regulatory risks.
- The Fund is also subject to concentration risk due to its concentration in China-related companies. Adverse development in such region may affect the value of the underlying securities in which the Fund invests.
- · Investing in China exposes the Fund to additional risks including currency repatriation risk, uncertainty of taxation policies and risk associated with StockConnects, RQFII Quota, SME board, ChiNext market and/or the STAR board. The Fund may also expose to RMB currency and conversion risk.
- · Investing in small/mid-capitalization securities may have lower liquidity and their prices are more volatile to adverse economic developments.
- · It is possible that the entire value of your investment could be lost. 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 Sub-Fund aims to achieve medium to long-term capital appreciation by investing primarily in investments which are related to mainland China. The Sub-Fund will focus primarily on mainland China and at least 70% of the Sub-Fund's latest available NAV will be on investments related to mainland China at all times. The Sub-Fund may also invest, on an ancillary basis (up to 30% of the Sub-Fund's latest available NAV), in other markets where opportunities can be identified.

#### **NAVs & codes**

| Classes <sup>2</sup> | NAV   | ISIN         | Bloomberg  |
|----------------------|-------|--------------|------------|
| Class A USD          | 60.97 | KYG9317Q1120 | VAPAICM KY |
| Class A HKD          | 6.00  | KYG9317Q2037 | VACMFHA KY |
| Class A AUD Hedged   | 5.82  | KYG9317Q2110 | VACMFAA KY |
| Class A CAD Hedged   | 5.87  | KYG9317Q2292 | VACMFAH KY |
| Class A GBP Hedged   | 5.86  | KYG9317Q2375 | VACMFGA KY |
| Class A NZD Hedged   | 5.85  | KYG9317Q2458 | VACMFAZ KY |
| Class A RMB Hedged   | 8.37  | KYG9317Q2862 | VACMFAR KY |
|                      |       |              |            |

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#### Performance since launch



#### Performance update

|                                  | The Fund<br>(Class A USD) | MSCI China Index (Total Net Return) 1 |
|----------------------------------|---------------------------|---------------------------------------|
| Year-to-date                     | -30.8%                    | -17.7%                                |
| One month                        | -4.8%                     | -4.1%                                 |
| One year                         | -38.3%                    | -36.2%                                |
| Three years                      | +17.1%                    | -14.4%                                |
| Five years                       | +40.2%                    | +11.0%                                |
| Total return since launch        | +509.7%                   | +399.0%                               |
| Annualized return since launch ^ | +10.3%                    | +9.1%                                 |

#### The Fund - Class A USD: Monthly performance from 1 Jan 2013 to 29 Apr 2022

| Year       | Jan    | Feb   | Mar    | Apr    | May    | Jun    | Jul    | Aug    | Sep   | Oct    | Nov   | Dec    | Annual |
|------------|--------|-------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|-------|--------|-------|--------|--------|
| 2013       | +8.1%  | -3.2% | -3.3%  | -0.1%  | +0.4%  | -8.8%  | +2.4%  | +4.5%  | +2.9% | +4.1%  | +4.5% | -2.3%  | +8.3%  |
| 2014       | -5.7%  | -1.7% | -2.4%  | -1.8%  | +1.4%  | +4.0%  | +7.7%  | +0.4%  | -2.0% | +2.8%  | +1.8% | +6.5%  | +10.6% |
| 2015       | -0.5%  | +1.6% | +6.4%  | +19.4% | +3.3%  | -6.8%  | -13.0% | -12.9% | +0.3% | +7.9%  | -1.5% | +1.8%  | +1.7%  |
| 2016       | -19.9% | -0.8% | +9.8%  | -1.9%  | -2.7%  | -0.4%  | +7.0%  | +3.5%  | +1.4% | -0.9%  | +2.4% | -5.0%  | -10.3% |
| 2017       | +7.9%  | +3.2% | +3.5%  | +1.8%  | +2.8%  | +4.9%  | +9.8%  | +3.2%  | +2.2% | +4.9%  | +3.0% | +1.9%  | +61.2% |
| 2018       | +9.4%  | -7.0% | -4.8%  | -2.7%  | +5.6%  | -8.2%  | -2.9%  | -8.8%  | -0.8% | -11.8% | +6.7% | -5.2%  | -28.3% |
| 2019       | +9.6%  | +7.0% | +2.1%  | +1.6%  | -12.0% | +10.6% | +0.5%  | -4.8%  | +3.4% | +4.4%  | -0.0% | +11.8% | +36.6% |
| 2020       | -4.4%  | +8.0% | -8.1%  | +8.5%  | +3.6%  | +11.7% | +14.8% | +2.1%  | -3.4% | +5.2%  | +5.1% | +16.5% | +73.6% |
| 2021       | +4.1%  | -2.9% | -9.0%  | +5.8%  | +1.5%  | +1.7%  | -11.6% | +0.4%  | -4.6% | +4.7%  | -2.6% | +0.0%  | -13.2% |
| 2022 (YTD) | -13.1% | -1.6% | -14.9% | -4.8%  |        |        |        |        |       |        |       |        | -30.8% |

<sup>^</sup> Annualized return is calculated from inception based on published NAV.



#### Top holdings

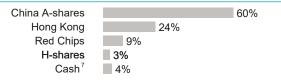
| Name                                      | Industry <sup>3</sup>                    | %   |
|---|--|-----|
| Centre Testing International Group Co Ltd | Commercial services & supplies           | 5.3 |
| NetEase Inc                               | Media & entertainment                    | 4.8 |
| China Power International Development Ltd | Utilities                                | 4.5 |
| Guangdong Haid Group<br>Co Limited        | Food, beverage & tobacco                 | 4.5 |
| Meituan                                   | Retailing                                | 3.9 |
| LONGi Green Energy<br>Technology Co Ltd   | Semiconductors & semiconductor equipment | 3.7 |
| SG Micro Corp                             | Semiconductors & semiconductor equipment | 3.7 |
| East Money Information<br>Co Ltd          | Diversified financials                   | 3.4 |
| JA Solar Technology Co Ltd                | Semiconductors & semiconductor equipment | 3.4 |
| Shede Spirits Co Ltd                      | Food, beverage & tobacco                 | 3.4 |
|   |  |     |

These securities constitute 41% of the Fund.

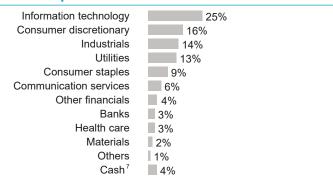
#### Portfolio characteristics

| As at 29 Apr 2022 4               |                           |                                       |
|-----------------------------------|---------------------------|---------------------------------------|
| Price/earnings ratio              |                           | 18.6 times                            |
| Price/book ratio                  |                           | 2.6 times                             |
| Portfolio yield                   |                           | 1.6%                                  |
|                                   | The Fund<br>(Class A USD) | MSCI China Index (Total Net Return) 1 |
| Annualized volatility (3 years) 5 | 26.9%                     | 20.1%                                 |

#### Geographical exposure by listing <sup>6</sup>



#### Sector exposure 3, 6



#### **Fund facts**

Manager: Value Partners Limited

Base currency: USD

HSBC Trustee (Cayman) Limited Trustee:

Custodian: HSBC Institutional Trust Services (Asia) Limited Launch date:

Class A USD - 27 Nov 2003 Class A HKD - 1 Mar 2021

Class A AUD Hedged - 1 Mar 2021 Class A CAD Hedged - 1 Mar 2021 Class A GBP Hedged - 1 Mar 2021 Class A NZD Hedged - 1 Mar 2021 Class A RMB Hedged - 23 Feb 2022

#### Fee structure

|                                 | Class A                                   |
|---------------------------------|---|
| Minimum subscription            | USD10,000 or equivalent                   |
| Minimum subsequent subscription | USD5,000 or equivalent                    |
| Subscription fee                | Up to 5%                                  |
| Management fee                  | 1.25% p.a.                                |
| Performance fee 8               | 15% of profit<br>(High-on-high principle) |
| Redemption fee                  | Nil                                       |
| Dealing day                     | Daily                                     |

#### Senior investment staff

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#### **Key awards**



Best Total Return - Greater China Equity

(5-Year, 2<sup>nd</sup> Runner-up) <sup>9</sup> ~ HKCAMA & Bloomberg, Offshore China Fund Awards 2020

Best China Equity Fund (10-year) 10

~ Thomson Reuters Lipper Fund Awards 2018

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# **Value Partners Fund Series** Value Partners China A-Share Select Fund

**Value Partners** 

NAV per unit: Class A RMB (CNH) - RMB17.56 : USD50.2 million (RMB332.1 million)



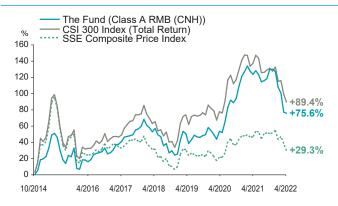
Morningstar Rating<sup>TM\*</sup> As at 30-04-2022 April 2022

- Value Partners China A-Share Select Fund (The "Fund") invests primarily in RMB-denominated equities in China.
- The Fund is also subject to concentration risk as a result of investing only in China. Adverse developments in such region may affect the value of the underlying securities in which the Fund invests. The value of the Fund can be extremely volatile and could go down substantially within a short period of time. It is possible that the entire value of your investment could be lost.
- The Fund intends to invest predominantly in China A-shares directly, via its Manager's RQFII quota. Investors will be subject to certain risks including repatriation risk, custodial risk, regulatory risk and risks associated with the Manager's RQFII status. In addition, the RQFII policy and rules are relatively new and there may be uncertainty in implementation and such policy and rules are subject to change. All these may adversely impact the Fund.
- The Fund and its primary investments are denominated in RMB. RMB is currently not a freely convertible currency and is subject to foreign exchange control policies, as well as repatriation restrictions imposed by the PRC government. Investors whose base currencies of investments are not in RMB should take into account the potential risk of loss arising from fluctuations in value between such currencies and
- The Fund may invest in debt securities including those that are below investment grade/unrated, and may involve greater risks, including credit risk, issuer-specific risk, counterparty risk and sovereign debt risk. The Fund may also invest in derivatives which can involve material risks, e.g. counterparty default risk, insolvency or liquidity risk. All these may expose the Fund to significant losses.
- 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

To achieve long-term capital growth and income appreciation by predominately investing in RMB-denominated equities in the PRC utilizing the Manager's RQFII guota.

#### Performance since launch



#### Performance update

|                                  | The Fund<br>(Class A<br>RMB (CNH)) | CSI 300 Index<br>(Total Return) | SSE Composite<br>Price Index |
|----------------------------------|------------------------------------|---------------------------------|------------------------------|
| Year-to-date                     | -22.7%                             | -18.6%                          | -16.3%                       |
| One month                        | -0.7%                              | -4.8%                           | -6.3%                        |
| One year                         | -21.5%                             | -20.2%                          | -11.6%                       |
| Three years                      | +16.9%                             | +9.1%                           | -1.0%                        |
| Five years                       | +27.8%                             | +29.5%                          | -3.4%                        |
| Total return since launch        | +75.6%                             | +89.4%                          | +29.3%                       |
| Annualized return since launch ^ | +7.8%                              | +8.8%                           | +3.5%                        |
| Annualized return since launch ^ | +7.8%                              | +8.8%                           | +3.                          |

#### **NAVs & codes**

| Classes 1            | NAV   | ISIN         | Bloomberg  |
|----------------------|-------|--------------|------------|
| Class A RMB (CNH)    | 17.56 | HK0000220001 | VPCAARM HK |
| Class A USD Unhedged | 16.20 | HK0000220019 | VPCAAUU HK |
| Class A USD Hedged   | 14.88 | HK0000220027 | VPCAAUH HK |
| Class A HKD Unhedged | 16.32 | HK0000220035 | VPCAAHU HK |
| Class A HKD Hedged   | 14.57 | HK0000220043 | VPCAAHH HK |
| Class A GBP Unhedged | 19.28 | HK0000220076 | VPCAAGU HK |
| Class A GBP Hedged   | 13.47 | HK0000220084 | VPCAAGH HK |
| Class A AUD Unhedged | 16.28 | HK0000220092 | VPCAAAU HK |
| Class A AUD Hedged   | 14.46 | HK0000220100 | VPCAAAH HK |
| Class A CAD Hedged   | 13.36 | HK0000220126 | VPCAACH HK |
| Class A EUR Unhedged | 16.81 | HK0000220050 | VPCAAEU HK |
| Class A EUR Hedged   | 13.20 | HK0000220068 | VPCAAEH HK |
| Class A NZD Unhedged | 15.14 | HK0000220134 | VPCAANU HK |
| Class A NZD Hedged   | 14.39 | HK0000220142 | VPCAANH HK |
|                      |       |              |            |

#### The Fund - Class A RMB (CNH): Monthly performance

| Year       | Jan    | Feb    | Mar    | Apr    | May   | Jun   | Jul    | Aug   | Sep   | Oct   | Nov   | Dec    | Annual   |
|------------|--------|--------|--------|--------|-------|-------|--------|-------|-------|-------|-------|--------|----------|
| 2014       | N/A    | N/A    | N/A    | N/A    | N/A   | N/A   | N/A    | N/A   | N/A   | +0.0% | +4.8% | +12.7% | +18.1% 2 |
| 2015       | +0.9%  | +2.5%  | +8.7%  | +11.9% | +1.4% | -3.3% | -11.0% | -9.0% | -4.0% | +8.8% | -1.3% | +8.7%  | +12.1%   |
| 2016       | -19.0% | -0.7%  | +10.8% | -0.1%  | -1.9% | +2.2% | +5.1%  | +1.4% | +0.8% | +0.9% | +3.5% | -5.4%  | -5.3%    |
| 2017       | +1.1%  | +2.7%  | +4.8%  | +0.7%  | +2.4% | +3.8% | +0.5%  | +0.6% | +0.7% | +4.0% | +0.8% | +2.0%  | +27.1%   |
| 2018       | +5.5%  | -4.4%  | -1.9%  | -3.2%  | +2.8% | -5.0% | -1.6%  | -7.6% | +1.8% | -8.3% | +2.1% | -4.1%  | -22.3%   |
| 2019       | +1.0%  | +13.3% | +8.0%  | -2.0%  | -8.0% | +3.4% | +3.8%  | -1.3% | -0.5% | +1.5% | +0.7% | +6.0%  | +27.4%   |
| 2020       | -2.3%  | -3.2%  | -3.8%  | +6.8%  | -0.9% | +8.8% | +10.7% | +4.9% | -1.7% | +2.8% | +7.9% | +5.7%  | +40.2%   |
| 2021       | +2.7%  | +3.0%  | -2.8%  | -1.6%  | +2.0% | -2.1% | -4.0%  | +0.6% | +1.3% | +5.2% | +0.1% | -1.2%  | +2.7%    |
| 2022 (YTD) | -8.7%  | -3.4%  | -11.8% | -0.7%  |       |       |        |       |       |       |       |        | -22.7%   |

<sup>^</sup> Annualized return is calculated from inception based on published NAV.

#### Top holdings

| Name   | Industry <sup>3</sup>               | %   |
|--|-------------------------------------|-----|
| Goertek Inc                                    | Technology,<br>hardware & equipment | 8.2 |
| Luoyang Xinqianglian Slewing<br>Bearing Co Ltd | Capital goods                       | 6.9 |
| Kweichow Moutai Co Ltd                         | Food, beverage & tobacco            | 6.6 |
| Luxshare Precision Industry<br>Co Ltd          | Technology,<br>hardware & equipment | 6.0 |
| Poly Developments and Holdings Group Co Ltd    | Real estate                         | 6.0 |
|  |                                     |     |

These securities constitute 34% of the Fund

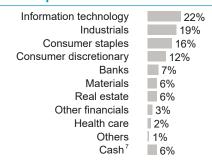
#### Portfolio characteristics

| As at 29 Apr 2022 4               |                                    |                                 |                              |
|-----------------------------------|------------------------------------|---------------------------------|------------------------------|
| Price/earnings ratio              |                                    |                                 | 16.2 times                   |
| Price/book ratio                  |                                    |                                 | 2.6 times                    |
| Portfolio yield                   |                                    |                                 | 1.6%                         |
|                                   | The Fund<br>(Class A<br>RMB (CNH)) | CSI 300 Index<br>(Total Return) | SSE Composite<br>Price Index |
| Annualized volatility (3 years) 5 | 16.8%                              | 17.0%                           | 14.0%                        |

#### Geographical exposure by listing <sup>6</sup>



#### Sector exposure 3, 6



#### **Fund facts**

Value Partners Hong Kong Limited Manager & RQFII holder: Base currency: HSBC Institutional Trust Services (Asia) Limited Trustee:

Custodian: The Hongkong and Shanghai Banking

Corporation Limited

HSBC Bank (China) Company Limited PRC custodian: Class A RMB (CNH) - 16 Oct 2014 Launch date: Class A USD Unhedged - 29 Oct 2014

Class A AUD/CAD/EUR/HKD/NZD/USD Hedged

- 12 Nov 2014

Class A HKD Unhedged - 13 Nov 2014 Class A GBP Hedged - 14 Nov 2014 Class A GBP Unhedged - 26 Nov 2014 Class A AUD Unhedged - 28 Nov 2014 Class A NZD Unhedged - 16 Jan 2015 Class A EUR Unhedged - 29 Feb 2016

#### Fee structure

|                                 | Class A                      |
|---------------------------------|------------------------------|
| Minimum subscription            | RMB60,000 or equivalent      |
| Minimum subsequent subscription | RMB30,000 or equivalent      |
| Subscription fee                | Up to 5%                     |
| Redemption fee                  | Nil                          |
| Management fee                  | 1.5% p.a.                    |
| Performance fee 8               | 15% of profit (High-on-High) |
| Dealing day                     | Daily                        |

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#### **Key corporate awards**



Asia ex-Japan Equity House: Best-in-Class 9 Greater China Equity House: Outstanding Achiever <sup>9</sup> ~ Benchmark Fund of the Year Awards 2018, Hong Kong

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## Value Partners Taiwan Fund

NAV per unit: Class A USD - USD28.75

Fund size : USD74.2 million



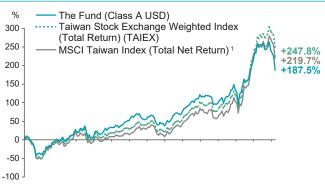
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- Value Partners Taiwan Fund (The "Fund") invests primarily in equity and equity linked securities of companies that are listed on (a) the Taiwan Stock Exchange; or (b) the GRE Tai Securities Market; or (c) any stock exchange but which have their main operations or majority of assets in or derive the majority of their income from Taiwan.
- Investing in Taiwan-related companies involves emerging market risks. Generally, investments in emerging markets are more volatile than investments in developed markets due to additional risks relating to political, social, economic and regulatory uncertainty which may adversely affect volatility and market liquidity.
- The Fund is also subject to concentration risk due to its concentration in Taiwan-related companies. Adverse development in such region may affect the value of the underlying securities in which the Fund invests. The value of the Fund can be extremely volatile and could go down substantially within a short period of time.
- The Fund may also invest in derivatives which can involve material risks, e.g. counterparty default risk, insolvency or liquidity risk, and may expose the Fund to significant losses.
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#### Investment objective

The Fund aims to achieve long term capital growth through primarily investing in equity and equity linked securities of companies that are listed on (a) the Taiwan Stock Exchange; or (b) the GRE Tai Securities Market; or (c) any stock exchange but which have their main operations or majority of assets in or derive the majority of their income from Taiwan. This includes companies incorporated and/or quoted outside Taiwan.

#### Performance since launch



2010 2011 2012 2013 2014 2015 2016 2017 2018 2019 2020 2021 2022 2008

#### **Top holdings**

| Name   | Industry <sup>2</sup>                    | %   |
|--|--|-----|
| Taiwan Semiconductor<br>Manufacturing Co Ltd | Semiconductors & semiconductor equipment | 9.7 |
| Alchip Technologies Limited                  | Semiconductors & semiconductor equipment | 6.6 |
| CTBC Financial Holding<br>Co Ltd             | Banks                                    | 6.1 |
| Gold Circuit Electronics Ltd                 | Technology,<br>hardware & equipment      | 5.9 |
| LandMark<br>Optoelectronics Corp             | Semiconductors & semiconductor equipment | 4.5 |

These securities constitute 33% of the Fund.

#### Portfolio characteristics

Annualized volatility (3 years) 4

| As at 29 Apr 2022 3  |                          |   |  |
|----------------------|--------------------------|---|--|
| Price/earnings ratio |                          |   | 12.8 times   |
| Price/book ratio     |                          |   | 2.4 times  |
| Portfolio yield      |                          |   | 4.5%   |
|                      | The Fund<br>(Class A USD | Taiwan Stock Exchange Weighted Index (Total Return) (TAIEX) | MSCI Taiwan<br>Index<br>(Total Net<br>Return) <sup>1</sup> |

20.4%

22.0%

19.7%

#### Performance update

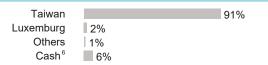
|                                  | The Fund<br>(Class A USD) | Taiwan Stock<br>Exchange<br>Weighted Index<br>(Total Return)<br>(TAIEX) | MSCI Taiwan<br>Index<br>(Total Net<br>Return) <sup>1</sup> |
|----------------------------------|---------------------------|---|--|
| Year-to-date                     | -20.9%                    | -14.3%  | -15.7%   |
| One month                        | -11.6%                    | -8.8%   | -9.8%  |
| One year                         | -20.0%                    | -8.0%   | -11.0%   |
| Three years                      | +34.7%                    | +76.8%  | +80.3%   |
| Five years                       | +52.7%                    | +107.5%   | +108.0%  |
| Total return since launch        | +187.5%                   | +247.8%   | +219.7%  |
| Annualized return since launch ^ | +7.7%                     | +9.2%   | +8.5%  |

#### The Fund - Class A USD: Monthly performance from 1 Jan 2013 to 29 Apr 2022

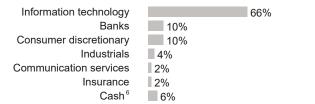
| Year       | Jan   | Feb   | Mar    | Apr    | May   | Jun   | Jul   | Aug   | Sep   | Oct   | Nov   | Dec   | Annual |
|------------|-------|-------|--------|--------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|--------|
| 2013       | +0.5% | -0.2% | +0.5%  | +3.7%  | -0.6% | -3.6% | +3.1% | +1.1% | +2.1% | +4.0% | +1.3% | +1.4% | +13.7% |
| 2014       | +0.5% | +5.1% | +2.6%  | -1.6%  | +3.3% | +2.2% | -1.2% | +1.1% | -5.5% | -2.4% | -1.3% | -0.2% | +2.1%  |
| 2015       | +1.6% | +3.8% | -0.1%  | +2.5%  | -1.0% | -2.6% | -8.2% | -4.7% | -0.2% | +4.7% | -2.2% | +0.4% | -6.5%  |
| 2016       | -4.3% | +3.8% | +5.9%  | -2.7%  | +2.3% | +4.4% | +5.0% | +2.8% | +1.4% | -0.6% | -1.3% | -0.9% | +16.2% |
| 2017       | +4.6% | +4.3% | +1.7%  | +1.3%  | +1.9% | +1.6% | +3.2% | +1.8% | -2.1% | +4.4% | +0.5% | +0.3% | +25.9% |
| 2018       | +5.0% | -2.8% | +1.1%  | -1.1%  | +2.1% | -0.5% | -0.1% | -0.9% | -1.0% | -9.3% | +1.2% | -0.6% | -7.2%  |
| 2019       | +1.0% | +3.4% | +2.3%  | +2.1%  | -7.0% | +6.0% | +2.9% | -0.4% | +2.3% | +5.8% | +1.0% | +5.6% | +27.2% |
| 2020       | -5.8% | -2.5% | -14.4% | +14.0% | +2.6% | +8.2% | +6.5% | -3.1% | +1.8% | +1.1% | +7.8% | +5.2% | +19.6% |
| 2021       | +4.4% | +6.6% | +2.5%  | +5.8%  | -2.8% | +1.0% | +1.2% | +1.0% | -4.8% | +0.2% | +1.7% | +3.9% | +22.0% |
| 2022 (YTD) | -6.0% | -2.3% | -2.6%  | -11.6% |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       | -20.9% |

Annualized return is calculated from inception based on published NAV.

#### Geographical exposure by listing 5



#### Sector exposure 2,5



#### **Fund facts**

Value Partners Hong Kong Limited Manager:

Base currency:

HSBC Trustee (Cayman) Limited Trustee:

Custodian: HSBC Institutional Trust Services (Asia) Limited Class A USD - 3 Mar 2008 Launch date:

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ISIN codes: Class A USD - VTAIWAN KY / KYG9318Y1061

#### Fee structure

|                                 | Class A                                   |
|---------------------------------|---|
| Minimum subscription            | US\$10,000                                |
| Minimum subsequent subscription | US\$5,000                                 |
| Subscription fee                | Up to 5%                                  |
| Management fee                  | 1.25% p.a.                                |
| Performance fee <sup>7</sup>    | 15% of profit<br>(High-on-high principle) |
| Redemption fee                  | Nil                                       |
| Dealing day                     | Daily                                     |
|                                 |   |

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#### **Key corporate awards**



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Offshore China Equity (10-year) 9 ~ Insight & Mandate, Professional Investment Awards 2018

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1. MSCI Taiwan Index (Total Net Return) which takes into account of dividend reinvestment after deduction of withholding tax. 2. Classification is based on Global Industry Classification Standard (GICS). 3. The profile is based on market consensus forecast as derived from FactSet and Bloomberg. Harmonic mean methodology is applied to calculate the forecast PIE ratio and PIB ratio. Portfolio yield is the weighted average of the total dividend yield of all securities in the portfolio. 4. Volatility is a measure of the theoretical risk in terms of standard deviation, based on monthly return over the past 3 years. 5. Exposure refers to net exposure (long exposure minus short exposure). Derivatives e.g. index futures are calculated based on P/L instead of notional exposure. 6. Cash includes receivables and payables (except cash for collaterals and margins). 7. Performance fee will only be charged if the NAV at the end of the financial year or upon realization of units exceeds the "high watermark", which is the lall-time year-end high of the Fund's NAV. If in any one year, the Fund suffers a loss, no performance fee can be charged in subsequent years until the loss is recovered fully (the high-on-high principle). 8. The award reflects performance up to 30 Sep 2018. 9. The award reflects performance up to 31 Dec 2017.

Investors should note investment involves risk. The price of units may go down as well as up and past performance is not indicative of future results. Investors should read the explanatory memorandum for details and risk factors in particular those associated with investment in emerging markets. Information in this report has been obtained from sources believed to be reliable but Value Partners Hong Kong Limited does not guarantee the accuracy or completeness of the information provided by third parties. Investors should seek advice from a financial adviser before making any investment. In the event that you choose not to do so, you should consider whether the investment selected is suitable for you.

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# Value Partners **High-Dividend Stocks Fund**



NAV per unit: Class A1 USD - USD99.68 | Class A2 USD MDis - USD10.56

: USD1,627.8 million



Morningstar Rating TM\*
As at 30-04-2022

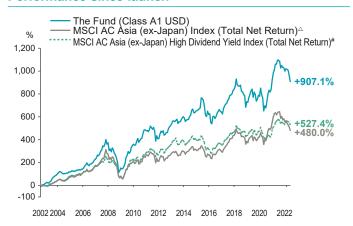
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- Value Partners High-Dividend Stocks Fund (The "Fund") primarily invests in higher yielding equity and debt securities in the Asian region.
- The Fund may invest in higher-yielding equity and debt securities that are below investment grade. Such investments can involve greater risks due to the spéculative nature.
- The Fund may invest in China and other markets of the Asian region, therefore is subject to emerging market risks. Generally, investments in emerging markets are more volatile than investments in developed markets due to additional risks relating to political, social, economic and regulatory uncertainty. The value of the Fund can be extremely volatile and could go down substantially within a short period of time. It is possible that the entire value of your investment could be lost.
- The Fund may also invest in derivatives which can involve material risks, e.g. counterparty default risk, insolvency or liquidity risk, and may expose the Fund to significant losses.
- 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

#### Investment objective

The Fund aims to provide capital appreciation to unitholders by investing primarily in a portfolio of relatively higher yielding equity and debt securities in Asian region.

#### Performance since launch



#### Performance update

|                                  | Class<br>A1 USD | Class<br>A2 USD<br>MDis | Class<br>A RMB<br>Unhedged<br>Acc | MSCI AC Asia<br>(ex-Japan)<br>Index<br>(Total Net<br>Return)△ | MSCI AC Asia<br>(ex-Japan) High<br>Dividend Yield<br>Index (Total Net<br>Return)# |
|----------------------------------|-----------------|-------------------------|-----------------------------------|---|---|
| Year-to-date                     | -10.0%          | -10.0%                  | -6.5%                             | -12.7%  | -5.1%   |
| One month                        | -5.1%           | -5.1%                   | -1.2%                             | -5.2%   | -3.9%   |
| One year                         | -15.7%          | -15.7%                  | -13.4%                            | -21.0%  | -6.3%   |
| Three years                      | +7.0%           | +7.1%                   | +5.6%                             | +8.2%   | +6.2%   |
| Five years                       | +23.1%          | +22.4%                  | +19.5%                            | +28.7%  | +24.5%  |
| Total return since launch        | +907.1%         | +66.9%                  | +62.9%                            | +480.0%   | +527.4%   |
| Annualized return since launch ^ | +12.5%          | +5.5%                   | +6.2%                             | +9.3%   | +9.8%   |

#### **NAVs & codes**

| Classes <sup>1</sup>       | NAV      | ISIN         | Bloomberg  |
|----------------------------|----------|--------------|------------|
| Class A1 USD               | 99.68    | HK0000288735 | VALASHY HK |
| Class A1 HKD <sup>2</sup>  | 782.2139 | HK0000288735 | VALASHY HK |
| Class A HKD Hedged Acc     | 8.79     | HK0000288834 | VALHAAH HK |
| Class A RMB Hedged Acc     | 14.66    | HK0000288719 | VALHAHR HK |
| Class A RMB Unhedged Acc   | 16.29    | HK0000288727 | VALHAUR HK |
| Class A2 USD MDis          | 10.56    | HK0000288743 | VALHYA2 HK |
| Class A2 HKD MDis          | 9.74     | HK0000288784 | VALHA2H HK |
| Class A2 AUD Hedged MDis   | 8.64     | HK0000288750 | VALHA2A HK |
| Class A2 CAD Hedged MDis   | 9.01     | HK0000288768 | VALHA2C HK |
| Class A2 GBP Hedged MDis   | 8.53     | HK0000288776 | VALHDSF HK |
| Class A2 NZD Hedged MDis   | 9.01     | HK0000288792 | VALHA2N HK |
| Class A2 RMB Hedged MDis   | 9.18     | HK0000288800 | VALHRMB HK |
| Class A2 RMB Unhedged MDis | 9.43     | HK0000288818 | VAHYRMB HK |
| Class A2 SGD Hedged MDis   | 9.97     | HK0000288867 | VALHA2S HK |
|                            |          |              |            |

#### Dividend information - Class A2 MDis 3

| Classes <sup>1</sup>       | Dividend per unit <sup>4</sup> | Annualized yield 5 | Ex-dividend date |
|----------------------------|--------------------------------|--------------------|------------------|
| Class A2 USD MDis          | 0.0458                         | 5.2%               | 29-4-2022        |
| Class A2 HKD MDis          | 0.0419                         | 5.2%               | 29-4-2022        |
| Class A2 AUD Hedged MDis   | 0.0378                         | 5.3%               | 29-4-2022        |
| Class A2 CAD Hedged MDis   | 0.0386                         | 5.1%               | 29-4-2022        |
| Class A2 GBP Hedged MDis   | 0.0361                         | 5.1%               | 29-4-2022        |
| Class A2 NZD Hedged MDis   | 0.0406                         | 5.4%               | 29-4-2022        |
| Class A2 RMB Hedged MDis   | 0.0587                         | 7.7%               | 29-4-2022        |
| Class A2 RMB Unhedged MDis | 0.0417                         | 5.3%               | 29-4-2022        |
| Class A2 SGD Hedged MDis   | 0.0427                         | 5.1%               | 29-4-2022        |

#### The Fund - Class A1 USD: Monthly performance from 1 Jan 2013 to 29 Apr 2022

| Year       | Jan    | Feb   | Mar    | Apr    | May   | Jun   | Jul   | Aug   | Sep   | Oct    | Nov   | Dec   | Annual |
|------------|--------|-------|--------|--------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|--------|-------|-------|--------|
| 2013       | +3.7%  | +0.4% | -0.8%  | +1.5%  | +1.7% | -5.6% | +2.3% | -0.1% | +2.5% | +2.7%  | +1.6% | -1.5% | +8.1%  |
| 2014       | -4.4%  | +1.8% | +0.7%  | +0.2%  | +3.8% | +1.8% | +5.9% | +1.2% | -4.1% | +0.3%  | +1.8% | +0.6% | +9.4%  |
| 2015       | +0.8%  | +1.2% | +1.1%  | +11.2% | -0.7% | -1.8% | -6.4% | -9.5% | -1.6% | +6.4%  | -3.8% | +0.9% | -3.7%  |
| 2016       | -10.5% | -1.7% | +9.7%  | +0.4%  | -2.7% | +2.6% | +4.1% | +2.0% | +2.3% | -2.2%  | -0.6% | -2.3% | -0.2%  |
| 2017       | +6.3%  | +3.2% | +1.7%  | +1.1%  | +2.8% | +1.9% | +3.5% | +0.4% | +1.0% | +3.3%  | +1.2% | +2.4% | +32.9% |
| 2018       | +6.8%  | -4.8% | -1.1%  | -0.0%  | +0.8% | -5.5% | -0.5% | -2.4% | -1.2% | -11.3% | +6.0% | -0.5% | -14.2% |
| 2019       | +5.3%  | +3.1% | +3.3%  | +1.6%  | -7.5% | +5.1% | -2.4% | -6.3% | +1.8% | +4.2%  | -1.0% | +8.0% | +14.9% |
| 2020       | -6.1%  | -3.0% | -13.1% | +5.8%  | -2.1% | +7.5% | +7.7% | +3.5% | -1.7% | +2.7%  | +9.0% | +5.5% | +13.9% |
| 2021       | +2.6%  | +4.5% | +0.1%  | +3.0%  | -0.1% | -0.8% | -5.0% | +1.8% | -1.2% | -0.6%  | -2.4% | +1.8% | +3.5%  |
| 2022 (YTD) | -0.4%  | -0.7% | -4.1%  | -5.1%  |       |       |       |       |       |        |       |       | -10.0% |

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Annualized return is calculated from inception based on published NAV.

#### Top holdings

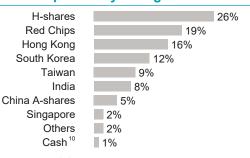
| Name   | Industry <sup>6</sup>                          | %   |
|--|--|-----|
| China Telecom Corp Ltd                                 | Telecom services                               | 5.8 |
| Taiwan Semiconductor<br>Manufacturing Co Ltd           | Semiconductors & semiconductor equipment       | 5.8 |
| Samsung Electronics Co Ltd                             | Technology,<br>hardware & equipment            | 5.3 |
| China Construction Bank Corp                           | Banks  | 3.3 |
| China State Construction<br>International Holdings Ltd | Capital goods                                  | 3.2 |
| MediaTek Inc   | Semiconductors & semiconductor equipment       | 2.6 |
| Sinopharm Group Co Ltd                                 | Pharmaceuticals, biotechnology & life sciences | 2.4 |
| HKBN Ltd   | Telecom services                               | 2.2 |
| China Railway Construction<br>Corp Ltd                 | Capital goods                                  | 2.1 |
| Far East Horizon Ltd                                   | Diversified financials                         | 2.1 |
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These securities constitute 35% of the Fund

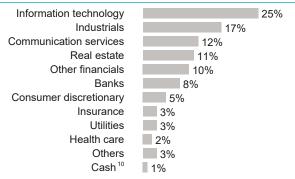
#### Portfolio characteristics

| As at 29 Apr 2022 <sup>7</sup>    |                 |                         |                                   |   |   |
|-----------------------------------|-----------------|-------------------------|-----------------------------------|---|---|
| Price/earnings ratio              |                 |                         |                                   | 6   | .4 times  |
| Price/book ratio                  |                 |                         |                                   | 0   | .8 times  |
| Portfolio yield                   |                 |                         |                                   |   | 5.2%  |
| Yield to maturity/put             |                 |                         |                                   |   | N/A   |
|                                   | Class<br>A1 USD | Class<br>A2 USD<br>MDis | Class<br>A RMB<br>Unhedged<br>Acc | MSCI AC Asia<br>(ex-Japan)<br>Index<br>(Total Net<br>Return)△ | MSCI AC Asia<br>(ex-Japan) High<br>Dividend Yield<br>Index (Total Net<br>Return)# |
| Annualized volatility (3 years) 8 | 16.9%           | 16.9%                   | 13.8%                             | 17.7%   | 17.0%   |

#### Geographical exposure by listing



#### Sector exposure 6,9



#### **Fund facts**

| Value Partners Hong Kong Limited   |
|--|
| USD HSBC Institutional Trust Services (Asia) Limited                       |
| HSBC Institutional Trust Services (Asia) Limited Class A1 USD - 2 Sep 2002 |
| Class A2 USD MDis - 28 Sep 2012  |
| Class A2 HKD MDis - 23 Sep 2013  |
| Class A2 AUD/CAD/NZD Hedged MDis - 23 Sep 2013                             |
| Class A RMB Unhedged Acc - 20 Mar 2014                                     |
| Class A2 RMB Unhedged MDis - 1 Sep 2014                                    |
| Class A2 RMB Hedged MDis - 10 Sep 2014                                     |
| Class A RMB Hedged Acc - 11 Sep 2014                                       |
| Class A2 GBP Hedged MDis - 12 Mar 2015                                     |
| Class A2 SGD Hedged MDis - 23 Jan 2017                                     |
| Class A HKD Hedged Acc - 2 Aug 2021  |
|  |

Class A2 MDis - aim at monthly distribution, Dividend policy 3:

#### Fee structure

|                                       | Class A1                                    | Class A2 MDis  | Class A Acc              |  |  |  |
|---------------------------------------|---|--|--------------------------|--|--|--|
| Minimum<br>subscription               | USD10,000 or<br>HKD equivalent <sup>2</sup> | USD10,000 / HKD80,000 /<br>AUD10,000 / CAD10,000 /<br>GBP10,000 / RMB60,000 /<br>NZD10,000 / SGD10,000 | HKD80,000 /<br>RMB60,000 |  |  |  |
| Minimum<br>subsequent<br>subscription | USD5,000 or<br>HKD equivalent <sup>2</sup>  | USD5,000 / HKD40,000 /<br>AUD5,000 / CAD5,000 /<br>GBP5,000 / RMB30,000 /<br>NZD5,000 / SGD5,000       | HKD40,000 /<br>RMB30,000 |  |  |  |
| Subscription fee                      |   | Up to 5%   |                          |  |  |  |
| Management fee                        |   | 1.25% p.a.   |                          |  |  |  |
| Performance fee 11                    | 15% of profit (High-on-high principle)      |  |                          |  |  |  |
| Redemption fee                        | Nil   |  |                          |  |  |  |
| Dealing day                           | Daily                                       |  |                          |  |  |  |
|                                       |   |  |                          |  |  |  |

subject to Manager's discretion

#### Senior investment staff

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

Cheah Cheng Hye; Louis So

Senior Investment Directors: Norman Ho, CFA; Renee Hung Investment Directors: Chung Man Wing; Yu Chen Jun; Michelle Yu, CFA Senior Fund Managers: Lillian Cao; Anthony Chan, CFA; Kelly Chung, CFA; Doris Ho; Glenda Hsia; Amy Lee, CFA, CAIA; Luo Jing, CFA; Frank Tsui

#### Key corporate and fund awards



Asset Class Award: Asia ex-Japan equity 12 AsianInvestor Asset Management Awards 2022

Asia ex-Japan Equity House: Best-in-Class <sup>13</sup> Greater China Equity House: Outstanding Achiever <sup>13</sup> ~ Benchmark Fund of the Year Awards 2018, Hong Kong

Offshore China Equity (10-year) 14 ~ Insight & Mandate, Professional Investment Awards 2018

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Fund documents

Fund notices

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# Value Partners Health Care Fund

A Sub-Fund of Value Partners Ireland Fund ICAV

A UCITS-Compliant Fund 1

NAV per unit: Class A USD Unhedged - USD11.60

Fund size : USD204.9 million



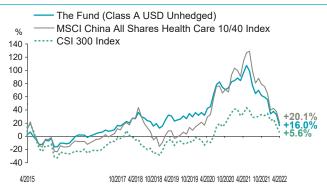
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- Value Partners Health Care Fund (the "Fund") primarily invests in equities and equity-related securities in healthcare companies on a worldwide basis.
- The investments of the Fund are concentrated in the health care sector which are subject to greater influences from government policies and regulations than those of other industries. The value of the Fund may be more volatile than that of a fund having a more diverse portfolio of investments
- Investing in PRC market exposes the Fund to additional risks including currency repatriation risk, uncertainty of taxation policies and risk associated with StockConnects. The Fund may also expose to RMB currency and conversion risk.
- Investing in small/mid-capitalization securities may have lower liquidity and their prices are more volatile to adverse economic developments.
- The Fund may also invest in derivatives and debt securities that are below investment grade or unrated which can involve material risks, e.g. counterparty default risk, insolvency or liquidity risk, and may expose the Fund to significant losses.
- · You should not make investment decision on the basis of this marketing material alone. Please read the prospectus for details and risk factors.

#### **Investment objective**

The Fund aims to achieve long-term capital growth by investing primarily in equities and equity related securities in healthcare companies, such as pharmaceuticals, biotechnology, healthcare services and medical technology and supplies, on a worldwide basis.

#### Performance since launch



#### Performance update

|                                  | Class A<br>USD<br>Unhedged | MSCI China<br>All Shares<br>Health Care<br>10/40 Index | CSI 300<br>Index |
|----------------------------------|----------------------------|--|------------------|
| Year-to-date                     | -25.4%                     | -26.9%   | -21.3%           |
| One month                        | -12.5%                     | -12.4%   | -8.3%            |
| One year                         | -40.8%                     | -43.8%   | -21.6%           |
| Three years                      | -11.1%                     | +11.3%   | +11.6%           |
| Five years                       | +10.1%                     | +25.9%   | +35.6%           |
| Total return since launch        | +16.0%                     | +20.1%   | +5.6%            |
| Annualized return since launch ^ | +2.1%                      | +2.6%  | +0.8%            |

#### **NAVs & codes**

| Classes              | NAV   | ISIN         | Bloomberg  |
|----------------------|-------|--------------|------------|
| Class A USD Unhedged | 11.60 | IE00BSM8VZ90 | VPHCUAU ID |
| Class A HKD Unhedged | 11.39 | IE00BSM8VQ00 | VPHCUAH ID |
| Class A SGD Unhedged | 8.57  | IE00BSM8VV52 | VPHCUAS ID |
| Class A EUR Unhedged | 6.83  | IE00BSM8VN78 | VPHCUAE ID |
| Class A RMB Unhedged | 6.16  | IE00BSM8VR17 | VPHCUAR ID |
| Class A SGD Hedged   | 5.91  | IE00BSM8VW69 | VPHCHAS ID |

#### **Top holdings**

| Name   | Industry <sup>2</sup>          | %   |
|--|--------------------------------|-----|
| Shenzhen Mindray Bio-Medical<br>Electronics Co Ltd | Health care equipment          | 9.2 |
| WuXi AppTec Co Ltd                                 | Life sciences tools & services | 8.3 |
| Yunnan Baiyao Group Co Ltd                         | Pharmaceuticals                | 6.5 |
| Beijing Tong Ren Tang Co Ltd                       | Pharmaceuticals                | 5.6 |
| CSPC Pharmaceutical Group Ltd                      | Pharmaceuticals                | 4.6 |
| Sinopharm Group Co Ltd                             | Health care distributors       | 4.5 |
| Beijing Tong Ren Tang Chinese<br>Medicine Co Ltd   | Pharmaceuticals                | 4.3 |
| Sino Biopharmaceutical Ltd                         | Pharmaceuticals                | 4.2 |
| Shanghai Pharmaceuticals Holding<br>Co Ltd         | Health care distributors       | 3.6 |
| Innovent Biologics Inc                             | Biotechnology                  | 3.3 |
|  |                                |     |

These securities constitute 54% of the Fund.

#### **Portfolio characteristics**

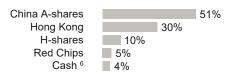
| As at 29 Apr 2022 3               |                            |  |            |
|-----------------------------------|----------------------------|--|------------|
| Price/earnings ratio              |                            |  | 15.4 times |
| Price/book ratio                  |                            |  | 2.3 times  |
| Portfolio yield                   |                            |  | 1.8%       |
|                                   | Class A<br>USD<br>Unhedged | MSCI China<br>All Shares<br>Health Care<br>10/40 Index | CSI 300    |
| Annualized volatility (3 years) 4 | 20.5%                      | 27 4%  | 20.1%      |

#### The Fund - Class A USD Unhedged: Monthly performance from 2 Apr 2015 to 29 Apr 2022

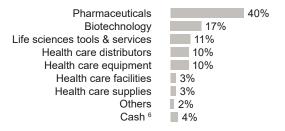
| Year       | Jan    | Feb   | Mar   | Apr    | May   | Jun    | Jul    | Aug   | Sep   | Oct   | Nov   | Dec   | Annual |
|------------|--------|-------|-------|--------|-------|--------|--------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|--------|
| 2015       | N/A    | N/A   | N/A   | +2.5%  | +3.6% | -6.2%  | -5.3%  | -7.5% | +0.3% | +7.5% | -1.7% | +4.1% | -3.7%  |
| 2016       | -12.9% | -0.1% | +6.7% | -0.1%  | -1.1% | +1.1%  | +5.5%  | +5.6% | +2.3% | -0.2% | +0.0% | -3.4% | +1.9%  |
| 2017       | +2.3%  | +1.6% | +2.0% | +1.3%  | +0.8% | +2.7%  | -1.6%  | +0.7% | +1.5% | +5.9% | -0.7% | +2.7% | +20.8% |
| 2018       | +3.1%  | -1.9% | +6.0% | -0.6%  | +7.6% | -4.9%  | -1.5%  | -3.1% | -1.0% | -5.7% | +3.2% | -5.7% | -5.4%  |
| 2019       | +2.9%  | +8.1% | +5.9% | -1.1%  | -5.9% | +1.4%  | +1.1%  | +3.7% | -3.2% | +6.3% | -3.8% | +5.0% | +21.0% |
| 2020       | -2.9%  | +3.2% | -3.1% | +8.1%  | +1.7% | +12.7% | +9.2%  | +2.4% | -4.6% | -2.0% | +1.8% | +5.1% | +34.4% |
| 2021       | +1.0%  | +2.1% | -2.1% | +6.4%  | +5.7% | -4.0%  | -11.3% | -6.7% | +3.0% | -4.7% | -1.4% | -2.4% | -14.8% |
| 2022 (YTD) | -14.0% | +2.8% | -3.6% | -12.5% |       |        |        |       |       |       |       |       | -25.4% |

<sup>^</sup> Annualized return is calculated from inception based on published NAV.

#### Geographical exposure by listing 5



#### Sector exposure 2,5



#### **Fund facts**

Value Partners Hong Kong Limited Manager:

Base currency: USD

Launch date: Class A USD Unhedged/HKD Unhedged -

2 Apr 2015

Class A SGD Unhedged - 19 Jun 2018 Class A EUR Unhedged/RMB Unhedged/

SGD Hedged - 17 Jun 2021 Daily, Cutoff time 11:59am Irish time

Dealing frequency: **HSBC** Continental Europe Depositary: Reporting: www.valuepartners-group.com

#### Fee structure

|                           | Class A  |
|---------------------------|--|
| Minimum subscription:     | USD10,000 / HKD80,000 / SGD10,000 /<br>EUR10,000 / RMB60,000 |
| Initial subscription fee: | Up to 5% of issue price                                      |
| Management fee:           | 1.5% p.a.  |
| Redemption fee:           | Currently nil  |

#### Senior investment staff

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

Cheah Cheng Hye; Louis So

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Michelle Yu, CFA

Senior Fund Managers: Lillian Cao; Anthony Chan, CFA; Kelly Chung, CFA; Doris Ho; Glenda Hsia; Amy Lee, CFA, CAIA; Luo Jing, CFA; Frank Tsui

#### Key fund award



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# Value Partners Fund Series Value Partners Asian Innovation Opportunities Fund



NAV per unit : Class A USD Unhedged Acc - USD15.05 | Class A USD Unhedged MDis - USD14.47

Fund size : USD69.4 million



Morningstar Rating<sup>TM\*</sup>
As at 30-04-2022

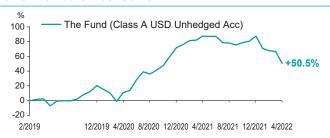
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- Value Partners Asian Innovation Opportunities Fund (the "Fund") invests predominantly in Asian equity and/or fixed income securities of companies
  that are related to innovative technologies or business innovations.
- The Fund's investments are concentrated in the Asian market and therefore subject to emerging market risks. Generally, investments in emerging markets are more volatile than investments in developed markets due to additional risks relating to political, social, economic and regulatory uncertainty.
- The Fund is also subject to concentration risks due to its concentration in the sectors relating to innovative technology or business innovation. Such companies are characterised by relatively higher uncertainty and volatility in price performance when compared to other economic sectors.
- The Fund may invest in small and mid-capitalisation companies. The stocks of such companies may have lower liquidity and their prices are more volatile to adverse economic developments than those of larger capitalisation companies in general.
- The Fund may invest in unrated or below investment grade bonds 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.
- In respect of the distribution classes 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 of the net asset value per unit of the Fund.
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#### **Investment objective**

To maximise return and income by investing primarily (i.e. not less than 70% of its Net Asset Value) in Asian equity and/or fixed income securities relating to Asian companies that are listed, or have their registered offices in Asia or that generate a predominant share of their sales and/or their profits in Asia which are related to innovative technologies or business innovations including but not limited to information technology, consumption services, healthcare and financials.

#### **Performance since launch**



#### Performance update

|                                  | The Fund (Class A USD Unhedged Acc) |
|----------------------------------|-------------------------------------|
| Year-to-date                     | -19.7%                              |
| One month                        | -9.6%                               |
| One year                         | -19.7%                              |
| Three years                      | +47.3%                              |
| Five Years                       | N/A                                 |
| Total return since launch        | +50.5%                              |
| Annualized return since launch ^ | +13.7%                              |

#### **NAVs & codes**

| Classes 1                 | NAV   | ISIN         | Bloomberg  |
|---------------------------|-------|--------------|------------|
| Class A AUD Hedged MDis   | 13.60 | HK0000475878 | VPAIAAH HK |
| Class A CAD Hedged MDis   | 14.10 | HK0000475886 | VPAIACH HK |
| Class A HKD Unhedged Acc  | 15.06 | HK0000475902 | VPAIOAU HK |
| Class A HKD Unhedged MDis | 14.48 | HK0000475910 | VPAIAHU HK |
| Class A NZD Hedged MDis   | 13.56 | HK0000475928 | VPAIANH HK |
| Class A RMB Hedged MDis   | 14.60 | HK0000475936 | VPAIARH HK |
| Class A SGD Hedged Acc    | 14.71 | HK0000475944 | VPAIASH HK |
| Class A SGD Hedged MDis   | 14.21 | HK0000475951 | VPASIAH HK |
| Class A USD Unhedged Acc  | 15.05 | HK0000475969 | VPASIAU HK |
| Class A USD Unhedged MDis | 14.47 | HK0000475977 | VPASAUU HK |
|                           |       |              |            |

#### Dividend information – Class MDis <sup>2</sup>

| Classes <sup>1</sup>      | Dividend amount / unit |      | Ex-dividend date |
|---------------------------|------------------------|------|------------------|
| Class A AUD Hedged MDis   | 0.0114                 | 1.0% | 29-4-2022        |
| Class A CAD Hedged MDis   | 0.0165                 | 1.4% | 29-4-2022        |
| Class A HKD Unhedged MDis | 0.0189                 | 1.6% | 29-4-2022        |
| Class A NZD Hedged MDis   | 0.0123                 | 1.1% | 29-4-2022        |
| Class A RMB Hedged MDis   | 0.0458                 | 3.8% | 29-4-2022        |
| Class A SGD Hedged MDis   | 0.0164                 | 1.4% | 29-4-2022        |
| Class A USD Unhedged MDis | 0.0190                 | 1.6% | 29-4-2022        |

#### Top holdings - equities

| Holdings                                     | Sector <sup>4</sup>                            | Geography | %   |
|--|--|-----------|-----|
| Taiwan Semiconductor<br>Manufacturing Co Ltd | Semiconductors<br>& semiconductor<br>equipment | Taiwan    | 8.1 |
| Alchip Technologies<br>Limited               | Semiconductors<br>& semiconductor<br>equipment | Taiwan    | 6.4 |
| Renesas Electronics Corp                     | Semiconductors<br>& semiconductor<br>equipment | Japan     | 4.7 |
| LandMark Optoelectronics<br>Corp             | Semiconductors<br>& semiconductor<br>equipment | Taiwan    | 4.4 |
| SUMCO Corp                                   | Semiconductors & semiconductor equipment       | Japan     | 4.3 |

These equities constitute 28% of the Fund.

#### Top holdings – fixed income

| Holdings  | Sector <sup>4</sup>                 | Geography | %   |
|---|-------------------------------------|-----------|-----|
| Lenovo Perpetual<br>Securities Ltd<br>5.875% 04/24/2025 | Technology,<br>hardware & equipment | China     | 1.1 |
| SoftBank Group Corp<br>5.125% 09/19/2027                | Telecommunication services          | Japan     | 0.7 |

These fixed income securities constitute 2% of the Fund.

#### The Fund - Class A USD Unhedged Acc: Monthly performance from 26 Feb 2019 to 29 Apr 2022

| Year       | Jan   | Feb   | Mar    | Apr    | May   | Jun    | Jul   | Aug   | Sep   | Oct   | Nov   | Dec   | Annual |
|------------|-------|-------|--------|--------|-------|--------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|--------|
| 2019       | N/A   | -0.3% | +1.6%  | +0.9%  | -9.4% | +6.8%  | +0.8% | -0.4% | +2.4% | +6.0% | +3.9% | +7.3% | +20.2% |
| 2020       | -4.3% | -4.1% | -10.6% | +12.1% | +2.9% | +12.7% | +8.4% | -2.2% | +3.8% | +4.5% | +8.3% | +7.6% | +43.0% |
| 2021       | +2.4% | +3.0% | +0.4%  | +3.0%  | -0.2% | +0.0%  | -4.5% | -0.3% | -1.4% | +1.8% | +1.0% | +3.8% | +9.0%  |
| 2022 (YTD) | -9.0% | -1.8% | -0.7%  | -9.6%  |       |        |       |       |       |       |       |       | -19.7% |

<sup>^</sup> Annualized return is calculated from inception based on published NAV.

#### Portfolio characteristics

| As at 29 Apr 2022                            |                                     |
|--|-------------------------------------|
| Portfolio yield <sup>5</sup>                 | 2.3%                                |
|  | The Fund (Class A USD Unhedged Acc) |
|  | (Class A USD Utilieugeu Acc)        |
| Annualized volatility (3 years) <sup>6</sup> | 19.7%                               |

#### Asset type by geography (%) 7

|                | Equities | Fixed Income | Total |
|----------------|----------|--------------|-------|
| Taiwan         | 30.8     | -            | 30.8  |
| Japan          | 22.0     | 0.7          | 22.7  |
| United States  | 8.2      | -            | 8.2   |
| South Korea    | 7.6      | -            | 7.6   |
| China A-shares | 5.0      | -            | 5.0   |
| Red Chips      | 4.0      | -            | 4.0   |
| H-shares       | 2.8      | -            | 2.8   |
| Luxemberg      | 2.3      | -            | 2.3   |
| China          | -        | 1.1          | 1.1   |
| Hong Kong      | 0.3      | -            | 0.3   |
| Cash 8         | -        | -            | 15.2  |
| Total          | 83.0     | 1.8          | 100.0 |

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

|  | Equities | Fixed Income | Total |
|--|----------|--------------|-------|
| Semiconductors & semiconductor equipment | 37.4     | -            | 37.4  |
| Technology, hardware & equipment         | 12.1     | 1.1          | 13.2  |
| Consumer durables & apparel              | 7.0      | -            | 7.0   |
| Media & entertainment                    | 4.7      | -            | 4.7   |
| Telecom services                         | 4.4      | -            | 4.4   |
| Food, beverage & tobacco                 | 4.3      | -            | 4.3   |
| Commercial services & supplies           | 3.5      | -            | 3.5   |
| Software & services                      | 3.1      | -            | 3.1   |
| Automobiles & components                 | 2.0      | -            | 2.0   |
| Capital goods                            | 1.9      | -            | 1.9   |
| Health care equipment & services         | 1.7      | -            | 1.7   |
| Retailing                                | 0.9      | -            | 0.9   |
| Telecommunication services               | -        | 0.7          | 0.7   |
| Cash <sup>8</sup>                        | -        | -            | 15.2  |
| Total                                    | 83.0     | 1.8          | 100.0 |
|  |          |              |       |

#### Credit ratings of fixed income

|     |      | Investment grade        | 1.1% |
|-----|------|-------------------------|------|
| BBB | 1.1% | High yield              | 0.7% |
| BB  | 0.7% | Average credit rating 9 | BBB  |

#### **Fund facts**

Value Partners Hong Kong Limited Manager: Base currency: USD

HSBC Institutional Trust Services (Asia) Limited Trustee: Launch date: 26 Feb 2019

Class A AUD Hedged MDis Class A CAD Hedged MDis Class A HKD Unhedged Acc Class A HKD Unhedged MDis Class A NZD Hedged MDis Class A RMB Hedged MDis Class A SGD Hedged Acc Class A SGD Hedged MDis Class A USD Unhedged Acc

Class A USD Unhedged MDis

#### Fee structure (Class A)

|                                 | Acc  | MDis   |  |  |
|---------------------------------|--|--|--|--|
| Share classes                   | HKD/USD unhedged,<br>SGD hedged <sup>1</sup> | HKD/USD unhedged,<br>AUD/CAD/NZD/<br>RMB/SGD hedged <sup>1</sup> |  |  |
| Minimum subscription            | USD10,000 or equivalent                      |  |  |  |
| Minimum subsequent subscription | USD5,000 or equivalent                       |  |  |  |
| Subscription fee                | Up to 5%                                     |  |  |  |
| Redemption fee                  | Nil  |  |  |  |
| Management fee                  | 1.5% p.a.                                    |  |  |  |
| Performance fee                 | N/A  |  |  |  |
| Dealing day                     | Daily  |  |  |  |

#### Senior investment staff

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Chief Investment Officer, Fixed Income: Gordon ID, CFA

Head of Credit Research & Strategy: Anna Ho

Fund Manager: Danielle Li

#### **Key corporate awards**



CIO of the Year in Asia (Fixed Income) 10 CIO of the Year (Fixed Income, Hong Kong) 10 Winner: Mr. Gordon IP

~ Insight & Mandate, Professional Investment Awards 2020

Top Investment House in Asian G3 Bonds 11 Top Investment House in Asian Local Currency Bond 11 (both for the Hedge Fund category)

- The Asset Benchmark Research Awards 2019

Asia ex-Japan Equity House: Best-in-Class Greater China Equity House: Outstanding Achiever ~ Benchmark Fund of the Year Awards 2018, Hong Kong 12

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The only ETF backed by physical gold stored in Hong Kong

- The Fund only invests in bullion and may experience greater volatility due to single economic, market or political occurrences when compared to diversified mutual funds or unit trusts.
- The Fund has adopted a multi counter and units are traded in HKD, RMB and USD on SEHK. The nature of the multi-counter may make investment in the units riskier than in single counter units or shares of an SEHK listed issuer. Investors without RMB or USD accounts may buy and sell HKD traded units only.
- RMB is not a freely convertible currency and is subject to foreign exchange control policies, as well as repatriation restrictions imposed by the PRC government. Investors whose base currencies of investments are not in RMB should take into account the potential risk of loss arising from fluctuations in value between such currencies and the RMB.
- The Fund does not insure its bullion and the Fund and unitholders could suffer a loss if the bullion held by the custodian is lost or damaged.
- As the Fund is not actively managed, the Manager will not adopt a temporary defensive position against any market downturn. Investors may lose part or all of their investment.
- Trading prices of units on the SEHK are subject to market forces and the units may trade at a substantial premium/discount to the net asset value ŏf the Fund.

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#### Investment objective

The Fund aims to provide investment results that, before fees and expenses, closely correspond to the morning (London time) fixing price of gold per troy ounce quoted in US dollars, published by the London Bullion Market Association (LBMA). . The trust is fully backed by physical gold stored in Hong Kong.

| Total Gold in Trust |                  |  |  |  |
|---------------------|------------------|--|--|--|
| Gold value (HK\$)   | 1,880,651,979.91 |  |  |  |
| Gold in kilogram    | 3,891.61         |  |  |  |

#### **Fund performance update** The Fund **LBMA Gold Price** One month -0.3% -0.2% Three months +7.5% +7.6% Year-to-date +5.8% +5.9% +9.0% +9.4% One year +47.3% +49.1% Three years +49.6% +52.7% Five years +39.0% Since launch +46.1% Since launch +2.9% +3.3% (Annualized return)

| Annual return since launch |          |                 |  |  |  |
|----------------------------|----------|-----------------|--|--|--|
|                            | The Fund | LBMA Gold Price |  |  |  |
| 2011                       | +11.1%   | +11.6%          |  |  |  |
| 2012                       | +5.0%    | +5.5%           |  |  |  |
| 2013                       | -28.1%   | -27.8%          |  |  |  |
| 2014                       | -0.6%    | -0.2%           |  |  |  |
| 2015                       | -11.9%   | -11.5%          |  |  |  |
| 2016                       | +8.6%    | +9.2%           |  |  |  |
| 2017                       | +12.3%   | +12.7%          |  |  |  |
| 2018                       | -1.4%    | -1.0%           |  |  |  |
| 2019                       | +17.7%   | +18.2%          |  |  |  |
| 2020                       | +23.1%   | +23.6%          |  |  |  |
| 2021                       | -3.6%    | -3.2%           |  |  |  |
| 2022 (YTD)                 | +5.8%    | +5.9%           |  |  |  |

#### Award - Value Gold ETF

Quantitative Top Fund - Precious Metals Commodity Category (Best-in-Class)

~ Benchmark Fund of the Year Awards 2019, Hona Kona

Commodity ETF House (Best-in-Class) ~ Benchmark Fund of the Year Awards 2018, Hong Kong



| Fund information  |   |  |  |  |
|---|---|--|--|--|
| Fund price (NAV)  | HK\$45.9991   |  |  |  |
| Fund size   | HK\$1,881.0 million   |  |  |  |
| Listing date  | HKD Counter - 3 November 2010<br>RMB Counter - 29 November 2013<br>USD Counter - 31 March 2017  |  |  |  |
| Stock code  | HKD Counter - 03081<br>RMB Counter - 83081<br>USD Counter - 09081   |  |  |  |
| Exchange listing  | The Stock Exchange of Hong Kong Limited –<br>Main Board   |  |  |  |
| Gold type   | Minimum fineness of 99.5% of gold (from the approved refiners which are included in the LBMA Good Delivery List of Acceptable Refiners: Gold)   |  |  |  |
| Benchmark   | LBMA Gold Price   |  |  |  |
| Investment manager  | Sensible Asset Management Hong Kong Limited   |  |  |  |
| Sub-investment manager  | Value Partners Hong Kong Limited  |  |  |  |
| Metal provider  | Heraeus Metals Hong Kong Limited<br>Standard Chartered Bank   |  |  |  |
| Trustee and registrar   | HSBC Institutional Trust Services (Asia) Limited  |  |  |  |
| Custodian   | HKIA Precious Metals Depository Limited   |  |  |  |
| Auditor   | Ernst & Young   |  |  |  |
| Participating dealers   | Physical gold delivery/cash settlement  - Redford Securities Limited Cash settlement  - ABN AMRO Clearing Hong Kong Limited  - Chief Securities Limited  - Credit Suisse Securities (Hong Kong) Limited  - Goldman Sachs (Asia) Securities Limited  - Haitong International Securities Company Limited  - KGI Asia Limited  - Mirae Asset Securities (HK) Limited  - Nomura International (Hong Kong) Limited |  |  |  |
| Market makers   | HKD counter:  - Flow Traders Hong Kong Limited  - Merrill Lynch Far East Limited  RMB counter:  - Flow Traders Hong Kong Limited  - Merrill Lynch Far East Limited  USD counter:  - Flow Traders Hong Kong Limited  - Merrill Lynch Far East Limited  |  |  |  |
| Trading board lot size  | HKD Counter - 100 units<br>RMB Counter - 100 units<br>USD Counter - 100 units   |  |  |  |
| Bloomberg ticker  | HKD Counter - 03081 HK <equity><br/>RMB Counter - 83081 HK <equity><br/>USD Counter - 9081 HK <equity></equity></equity></equity>   |  |  |  |
| Base currency   | HK Dollar   |  |  |  |
| Trading currency  | HKD Counter - HK Dollar (HKD)<br>RMB Counter - Renminbi (RMB)<br>USD Counter - US Dollar (USD)  |  |  |  |
| In-kind creation/<br>redemption unit size<br>(by authorized<br>participants only) | Minimum 300,000 units (or multiples thereof)  |  |  |  |
| Management fee 2  | Approximately 0.40% per annum   |  |  |  |
| Dividend policy   | None  |  |  |  |

Source: HSBC Institutional Trust Services (Asia) Limited and Bloomberg, data as at the last valuation date of the month as stated above, unless stated otherwise. Performance is calculated in base currency, NAV to NAV with dividend reinvested and net of fees.

1. BENCHMARK aggregates 12 monthly score sets for each fund between 1 Oct 2018 and 30 Sep 2019, and between 1 Oct 2017 and 30 Sep 2018, respectively. Monthly score sets are calculated by aggregating the 12-monthly rolling one-year, three-and five-year (USD) returns, and by adding a risk score for their risk-adjusted returns. Funds in the final score set with a negative Sortino ratio will be excluded from the assessment for the awards. 2. The management fee is a single flat fee to cover all of the Custodian's fee, Trustee's and Registrar's fees and other costs and expenses. Please refer to the Prospectus for details. Investors should note investment involves risk. The price of units may go down as well as up and past performance is not indicative of future results. Investors should read the prospectus for details and risk factors, particularly those associated with the arrangement in the event that the Fund is delisted. The Fund's prospectus is available and may be obtained from website. Investors should also note that the Fund is different from a typical retail investment fund. Units in the Fund may only be created or redeemed directly by a participating dealer in large unit sizes. This document has not been reviewed by the Securities and Futures Commission. Issuer: Sensible Asset Management Hong Kong Limited.

# Value Partners **Greater China High Yield Income Fund**



NAV per unit : Class P USD Acc - USD10.20 | Class P USD MDis - USD4.08

**Fund size** : USD979.1 million

April 2022

- Value Partners Greater China High Yield Income Fund (the "Fund") primarily invests in a portfolio of fixed and floating rate bonds and other debt securities, including convertible bonds, in the Greater China region.

- debt securities, including convertible bonds, in the Greater China region.

  The Fund may invest in high yielding securities which may be unrated or below investment grade and debt securities issued by special purpose vehicles. The Fund is therefore exposed to higher credit/insolvency risk and default risk.

  The Fund primarily invests in the Greater China region and therefore is subject to emerging market and concentration risks. Generally, investments in emerging markets are more volatile than investments in developed markets due to additional risks relating to political, social, economic and regulatory uncertainty. Adverse development in such region may affect the value of the underlying securities in which the Fund invests. In respect of the distribution shares 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 of the net asset value per share of the Fund.

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- The Fund may also invest in derivatives which can involve material risks, e.g. counterparty default risk, insolvency or liquidity risk, and may expose the Fund to significant losses.
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#### Investment objective

The Fund aims to provide capital appreciation by primarily investing in Greater China debt securities, including but not limited to high yield, convertible and mainland Chinese offshore bonds.

#### Commentary

#### Portfolio review:

US Treasury yields continued to climb in April as the market expected a more hawkish Fed. In the Asian credit markets, interest rate-sensitive investment grade credits underperformed, while high yield credits fared better. China property high yield credits were relatively flat for the month after a decent performance pickup in late March. The market continued to focus on inflation expectations and the Fed rate hike trajectory. For the month, we continued to manage the risk of the Fund's exposure to China property. We continue to focus on quality and liquidity in our holdings.

#### Outlook:

During the month, Chinese authorities announced their intention to support the country's economic growth and the healthy development of the property sector. As we wait for any supportive measure that the government may roll out, we continue to hold a cautious view of China property. The market remains sensitive to idiosyncratic events. Therefore, sporadic volatility should be expected. We will continue to monitor the market and will act

#### Performance since launch



#### Performance update

|                                  | Class P<br>USD Acc | Class A<br>RMB Hedged Acc |
|----------------------------------|--------------------|---------------------------|
|                                  |                    |                           |
| Year-to-date                     | -18.9%             | -18.2%                    |
| One month                        | +0.6%              | +0.8%                     |
| One year                         | -36.0%             | -34.3%                    |
| Three years                      | -36.2%             | -32.9%                    |
| Five years                       | -33.5%             | -28.3%                    |
| Total return since launch        | +2.0%              | -2.5%                     |
| Annualized return since launch ^ | +0.2%              | -0.4%                     |

#### **NAVs & Codes**

| Classes 1               | NAV   | ISIN         | Bloomberg  |
|-------------------------|-------|--------------|------------|
| Class P USD Acc         | 10.20 | KYG9319N1097 | VPGCPUA KY |
| Class P HKD Acc         | 10.24 | KYG9319N1253 | VPGCPHA KY |
| Class P USD MDis        | 4.08  | KYG9319N1170 | VPGPUMD KY |
| Class P HKD MDis        | 4.10  | KYG9319N1337 | VPGPHMD KY |
| Class P SGD Hedged MDis | 4.40  | KYG9319N1824 | VPPSHMA KY |
| Class A EUR Hedged Acc  | 6.30  | KYG9319N3804 | VPGAEHA KY |
| Class A AUD Hedged MDis | 3.91  | KYG9319N2327 | VPGCAUD KY |
| Class A CAD Hedged MDis | 4.02  | KYG9319N2400 | VPGCCAD KY |
| Class A GBP Hedged MDis | 4.11  | KYG9319N3317 | VPGCAGH KY |
| Class A EUR Hedged MDis | 4.32  | KYG9319N3499 | VCHAMEH KY |
| Class A NZD Hedged MDis | 4.10  | KYG9319N2574 | VPGCHNZ KY |
| Class A RMB Hedged Acc  | 9.75  | KYG9319N2814 | VPGCAHR KY |
| Class A RMB Hedged MDis | 4.68  | KYG9319N3077 | VPGCRMB KY |
| Class A RMB MDis        | 4.36  | KYG9319N3150 | VPGCMDR KY |

#### Dividend information - Class MDis <sup>2</sup>

| Classes <sup>1</sup>    | Dividend amount / unit |       | Ex-dividend date |
|-------------------------|------------------------|-------|------------------|
| Class P USD MDis        | 0.0303                 | 8.9%  | 29-4-2022        |
| Class P HKD MDis        | 0.0303                 | 8.9%  | 29-4-2022        |
| Class P SGD Hedged MDis | 0.0325                 | 8.9%  | 29-4-2022        |
| Class A AUD Hedged MDis | 0.0295                 | 9.1%  | 29-4-2022        |
| Class A CAD Hedged MDis | 0.0295                 | 8.8%  | 29-4-2022        |
| Class A EUR Hedged MDis | 0.0273                 | 7.6%  | 29-4-2022        |
| Class A GBP Hedged MDis | 0.0300                 | 8.8%  | 29-4-2022        |
| Class A NZD Hedged MDis | 0.0317                 | 9.3%  | 29-4-2022        |
| Class A RMB Hedged MDis | 0.0394                 | 10.1% | 29-4-2022        |
| Class A RMB MDis        | 0.0369                 | 10.2% | 29-4-2022        |
|                         |                        |       |                  |

#### The Fund - Class P USD Acc: Monthly performance from 1 Jan 2013 to 29 Apr 2022

| Year       | Jan   | Feb   | Mar    | Apr   | May   | Jun   | Jul   | Aug   | Sep   | Oct   | Nov   | Dec   | Annual |
|------------|-------|-------|--------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|--------|
| 2013       | +0.0% | +1.3% | -0.6%  | +1.4% | -1.1% | -5.0% | +0.5% | -0.8% | +2.6% | +2.1% | +0.2% | +0.9% | +1.2%  |
| 2014       | -0.7% | +0.7% | -0.7%  | +0.8% | +1.3% | +2.3% | +1.0% | +0.9% | -2.2% | +0.8% | -0.2% | -2.9% | +1.1%  |
| 2015       | +0.3% | +2.0% | +0.3%  | +3.5% | +1.6% | -0.2% | -0.8% | -3.6% | -1.1% | +5.5% | -0.2% | -1.0% | +6.1%  |
| 2016       | -1.5% | +0.2% | +3.6%  | +2.2% | +0.6% | +1.8% | +2.9% | +1.8% | +1.6% | +1.5% | -0.2% | +0.6% | +15.9% |
| 2017       | +2.8% | +2.6% | +0.7%  | +1.6% | -1.9% | -0.3% | +0.9% | +0.7% | +0.7% | +1.7% | -0.4% | +0.6% | +10.1% |
| 2018       | +1.8% | -0.6% | -0.3%  | -1.0% | -1.2% | -1.7% | +0.7% | -0.2% | -0.2% | -2.5% | +0.1% | +0.1% | -4.9%  |
| 2019       | +2.5% | +1.5% | +3.0%  | +0.3% | -0.4% | +1.1% | +0.4% | -1.4% | -0.4% | +1.1% | +0.4% | +0.9% | +9.4%  |
| 2020       | +0.8% | +0.2% | -15.1% | +3.2% | +2.1% | +3.2% | +1.5% | +1.0% | -1.3% | +0.7% | +1.9% | +3.0% | -0.3%  |
| 2021       | -0.7% | -0.1% | -1.0%  | +0.0% | +0.1% | -0.7% | -2.4% | +1.1% | -5.6% | -8.1% | -4.9% | -2.3% | -22.5% |
| 2022 (YTD) | -4.0% | -7.2% | -9.5%  | +0.6% |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       | -18.9% |

<sup>^</sup> Annualized return is calculated from inception based on published NAV. 43rd Floor, The Center, 99 Queen's Road Central, Hong Kong

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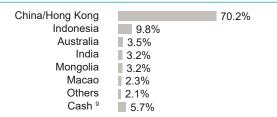
#### Top holdings 4

| Name   | Sector 5       | Country / region | %   |
|--|----------------|------------------|-----|
| GCL New Energy Holdings Ltd<br>10% 01/30/2024                            | Utilities      | China/Hong Kong  | 3.9 |
| Mongolian Mining Corp/<br>Energy Resources LLC<br>9.25% 04/15/2024       | Materials      | Mongolia         | 3.2 |
| Alam Sutera Realty Tbk PT 6.25% 11/02/2025                               | Real estate    | Indonesia        | 2.6 |
| eHi Car Services Ltd<br>7.75% 11/14/2024                                 | Transportation | China/Hong Kong  | 2.6 |
| China Hongqiao Group Ltd 6.25% 06/08/2024                                | Materials      | China/Hong Kong  | 2.5 |
| Vedanta Resources Finance II<br>PLC 8.95% 03/11/2025                     | Materials      | India            | 2.1 |
| Soechi Capital Pte Ltd<br>8.375% 01/31/2023                              | Energy         | Indonesia        | 1.9 |
| Project Coil note<br>11% due June 2023                                   | Real estate    | Australia        | 1.7 |
| Wanda Properties Overseas Ltd 6.95% 12/05/2022                           | Real estate    | China/Hong Kong  | 1.7 |
| Guangzhou Fineland Real<br>Estate Development Co Ltd<br>13.6% 07/27/2023 | Real estate    | China/Hong Kong  | 1.6 |

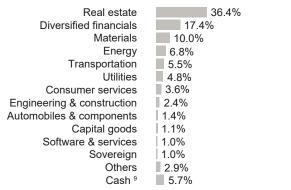
#### Portfolio characteristics

|  | Class P<br>USD Acc | Class A<br>RMB Hedged Acc |
|--|--------------------|---------------------------|
| Annualized volatility (3 years) <sup>6</sup> | 13.4%              | 13.4%                     |
| Average duration                             | 1.5                | 8 years                   |
| Yield to worst 7                             | 3                  | 31.1%                     |
| Number of bond issuers                       |                    | 114                       |

#### Geographical exposure 8



#### Sector exposure 5,8



#### **Credit ratings**



#### **Currency breakdown**

| USD |      | 92.5% |  |
|-----|------|-------|--|
| AUD | 2.7% |       |  |
| HKD | 2.6% |       |  |
| CNY | 1.0% |       |  |
| IDR | 0.7% |       |  |
| SGD | 0.3% |       |  |
| EUR | 0.2% |       |  |

#### **Fund facts**

| Manager:       | Value Partners Hong Kong Limited                 |
|----------------|--|
| Base currency: | USD  |
| Administrator: | HSBC Trustee (Cayman) Limited                    |
| Custodian:     | HSBC Institutional Trust Services (Asia) Limited |
| Launch date:   | Class P USD/HKD Acc & MDis - 27 Mar 2012         |
|                | Class A AUD/CAD/NZD Hedged MDis - 23 Sep 2013    |
|                | Class P SGD Hedged MDis – 26 Sep 2014            |
|                | Class A EUR Hedged MDis – 5 Feb 2015             |
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Class A GBP Hedged MDis - 14 Apr 2015 Class A EUR Hedged Acc - 16 Jul 2018 Class A RMB Hedged Acc & MDis - 11 Apr 2022 Class A RMB MDis – 11 Apr 2022

Dividend policy 2: MDis - Aim at Monthly distribution, subject to Manager's discretion

#### Fee structure

|                                 | Class A and Class P                   | Class A RMB |
|---------------------------------|---------------------------------------|-------------|
| Minimum subscription            | HK\$80,000/USD10,000<br>or equivalent | RMB60,000   |
| Minimum subsequent subscription | HK\$40,000/USD5,000<br>or equivalent  | RMB30,000   |
| Subscription fee                | Up to 5.09                            | %           |
| Management fee                  | 1.5% p.a                              |             |
| Performance fee                 | Nil                                   |             |
| Dealing day                     | Daily                                 |             |

#### Senior investment staff

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

Cheah Cheng Hye; Louis So

Senior Investment Directors: Norman Ho, CFA; Renee Hung

Fixed income investment team:

Chief Investment Officer, Fixed Income: Gordon Ip, CFA

Head of Credit Research & Strategy: Anna Ho Fund Manager: Danielle Li

#### **Key awards**



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# Value Partners Fund Series Value Partners Asian Total Return Bond Fund



April 2022

NAV per unit: Class A USD Unhedged Acc - USD10.55 | Class A USD Unhedged MDis - USD8.53

: USD80.6 million **Fund size** 



Value Partners Asian Total Return Bond Fund (the "Fund") primarily invests in fixed income securities issued by any Asia Pacific governments, government agencies, supra-nationals, banks or companies which derive substantial revenue from or have significant business or economic activities in Asia Pacific or are denominated in any Asia Pacific currency.

The Fund primarily invests in the Asia Pacific markets and therefore is subject to emerging market and concentration risks. Generally, investments in emerging markets are more volatile than investments in developed markets due to additional risks relating to political, social, economic and regulatory uncertainty. Adverse development in such region may affect the value of the underlying securities in which the Fund invests.

The Fund may also invest in PRC interbank bond market via Bond Connect and is therefore subject to regulatory risks and various risks such as volatility risk, liquidity risk, settlement and counterparty risk. The relevant rules and regulations on investment in the PRC interbank bond market via Bond Connect are subject to change and may adversely impact the Fund.

The Fund may invest in high yielding 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.

In respect of the distribution shares for the Fund, the Manager currently intends to make monthly dividend distribution. However, the distribution rate

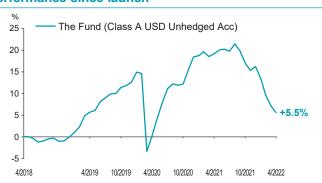
In respect of the distribution shares for the Fund, the Manager currently intends to make monthly dividend distribution. However, the distribution rate is not guaranteed. Distribution yield is not indicative of the return of the Fund. Distribution may be paid from capital of the Fund. Investors should 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 of the net asset value per share of the Fund. You should not make investment decision on the basis of this marketing material alone. Please read the explanatory memorandum for details and

risk factors.

#### Investment objective

To provide a competitive total return, consisting of income and capital growth over the medium to longer term, by investing primarily in fixed income securities issued by an Asia Pacific governments, government agencies, supra-nationals, banks or companies which derive substantial revenue from or have significant business or economic activities in Asia Pacific or are denominated in any Asia Pacific currency.

#### Performance since launch



#### Performance update

|                                  | The Fund (Class A USD Unhedged Acc) |
|----------------------------------|-------------------------------------|
| Year-to-date                     | -9.1%                               |
| One month                        | -1.5%                               |
| One year                         | -11.3%                              |
| Three years                      | -0.1%                               |
| Five years                       | N/A                                 |
| Total return since launch        | +5.5%                               |
| Annualized return since launch ^ | +1.3%                               |

#### **NAVs & Codes**

| Classes <sup>1</sup>      | NAV   | ISIN         | Bloomberg  |
|---------------------------|-------|--------------|------------|
| Class A USD Unhedged Acc  | 10.55 | HK0000402450 | VPATAUU HK |
| Class A HKD Unhedged Acc  | 10.54 | HK0000402351 | VPATANU HK |
| Class A RMB Unhedged Acc  | 9.00  | HK0000402419 | VPATARU HK |
| Class A SGD Hedged Acc    | 9.25  | HK0000402435 | VPATASA HK |
| Class A USD Unhedged MDis | 8.53  | HK0000402468 | VPATAUM HK |
| Class A AUD Hedged MDis   | 8.28  | HK0000402328 | VPATAAH HK |
| Class A CAD Hedged MDis   | 8.50  | HK0000402344 | VPATACM HK |
| Class A HKD Unhedged MDis | 8.52  | HK0000402369 | VPATAHU HK |
| Class A NZD Hedged MDis   | 8.29  | HK0000402385 | VPATANH HK |
| Class A RMB Hedged MDis   | 8.53  | HK0000402401 | VPATAHM HK |
| Class A RMB Unhedged MDis | 8.89  | HK0000402427 | VPATARM HK |
| Class A SGD Hedged MDis   | 8.31  | HK0000402443 | VPATASH HK |

#### Dividend information - Class MDis <sup>2</sup>

| Dividend amount / unit |   | Ex-dividend date  |
|------------------------|---|---|
| 0.0411                 | 5.8%  | 29-4-2022   |
| 0.0403                 | 5.8%  | 29-4-2022   |
| 0.0404                 | 5.7%  | 29-4-2022   |
| 0.0405                 | 5.7%  | 29-4-2022   |
| 0.0413                 | 6.0%  | 29-4-2022   |
| 0.0597                 | 8.4%  | 29-4-2022   |
| 0.0463                 | 6.2%  | 29-4-2022   |
| 0.0395                 | 5.7%  | 29-4-2022   |
|                        | amount / unit<br>0.0411<br>0.0403<br>0.0404<br>0.0405<br>0.0413<br>0.0597<br>0.0463 | amount / unit yield 3       0.0411     5.8%       0.0403     5.8%       0.0404     5.7%       0.0405     5.7%       0.0413     6.0%       0.0597     8.4%       0.0463     6.2% |

#### Top holdings 4

| Name   | Sector ⁵      | Country / region | %   |
|--|---------------|------------------|-----|
| Fortune Star BVI Ltd<br>5% 05/18/2026          | Capital goods | China            | 3.5 |
| Elect Global Investments Ltd 4.1% PERP         | Real estate   | Hong Kong        | 3.4 |
| Santos Finance Ltd<br>4.125% 09/14/2027        | Energy        | Australia        | 3.0 |
| Scentre Group Trust 2<br>4.75% 09/24/2080      | Real estate   | Australia        | 2.7 |
| India Clean Energy Holdings<br>4.5% 04/18/2027 | Utilities     | India            | 2.6 |

#### The Fund - Class A USD Unhedged Acc: Monthly performance from 9 Apr 2018 to 29 Apr 2022

|            |       |       | _      |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |        |
|------------|-------|-------|--------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|--------|
| Year       | Jan   | Feb   | Mar    | Apr   | May   | Jun   | Jul   | Aug   | Sep   | Oct   | Nov   | Dec   | Annual |
| 2018       | N/A   | N/A   | N/A    | +0.0% | -0.4% | -0.9% | +0.3% | +0.5% | +0.1% | -0.7% | +0.1% | +0.9% | -0.1%  |
| 2019       | +1.1% | +1.2% | +2.5%  | +0.8% | +0.4% | +1.9% | +0.8% | +0.8% | +0.1% | +1.3% | +0.4% | +0.7% | +12.6% |
| 2020       | +2.0% | -0.3% | -15.6% | +3.6% | +4.1% | +3.5% | +3.0% | +1.0% | -0.3% | +0.3% | +2.9% | +2.6% | +5.2%  |
| 2021       | +0.3% | +0.8% | -0.9%  | +0.5% | +0.8% | +0.2% | -0.4% | +1.4% | -1.3% | -2.3% | -1.5% | +0.8% | -1.9%  |
| 2022 (YTD) | -2.4% | -3.3% | -2.3%  | -1.5% |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       | -9.1%  |

<sup>^</sup> Annualized return is calculated from inception based on published NAV

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#### Portfolio characteristics

|                                   | The Fund                   |
|-----------------------------------|----------------------------|
|                                   | (Class A USD Unhedged Acc) |
| Annualized volatility (3 years) 6 | 11.1%                      |
| Average duration                  | 4.1 years                  |
| Yield to worst 7                  | 8.0%                       |
| Number of bond issuers            | 94                         |
|                                   |                            |

#### Geographical exposure 8



#### Sector exposure 5, 8

| Real estate                      | 22.2% |
|----------------------------------|-------|
| Utilities                        | 12.7% |
| Energy                           | 11.3% |
| Banks                            | 10.9% |
| Materials                        | 7.3%  |
| Diversified financials           | 7.0%  |
| Transportation                   | 6.2%  |
| Consumer services                | 4.6%  |
| Food, beverage & tobacco         | 3.7%  |
| Capital goods                    | 3.5%  |
| Technology, hardware & equipment | 2.5%  |
| Insurance                        | 2.0%  |
| Retailing                        | 1.4%  |
| Telecommunication services       | 1.2%  |
| Others                           | 2.4%  |
| Cash <sup>9</sup>                | 1.1%  |
|                                  |       |

#### **Credit ratings**



#### **Currency breakdown**

| USD |      | 93.5% |
|-----|------|-------|
| CNY | 2.9% |       |
| EUR | 1.9% |       |
| SGD | 1.3% |       |
| AUD | 0.4% |       |

#### **Fund facts**

Launch date:

| Manager:       | Value Partners Hong Kong Limited |
|----------------|----------------------------------|
| Base currency: | USD                              |

HSBC Institutional Trust Services (Asia) Limited Trustee:

9 Apr 2018

Class A USD Unhedged Acc Class A HKD Unhedged Acc Class A USD Unhedged MDis Class A AUD Hedged MDis Class A CAD Hedged MDis Class A HKD Unhedged MDis Class A NZD Hedged MDis Class A RMB Hedged MDis Class A RMB Unhedged MDis

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Class A SGD Hedged Acc Class A SGD Hedged MDis

30 Jul 2020

Class A RMB Unhedged Acc MDis - Aim at Monthly distribution,

Dividend policy 2: subject to Manager's discretion

#### Fee structure

|                                 | Class A                 |
|---------------------------------|-------------------------|
| Minimum subscription            | USD10,000 or equivalent |
| Minimum subsequent subscription | USD5,000 or equivalent  |
| Subscription fee                | Up to 5%                |
| Redemption fee                  | Nil                     |
| Management fee                  | 1.25% p.a.              |
| Performance fee                 | N/A                     |
| Dealing day                     | Daily                   |
|                                 |                         |

#### Senior investment staff

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Fixed income investment team:

Chief Investment Officer, Fixed Income: Gordon  $\underline{lp}$ , CFA

Head of Credit Research & Strategy: Anna Ho

Fund Manager: Danielle Li

#### Key fund and corporate awards



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# **Value Partners Fund Series Value Partners Asian Fixed Maturity Bond Fund 2022**



NAV per unit: Class A USD Unhedged MDis - USD8.35

Fund size : USD15.5 million

**April 2022** 

- Value Partners Asian Fixed Maturity Bond Fund 2022 (The "Fund") invests primarily in a buy-and-hold portfolio of fixed income securities in Asia over an investment period of 3 years from the Fund launch date on 22 November 2019 up to the Fund's maturity date, which is expected to be on or around 18 November 2022 ("Maturity Date").
- The duration of the Fund is limited (i.e. up to the Maturity Date) and will be terminated automatically at maturity. Neither income, return nor capital of the Fund is guaranteed or protected. There are risks that investors may not recoup the original amount invested in the Fund during the investment period as well as at the Maturity Date.
- · The issuers of fixed income instruments may repay principal before the maturity of the instruments. Prepayments may cause losses on instruments purchased at a premium. Unscheduled prepayments for fixed income instruments issued at par may result in a loss equal to any unamortised premium. Repayment of principal before the Fund's maturity as well as the re-investment of cash proceeds from the sale of fixed income instruments where a potential deterioration of credit profiles is anticipated by the Manager create out of market risk and the uncertainty of gaining access to fixed income instruments delivering similar yield to maturity resulting in lower interest income and returns to the Fund.
- In case of substantial redemptions within a short period of time, the Fund may need to liquidate some positions prematurely at an inopportune time or on unfavourable terms. The value of the Fund may therefore be adversely affected. In addition, the resulting decrease in the size of the Fund may immediately increase the ongoing charges of the Fund and may have an adverse impact on investors' return. Substantial redemptions may render the size of the Fund to shrink significantly and trigger the Fund to be early terminated.
- The Fund is subject to early termination risk. Upon the termination of the Fund, all the assets of the Fund will be realised and the net proceeds thereof which are available for distribution will be distributed to relevant unitholders. Investors should note that the amount distributed to them may be less than the amount of their initial investment.
- The Manager may at its discretion extend the Initial Offer Period ("IOP") (4 November 2019 to 21 November 2019) or not to issue any units. If the Manager decides not to proceed with the launch, any subscription monies shall be promptly returned to investors in full (without any interest) less any applicable bank charges, after the close of the IOP. The Fund will also be closed to subsequent subscriptions after the IOP and no subsequent subscription to the Fund will be accepted.
- The Fund is subject to geographical concentration risks, the value of the Fund may be more susceptible to adverse economic, political, policy, foreign exchange, liquidity, tax, legal or regulatory event affecting Asia (in particular China) market.
- · Investors should note the emerging markets risk, currency and foreign exchange risk, and concentration risk and risks relating to fixed income instruments: (a) credit/counterparty risk; (b) interest rates risk; (c) volatility and liquidity risk; (d) credit rating downgrading risk; (e) credit ratings risk; (f) sovereign debt risk; (g)
- · Financial derivative instruments may be used for hedging. The use of derivatives may become ineffective and the Fund may suffer significant losses.
- In respect of the distribution classes 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 of the net asset value per unit of the Fund.
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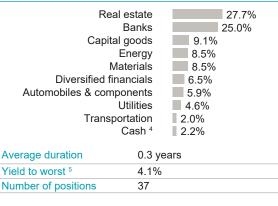
#### Investment objective

The Fund targets to provide investors with stable income and total return by investing in a portfolio of fixed income securities in Asia over an investment period of approximately 3 years from the close of initial offer period up to the maturity date. The Fund is not a guarantee or capital protected product.

#### Top holdings 1

| Name  | Sector <sup>2</sup>      | Country / region | %   |
|---|--------------------------|------------------|-----|
| Bangkok Bank<br>PCL/Hong Kong<br>3.875% 09/27/2022                      | Banks                    | Thailand         | 5.9 |
| GC Treasury Center Co Ltd<br>4.25% 09/19/2022                           | Materials                | Thailand         | 5.9 |
| Hongkong Land Finance<br>Cayman Islands Co Ltd<br>4.5% 06/01/2022       | Real estate              | China/Hong Kong  | 5.9 |
| Nan Fung Treasury Ltd<br>4.5% 09/20/2022                                | Real estate              | China/Hong Kong  | 5.9 |
| ICICI Bank Ltd/Dubai<br>3.25% 09/09/2022                                | Banks                    | India            | 5.8 |
| Siam Commercial Bank PCL/<br>Cayman Islands<br>3.2% 07/26/2022          | Banks                    | Thailand         | 4.6 |
| China Great Wall<br>International Holdings III Ltd<br>3.125% 08/31/2022 | Diversified financials   | China/Hong Kong  | 4.5 |
| Hyundai Capital Services Inc 3% 08/29/2022                              | Automobiles & components | Korea            | 3.3 |
| Hyundai Capital America<br>2.85% 11/01/2022                             | Automobiles & components | United States    | 2.6 |
| Swire Properties MTN<br>Financing Ltd<br>4.375% 06/18/2022              | Real estate              | China/Hong Kong  | 2.6 |
|   |                          |                  |     |

#### Sector exposure 2,3



#### Geographical exposure 3

| China Hong Kong Thailand Korea India Singapore United States Japan Indonesia | 30.9% 16.4% 16.3% 18.0% 9.8% 2.6% 2.6% 2.2% 2.0% |
|--|--|
| Indonesia  | 2.0%   |
| Cash <sup>4</sup>  | 2.2%   |

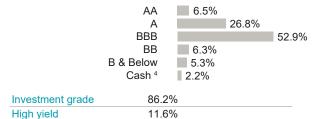




#### Dividend information - Class MDis 6

| Classes 7                 | Ex-dividend date | Dividend amount / unit | Initial offer price | Annualized yield based on Initial offer price 8 |
|---------------------------|------------------|------------------------|---------------------|---|
| Class A AUD Hedged MDis   | 29-4-2022        | 0.0233                 | 10                  | 2.8%  |
| Class A HKD Unhedged MDis | 29-4-2022        | 0.0300                 | 10                  | 3.6%  |
| Class A RMB Hedged MDis   | 29-4-2022        | 0.0350                 | 10                  | 4.2%  |
| Class A RMB Unhedged MDis | 29-4-2022        | 0.0300                 | 10                  | 3.6%  |
| Class A USD Unhedged MDis | 29-4-2022        | 0.0300                 | 10                  | 3.6%  |

#### **Credit ratings**



BBB+

#### **Fund codes**

Average credit rating 9

| Classes 7                 | ISIN         | Bloomberg  |
|---------------------------|--------------|------------|
| Class A AUD Hedged MDis   | HK0000541752 | VPAAMAH HK |
| Class A HKD Unhedged MDis | HK0000541778 | VPAAMHU HK |
| Class A RMB Hedged MDis   | HK0000541794 | VPAAMRH HK |
| Class A RMB Unhedged MDis | HK0000541802 | VPAAMRU HK |
| Class A USD Unhedged MDis | HK0000541810 | VPAAMUU HK |

#### **Fund facts**

Manager: Value Partners Hong Kong Limited Administrator: HSBC Institutional Trust Services (Asia)

Limited

Initial offer price: USD10/AUD10/HKD10/RMB10

Launch date: 22 Nov 2019 Tenor: 3 vears Expected maturity date: 18 Nov 2022 Base currency: USD

Share classes issued: MDis USD Unhedged/HKD Unhedged/

AUD Hedged/RMB Hedged/RMB Unhedged Class A MDis - Aim at monthly distribution,

subject to Manager's discretion

#### Fee structure

Dividend policy:

| USD10,000 or equivalent   |
|---|
| Up to 5% of the subscription amount                                     |
| 0.8% per annum  |
| Max. 3% (swing price) for net flow larger than 1% of AUM (swing factor) |
| Daily   |
|   |

#### Senior investment staff

Co-Chairmen & Co-Chief Investment Officers:

Cheah Cheng Hye; Louis So

Senior Investment Directors: Norman Ho, CFA; Renee Hung

Fixed income investment team:

Chief Investment Officer, Fixed Income: Gordon  $\underline{lp}$ , CFA

Head of Credit Research & Strategy: Anna Ho

Fund Manager: Danielle Li

#### Key fixed income awards



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The Asset Benchmark Research Awards 2020

CIO of the Year in Asia (Fixed Income) 12 CIO of the Year (Fixed Income, Hong Kong) 12 Winner: Mr. Gordon IP

~ Insight & Mandate, Professional Investment Awards 2020

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1. Only debt securities including convertible bonds are stated in the top holdings table. 2. Classification is based on Bloomberg industry group. 3. Exposure refers to net exposure (long exposure indus short exposure). Derivatives e.g. index futures are calculated based on PL instead of notional exposure. 4. Cash includes receivables and payables (except cash for collaterals and margins). 5. Investors should note that the Yield to worst figure is for reference only and does not represent the actual performance of the Fund or the dividend yield received by investors. A positive yield does not not be active to the positive return. 6. The manager intends to declare and pay monthly dividends equal of a substantially all of the net income attributable to each of the Distribution Classes. However, there is neither a guarantee that such dividends will be made nor will there be a target level of dividend payout. Distribution may be paid from capital of the Fund. Investors should note that where the payment of distributions are paid out of capital, his represents and amounts to a return or withdrawal of part of the amount that have been originally invested or capital gains attributable to that and may result in an immediate decrease in the value of units. Please refer to the Explanatory Memorandum for further details including the distribution policy. T. Each hedged share class will hedge 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. 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. The hedged classes may be suitable for investors who wish to reduce the impac

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## Value Partners Multi-Asset Fund

NAV per unit: Class A USD Acc - USD8.93

Fund size : USD41.4 million



April 2022

- 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 experience losses.
- 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 <sup>1</sup>



#### Performance update 1

|                                  | The Fund (Class A USD Acc) |
|----------------------------------|----------------------------|
| Year-to-date                     | -13.2%                     |
| One month                        | -2.6%                      |
| One year                         | -25.9%                     |
| Three years                      | -18.4%                     |
| Five years                       | -13.6%                     |
| Total return since launch        | -10.7%                     |
| Annualized return since launch ^ | -1.7%                      |

#### **NAVs & codes**

| Classes <sup>2</sup>    | NAV  | ISIN         | Bloomberg  |
|-------------------------|------|--------------|------------|
| Class A USD Acc         | 8.93 | HK0000269149 | VPMAAUS HK |
| Class A HKD Acc         | 8.91 | HK0000269156 | VPMAHKD HK |
| Class A USD MDis        | 6.50 | HK0000408119 | VPMAUMD HK |
| Class A HKD MDis        | 6.50 | HK0000408127 | VPMAHMD HK |
| Class A AUD Hedged MDis | 6.17 | HK0000408135 | VPMAAHM HK |
|                         |      |              |            |

#### Dividend information - Class MDis 3

| Classes <sup>2</sup>    | Dividend amount / unit |      | Ex-dividend date |
|-------------------------|------------------------|------|------------------|
| Class A USD MDis        | 0.0220                 | 4.1% | 29-4-2022        |
| Class A HKD MDis        | 0.0219                 | 4.0% | 29-4-2022        |
| Class A AUD Hedged MDis | 0.0213                 | 4.1% | 29-4-2022        |

#### Top holdings - equities

| Holdings Industry <sup>5</sup> Country/Region               | %<br>3.7 |
|---|----------|
|   | 3.7      |
| Lenovo Group Ltd Technology, Hong Kong hardware & equipment | 0.7      |
| BOC Aviation Ltd Capital goods Hong Kong                    | 3.6      |
| AIA Group Ltd Insurance Hong Kong                           | 3.0      |
| Chow Tai Fook Retailing Hong Kong<br>Jewellery Group Ltd    | 2.7      |
| Tencent Holdings Ltd Media & entertainment Hong Kong        | 2.6      |

#### Top holdings - fixed income 6

| Holdings                                     | Sector 5               | Country/Region | %   |
|--|------------------------|----------------|-----|
| China Hongqiao Group Ltd 6.25% 06/08/2024    | Materials              | China          | 1.0 |
| Shui On Development<br>Holding Ltd 6.4% PERP | Real estate            | China          | 1.0 |
| CIFI Holdings (Group)<br>Co Ltd 5.375% PERP  | Real estate            | China          | 0.9 |
| Estate Sky Ltd<br>5.75% PERP                 | Real estate            | Hong Kong      | 0.9 |
| King Talent<br>Management Ltd<br>5.6% PERP   | Diversified financials | China          | 0.9 |

#### The Fund - Class A USD Acc: Monthly performance from 13 Oct 2015 to 29 Apr 2022

| 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 (YTD) | -4.4% | +0.2% | -7.0%  | -2.6% |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       | -13.2% |

Annualized return is calculated from inception based on published NAV.

#### Portfolio characteristics

| As at 29 Apr 2022                 |                            |
|-----------------------------------|----------------------------|
| Portfolio yield <sup>7</sup>      | 4.1%                       |
|                                   | The Fund (Class A USD Acc) |
| Annualized volatility (3 years) 8 | 13.8%                      |

#### Asset type by geography (%) 9

|               | <b>Equities</b> | Fixed Income | Other Assets | Total |
|---------------|-----------------|--------------|--------------|-------|
| Hong Kong     | 51.9            | 4.4          | -            | 56.4  |
| China         | 7.5             | 16.5         | -            | 24.1  |
| Brazil        | -               | 5.9          | -            | 5.9   |
| Taiwan        | 4.5             | -            | -            | 4.5   |
| United States | 0.5             | -            | -            | 0.5   |
| Others        | -               | -            | 6.7          | 6.7   |
| Cash 10       | -               | -            | -            | 2.1   |
| Total         | 64.4            | 26.8         | 6.7          | 100.0 |

#### Asset type by sector (%) 5

|                        |                 | -            |              |       |
|------------------------|-----------------|--------------|--------------|-------|
|                        | <b>Equities</b> | Fixed Income | Other Assets | Total |
| Information technology | 13.4            | 0.8          | -            | 14.2  |
| Industrials            | 10.5            | 3.6          | -            | 14.1  |
| Financials             | 9.8             | 2.8          | -            | 12.7  |
| Real estate            | 3.2             | 7.5          | -            | 10.7  |
| Consumer discretionary | 7.5             | 2.4          | -            | 9.9   |
| Materials              | 5.8             | 1.4          | -            | 7.2   |
| Communication services | 4.3             | -            | -            | 4.3   |
| Energy                 | 3.4             | 0.4          | -            | 3.8   |
| Consumer staples       | 2.7             | 0.7          | -            | 3.4   |
| Utilities              | 1.8             | 1.3          | -            | 3.1   |
| Health care            | 2.0             | -            | -            | 2.0   |
| Others                 | -               | 5.9          | 6.7          | 12.6  |
| Cash 10                | -               | -            | -            | 2.1   |
| Total                  | 64.4            | 26.8         | 6.7          | 100.0 |
|                        |                 |              |              |       |

#### Credit ratings

| Α         | 1.8% |                          |       |
|-----------|------|--------------------------|-------|
| BBB       | 3.6% |                          | - 40/ |
| BB        | 7.1% | Investment grade         | 5.4%  |
| B & Below | 4.9% | High yield               | 12.0% |
| Non-Rated | 9.4% | Average credit rating 11 | BB    |
|           |      |                          |       |

#### **Fund facts**

Manager: Value Partners Hong Kong Limited Base currency:

USD

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

Class A USD Acc - 13 Oct 2015 Class A HKD Acc - 18 Aug 2016 Class A USD MDis - 19 Jun 2018 Class A HKD MDis - 19 Jun 2018

Class A AUD Hedged MDis - 19 Jun 2018

#### Fee structure

|                                 | 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.              |
| Dealing day                     | Daily                   |

#### Senior investment staff

Co-Chairmen & Co-Chief Investment Officers:

Cheah Cheng Hye; Louis So

Senior Investment Directors: Norman Ho, CFA; Renee Hung Investment Directors: Chung Man Wing; Yu Chen Jun; Michelle Yu, CFA Senior Fund Managers: Lillian Cao; Anthony Chan, CFA; Kelly Chung, CFA; Doris Ho; Glenda Hsia; Amy Lee, CFA, CAIA; Luo Jing, CFA; Frank Tsui

#### Key fund and corporate awards



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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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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. Performance 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, they 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. 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. 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. 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. The hedged classes may be suitable for investors who wish to reduce the impact of changes in exchange rates he hedged classes and pay monthly dividends equal to all or substantially all of the net income attributions are paid out of capital, this represents and any one of the control of the control of the pay of the hedged classes and pay monthly reduced to a substantial pay of the hedged classes. Because the payment of distributions are paid out of capital, this represents and amounts to a return or withdrawal of pay of the mending p

# **Value Partners Fund Series** Value Partners Asian Income Fund



NAV per unit: Class A USD Unhedged Acc - USD11.65 | Class A USD Unhedged MDis - USD9.35

: USD286.1 million **Fund size** 



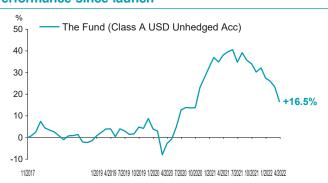
**April 2022** 

- Value Partners Asian Income Fund (The "Fund") invests primarily in Asian equity and/or fixed income securities including convertible bonds and to deliver lower portfolio volatility
- The Fund is subject to concentration risk as a result of the concentration of its investments in the Asian markets. The Fund may be more volatile than a broadly based fund as it is more susceptible to fluctuation in value resulting from adverse conditions in the Asian market.
- The Fund may invest in small and mid-capitalization companies. The stocks of such companies may have lower liquidity and their prices are more volatile to adverse economic developments than those of larger capitalization companies in general.
- The Fund may invest in debt securities including those that are below investment grade/unrated, and may involve greater risks, including credit risk, issuer-specific risk, counterparty risk and sovereign debt risk. The Fund may also invest in derivatives which can involve material risks, e.g. counterparty default risk, insolvency or liquidity risk. All these may expose the Fund to significant losses.
- Investment in fixed income securities may include contingent convertible bonds whose structure is innovative and untested. These instruments may be subject to conversion risk e.g. compulsory conversion by the issuer upon uncontrollable triggering events and hence the Fund may experience losses.
- 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 maximize return and income by investing in Asian equities, Asian fixed income securities and other assets relating to Asian companies that are listed in Asia, or have registered offices in Asia or generate a predominant share of their sales and/or their profits in Asia. The Fund also aims to achieve lower portfolio volatility by actively screening and selecting a combination of lower volatility equities and fixed income securities.

#### Performance since launch



#### Performance update

| (Class A USD Unhedged Acc)   |
|------------------------------|
| (Class A USD Ullileugeu ACC) |
| -11.7%                       |
| -5.4%                        |
| -15.8%                       |
| +12.0%                       |
| N/A                          |
| +16.5%                       |
| +3.5%                        |
|                              |

#### **NAVs & codes**

| Classes 1                 | NAV   | ISIN         | Bloomberg  |
|---------------------------|-------|--------------|------------|
| Class A USD Unhedged Acc  | 11.65 | HK0000352374 | VPUSUAU HK |
| Class A AUD Hedged MDis   | 8.86  | HK0000352259 | VPAAHMU HK |
| Class A CAD Hedged MDis   | 9.05  | HK0000352267 | VPACHMU HK |
| Class A HKD Unhedged MDis | 9.41  | HK0000352291 | VPAHUMU HK |
| Class A NZD Hedged MDis   | 8.99  | HK0000352309 | VPANHMU HK |
| Class A RMB Hedged MDis   | 9.33  | HK0000352317 | VPARHMU HK |
| Class A RMB Unhedged MDis | 9.25  | HK0000352325 | VPARUMU HK |
| Class A USD Unhedged MDis | 9.35  | HK0000352382 | VPAUHMU HK |
| Class A HKD Unhedged Acc  | 11.74 | HK0000352283 | VPAHUAU HK |

#### Dividend information - Class MDis <sup>2</sup>

| Classes 1                 | Dividend amount / unit |      | Ex-dividend date |
|---------------------------|------------------------|------|------------------|
| Class A AUD Hedged MDis   | 0.0379                 | 5.1% | 29-4-2022        |
| Class A CAD Hedged MDis   | 0.0375                 | 5.0% | 29-4-2022        |
| Class A HKD Unhedged MDis | 0.0388                 | 4.9% | 29-4-2022        |
| Class A NZD Hedged MDis   | 0.0388                 | 5.2% | 29-4-2022        |
| Class A RMB Hedged MDis   | 0.0579                 | 7.4% | 29-4-2022        |
| Class A RMB Unhedged MDis | 0.0422                 | 5.5% | 29-4-2022        |
| Class A USD Unhedged MDis | 0.0390                 | 5.0% | 29-4-2022        |

#### Top holdings - equities

| Holdings                                     | Industry <sup>4</sup>                          | Country / region | %   |
|--|--|------------------|-----|
| Taiwan Semiconductor<br>Manufacturing Co Ltd | Semiconductors<br>& semiconductor<br>equipment | Taiwan           | 4.2 |
| Inpex Corp                                   | Energy   | Japan            | 1.7 |
| Alchip Technologies Limited                  | Semiconductors<br>& semiconductor<br>equipment | Taiwan           | 1.5 |
| Ascendas Real Estate<br>Investment Trust     | REITS  | Singapore        | 1.5 |
| PetroChina Co Ltd                            | Energy   | Hong Kong        | 1.5 |
|  |  | Trong Itong      | ••• |

#### Top holdings - fixed income

| 3-  |                     |                  |     |
|---|---------------------|------------------|-----|
| Holdings  | Sector <sup>4</sup> | Country / region | %   |
| Vedanta Resources Finance<br>II PLC 8% 04/23/2023 | Materials           | India            | 1.9 |
| CAR Inc 8.875% 05/10/2022                         | Industrials         | China            | 1.8 |
| China Government Bond 2.77% 06/24/2030            | Sovereign           | China            | 1.2 |
| China Government Bond 2.86% 07/16/2030            | Sovereign           | China            | 1.2 |
| eHi Car Services Ltd<br>7 75% 11/14/2024          | Industrials         | China            | 1.2 |

#### The Fund - Class A USD Unhedged Acc: Monthly performance from 13 Nov 2017 to 29 Apr 2022

| Year       | Jan   | Feb   | Mar    | Apr   | May   | Jun   | Jul   | Aug   | Sep   | Oct   | Nov   | Dec   | Annual |
|------------|-------|-------|--------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|--------|
| 2017       | N/A   | N/A   | N/A    | N/A   | N/A   | N/A   | N/A   | N/A   | N/A   | N/A   | +0.7% | +1.8% | +2.5%  |
| 2018       | +4.8% | -2.8% | -1.0%  | -0.8% | -1.8% | -1.8% | +1.8% | +0.1% | +0.5% | -3.5% | -0.2% | +0.8% | -3.9%  |
| 2019       | +2.4% | +1.4% | +1.6%  | +0.1% | -3.5% | +3.6% | -1.0% | -1.6% | +0.3% | +3.0% | -0.6% | +4.3% | +10.4% |
| 2020       | -4.4% | -0.9% | -10.6% | +5.5% | +2.2% | +5.6% | +7.4% | +1.0% | -0.2% | +0.1% | +8.1% | +4.0% | +17.6% |
| 2021       | +3.8% | +3.2% | -1.5%  | +2.7% | +0.8% | +0.7% | -4.1% | +3.3% | -2.5% | -1.2% | -2.8% | +1.5% | +3.3%  |
| 2022 (YTD) | -3.6% | -0.9% | -2.2%  | -5.4% |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       | -11.7% |

^ Annualized return is calculated from inception based on published NAV. 43rd Floor, The Center, 99 Queen's Road Central, Hong Kong Hotline: Hong Kong (852) 2143 0688 | Singapore (65) 6718 0380

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#### Portfolio characteristics

| As at 29 Apr 2022                 |  |
|-----------------------------------|--|
| Portfolio yield <sup>5</sup>      | 4.7%                                   |
|                                   | The Fund<br>(Class A USD Unhedged Acc) |
| Annualized volatility (3 years) 6 | 13.3%                                  |

#### Asset type by geography (%) 7

|                   | Equities | <b>Fixed Income</b> | Total |
|-------------------|----------|---------------------|-------|
| China             | -        | 20.8                | 20.8  |
| Taiwan            | 14.7     | -                   | 14.7  |
| Hong Kong         | 7.4      | 2.9                 | 10.3  |
| Japan             | 9.1      | -                   | 9.1   |
| H-shares          | 6.8      | -                   | 6.8   |
| Singapore         | 5.7      | 0.8                 | 6.5   |
| India             | 0.6      | 4.3                 | 4.9   |
| Indonesia         | 2.3      | 2.5                 | 4.8   |
| Red Chips         | 4.3      | -                   | 4.3   |
| Australia         | 2.5      | 1.3                 | 3.8   |
| China A-shares    | 3.4      | -                   | 3.4   |
| United States     | 3.0      | -                   | 3.0   |
| South Korea       | 2.9      | -                   | 2.9   |
| Malaysia          | 0.3      | 0.7                 | 1.0   |
| Others            | 2.4      | -                   | 2.4   |
| Cash <sup>8</sup> | -        | -                   | 1.3   |
| Total             | 65.4     | 33.3                | 100.0 |
|                   |          |                     |       |

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

|                        | Equities | Fixed Income | Total |
|------------------------|----------|--------------|-------|
| Information technology | 19.8     | 1.6          | 21.4  |
| Real estate            | 7.2      | 6.7          | 13.9  |
| Materials              | 5.3      | 7.3          | 12.6  |
| Industrials            | 4.1      | 7.1          | 11.2  |
| Financials             | 9.7      | 1.0          | 10.7  |
| Energy                 | 6.4      | 1.0          | 7.4   |
| Consumer discretionary | 2.8      | 3.3          | 6.1   |
| Communication services | 3.4      | 0.3          | 3.7   |
| Sovereign              | -        | 3.4          | 3.4   |
| Utilities              | 2.2      | 1.0          | 3.2   |
| Consumer staples       | 1.6      | 0.6          | 2.2   |
| Health care            | 0.4      | -            | 0.4   |
| Others                 | 2.5      | -            | 2.5   |
| Cash 8                 | -        | -            | 1.3   |
| Total                  | 65.4     | 33.3         | 100.0 |

#### Credit ratings of fixed income

| Α           | 5.0%  |
|-------------|-------|
| BBB         | 3.2%  |
| BB          | 6.8%  |
| B & Below   | 15.9% |
| Non-rated 9 | 2 4%  |

| Investment grade         | 8.2%  |
|--------------------------|-------|
| High yield               | 22.7% |
| Average credit rating 10 | ВВ    |

#### **Fund facts**

Value Partners Hong Kong Limited Manager:

Base currency:

HSBC Institutional Trust Services (Asia) Limited Trustee:

Launch date: 13 Nov 2017

Class A USD Unhedged Acc Class A AUD Hedged MDis Class A CAD Hedged MDis Class A HKD Unhedged MDis Class A NZD Hedged MDis Class A RMB Hedged MDis Class A RMB Unhedged MDis Class A USD Unhedged MDis Class A HKD Unhedged Acc

#### Fee structure (Class A)

| Acc  | MDis   |  |  |
|--|--|--|--|
| Unhedged:<br>HKD/SGD/USD<br>Hedged:<br>SGD | Unhedged:<br>HKD/RMB/SGD/USD<br>Hedged:<br>AUD/CAD/EUR/NZD/<br>RMB/SGD |  |  |
| USD10,000 or equivalent                    |  |  |  |
| USD5,000 or equivalent                     |  |  |  |
| Up to 5%                                   |  |  |  |
| Nil  |  |  |  |
| 1.5% p.a.                                  |  |  |  |
| N/A  |  |  |  |
| Daily                                      |  |  |  |
|  | Unhedged: HKD/SGD/USD Hedged: SGD USD10,000 USD5,000 Up                |  |  |

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