

# K Asian Smaller Companies Equity Fund

K-ASIA

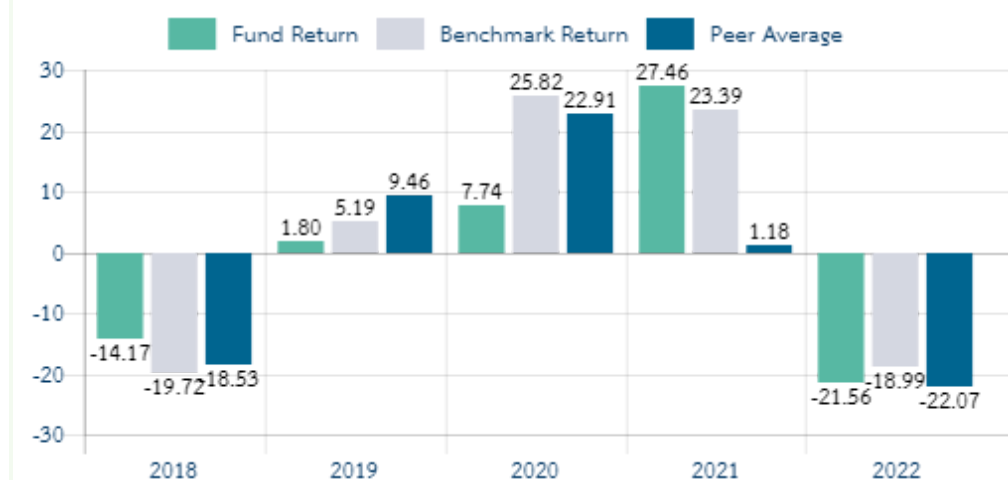
## Fund Type / AIMC Category

- Foreign Equity Fund / Feeder Fund
- Asia Pacific Ex Japan

## Investment Policy and Strategy

- The Fund mainly invests in Templeton Asian Smaller Companies – Class I (Master Fund) which aims to achieve long-term capital appreciation by investing primarily in small cap companies incorporated in the Asia region (except Japan) or whose principal business activity is in the Asia region.
- The Fund will use derivatives to hedge against exchange rate risk at least 75% of foreign exposure.
- The Management Company of the Master Fund is Franklin Templeton International Services S.à r.l.
- Seek to track performance of the Master Fund which applies active management strategy.

## Calendar Year Performance (% p.a.)



## Fund Performance (%)

	YTD	3 Months	6 Months	1 Year *
Fund Return	2.97	-3.09	14.81	-5.04
Benchmark Return	3.30	-2.28	13.45	-6.86
Peer Average	0.28	-5.54	11.52	-10.66
Fund Standard Deviation	11.66	11.98	13.56	16.81
Benchmark Standard Deviation	11.25	12.01	12.77	15.57
	3 Years *	5 Years *	10 Years *	Since Inception *
Fund Return	13.99	-0.75	N/A	3.73
Benchmark Return	14.82	2.14	N/A	4.22
Peer Average	3.95	-2.29	N/A	N/A
Fund Standard Deviation	16.75	18.08	N/A	15.05
Benchmark Standard Deviation	15.02	16.41	N/A	14.52

Remark : \* % p.a.

## Risk Profile

Low 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 High

High Risk

Mainly invest in equities on average not less than 80% of NAV.

## Fund Information

Inception Date	8 Nov 13
Dividend Payment Policy	Yes, not more than 4 times each year. (Book closing at the end of January, April, July, and October)
Fund Maturity	Indefinite

## Fund Manager

Miss Choonhawan Kattinanon (14 Mar 16)

## Benchmark :

1. MSCI AC Asia Ex Japan Small Cap USD Net Index (100.00%)  
(90% adjusted by the cost of exchange rate risk hedging and converted to Thai Baht at the date of return calculation and 10% adjusted by exchange rate converted to Thai Baht at the date of return calculation)

## Warning:

- Investment in Mutual Fund is not bank deposit.
- Past performance is not indicative of future results.

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Thailand Fund Asia Pacific ex-Japan Equity

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 Business hours : 08:30 a.m. - 03:30 p.m.  
 Min. initial subscription : 500 Baht  
 Min. subsequent subscription : 500 Baht

Remark :

**Redemption**

Redemption date : Every trading day  
 Business hours : 08:30 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.  
 Min. redemption : 500 Baht  
 Min. account balance : 50 Baht  
 Settlement period : T+4  
 (NAV Announce T+2, Settlement T+4 from 10 a.m.)

**Statistical Data**

Maximum Drawdown	-49.41 %
Recovering Period	10.39 Month
FX Hedging	89.72 %
Portfolio Turnover Ratio	0.04
Sharpe Ratio	0.89
Alpha	-0.83 %
Beta	0.69

**Fees charged to the Fund (% p.a. of NAV)**

Fees	Max.	Actual
Management Fee	3.2100	1.2840
Total Fee	4.0125	1.4237

Remark : All Fees include VAT, specific business taxes, and other taxes.

• KAsset may consider changing the actual fees charged to reflect strategy or administrative costs.

**Fees charged to unitholders (% of trading value)**

Fees	Max.	Actual
Front-end Fee	3.00	1.50
Back-end Fee	3.00	Waived
Switching-in Fee	See Remark	
Switching-out Fee	See Remark	
Transfer Fee	Actual charged	Waived

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• Switching Fee : Equal to the higher rate between the back-end fee of switch-out fund and the front-end fee of switch-in fund.

**Country Breakdown**

Country	% NAV
INDIA	30.40
TAIWAN	21.21
KOREA, REPUBLIC OF	12.98
CHINA	12.25
VIET NAM	6.61

Master Fund Information as of 30 Apr 23

**Sector Breakdown**

Sector	% NAV
Information Technology	25.30
Consumer Discretionary	22.67
Financials	18.39
Industrials	9.78
Materials	7.41

Master Fund Information as of 30 Apr 23

**Asset Allocation**

Asset Type	% NAV	Security	% NAV
Unit Trust	96.26	Templeton Asian Smaller Companies	96.26
Deposit	2.15	Fund - I(acc) USD	
Others	1.59	Deposit (TMBThanachart Bank Pcl.)	2.14
		Deposit (Kasikorn Bank Pcl.)	0.01

**Master Fund**

Security	% NAV
BAJAJ HOLDINGS & INVESTMENT LTD	6.32
FEDERAL BANK LTD	4.12
NOVATEK MICROELECTRONICS CORP	3.45
INTERNATIONAL CONTAINER TERMINAL SERVICES INC	3.42
MOMO.COM INC	3.28

Master Fund Information as of 30 Apr 23

**Investment in other funds more than 20% (domestic funds and/or foreign funds)**Fund Name : [Templeton Asian Smaller Companies, Class I \(USD\)](#)

ISIN Code : LU0390136223

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**Description**

**Maximum Drawdown** is the percentage of the fund's maximum loss in the past 5 years (or since the fund's inception if it is launched for less than 5 years) which is measured from the highest NAV per unit to the lowest NAV per unit during such period. Maximum Drawdown is an indicator of the risk of loss from investing in the fund.

**Recovering Period** is the length of time that the fund takes in recovering from the point of maximum loss to earning back the initial investment.

**FX Hedging** is the percentage of foreign currency investment with FX hedging.

**Portfolio Turnover Ratio (PTR)** is the frequency of securities trading in the fund portfolio over a certain period, calculated by taking the lower value between the sum of the value of securities purchased and the sum of the value of securities sold of the fund in 1 year period divided by the average NAV in the same period.

A fund with high Portfolio Turnover Ratio indicates frequent securities trading by fund manager resulting in high trading costs. Therefore, it is necessary to compare with the performance of the fund in order to assess the worthiness of such securities trading.

**Sharpe Ratio** is the ratio between marginal return of the fund compared to investment risk, calculated from the difference between the fund's rate of return and risk-free rate compared to the fund's standard deviation. Sharpe Ratio reflects the additional return that the fund should earn to compensate risk. A fund with higher Sharpe Ratio is considered having superior investment management efficiency as it generates higher marginal return under the same risk level.

**Alpha** is the fund's excess return compared to the benchmark. High Alpha means the fund can generate higher return than the benchmark resulting from fund manager's efficiency in selecting securities or seeking appropriate market timing.

**Beta** is level and direction of change in return of securities in portfolio in comparison to market price change. Beta of less than 1 indicates that the change in return of securities in portfolio is less than the overall market. Beta of more than 1 indicates that the change in return of securities in portfolio is greater than the overall market.

**Tracking Error** is the efficiency of the fund to imitate its return to benchmark. Low Tracking Error means the fund is effective in generating return close to benchmark. High Tracking Error means the fund generates return more deviate from benchmark.

**Yield to Maturity** is the rate of return earned on a bond held to maturity, calculated from the interest expected to receive in the future over that bond duration and paid back principal discounted to the present value. It is used to measure return of fixed income funds by calculating the weighted average of Yield to Maturity of each bond that the fund invests. As Yield to Maturity has standard unit in percentage per annum, it can be used to compare the returns between fixed income funds that have an investment policy of holding bonds until maturity and similar investment characteristics.

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