



## **Asian Companies Fund**

Providing our highest conviction Asia-ex Japan opportunities in a concentrated, unconstrained, benchmark-unaware portfolio.

# Fund profile



### Meet the Manager

#### Kevin Bertoli

Kevin joined PM Capital in 2006 and has managed the PM Capital Asian Companies Fund since inception in 2008.

Kevin is a member of the 9 person-strong PM Capital Investment Team which is made up of portfolio managers and analysts with deep experience.

#### Kevin's experience

PM Capital - 15 years

#### Team's experience (average)

Industry - 21 years

PM Capital - 13 years

## Why invest in the Fund?





#### Asia-specific

The Fund invests in companies listed or operating in Asia, giving unrestricted exposure to the world's fastest-growing region.

#### **Differentiated strategy**

A concentrated portfolio of 15-35 quality Asian companies that we believe are trading at prices different to their intrinsic values.

As contrarian investors, we scan for anomalies in the market that many investors may overlook. When found, we invest with conviction. As a result, the Fund offers different Asian equity opportunities to traditional benchmark-aware managers.



#### Deep experience

The Fund's process has been shown to be effective, based on a philosophy developed by Paul Moore over 30 years. This has produced attractive long term capital growth.



#### **Unrestricted**

We have an authentic investment process where our exposure to countries, industry sectors or market capitalisation is determined solely by our conviction in the risk/ reward opportunities that we identify in individual stocks.



#### **Co-investment**

The management team have significant investments in the Fund – they invest for and with you.

"Our approach to Asia concentrates on the long term. We continue to believe Asia will remain the epicentre for global growth into the foreseeable future, as it has been for the better part of the last two decades. While growth in the US and Europe has been largely a function of a recovery from severe cyclical corrections, Asia provides one of the best places with consistent structural growth underpinning GDP. Most of the growth drivers will remain, regardless of current debates."

Kevin Bertoli





### **Fund objective**

To provide investors long term capital growth through its investment in companies in the Asian ex-Japan region and to outperform the greater of the MSCI All Country Asia (ex-Japan) Net Index (AUD) or RBA cash rate over rolling seven-year periods.

The Fund is not intended to replicate the index.

## Exposure

Gain access to companies situated in or exposed to the world's growth engine – Asia

## **Capital growth**

Provided by a demonstrated, focused, patient and considered process.

## A long term approach

The recommended investment time is seven years plus, reflecting our long term approach.

## Diversity

The potential for returns may be significantly different to those provided by the index and more traditional Asian equity funds.

#### Investment product ratings



The Fund is available on most platforms. See our website for a full list.

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#### **Key Fund Facts**

Fund category Asian equities (Long only)

Investment style Fundamental, bottomup research-intensive approach

Inception date 1 July 2008

Fund size \$23.3 Million

**Strategy size** \$88.6 Million

Number of stocks As a quide, 15-35 stocks

**Currency** Actively managed (A\$ base)

Minimum direct \$20.000

Recommended investment time

Seven years plus

Fees (pa) Management fee: 1.40%

Buy/ sell spread +/-0.25%

**Dealing frequency** Daily

APIR Code PMC0002AU

#### **Further Information**

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