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SFDR Category: Article 6
Fund Inception Date: 14/05/14

Index: MSCI AC Asia Pacific ex Japan

Fund Currency: USD
Fund Domicile: Luxembourg

XD Date: -
Pay Date: -
Portfolio Size: \$42.2m
No. of Securities: 50

All information expressed in USD

**ASIA CONTRARIAN EQUITY - AU
USD**

ISIN: LU1044875133
Share Class Price: 12.7420

**Share Class Launch Date:
14 May 2014**

The Share Class currency, unless indicated as a Hedged Share Class, is a translated price using exchange rates at the official valuation point of the fund. This is intended as a way to access a Share Class in your chosen currency and does not reduce your overall exposure to foreign currency. The fund currency indicates the highest currency exposure of the fund unless the currency breakdown is detailed in the Weightings % table on page 3.

Investment Objective & Policy

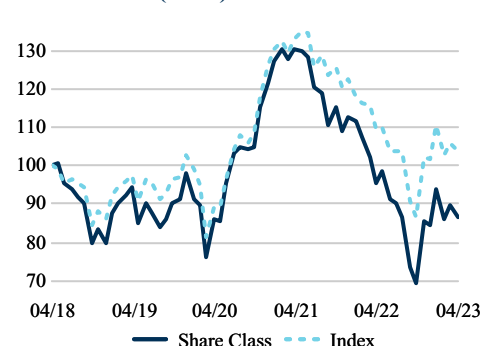
The Fund aims to increase the value of your investment over the long term. The Fund invests at least two-thirds of its assets in shares of companies in the Asia-Pacific region, excluding Japan, or companies that have significant operations there. A “contrarian” approach is used to select the Fund’s investments and the fund manager will generally target shares that have underperformed, but which they believe have the potential for recovery.

The Fund may invest up to 40% of its assets in China A Shares via the China-Hong Kong Stock Connect Programme.

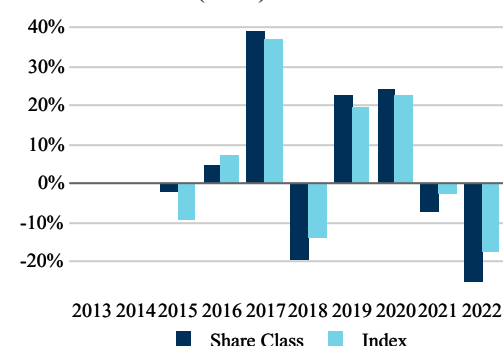
The Fund may use derivatives (complex instruments) for hedging purposes and may also invest in asset classes and instruments different from those stated above.

The Fund is actively managed in reference to the MSCI AC Asia Pacific ex Japan Index. The index is broadly representative of the companies in which the Fund invests, and provides a suitable target benchmark against which Fund performance will be measured and evaluated over time. The fund manager has discretion to select investments with weightings different to the index, and that are not in the index, and the Fund may display significant divergence from the index.

5 Years NAV (USD)



Calendar Years (USD)



Cumulative Performance (USD)

Share	1M	3M	6M	YTD	1YR	2YR	3YR	5YR	10YR	SI
Share Class (Net)	-3.5	-7.8	25.0	2.6	-9.4	-33.5	0.7	-13.3	--	27.4
Share Class (Net FEL applied)	-8.3	-12.4	18.8	-2.5	-14.0	-36.8	-4.3	-17.7	--	21.0
Index (Gross)	-1.7	-5.7	19.9	2.4	-5.1	-21.9	16.3	4.0	--	37.6

Since Inception Returns from: 15/05/14

Annualised Performance (USD)

Share	1M	3M	6M	YTD	1YR	2YR	3YR	5YR	10YR	SI
Share Class (Net)	-3.5	-7.8	25.0	2.6	-9.4	-18.5	0.2	-2.8	--	2.7
Share Class (Net FEL applied)	-8.3	-12.4	18.8	-2.5	-14.0	-20.5	-1.5	-3.8	--	-2.4
Index (Gross)	-1.7	-5.7	19.9	2.4	-5.1	-11.6	5.2	0.8	--	3.6

Past performance is not a guide to future performance. The value of investments and any income is not guaranteed and can go down as well as up and may be affected by exchange rate fluctuations. This means that an investor may not get back the amount invested. Index returns assume reinvestment of dividends and capital gains and unlike fund returns do not reflect fees or expenses. The index is unmanaged and cannot be invested directly. All returns assume income is reinvested for a local taxpayer, bid to bid performance (which means performance does not include the effect of any initial charges).

Top 10 Holdings (%)

Security Name	Weight
Taiwan Semiconductor Manufacturing Co., Ltd.	7.6
China Construction Bank Corporation Class H	5.6
Samsung Electronics Co., Ltd.	5.3
Reliance Industries Limited	4.2
AIA Group Limited	4.1
Tencent Holdings Ltd.	3.5
Alibaba Group Holding Limited	3.3
JD.com, Inc. Class A	3.3
Ping An Insurance (Group) Company of China, Ltd. Class H	3.0
ANZ Group Holdings Limited	2.5

Weightings (%)

Sector	Fund Index	Diff
Financials	23.1	23.1
Information Technology	19.7	18.7
Consumer Discretionary	15.6	12.4
Communication Services	10.2	8.8
Materials	7.6	8.7
Energy	5.8	4.1
Consumer Staples	4.7	5.4
Real Estate	3.9	4.1
Health Care	2.0	5.3
Industrials	1.9	6.8
Utilities	1.2	2.5
Cash Equivalents	0.0	--
Cash	4.3	--

Country	Fund Index	Diff
China	33.3	29.4
Australia	16.7	16.6
Korea	12.4	11.3
Hong Kong	12.0	6.2
Taiwan	9.2	13.9
India	8.5	12.9
Singapore	1.6	3.3
Indonesia	0.9	1.9
United States	0.6	--
Thailand	0.5	2.0
Other	--	2.5
Cash Equivalents	0.0	--
Cash	4.3	--

Risks

- The value of investments can fall as well as rise and investors might not get back the sum originally invested.
- Where investments are in assets that are denominated in multiple currencies, or currencies other than your own, changes in exchange rates may affect the value of the investments.
- The Fund invests in markets where economic and regulatory risk can be significant. These factors can affect liquidity, settlement and asset values. Any such event can have a negative effect on the value of your investment.
- The Fund may invest through the China-Hong Kong Stock Connect programmes which have significant operational constraints including quota limits and are subject to regulatory change and increased counterparty risk.
- The Fund may invest in derivatives with the aim of reducing risk or minimising the cost of transactions. Such derivative transactions may benefit or negatively affect the performance of the Fund. The Manager does not intend that such use of derivatives will affect the overall risk profile of the Fund.
- The fund typically carries a risk of high volatility due to its portfolio composition or the portfolio management techniques used. This means that the fund's value is likely to fall and rise more frequently and this could be more pronounced than with other funds.
- The risks currently identified as applying to the Fund are set out in the "Risk Factors" section of the prospectus.

Typical Investor Profile

This Portfolio is suitable for investors who:

- seek capital appreciation;
- seek investment exposure to the equity markets of the Asia Pacific region (excluding Japan). The investor should be aware that geographic concentration may add more volatility than a more broadly diversified portfolio;
- can tolerate potentially high volatility in the value of their investment;
- have a high level of risk tolerance commensurate with an investment in equity securities;
- have a long-term investment horizon.

Share Classes Available

Share Class	Curr	OCF	OCF Date	Max FEL	Launch	ISIN	BBID	Hedged	
AE	Acc	EUR	1.80%	30/09/22	5.00%	22/09/15	LU1273581923	THAAEEU LX	No
AF	Acc	CHF	1.80%	30/09/22	5.00%	22/09/15	LU1273582574	THACEAC LX	No
AS	Acc	SGD	1.80%	30/09/22	5.00%	12/07/17	LU1642822792	THACEAS LX	No
ASH	Acc	SGD	1.80%	30/09/22	5.00%	14/05/14	LU1044874839	THACASH LX	Yes
AU	Acc	EUR	1.80%	30/09/22	5.00%	14/05/14	LU1044875059	THACAUE LX	No
AU	Acc	USD	1.80%	30/09/22	5.00%	14/05/14	LU1044875133	THACEAU LX	No

Risk Analysis - 5YR

Ex-Post	Fund	Index
Absolute Volatility	21.7	19.0
Relative Volatility	1.1	--
Tracking Error	5.1	--
Sharpe Ratio	-0.1	--
Information Ratio	-0.4	--
Beta	1.1	--
Sortino Ratio	-0.2	--
Jensen Alpha	-2.0	--
Annualised Alpha	-1.9	--
Alpha	-0.2	--
Max Drawdown	-45.4	-35.8
R ²	95.7	--

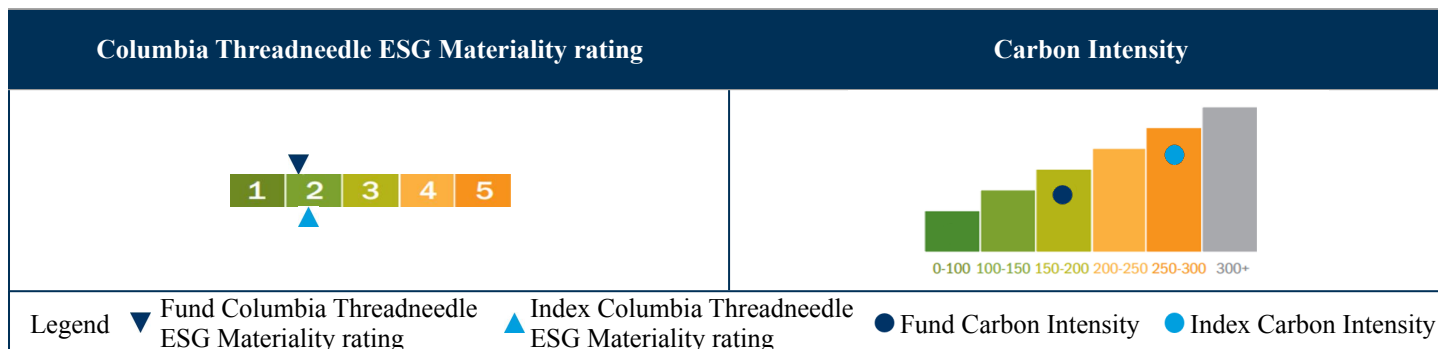
Ex post risk calculations are based on monthly gross global close returns.

Monthly Gross Returns since: Jun 2014

The Fund is categorised an Article 6 under the EU Regulation 2019/2088 on sustainability-related disclosures in the financial services sector (SFDR) and DOES NOT promote environmental or social characteristics in its objective and policy.

Responsible Investment Metrics

	Fund	Index	Tilt
Columbia Threadneedle ESG Materiality rating Weighted average (1 is highest quality, 5 is lowest quality)	2.22	2.35	+0.13
Carbon Intensity Weighted average (tCO2e/\$1m sales)	154.70	282.76	+128.06
Controversies Exposure Exposure to controversial names ¹	--	3.34%	+3.34%
MSCI ESG Score Weighted average (10 is highest quality, 0 is lowest quality)	6.46	5.99	+0.47



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¹Source: UNGC – United Nations Global Compact; ILO – International Labour Organisation Core Labour Standards; UNGPBR – United Nations Guiding Principles on Business and Human Rights

Columbia Threadneedle ESG Materiality (ESGM) rating

The Columbia Threadneedle ESG Materiality ratings provide an initial assessment of how well a company is managing its financially material ESG risks. We use the Sustainability and Accounting Standards Board (SASB) framework to identify which are the most financially material ESG risk factors for a company. These factors are industry dependent. The model processes public data for over 10,000 global issuers, and the ratings are updated daily, or as new data is published. The output is a rating from 1 to 5, where companies rated 5 are most exposed to material ESG risks, and those rated 1 are the least exposed (i.e. a lower score signals better quality). We use the ratings in our investment processes to help guide our research and identify opportunities to engage with companies.

Carbon Intensity

This measures carbon emissions relative to the size of a company, measured by revenues not market capitalisation. The measure used is tonnes of CO2 emitted (tCO2e) per \$1M of revenues. We give data for the overall Fund based on the weightings of the securities held, and a comparison with similar data for the Index. Carbon intensity provides an indication of carbon efficiency. This measure enables comparison with other funds and asset classes.

Controversies Exposure

We assess exposure to controversies using three international frameworks covering standards of operating practice: the UN Global Compact; the International Labour Organisation Core Labour Standards; and the UN Guiding Principles on Business and Human Rights. We measure the proportion of the Fund associated with breaches of the three frameworks and give a comparison with similar data for the index.

MSCI ESG Score

The MSCI ESG score uses MSCI's own methodology to assess companies' effectiveness at managing their ESG exposure. Companies with the highest ratings are those assessed as best managing their exposures to those material ESG risks and opportunities. If the portfolio score is above the benchmark, the portfolio is overweight in issuers that manage their ESG exposures better than others.

Responsible Investment continued

Tilt

The “Tilt” figure shows the bias of the Fund relative to the Index. It is expressed as the arithmetic difference in the weighting. A positive tilt indicates a bias towards a “better” RI profile than the Index.

Measures are being used to compare the ESG characteristics of the fund against the Index. This index also provides a helpful benchmark against which the financial performance can be compared. Accordingly, the index is not designed to specifically consider environmental or social characteristics.

We made some changes to the ESG materiality rating methodology on 17 April 2023. This means some fund and benchmark ratings have changed, but this does not reflect a material change to the portfolio or our investment approach.

For more information on Responsible Investment (RI) or investment terms used in this document, please see the Glossary published in the Document Centre on our website: <https://www.columbiathreadneedle.sg/en/retl/about-us/responsible-investment/>. The decision to invest in the promoted Fund should also take into account all the characteristics or objectives of the promoted Fund as described in its prospectus/ in the information which is to be disclosed to investors in accordance with Article 23 of Directive 2011/61/EU.

The ESG materiality and carbon intensity scores are calculated on a trailing 12-month weighted average. For periods less than 12 months the rolling average will be calculated using the months available. Weighted average is computed using an equal weighting of the metric for each of the business days contained in the prior 12-month period. The carbon intensity denominator "sales" figure is a revenue measure.

Coverage is the portfolio's percent of market value consisting of holdings for each applicable metric. Cash and derivatives are excluded from coverage. MSCI gives issuers a score of "Pass", "Watch List", or "Fail" depending on the degree to which they measure against principles in three documents: The UN Global Compact, the International Labor Organization Core Labour Standards, and the UN Principles on Business and Human Rights. An assignment of "Fail" for any of the three causes the holdings to reflect as controversial.

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