KASIKORN ASSET MANAGEMENT CO., LTD.

# K Japanese Equity Index Fund-A(A)

# K-JPX-A(A)

#### Fund Type / AIMC Category

- Foreign Equity Fund / Index Fund / Feeder Fund
- Japan Equity

## Investment Policy and Strategy

- The Fund mainly invests in NEXT FUNDS TOPIX Exchange Traded Fund (Master Fund) which is the ETF listed on Tokyo Stock Exchange, aims to track the performance of the TOPIX by investing all, or substantially all of its assets, in stocks that are included or are due to be included in the TOPIX.
- 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 Nomura Asset Management Co., Ltd.
- Seek to track performance of the Master Fund which applies passive management strategy.

#### Calendar Year Performance (% p.a.) Fund Return Benchmark Return 30 25.9625.65 20.35 16.79 14.87 20 11.2110.52 10.09 10 5.74 6.63 6.73 -4.00 7.40 -10 -10.31 -20 2020 2021 2022 2023 2019

# Risk Profile Low 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 High High Risk Mainly invest in equities on average not less than 80%

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

## **Fund Information**

Inception Date 27 Apr 16
Class Launch Date 27 Apr 16
Dividend Payment Policy No
Fund Maturity Indefinite

## Fund Manager

Miss Sutheewan Phongtratik (9 Jan 23)

#### Benchmark:

1. Tokyo Stock Exchange Tokyo Price 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)

### Fund Performance (%)

	YTD	3 Months	6 Months	1 Year *
Fund Return	17.11	17.11	19.46	38.18
Benchmark Return	16.96	16.96	19.55	38.82
Peer Average	14.47	14.47	18.10	30.40
Fund Standard Deviation	12.10	12.10	14.45	13.20
Benchmark Standard Deviation	13.22	13.22	15.18	13.95
	3 Years *	5 Years *	10 Years *	Since Inception *
Fund Return	13.17	12.69	N/A	10.24
Benchmark Return	11.81	11.65	N/A	8.97
Peer Average	7.10	10.05	N/A	N/A
Fund Standard Deviation	14.70	16.30	N/A	15.89
Benchmark Standard Deviation	15.47	16.66	N/A	16.45
Remark: * % p.a.				

### Warning:

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

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Thailand Fund Japan Equity

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Liquidity Risk Management
Tools in the prospectus.



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## Subscription

Subscription date : Every trading day Business hours : 08:30 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.

Min. initial subscription : 500 Baht Min. subsequent subscription : 500 Baht

## 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+3

(NAV Announce T+1, Settlement T+3 from 10 a.m.)

#### Remark:

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

Fees	Max.	Actual	
Management Fee	3.2100	0.5350	
Total Fee	4.0125	0.8447	

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	1.50	Waived
Back-end Fee	1.50	0.15
Brokerage fee-In	0.75	0.10
Brokerage fee-Out	0.75	Waived
Switching-in Fee	See Remark	
Switching-out Fee	See Remark	
Transfer Fee	Actual charged	Waived

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.
- Brokerage Fee-In will be charged only on subscription order and delivered to the Fund.
- 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.

Asset Allocation		Top 5 Holdings	
Asset Type	% NAV	Security	% NAV
Unit Trust	97.94	Next Funds Topix Exchange Traded	97.94
Deposit	3.27	Fund	
Others	-1.22	Deposit (Siam Commercial Bank)	2.90
		Deposit (Euroclear)	0.38

Master Fund	
Security	% NAV
TOYOTA MOTOR CORPORATION	5.10
MITSUBISHI UFJ FINANCIAL GROUP,INC.	2.30
SONY GROUP CORPORATION	2.30
TOKYO ELECTRON LIMITED	2.10
MITSUBISHI CORPORATION	1.70
Master Fund Information as of 29 Mar 24	

#### Statistical Data

Maximum Drawdown -30.40 % Recovering Period 8.09 Month FX Hedging 92.09 % Portfolio Turnover Ratio 0.34 Sharpe Ratio 0.90 Alpha 1.36 % Beta 0.94 Tracking Error 2.13 %

#### Sector Breakdown

Sector	% NAV
Electric Appliances	16.80
TRANSPORTATION EQUIPMENT	9.20
WHOLESALE TRADE	7.20
BANKS	7.20
INFORMATION & COMMUNICATION	7.00
Master Fund Information as of 29 Mar 24	



Investment in other funds more than 20% (domestic funds and/or foreign funds)

Fund Name: NEXT FUNDS TOPIX Exchange Traded Fund

ISIN Code: JP3027630007 Bloomberg Code: 1306:JP

#### 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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