

Key Risks, Sales Restrictions and Disclaimers

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Important Information

This product may only be offered: (i) in Hong Kong, to qualified Private Banking Customers and Professional Investors (as defined under the Securities and Futures Ordinance); and (ii) in Singapore, to Accredited Investors (as defined under the Securities and Futures Act) and (iii) in the Dubai International Financial Center to Professional Clients (as defined under the Dubai Financial Services Authority rules) only. No other person should act on the contents of this document.

This product may involve derivatives. Do NOT invest in it unless you fully understand and are willing to assume the risks associated with it. If you have any doubt, you should seek independent professional financial, tax and/or legal advice as you deem necessary.

Please carefully read and make sure that you understand all Risk Disclosures, Selling Restrictions, and Disclaimers. This document must be read together with the relevant Prospectus & Offering Documents &/or Key Fact Statement.

TERMS

Mutual Funds

Mutual Funds is an investment vehicle comprising of funds collected from many investors for the purpose of investing in securities such as stocks, bonds, money market instruments and similar assets. Mutual Funds are operated by fund managers, who invest the Fund's capital and attempt to produce capital gains and income for the Fund's investors. A Mutual Fund's portfolio is structured and maintained to match the investment objectives stated in its prospectus.

Net Asset Value

Net Asset Value (NAV) represents a Fund's per-share market value. This is the price at which investors buy ("bid price") Fund shares from a fund house and sell them ("redemption price") to a fund company. Net Asset Value is derived by dividing the total value of all the cash and securities in a fund's portfolio, less any liabilities, by the number of shares outstanding.

RISK RATING

(1) Very Low Downside Risk, (2) Low Downside Risk, (3) Moderate Downside Risk, (4) High Downside Risk, (5) Very High Downside Risk

The description of risks below or otherwise in this document does not purport to be an exhaustive list of the risk factors associated with the investment in the financial products mentioned in this document. Prospective Investor should read the offering documents relating to the products and consider all risks carefully prior to investing in the products and consult an independent financial adviser as necessary before dealing with any financial products mentioned in this document.

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The information in this section cannot disclose everything about the nature and risks of the abovementioned product. This section is intended to summarise some of the risks associated with such investments, but does not purport to be an exhaustive list, nor should it be regarded as offering advice on the suitability of these investments for you. Please consider the product's objectives, risks, and charges and expenses and read the Prospectus, termsheet or such equivalent documentation carefully before investing. The Prospectus, termsheet or such equivalent documentation for should include a full description of the relevant risks as well as other risks that may be associated with the product.

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General Risks of Investing in Mutual Funds

Early Termination Risk [Applicable only to High Yield Bond Funds] – The attention of the Investor is drawn to the fact that: I. Participating Shares of the Fund may be compulsorily redeemed or terminated by the fund manager or the Sub-Manager under the circumstances described in the Offering Memorandum of the Fund. In the event that all or a significant part of outstanding Participating Shares is liquidated, the Net Asset Value per Participating Share of the Fund may suffer a material adverse effect. II. If there are substantial redemptions of Participating Shares, the fund manager may need to liquidate positions at an inappropriate time or on unfavorable terms. The Fund therefore may have a policy of limiting redemption in certain circumstances.

Market Risk – The Net Asset Value of a Mutual Fund (the “Fund”) can fluctuate due to a number of factors. Amongst them are the fluctuations in the market value of the asset and liability held by the Fund, the income generated by the securities it holds, expense incurred in managing the Fund, and changes in macroeconomic conditions. The Net Asset Value of a Fund may change with respect to changes in the market value of the securities it holds. Investors in a Fund are exposed to the same risks as investors who invest directly in the underlying securities of the Fund. These risks may include, but are not limited to, Liquidity Risk, Credit Risk, Currency Risk, and Interest Rate Risk. Change in the value of the securities held by the Fund can be unpredictable, sudden, extreme, and affected by one or more of the factors mentioned above.

Past performance is not indicative of future performance. The indicative Net Asset Value of the Fund can go down as well as up. Investor must not place sole reliance on any historical information of the performance of the Fund herein. There is no guarantee that the investment objective of the Fund can be achieved without incurring any trading losses.

Currency Risk – Base Currency – The Funds may invest in assets denominated in a currency other than the Base Currency of the Funds. Changes in exchange rates between the Base Currency and the currency in which the assets are denominated will cause the value of the asset expressed in the Base Currency to fall or rise. The Funds may utilise techniques and instruments including derivatives for hedging purposes to control currency risk. However it may not be possible or practical to completely mitigate currency risk in respect of a Fund’s portfolio or specific assets within the portfolio. Furthermore, unless otherwise stated in the investment policies of the relevant Fund, the fund manager is not obliged to seek to reduce currency risk within the Funds.

Currency Risk – Share Class Currency – Certain Share Classes of certain Funds may be denominated in a currency other than the Base Currency of the relevant Fund. In addition, the Funds may invest in assets denominated in currencies other than the Base Currency. Therefore changes in exchange rates may affect the value of an investment in the Funds.

Currency Risk – Investor’s Own Currency – An investor may choose to invest in a Share Class which is denominated in a currency that is different from the currency in which the majority of the investor’s assets and liabilities are denominated (the “Investor’s Currency”). In this scenario, the investor is subject to currency risk in the form of potential capital losses resulting from movements of the exchange rate between the Investor’s Currency and the currency of the Share Class in which such investor invests, in addition to the other currency risks described herein and the other risks associated with an investment in the relevant Fund.

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Hedged Share Classes – While a Fund or its authorised agent may attempt to hedge currency risks, there can be no guarantee that it will be successful in doing so and it may result in mismatches between the currency position of that Fund and the Hedged Share Class. The hedging strategies may be entered into whether the Base Currency is declining or increasing in value relative to the relevant currency of the Hedged Share Class and so, where such hedging is undertaken it may substantially protect shareholders in the relevant Class against a decrease in the value of the Base Currency relative to the Hedged Share Class currency, but it may also preclude shareholders from benefiting from an increase in the value of the Base Currency. Hedged Share Classes in non-major currencies may be affected by the fact that capacity of the relevant currency market may be limited, which could further affect the volatility of the Hedged Share Class. All gains/losses or expenses arising from hedging transactions are borne separately by the shareholders of the respective Hedged Share Classes. Given that there is no segregation of liabilities between Share Classes, there is a risk that, under certain circumstances, currency hedging transactions in relation to one Share Class could result in liabilities which might affect the Net Asset Value of the other Share Classes of the same Fund.

Liquidity Risk – In the event of substantial redemptions of shares of the Fund, the Fund may need to liquidate its positions at an inappropriate time or on unfavorable terms. Investor should note that occurrence of this event may impact the Net Asset Value of the Fund substantially. A Fund therefore may have a policy of limiting redemption or imposing certain penalty fee in certain circumstances.

Credit Risk (Credit Rating of the underlying assets) – The credit rating of the underlying assets by the rating agencies reflects the independent opinion of such relevant rating agencies and the rating is not a guarantee of credit quality. It is not necessarily an indication of liquidity or volatility and may be downgraded if the credit quality of the relevant quality of the relevant entity or asset or obligation declines.

Counterparty Risk – A Fund will be exposed to the credit risk of the parties with which it transacts and may also bear the risk of settlement default. Counterparty risk is the risk that the counterparty to a financial instrument will fail to discharge an obligation or commitment that it has entered into with the relevant Fund. This would include the counterparties to any derivatives, repurchase/reverse repurchase agreement or securities lending agreement that it enters into. Trading in derivatives which have not been collateralised gives rise to direct counterparty exposure. The relevant Fund mitigates much of its credit risk to its derivative counterparties by receiving collateral with a value at least equal to the exposure to each counterparty but, to the extent that any derivative is not fully collateralised, a default by the counterparty may result in a reduction in the value of the Fund. A formal review of each new counterparty is completed and all approved counterparties are monitored and reviewed on an ongoing basis. The Fund maintains an active oversight of counterparty exposure and the collateral management process.

Derivative Risk – Some Funds may use derivative for several purposes, such as hedging or cash flow management. A derivative may or may not have a linear payoff to the underlying asset and may have many technical features. Investors should note that such Funds may be a structured product which involves derivatives. Do not invest in it unless you fully understand and are willing to assume the risks associated with it. If you are in any doubt about the risks involved in the product, you may clarify with the fund distributor or seek independent professional advice.

Other Risks

Settlement Risk – Certain settlement disruption events may occur to restrict the ability of the Counterparty or the Exchange to deliver the terms of a contract at the time of settlement. A settlement may be processed by clearing system(s), custodians and other third parties across different time zones; hence, any payment or delivery of the stocks may not be immediately available on the specified dates during local business hours and there will be no interest payable in the event of such delay.

Commission and Other Charges – Before a trade is initiated, the investor should refer to the bank's Schedule of Fees and Charges and obtain a clear explanation of all commission, fees and other charges for which the investor may be liable. Investors should also note that the fees and expenses of the Fund as detailed in the Offering Memorandum will still be charged by the fund manager regardless of the performance of the Fund. These charges may affect Investor's net profit or increase the loss.

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Terms and Conditions of the Investment – The investor should understand the terms and conditions of the Fund which he/she is investing in (e.g. the circumstances under which the investor may become obliged to make or take delivery of the underlying interest of a contract and, important dates, and restrictions on certain conditions). Under certain circumstances the specifications of outstanding contracts may be modified by the Fund issuer to reflect the changes in circumstances of the Fund. Investor should also note that the fees and expenses of the Fund as detailed in the Prospectus of the Fund.

Sovereign Risk – Currencies are effectively credit notes against the country of the currency. The government of a country or a bloc of countries may unilaterally declare restrictions or events on a currency that would lead to a situation where the Fund may not be able to liquidate their currency holdings and may sustain substantial losses. Investor should note that occurrence of this event may impact the Net Asset Value of the Fund substantially.

Additional Risks Associated with the Mutual Fund Specific Objectives or Investment Components

RMB Investment Risk – Where the product is denominated in offshore RMB (also known as CNH) or linked to underlying(s) denominated in CNH, investor should note that the product may be exposed to additional risks related to RMB, as follows:

- a) The RMB FX market, loan/deposit availability & products can be illiquid. This is especially the case as the offshore RMB is not readily transferable into the larger on-shore RMB market.
- b) The regulatory environment of the RMB market is changing rapidly. Regulatory changes can impact product liquidity, prices and currency convertibility.
- c) Like any currency, the exchange rate of RMB may rise or fall. The fluctuation in the exchange rate of RMB may result in losses. Further, RMB is subject to conversion restrictions and foreign exchange controls.
- d) RMB products which are not denominated in RMB or with underlying investment not RMB denominated will be subject to multiple currency conversion costs in making and liquidating the investment, as well as the RMB exchange rate fluctuations and bid/offer spreads when assets are sold to meet redemption requests and other capital requirements (e.g. settling operation expenses).
- e) For RMB products that do not have access to invest directly in Mainland China (e.g. Funds invest in offshore RMB debt securities), their available choice of underlying investments denominated in RMB outside Mainland China may be limited, and such limitation may adversely affect the return and performance of the RMB products.
- f) For RMB products with a significant portion of non-RMB denominated underlying investments, there is a possibility of not receiving the full amount in RMB upon redemption, if the issuer is not able to obtain sufficient amount of RMB in a timely manner due to the exchange controls and restrictions applicable to the currency.

Credit Risk (Issuer) – If one of the strategies of the Fund is to invest in debt obligations or credit derivatives of corporate and/or foreign issuers, the Fund will be exposed to credit risk of the issuer of such corporate and/or foreign issuer. Hence, if such corporate and/or foreign issuer become insolvent or defaults on its obligations, the payment of sums due to the Funds may be substantially reduced, delayed, or not paid at all. In the worst case, the Fund could suffer a total loss of the investment amount and any potential profit that would have been made from the transaction. Investor should note that occurrence of this event may impact the Net Asset Value of the Fund substantially.

Leverage Risk – If one of the strategies of the Fund is to use some degree of leverage in its investment activities, the Fund will be exposed to the leverage risk of the asset components of the Fund. Where an investment is subject to leverage, the effective exposure to the asset or payment reference is increased. Leverage may expose the Fund to increased losses when the value of the asset falls. Investor should note that occurrence of this event may impact the Net Asset Value of the Fund substantially.

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Equity Risk – If one of the strategies of the Fund is to invest in equities and/or equity-related securities and instrument, the Fund will be exposed to the risk associated with equities/equity-related securities and instrument. Equities signify ownership of the company's asset and represent a claim on part of the company's assets and earnings. Equities constitute the most junior residual claim and will rank below any other obligations or debt of the Issuer. In the event of liquidation of the company, equity holder will be the last to receive the residual assets of the company. The value of equities instrument may be impacted when the company undertakes a corporate action, such as leveraged buyout, debt restructuring, merger, or recapitalization. These events may cause the equities instrument value to rise or fall and may have either dilutive or concentrative effect to the holder. The value of equities instrument is highly correlated to the expected profit / earning of the Issuer. The possibility that the issuer will have lower than expected earnings may cause the value of the equity to fall significantly. Investor should note these risks will be reflected in a Fund that invests in equities.

Risks associated with Securities Lending and Repurchase Transactions – If one of the strategies of the Fund is to enter into Securities Lending and/or Repurchase Transactions, the Fund will be exposed to the credit risk of the counterparty of such transactions. The value of the securities returned may be realized at a lower value than the value of the securities lent out due to several factors, such as inaccurate pricing of the collateral, adverse market movements, deterioration in the credit rating, or liquidity of the securities or collateral used to back the securities. A delay in the return of securities on loan may restrict the ability of the Fund to meet its obligations arising from redemption request. Investor should note that occurrence of this event may impact the Net Asset Value of the Fund substantially.

Risks associated with High Yield Bonds / Debt Securities – If one of the strategies of the Fund is to invest in high-yield bonds or debt securities, the Fund will be exposed to the risk associated with investment in bonds/debt securities in general, such as, but not limited to, Default Risk, Credit Risk, Market Risk, Inflation Risk, and Interest Rate Risk. Investor should note that in addition of the risk associated with investment in bonds/debt securities in general, high-yield bond/debt securities may be subject to additional risks as follows:

- a) **Capital Growth Risk** – Some high-yield bond Funds may have fees and/ or dividends paid out of capital. As a result, the capital that the Fund has available for investment in the future and capital growth may be reduced;
- b) **Interest Rate Risk** – If interest rates rise, bond prices usually decline, and if interest rates decline, bond prices usually rise. This inverse relationship is important to understand. The longer a bond's maturity, the greater the bond's interest rate risk. A bond fund with a longer average maturity will see its net asset value (NAV) react more dramatically to changes in interest rates as the prices of the underlying bonds in the portfolio increase or decline. The effect that interest rates have on the prices of bonds owned by the fund will cause the income that the fund distributes each month to vary.
- c) **Dividend Distribution** – Some high-yield bond Funds may not distribute dividends, but instead reinvest the dividends into the Fund or alternatively, the fund manager may have discretion on whether or not to make any distribution out of income and/ or capital of the Fund. Also, a high distribution yield does not imply a positive or high return on the total investment.
- d) **Higher Credit Risk** – Since high-yield bonds are typically rated below investment grade or are unrated and as such are often subject to a higher risk of issuer default;
- e) **Vulnerability to Economic Cycles** – During economic downturns such high-yield bonds typically fall more in value than investment grade bonds as (i) investors become more risk averse and (ii) default risk rises.
- f) **Other Key Risk** that may relate to the relevant Fund including concentration of investments in particular types of specialized debt or a specific geographical region or foreign securities.

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Risks associated with Callable / Puttable Bonds – If one of the strategies of the Fund is to invest in callable/ puttable bonds or debt securities, the Fund may be exposed to events that may result in early unscheduled return of principal on bonds. Investors should note that the Fund may not be able to reinvest the amounts received, into other suitable bonds with returns as favorable as that of the pre-existing bonds.

Risks associated with Perpetual Bonds – If one of the strategies of the Fund is to invest in perpetual bonds or debt securities, the Fund may be exposed to a particularly high duration and are very susceptible to fluctuations in interest rates as compared to normal bonds. Investors should note that the interest pay-out of these types of bonds depends on the viability of the issuer in the long term. Perpetual Bonds generally have no maturity date, a steady stream of interest rate, lower liquidity and many different technical features. Investors need to exercise caution in dealing with such Funds.

Risks associated with Convertible Bonds – If one of the strategies of the Fund is to invest in convertible bonds or debt securities, the Fund may be exposed to a risk profile that closely resembles that of common stock. Convertible Bonds give the bondholder an option to convert the notional of the bonds into common stock at a predetermined strike price. Investors should note that such Funds are subject to investment risks of both common stock and bonds.

Risks associated with Contingent Capital / Convertible Bonds – If one of the strategies of the Fund is to invest in contingent capital / convertible bonds or debt securities, the Fund may be exposed to a higher Issuer credit risk in general and may lose the value of their investment substantially as a result of occurrence of the trigger event. Contingent Convertible Bonds have a contingent write down or loss absorption or conversion feature that allow the bonds to be written off, fully or partially, or converted to other type of assets on the occurrence of a trigger event.

Risks associated with Extendable Bonds – If one of the strategies of the Fund is to invest in extendable bonds or debt securities, the Fund may be exposed to extendable maturity dates and investors would not have a definite schedule of principal repayment.

Risks associated with Variable-Rate Bonds – If one of the strategies of the Fund is to invest in variable-rate bonds or debt securities, the Fund may be exposed to variable and/or deferral of interest payment terms and investors would face uncertainty over the amount and time of the interest payments to be received.

Risks associated with Subordinated Bonds – If one of the strategies of the Fund is to invest in subordinated bonds or debt securities, the Fund may be exposed to subordinated ranking and in the event of liquidation or insolvency of the Issuer, investors would only be entitled to be paid after other senior creditors are paid.

QFII/ RQFII Risk - Some Funds may invest in A-Shares directly in the People's Republic of China ("PRC") through a Qualified Foreign Institutional Investors ("QFII") or Renminbi Qualified Foreign Institutional Investor ("RQFII") quota. Investor should note that the availability of QFII/RQFII investment quota and any restrictions or any change in the QFII/RQFII laws and regulations may adversely impair the ability of the Fund to achieve its investment objective. Concentration risks (which result in greater volatility) and Chinese tax law may be applicable given investments in single country, Mainland China. Repayment of principal or dividend payment may not be guaranteed.

These Funds may invest in bonds or debt instruments. Changes in interest rate or macro-economic policies in China may adversely impact. In the event of a default or credit rating downgrade of issuers, the Fund may have difficulty in valuation and delay in enforcing its rights against the issuers in Mainland China not subject to Hong Kong / Singapore laws. Some of the bonds or debt instruments may be subject to higher credit risks and lower liquidity because they may be rated below investment grade and the investment grade rating may be assigned by a local credit rating agency without transparency and international rating standard in Mainland China. Mainland China's bond market is still in a stage of development and bid/ offer spread may be high. It may not be able to sell at advantageous prices in absence of active secondary market. If sizable redemption requests are received, it may need to liquidate at a discount and suffer losses.

Because the QFII quota is denominated in currency other than Renminbi (RMB), the Fund may need to remit the said into the PRC and then convert into RMB in order to invest in the A-Shares, hence the Fund is subjected to additional currency risk.

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Risks associated with Asset-backed Securities (“ABS”) – An asset-backed security is a generic term for a debt security issued by corporations or other entities (including public or local authorities) backed or collateralised by the income stream from an underlying pool of assets. The underlying assets typically include loans, leases or receivables (such as credit card debt, automobile loans and student loans). An asset-backed security is usually issued in a number of different classes with varying characteristics depending on the riskiness of the underlying assets assessed by reference to their credit quality and term and can be issued at a fixed or a floating rate. The higher the risk contained in the class, the more the asset-backed security pays by way of income. The obligations associated with these securities may be subject to greater credit, liquidity and interest rate risk compared to other fixed income securities such as government issued bonds. ABS and MBS are often exposed to extension risk (where obligations on the underlying assets are not paid on time) and prepayment risks (where obligations on the underlying assets are paid earlier than expected), these risks may have a substantial impact on the timing and size of the cashflows paid by the securities and may negatively impact the returns of the securities. The average life of each individual security may be affected by a large number of factors such as the existence and frequency of exercise of any optional redemption and mandatory prepayment, the prevailing level of interest rates, the actual default rate of the underlying assets, the timing of recoveries and the level of rotation in the underlying assets.

Risks associated with Distressed Securities – Investment in a security issued by a company that is either in default or in high risk of default (“Distressed Securities”) involves significant risk. Such investments will only be made when the fund manager believes either that the security trades at a materially different level from the fund manager’s perception of fair value or that it is reasonably likely that the issuer of the securities will make an exchange offer or will be the subject of a plan of reorganisation; however, there can be no assurance that such an exchange offer will be made or that such a plan of reorganisation will be adopted or that any securities or other assets received in connection with such an exchange offer or plan of reorganisation will not have a lower value or income potential than anticipated when the investment was made. In addition, a significant period of time may pass between the time at which the investment in Distressed Securities is made and the time that any such exchange, offer or plan of reorganisation is completed. During this period, it is unlikely that any interest payments on the Distressed Securities will be received, there will be significant uncertainty as to whether fair value will be achieved or not and the exchange offer or plan of reorganisation will be completed, and there may be a requirement to bear certain expenses to protect the investing Fund’s interest in the course of negotiations surrounding any potential exchange or plan of reorganisation. Furthermore, constraints on investment decisions and actions with respect to Distressed Securities due to tax considerations may affect the return realised on the Distressed Securities. Some Funds may invest in securities of issuers that are encountering a variety of financial or earnings problems and represent distinct types of risks. A Fund’s investments in equity or fixed income transferable securities of companies or institutions in weak financial condition may include issuers with substantial capital needs or negative net worth or issuers that are, have been or may become, involved in bankruptcy or reorganisation proceedings.

Risks associated with Small Capitalisation Companies – The securities of smaller companies may be subject to more abrupt or erratic market movements than larger, more established companies or the market average in general. These companies may have limited product lines, markets or financial resources, or they may be dependent on a limited management group. Full development of those companies takes time. In addition, many small company stocks trade less frequently and in smaller volume, and may be subject to more abrupt or erratic price movements than stocks of large companies. The securities of small companies may also be more sensitive to market changes than the securities of large companies. These factors may result in above-average fluctuations in the Net Asset Value of a Fund’s Shares.

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Emerging Markets Risk – Emerging markets are typically those of poorer or less developed countries which exhibit lower levels of economic and/or capital market development, and higher levels of share price and currency volatility. Amongst these, those which exhibit the lowest levels of economic and/or capital market development may be referred to as frontier markets, and the below mentioned risks may be amplified for these markets. Some emerging markets governments exercise substantial influence over the private economic sector and the political and social uncertainties that exist for many developing countries are particularly significant. Another risk common to most such countries is that the economy is heavily export oriented and, accordingly, is dependent upon international trade. The existence of overburdened infrastructures and inadequate financial systems also presents risks in certain countries, as do environmental problems. In adverse social and political circumstances, governments have been involved in policies of expropriation, confiscatory taxation, nationalisation, intervention in the securities market and trade settlement, and imposition of foreign investment restrictions and exchange controls, and these could be repeated in the future. In addition to withholding taxes on investment income, some emerging markets may impose capital gains taxes on foreign investors. Generally accepted accounting, auditing and financial reporting practices in emerging markets may be significantly different from those in developed markets. Compared to mature markets, some emerging markets may have a low level of regulation, enforcement of regulations and monitoring of investors' activities. Those activities may include practices such as trading on material non-public information by certain categories of investor. The securities markets of developing countries are not as large as the more established securities markets and have substantially less trading volume, resulting in a lack of liquidity and high price volatility. There may be a high concentration of market capitalisation and trading volume in a small number of issuers representing a limited number of industries as well as a high concentration of investors and financial intermediaries. These factors may adversely affect the timing and pricing of a Fund's acquisition or disposal of securities. Practices in relation to the settlement of securities transactions in emerging markets involve higher risks than those in developed markets, in part because the Company will need to use brokers and counterparties which are less well capitalised, and custody and registration of assets in some countries may be unreliable. Delays in settlement could result in investment opportunities being missed if a Fund is unable to acquire or dispose of a security. The Depositary is responsible for the proper selection and supervision of its correspondent banks in all relevant markets in accordance with Luxembourg law and regulation. In certain emerging markets, registrars are not subject to effective government supervision nor are they always independent from issuers. Investors should therefore be aware that the Funds concerned could suffer loss arising from these registration problems.

RISKS RELATING TO BULLION LINKED TRANSACTIONS

POLITICAL AND ECONOMIC RISKS

Base metals, such as copper, lead zinc, tin, nickel and aluminum and bullion such as gold, silver, platinum and palladium are often produced in emerging market countries and used by industrialised nations. These emerging market countries are more exposed to the risk of swift political change and economic downturns than their industrialised counterparts. There can be no assurance that future political changes will not adversely affect the economic conditions of an emerging market country. Political or economic instability may affect investor confidence, which could in turn have a negative impact on the value of such commodities.

PRICE SOURCES

BOS as the Calculation Agent may on any day be unable to determine a commodity reference price or a bullion reference price from the price source, due to market conditions including but not limited to (i) market volatility; (ii) market liquidity (as discussed below); (iii) regulatory or artificial market limitations; and (iv) the occurrence of a market disruption event. In these circumstances, BOS as the Calculation Agent will make the relevant determinations applicable to the relevant transaction.

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SINGLE COMMODITY PRICES TEND TO BE MORE VOLATILE THAN, AND MAY NOT CORRELATE WITH, THE PRICES OF COMMODITIES IN GENERAL

Base metal prices and bullion prices are highly volatile. Price movements in the kinds of base metals by reference to which BOS will determine a commodity reference price and the types of bullion by reference to which BOS will determine a bullion reference price are influenced by, among other things, interest rates, changing market supply and demand relationships, trade, fiscal, monetary and exchange control programmes and policies of governments, and international political and economic events and policies. In addition, governments from time to time intervene, directly and by regulation, in certain markets, particularly those in currencies and commodities. Such intervention is often intended directly to influence prices and may, together with other factors, cause all of such markets to move rapidly in the same direction because of, among other things, interest rate fluctuations.

In relation to any commodity transactions or bullion transactions, you should be aware that due to the volatility of the base metals and precious metals markets, a loss may be incurred from transacting in base metals or bullion. Due to their fluctuating nature, the prices of base metals and bullion may rise or fall beyond your expectations and your investment may increase or decrease in value as a result of selling and purchasing these. Changes in the market price of bullion may not lead to an exact corresponding change in the value of your investments under this transaction. You should also note that neither base metals nor bullion bear interest.

INVESTMENTS RELATED TO THE PRICE OF BULLION MAY BE MORE VOLATILE THAN TRADITIONAL SECURITIES INVESTMENTS

The bullion markets are subject to numerous factors that interrelate in complex ways which might cause, increase or reduce price volatility including, but not limited to:

- a) disruptions in the supply chain, from mining to storage to smelting or refining;
- b) adjustments to inventory;
- c) variations in production costs, including storage, labour and energy costs;
- d) costs associated with regulatory compliance, including environmental regulations;
- e) changes in industrial, government and consumer demand, both in individual consuming nations and internationally;
- f) precious metal leasing rates;
- g) foreign exchange rates;
- h) level of economic growth and inflation; and
- i) degree to which consumers, governments, corporate and financial institutions hold any type of physical bullion as a safe haven asset (hoarding) which may be caused by a banking crisis/recovery, a rapid change in the value of other assets (both financial and physical) or changes in the level of geopolitical tension, and as such there is the possibility that a loss will be incurred from an investment or holding in bullion.

The relevant precious metal or precious metal reference price could change in value substantially in response to specific precious metals related, interest rate, economic or general market news or developments affecting the precious metal and this could pose a significant event risk.

ENTERING INTO THIS TRANSACTION IS NOT THE SAME AS OWNING BULLION OR BULLION-RELATED FUTURES CONTRACTS DIRECTLY

The return on this transaction may not reflect the return you would realize if you actually purchased Bullion, or exchange-traded or over-the-counter instruments based on Bullion. Transactions in bullion on the spot markets are considered "unallocated", which means that credit balances are backed by the general stock of the bullion dealer who has the gold or silver, and debit balances represent the indebtedness of the client to the bullion dealer. A position in bullion (such as gold denominated in XAU or silver denominated in XAG) is not an entitlement to specific bars of gold or silver and BOS shall neither take hold of nor deliver gold physically to you. You will not have any rights that holders of such assets or instruments have. You should therefore determine whether any gold investment is suitable for you in the light of your investment objectives, your financial means and your risk profile.

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THE MARKET PRICE OF GOLD WILL AFFECT THE VALUE OF THE TRANSACTION

Applicable to gold linked transactions only. Because the transaction is linked to the performance of the price of Gold, we expect that generally the market value of the transaction will depend in large part on the market price of Gold. The price of gold is primarily affected by the global demand for and supply of gold. The market for gold bullion is global, and gold prices are subject to volatile price movements over short periods of time and are affected by numerous factors, including macroeconomic factors such as the structure of and confidence in the global monetary system, expectations regarding the future rate of inflation, the relative strength of, and confidence in, the U.S. dollar (the currency in which the price of gold is usually quoted), interest rates, gold borrowing and lending rates, and global or regional economic, financial, political, regulatory, judicial or other events. Gold prices may be affected by industry factors such as industrial and jewelry demand as well as lending, sales and purchases of gold by the official sector, including central banks and other governmental agencies and multilateral institutions which hold gold. Additionally, gold prices may be affected by levels of gold production, production costs and short-term changes in supply and demand due to trading activities in the gold market. Investments in Gold are not insured products and are not eligible for deposit insurance / deposit protection scheme coverage.

ON THE OBSERVATION DATE, THE GOLD PRICE IS DETERMINED BY THE LBMA, AND THERE ARE CERTAIN RISKS RELATING TO THE GOLD PRICE BEING DETERMINED BY THE LBMA

Applicable to gold linked transactions only. If the transaction is linked to the performance of Gold, on the Observation Date or Fixing Date or Valuation Date (as the case maybe), your payment at maturity will be based on the Closing Price of Gold, which will be determined by reference to fixing levels reported by the LBMA. The LBMA is not a regulated entity. If the LBMA should cease operations, or if bullion trading should become subject to a value added tax or other tax or any other form of regulation currently not in place, the role of LBMA price fixings as a global benchmark for the value of Gold may be adversely affected. The LBMA is a principals' market which operates in a manner more closely analogous to an over-the-counter physical commodity market than regulated futures markets, and certain features of U.S. futures contracts are not present in the context of LBMA trading. The LBMA may alter, discontinue or suspend calculation or dissemination of the official afternoon Gold fixing level in U.S. dollars per troy ounce which could adversely affect the value of the transaction. The LBMA has no obligation to consider your interests in calculating or revising the official afternoon Gold fixing level.

* This document must be read together with the relevant Prospectus & Offering Documents &/or Key Fact Statement.

Additional Notice to HK regulated accounts: For trades in Funds, the Bank is as an agent of the third party service provider and the Fund is a product of the third party service provider but not the Bank. In respect of an eligible dispute (as defined in the Terms of Reference for the Financial Dispute Resolution Centre in relation to the Financial Dispute Resolution Scheme) arising between the Bank and the customer out of the selling process or processing of the related transaction, the Bank is required to enter into a Financial Dispute Resolution Scheme process with the customer; however any dispute over the contractual terms of the product should be resolved between directly the third party service provider and the customer.

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Hedge Funds

A Hedge Fund is a managed portfolio of investments with a goal of generating returns whilst managing risk (commonly measured by volatility of returns). Hedge Funds usually employ investment means which include trading global stocks, bonds, options, and other derivatives (a wide array of financial market instruments), and may employ leverage in these strategies.

Net Asset Value

Net Asset Value (NAV) represents a Fund's per-share market value. This is the price at which investors buy ("bid price") Fund shares from a fund house and sell them ("redemption price") to a fund company. Net Asset Value is derived by dividing the total value of all the cash and securities in a fund's portfolio, less any liabilities, by the number of shares outstanding.

RISK RATING

(1) Very Low Downside Risk, (2) Low Downside Risk, (3) Moderate Downside Risk, (4) High Downside Risk, (5) Very High Downside Risk

The description of risks below or otherwise in this document does not purport to be an exhaustive list of the risk factors associated with the investment in the financial products mentioned in this document. Prospective Investor should read the offering documents relating to the products and consider all risks carefully prior to investing in the products and consult an independent financial adviser as necessary before dealing with any financial products mentioned in this document.

KEY RISKS

The information in this section cannot disclose everything about the nature and risks of the abovementioned product. This section is intended to summarise some of the risks associated with such investments, but does not purport to be an exhaustive list, nor should it be regarded as offering advice on the suitability of these investments for you. Please consider the product's objectives, risks, and charges and expenses and read the Prospectus, termsheet or such equivalent documentation carefully before investing. The Prospectus, termsheet or such equivalent documentation for should include a full description of the relevant risks as well as other risks that may be associated with the product.

General Risks of Investing in Hedge Funds

Early Termination Risk – The attention of the Investor is drawn to the fact that:

I. Participating Shares of the Hedge Fund (the "**Fund**") may be compulsorily redeemed or terminated by the fund manager or the Sub-Manager under the circumstances described in the Offering Memorandum of the Fund. In the event that all or a significant part of outstanding Participating Shares is liquidated, the Net Asset Value per Participating Share of the Fund may suffer a material adverse effect.

II. If there are substantial redemptions of Participating Shares, the fund manager may need to liquidate positions at an inappropriate time or on unfavorable terms. The Fund therefore may have a policy of limiting redemption in certain circumstances.

Key Man Risk – The performance of the Fund is highly dependent upon the expertise and abilities of the fund manager(s), who manage the Fund and has/have discretion over the Fund. Hence, incapacity or retirement of the principals of the fund manager may adversely affect the Fund's performance.

Investment Risk – Some Hedge Fund managers have wide discretionary trading authority and flexibility in investment mandates, they may shift their investment focus quickly without prior disclosure. This can make it difficult for an investor to holistically manage his overall exposure within a wider portfolio.

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Regulatory Risk – Hedge Fund managers are generally not subject to as much regulatory oversight from financial regulators as regulated Funds. The loose regulatory oversight can lead to fraud, which can be undetected for a long time.

Dependence on underlying fund manager – The Fund is highly dependent (notably with respect to its performance) upon the expertise and abilities of the underlying fund manager(s) which manages the underlying Fund and which has investment discretion over the underlying Fund and, therefore, the incapacity or retirement of principals of the underlying fund manager may adversely affect its investment results.

Market Risk – The Net Asset Value of a Hedge Fund (the “Fund”) can fluctuate due to a number of factors. Amongst them are the fluctuations in the market value of the asset and liability held by the Fund, the income generated by the securities it holds, expense incurred in managing the Fund, and changes in macroeconomic conditions. The Net Asset Value of a Fund may change with respect to changes in the market value of the securities it holds. Investors in a Fund are exposed to the same risks as investors who invest directly in the underlying securities of the Fund. These risks may include, but are not limited to, Liquidity Risk, Credit Risk, Currency Risk, and Interest Rate Risk. Change in the value of the securities held by the Fund can be unpredictable, sudden, extreme, and affected by one or more of the factors mentioned above.

Past performance is not indicative of future performance. The indicative Net Asset Value of the Fund can go down as well as up. Investor must not place sole reliance on any historical information of the performance of the Fund herein. There is no guarantee that the investment objective of the Fund can be achieved without incurring any trading losses.

Currency Risk – Base Currency – The Funds may invest in assets denominated in a currency other than the Base Currency of the Funds. Changes in exchange rates between the Base Currency and the currency in which the assets are denominated will cause the value of the asset expressed in the Base Currency to fall or rise. The Funds may utilise techniques and instruments including derivatives for hedging purposes to control currency risk. However it may not be possible or practical to completely mitigate currency risk in respect of a Fund's portfolio or specific assets within the portfolio. Furthermore, unless otherwise stated in the investment policies of the relevant Fund, the fund manager is not obliged to seek to reduce currency risk within the Funds.

Currency Risk – Share Class Currency – Certain Share Classes of certain Funds may be denominated in a currency other than the Base Currency of the relevant Fund. In addition, the Funds may invest in assets denominated in currencies other than the Base Currency. Therefore changes in exchange rates may affect the value of an investment in the Funds.

Currency Risk – Investor's Own Currency – An investor may choose to invest in a Share Class which is denominated in a currency that is different from the currency in which the majority of the investor's assets and liabilities are denominated (the “Investor's Currency”). In this scenario, the investor is subject to currency risk in the form of potential capital losses resulting from movements of the exchange rate between the Investor's Currency and the currency of the Share Class in which such investor invests, in addition to the other currency risks described herein and the other risks associated with an investment in the relevant Fund.

Hedged Share Classes – While a Fund or its authorised agent may attempt to hedge currency risks, there can be no guarantee that it will be successful in doing so and it may result in mismatches between the currency position of that Fund and the Hedged Share Class. The hedging strategies may be entered into whether the Base Currency is declining or increasing in value relative to the relevant currency of the Hedged Share Class and so, where such hedging is undertaken it may substantially protect shareholders in the relevant Class against a decrease in the value of the Base Currency relative to the Hedged Share Class currency, but it may also preclude shareholders from benefiting from an increase in the value of the Base Currency. Hedged Share Classes in non-major currencies may be affected by the fact that capacity of the relevant currency market may be limited, which could further affect the volatility of the Hedged Share Class. All gains/losses or expenses arising from hedging transactions are borne separately by the shareholders of the respective Hedged Share Classes. Given that there is no segregation of liabilities between Share Classes, there is a risk that, under certain circumstances, currency hedging transactions in relation to one Share Class could result in liabilities which might affect the Net Asset Value of the other Share Classes of the same Fund.

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Liquidity Risk – In the event of substantial redemptions of shares of the Fund, the Fund may need to liquidate its positions at an inappropriate time or on unfavorable terms. Investor should note that occurrence of this event may impact the Net Asset Value of the Fund substantially. A Fund therefore may have a policy of limiting redemption or imposing certain penalty fee in certain circumstances.

Liquidity Risk (Fund) – A systematic secondary market for the shares in the Fund may not be available. The fund manager does not have the obligation to make a secondary market for the sale and purchase of the shares. Early redemption of the shares prior to its designated redemption period may result in significant unwind costs. Investor must be prepared to hold the shares until the designated redemption period, and should not make an investment in the Fund if they do not intend to invest until the designated redemption period.

Credit Risk (Credit Rating of the underlying assets) – The credit rating of the underlying assets by the rating agencies reflects the independent opinion of such relevant rating agencies and the rating is not a guarantee of credit quality. It is not necessarily an indication of liquidity or volatility and may be downgraded if the credit quality of the relevant quality of the relevant entity or asset or obligation declines.

Counterparty Risk – A Fund will be exposed to the credit risk of the parties with which it transacts and may also bear the risk of settlement default. Counterparty risk is the risk that the counterparty to a financial instrument will fail to discharge an obligation or commitment that it has entered into with the relevant Fund. This would include the counterparties to any derivatives, repurchase/reverse repurchase agreement or securities lending agreement that it enters into. Trading in derivatives which have not been collateralised gives rise to direct counterparty exposure. The relevant Fund mitigates much of its credit risk to its derivative counterparties by receiving collateral with a value at least equal to the exposure to each counterparty but, to the extent that any derivative is not fully collateralised, a default by the counterparty may result in a reduction in the value of the Fund. A formal review of each new counterparty is completed and all approved counterparties are monitored and reviewed on an ongoing basis. The Fund maintains an active oversight of counterparty exposure and the collateral management process.

Derivative Risk – Some Funds may use derivative for several purposes, such as hedging or cash flow management. A derivative may or may not have a linear payoff to the underlying asset and may have many technical features. If Investor is not sure about the derivative risks involved in the Fund, Investor may clarify with the fund distributor or seek independent professional advice.

Other Risks

Event Risk – Upon the occurrence of certain events, the fund manager may determine the appropriate adjustment to terms and condition of the Fund in their sole and absolute discretion. Such events include the occurrence of potential adjustment events, such as; natural disaster, nationalization, insolvency, tender offer, and additional disruption events. Any such adjustments may have an adverse impact on the return and redemption under the Fund.

Valuation / Transparency Risk – The fund manager might not be obligated to provide periodic calculation or valuation of the Net Asset Value to the public. Any published Net Asset Value of the Participating Shares is determined, in good faith, by the fund manager in accordance with his/her own principles and methodology as detailed in the Offering Memorandum of the Fund. Investor should note that such principles and methodology may differ from those the Investor may be used to.

Settlement Risk – Certain settlement disruption events may occur to restrict the ability of the Counterparty or the Exchange to deliver the terms of a contract at the time of settlement. A settlement may be processed by clearing system(s), custodians and other third parties across different time zones; hence, any payment or delivery of the stocks may not be immediately available on the specified dates during local business hours and there will be no interest payable in the event of such delay.

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Commission and Other Charges – Before a trade is initiated, the Investor should refer to the bank's Schedule of Fees and Charges and obtain a clear explanation of all commission, fees and other charges for which the Investor may be liable. Investor should also note that the fees and expenses of the Fund as detailed in the Offering Memorandum will still be charged by the fund manager regardless of the performance of the Fund.

The fund manager will charge a performance-based compensation based upon the capital appreciation of the Fund. These charges may affect Investor's net profit or increase the loss.

Terms and Conditions of the Investment – The Investor should understand the terms and conditions of the specific Fund which he/she is investing in (e.g. the circumstances under which the Investor may become obliged to make or take delivery of the underlying interest of a contract and, important dates, and restrictions on certain conditions). Under certain circumstances the specifications of outstanding contracts may be modified by the Fund provider to reflect the changes in circumstances of the Fund. Investor should also note that the fees and expenses of the Fund as detailed in the Prospectus of the Fund.

Sovereign Risk – Currencies are effectively credit notes against the country of the currency. The government of a country or a bloc of countries may unilaterally declare restrictions or events on a currency that would lead to a situation where the Fund may not be able to liquidate their currency holdings and may sustain substantial losses. Investor should note that occurrence of this event may impact the value of the Participating Shares of the Fund substantially.

Additional Risks Associated with the Fund Specific Objectives or Investment Components

RMB Investment Risk – Where the product is denominated in offshore RMB (also known as CNH) or linked to underlying(s) denominated in CNH, investor should note that the product may be exposed to additional risks related to RMB, as follows:

- a) The RMB FX market, loan/deposit availability & products can be illiquid. This is especially the case as the offshore RMB is not readily transferable into the larger on-shore RMB market.
- b) The regulatory environment of the RMB market is changing rapidly. Regulatory changes can impact product liquidity, prices and currency convertibility.
- c) Like any currency, the exchange rate of RMB may rise or fall. The fluctuation in the exchange rate of RMB may result in losses. Further, RMB is subject to conversion restrictions and foreign exchange controls.
- d) RMB products which are not denominated in RMB or with underlying investment not RMB denominated will be subject to multiple currency conversion costs in making and liquidating the investment, as well as the RMB exchange rate fluctuations and bid/offer spreads when assets are sold to meet redemption requests and other capital requirements (e.g. settling operation expenses).
- e) For RMB products that do not have access to invest directly in Mainland China (e.g. Funds invest in offshore RMB debt securities), their available choice of underlying investments denominated in RMB outside Mainland China may be limited, and such limitation may adversely affect the return and performance of the RMB products.
- f) For RMB products with a significant portion of non-RMB denominated underlying investments, there is a possibility of not receiving the full amount in RMB upon redemption, if the issuer is not able to obtain sufficient amount of RMB in a timely manner due to the exchange controls and restrictions applicable to the currency.

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Credit Risk (Issuer) – If one of the strategies of the Fund is to invest in debt obligations or credit derivatives of corporate and/or foreign issuers, the Fund will be exposed to credit risk of the issuer of such corporate and/or foreign issuer. Hence, if such corporate and/or foreign issuer become insolvent or defaults on its obligations, the payment of sums due to the Funds may be substantially reduced, delayed, or not paid at all. In the worst case, the Fund could suffer a total loss of the investment amount and any potential profit that would have been made from the transaction. Investor should note that occurrence of this event may impact the value of the Participating Shares of the Fund substantially.

Leverage Risk – If one of the strategies of the Fund is to use some degree of leverage in its investment activities, the Fund will be exposed to the leverage risk of the asset components of the Fund. Where an investment is subject to leverage, the effective exposure to the asset or payment reference is increased. Leverage may expose the Fund to increased losses when the value of the asset falls. Investor should note that occurrence of this event may impact the Net Asset Value of the Fund substantially.

Equity Risk – If one of the strategies of the Fund is to invest in equities and/or equity-related securities and instrument, the Fund will be exposed to the risk associated with equities/equity-related securities and instrument. Equities signify ownership of the company's asset and represent a claim on part of the company's assets and earnings. Equities constitute the most junior residual claim and will rank below any other obligations or debt of the Issuer. In the event of liquidation of the company, equity holder will be the last to receive the residual assets of the company. The value of equities instrument may be impacted when the company undertakes a corporate action, such as leveraged buyout, debt restructuring, merger, or recapitalization. These events may cause the equities instrument value to rise or fall and may have either dilutive or concentrative effect to the holder. The value of equities instrument is highly correlated to the expected profit / earning of the Issuer. The possibility that the issuer will have lower than expected earnings may cause the value of the equity to fall significantly. Investor should note these risks will be reflected in a Fund that invests in equities.

Risks associated with Short Selling – If one of the strategies of the Fund involves in short-selling of securities, the Fund may be exposed to risk associated with short-selling activity. Short-selling involves selling securities which may or may not be owned by the Fund and borrowing the same securities for delivery to the lender and/or purchaser with an obligation to replace the securities at a later date. Investor should note that the Fund is exposed to a theoretically unlimited loss that may impact the value of the Participating Shares of the Fund substantially.

Risks associated with Securities Lending and Repurchase Transaction – In case one of the strategies of the Fund is to enter into Securities Lending and/or Repurchase Transactions, the Fund will be exposed to the credit risk of the counterparty of such transactions. The value of the securities returned may be realized at a lower value than the value of the securities lent out due to several factors, such as inaccurate pricing of the collateral, adverse market movements, deterioration in the credit rating, or liquidity of the securities or collateral used to back the securities. A delay in the return of securities on loan may restrict the ability of the Fund to meet its obligations arising from redemption request. Investor should note that occurrence of this event may impact the value of the Participating Shares of the Fund substantially.

Risks associated with High Yield Bonds / Debt Securities – If one of the strategies of the Fund is to invest in high-yield bonds or debt securities, the Fund will be exposed to the risk associated with investment in bonds/debt securities in general, such as, but not limited to, Default Risk, Credit Risk, Market Risk, Inflation Risk, and Interest Rate Risk. Investor should note that in addition of the risk associated with investment in bonds/debt securities in general, high-yield bond/debt securities may be subject to additional risks as follows:

a) Capital Growth Risk – Some high-yield bond Funds may have fees and/ or dividends paid out of capital. As a result, the capital that the Fund has available for investment in the future and capital growth may be reduced;

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- b) Interest Rate Risk** – If interest rates rise, bond prices usually decline, and if interest rates decline, bond prices usually rise. This inverse relationship is important to understand. The longer a bond's maturity, the greater the bond's interest rate risk. A bond fund with a longer average maturity will see its net asset value (NAV) react more dramatically to changes in interest rates as the prices of the underlying bonds in the portfolio increase or decline. The effect that interest rates have on the prices of bonds owned by the fund will cause the income that the fund distributes each month to vary.
- c) Dividend Distribution** – Some high-yield bond Funds may not distribute dividends, but instead reinvest the dividends into the Fund or alternatively, the fund manager may have discretion on whether or not to make any distribution out of income and/ or capital of the Fund. Also, a high distribution yield does not imply a positive or high return on the total investment.
- d) Higher Credit Risk** – Since high-yield bonds are typically rated below investment grade or are unrated and as such are often subject to a higher risk of issuer default;
- e) Vulnerability to Economic Cycles** – During economic downturns such high-yield bonds typically fall more in value than investment grade bonds as (i) investors become more risk averse and (ii) default risk rises.
- f) Other Key Risk** that may relate to the relevant Fund including concentration of investments in particular types of specialized debt or a specific geographical region or foreign securities.

Risks associated with Callable / Puttable Bonds – If one of the strategies of the Fund is to invest in callable/ puttable bonds or debt securities, the Fund may be exposed to events that may result in early unscheduled return of principal on bonds. Investors should note that the Fund may not be able to reinvest the amounts received, into other suitable bonds with returns as favorable as that of the pre-existing bonds.

Risks associated with Perpetual Bonds – If one of the strategies of the Fund is to invest in perpetual bonds or debt securities, the Fund may be exposed to a particularly high duration and are very susceptible to fluctuations in interest rates as compared to normal bonds. Investors should note that the interest pay-out of these types of bonds depends on the viability of the issuer in the long term. Perpetual Bonds generally have no maturity date, a steady stream of interest rate, lower liquidity and many different technical features. Investors need to exercise caution in dealing with such Funds.

Risks associated with Convertible Bonds – If one of the strategies of the Fund is to invest in convertible bonds or debt securities, the Fund may be exposed to a risk profile that closely resembles that of common stock. Convertible Bonds give the bondholder an option to convert the notional of the bonds into common stock at a predetermined strike price. Investors should note that such Funds are subject to investment risks of both common stock and bonds.

Risks associated with Contingent Capital / Convertible Bonds – If one of the strategies of the Fund is to invest in contingent capital / convertible bonds or debt securities, the Fund may be exposed to a higher Issuer credit risk in general and may lose the value of their investment substantially as a result of occurrence of the trigger event. Contingent Convertible Bonds have a contingent write down or loss absorption or conversion feature that allow the bonds to be written off, fully or partially, or converted to other type of assets on the occurrence of a trigger event.

Risks associated with Extendable Bonds – In case one of the strategies of the Fund is to invest in extendable bonds or debt securities, the Fund may be exposed to extendable maturity dates and investors would not have a definite schedule of principal repayment.

Risks associated with Variable-Rate Bonds – In case one of the strategies of the Fund is to invest in variable-rate bonds or debt securities, the Fund may be exposed to variable and/or deferral of interest payment terms and investors would face uncertainty over the amount and time of the interest payments to be received.

Key Risk

Risks associated with Subordinated Bonds – In case one of the strategies of the Fund is to invest in subordinated bonds or debt securities, the Fund may be exposed to subordinated ranking and in the event of liquidation or insolvency of the Issuer, investors would only be entitled to be paid after other senior creditors are paid.

QFII/ RQFII Risks – Some Funds may invest in A-Shares directly in the People's Republic of China ("PRC") through a Qualified Foreign Institutional Investors ("QFII") or Renminbi Qualified Foreign Institutional Investor ("RQFII") quota. Investor should note that the availability of QFII/RQFII investment quota and any restrictions or any change in the QFII/RQFII laws and regulations may adversely impair the ability of the Fund to achieve its investment objective. Concentration risks (which result in greater volatility) and Chinese tax law may be applicable given investments in single country, Mainland China. Repayment of principal or dividend payment may not be guaranteed.

These Funds may invest in bonds or debt instruments. Changes in interest rate or macro-economic policies in China may adversely impact. In the event of a default or credit rating downgrade of issuers, the Fund may have difficulty in valuation and delay in enforcing its rights against the issuers in Mainland China not subject to Hong Kong / Singapore laws. Some of the bonds or debt instruments may be subject to higher credit risks and lower liquidity because they may be rated below investment grade and the investment grade rating may be assigned by a local credit rating agency without transparency and international rating standard in Mainland China. Mainland China's bond market is still in a stage of development and bid/offer spread may be high. It may not be able to sell at advantageous prices in absence of active secondary market. If sizable redemption requests are received, it may need to liquidate at a discount and suffer losses.

Because the QFII quota is denominated in currency other than Renminbi (RMB), the Fund may need to remit the said into the PRC and then convert into RMB in order to invest in the A-Shares, hence the Fund is subjected to additional currency risk.

Risks associated with Asset-backed Securities ("ABS") – An asset-backed security is a generic term for a debt security issued by corporations or other entities (including public or local authorities) backed or collateralised by the income stream from an underlying pool of assets. The underlying assets typically include loans, leases or receivables (such as credit card debt, automobile loans and student loans). An asset-backed security is usually issued in a number of different classes with varying characteristics depending on the riskiness of the underlying assets assessed by reference to their credit quality and term and can be issued at a fixed or a floating rate. The higher the risk contained in the class, the more the asset-backed security pays by way of income. The obligations associated with these securities may be subject to greater credit, liquidity and interest rate risk compared to other fixed income securities such as government issued bonds. ABS and MBS are often exposed to extension risk (where obligations on the underlying assets are not paid on time) and prepayment risks (where obligations on the underlying assets are paid earlier than expected), these risks may have a substantial impact on the timing and size of the cashflows paid by the securities and may negatively impact the returns of the securities. The average life of each individual security may be affected by a large number of factors such as the existence and frequency of exercise of any optional redemption and mandatory prepayment, the prevailing level of interest rates, the actual default rate of the underlying assets, the timing of recoveries and the level of rotation in the underlying assets.

Key Risk

Risks associated with Distressed Securities – Investment in a security issued by a company that is either in default or in high risk of default (“Distressed Securities”) involves significant risk. Such investments will only be made when the fund manager believes either that the security trades at a materially different level from the fund manager’s perception of fair value or that it is reasonably likely that the issuer of the securities will make an exchange offer or will be the subject of a plan of reorganisation; however, there can be no assurance that such an exchange offer will be made or that such a plan of reorganisation will be adopted or that any securities or other assets received in connection with such an exchange offer or plan of reorganisation will not have a lower value or income potential than anticipated when the investment was made. In addition, a significant period of time may pass between the time at which the investment in Distressed Securities is made and the time that any such exchange, offer or plan of reorganisation is completed. During this period, it is unlikely that any interest payments on the Distressed Securities will be received, there will be significant uncertainty as to whether fair value will be achieved or not and the exchange offer or plan of reorganisation will be completed, and there may be a requirement to bear certain expenses to protect the investing Fund’s interest in the course of negotiations surrounding any potential exchange or plan of reorganisation. Furthermore, constraints on investment decisions and actions with respect to Distressed Securities due to tax considerations may affect the return realised on the Distressed Securities. Some Funds may invest in securities of issuers that are encountering a variety of financial or earnings problems and represent distinct types of risks. A Fund’s investments in equity or fixed income transferable securities of companies or institutions in weak financial condition may include issuers with substantial capital needs or negative net worth or issuers that are, have been or may become, involved in bankruptcy or reorganisation proceedings.

Risks associated with Small Capitalisation Companies – The securities of smaller companies may be subject to more abrupt or erratic market movements than larger, more established companies or the market average in general. These companies may have limited product lines, markets or financial resources, or they may be dependent on a limited management group. Full development of those companies takes time. In addition, many small company stocks trade less frequently and in smaller volume, and may be subject to more abrupt or erratic price movements than stocks of large companies. The securities of small companies may also be more sensitive to market changes than the securities of large companies. These factors may result in above-average fluctuations in the Net Asset Value of a Fund’s Shares.

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Emerging Markets Risk – Emerging markets are typically those of poorer or less developed countries which exhibit lower levels of economic and/or capital market development, and higher levels of share price and currency volatility. Amongst these, those which exhibit the lowest levels of economic and/or capital market development may be referred to as frontier markets, and the below mentioned risks may be amplified for these markets. Some emerging markets governments exercise substantial influence over the private economic sector and the political and social uncertainties that exist for many developing countries are particularly significant. Another risk common to most such countries is that the economy is heavily export oriented and, accordingly, is dependent upon international trade. The existence of overburdened infrastructures and inadequate financial systems also presents risks in certain countries, as do environmental problems. In adverse social and political circumstances, governments have been involved in policies of expropriation, confiscatory taxation, nationalisation, intervention in the securities market and trade settlement, and imposition of foreign investment restrictions and exchange controls, and these could be repeated in the future. In addition to withholding taxes on investment income, some emerging markets may impose capital gains taxes on foreign investors. Generally accepted accounting, auditing and financial reporting practices in emerging markets may be significantly different from those in developed markets. Compared to mature markets, some emerging markets may have a low level of regulation, enforcement of regulations and monitoring of investors' activities. Those activities may include practices such as trading on material non-public information by certain categories of investor. The securities markets of developing countries are not as large as the more established securities markets and have substantially less trading volume, resulting in a lack of liquidity and high price volatility. There may be a high concentration of market capitalisation and trading volume in a small number of issuers representing a limited number of industries as well as a high concentration of investors and financial intermediaries. These factors may adversely affect the timing and pricing of a Fund's acquisition or disposal of securities. Practices in relation to the settlement of securities transactions in emerging markets involve higher risks than those in developed markets, in part because the Company will need to use brokers and counterparties which are less well capitalised, and custody and registration of assets in some countries may be unreliable. Delays in settlement could result in investment opportunities being missed if a Fund is unable to acquire or dispose of a security. The Depositary is responsible for the proper selection and supervision of its correspondent banks in all relevant markets in accordance with Luxembourg law and regulation. In certain emerging markets, registrars are not subject to effective government supervision nor are they always independent from issuers. Investors should therefore be aware that the Funds concerned could suffer loss arising from these registration problems.

RISKS RELATING TO BULLION LINKED TRANSACTIONS

POLITICAL AND ECONOMIC RISKS

Base metals, such as copper, lead zinc, tin, nickel and aluminum and bullion such as gold, silver, platinum and palladium are often produced in emerging market countries and used by industrialised nations. These emerging market countries are more exposed to the risk of swift political change and economic downturns than their industrialised counterparts. There can be no assurance that future political changes will not adversely affect the economic conditions of an emerging market country. Political or economic instability may affect investor confidence, which could in turn have a negative impact on the value of such commodities.

PRICE SOURCES

BOS as the Calculation Agent may on any day be unable to determine a commodity reference price or a bullion reference price from the price source, due to market conditions including but not limited to (i) market volatility; (ii) market liquidity (as discussed below); (iii) regulatory or artificial market limitations; and (iv) the occurrence of a market disruption event. In these circumstances, BOS as the Calculation Agent will make the relevant determinations applicable to the relevant transaction.

Key Risk

SINGLE COMMODITY PRICES TEND TO BE MORE VOLATILE THAN, AND MAY NOT CORRELATE WITH, THE PRICES OF COMMODITIES IN GENERAL

Base metal prices and bullion prices are highly volatile. Price movements in the kinds of base metals by reference to which BOS will determine a commodity reference price and the types of bullion by reference to which BOS will determine a bullion reference price are influenced by, among other things, interest rates, changing market supply and demand relationships, trade, fiscal, monetary and exchange control programmes and policies of governments, and international political and economic events and policies. In addition, governments from time to time intervene, directly and by regulation, in certain markets, particularly those in currencies and commodities. Such intervention is often intended directly to influence prices and may, together with other factors, cause all of such markets to move rapidly in the same direction because of, among other things, interest rate fluctuations.

In relation to any commodity transactions or bullion transactions, you should be aware that due to the volatility of the base metals and precious metals markets, a loss may be incurred from transacting in base metals or bullion. Due to their fluctuating nature, the prices of base metals and bullion may rise or fall beyond your expectations and your investment may increase or decrease in value as a result of selling and purchasing these. Changes in the market price of bullion may not lead to an exact corresponding change in the value of your investments under this transaction. You should also note that neither base metals nor bullion bear interest.

INVESTMENTS RELATED TO THE PRICE OF BULLION MAY BE MORE VOLATILE THAN TRADITIONAL SECURITIES INVESTMENTS

The bullion markets are subject to numerous factors that interrelate in complex ways which might cause, increase or reduce price volatility including, but not limited to:

- a) disruptions in the supply chain, from mining to storage to smelting or refining;
- b) adjustments to inventory;
- c) variations in production costs, including storage, labour and energy costs;
- d) costs associated with regulatory compliance, including environmental regulations;
- e) changes in industrial, government and consumer demand, both in individual consuming nations and internationally;
- f) precious metal leasing rates;
- g) foreign exchange rates;
- h) level of economic growth and inflation; and
- i) degree to which consumers, governments, corporate and financial institutions hold any type of physical bullion as a safe haven asset (hoarding) which may be caused by a banking crisis/recovery, a rapid change in the value of other assets (both financial and physical) or changes in the level of geopolitical tension, and as such there is the possibility that a loss will be incurred from an investment or holding in bullion.

The relevant precious metal or precious metal reference price could change in value substantially in response to specific precious metals related, interest rate, economic or general market news or developments affecting the precious metal and this could pose a significant event risk.

ENTERING INTO THIS TRANSACTION IS NOT THE SAME AS OWNING BULLION OR BULLION-RELATED FUTURES CONTRACTS DIRECTLY

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Key Risk

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