

LONG ONLY ABSOLUTE RETURN INVESTING IN ASIA

Prusik Asia Fund

Quarterly Investment Report 31 December 2011

FOR PROFESSIONAL INVESTORS ONLY

INVESTMENT OBJECTIVE

To preserve capital and generate absolute returns over a full economic cycle by investing in listed equities in Asia Pacific Ex-Japan, whilst maintaining portfolio volatility significantly below the peer group.

INVESTMENT PROCESS

With anomalies as a start point, the investment process seeks to identify and invest in key 'themes' in the Pacific region. Our themes are driven by factors outside of normal economic cycle and are not yet discounted by the market. Companies are identified and chosen via rigorous bottom-up analysis with emphasis on traditional value and high ROCE. Cash and Index Futures are used when opportunities are few and to reduce portfolio volatility.

FUND MANAGER

Heather Manners - Partner

Appointed Head of Henderson Asia and GEM team in 1996 after which FUM tripled to USD5bn. Her flagship product was the S&P 3 Star rated Pacific Capital Growth Fund (long only) which she ran from 1990. The two main features of this fund were sub market risk for superior market returns. On the back of this fund she designed and launched the Henderson Asia Absolute Return Fund in 2000 (long/short) and managed it until 2002.

Heather has been running money in Asia for over 25 years. At some stage during her career she managed every type of asset class offered by Henderson, including short list portfolios and assets for a 5 star Morningstar rated Small Companies Fund.

4th Quarter Review

2011 was a miserable year for Asian stocks with the MSCI Asia Pacific Index ex-Japan falling 18% which partly explains the performance of the Prusik Asia Fund. The final quarter was particularly disappointing when the fund lost 5% as, due to our defensive positioning and cash weighting, we failed to make gains in the strong up month of October. 2011 was an exceptionally volatile year where owning defensives was really the only winning strategy. Our thematic approach, mid-cap orientation and more growth orientated style was swamped by the market's overall risk aversion and wild gyrations. We did have some areas of success, notably the telecoms sector which performed very strongly throughout the year.

In this report we want to focus on 2012. There is an old saying 'Don't fight the Fed' but it is likely to be applicable to all central banks. The European Central Bank program to lend unlimited three year money to the banks is a form of quantitative easing. Emerging market banks are already joining the fray with four cutting rates and more are expected to join soon. Inflation is gradually falling. Moreover, this is taking place against a backdrop of very attractive valuations in Asia (see below) and many signs that economic growth is not just a feature of our past. Signs of life in the US economy are important but there is also plenty elsewhere to get excited about. Asia's stock markets could step away from the fears and news flow volatility from the Eurozone and respond to the regional news and demonstrable value.

In 2012, we are setting out our stall as follows:

- We think the liquidity environment will be better in 2012 than in 2011.
- There is unlikely to be a resolution in Europe (such as fiscal unity) until later in the year at the earliest, so the current status quo remains.
- Asian valuations suggest likely upside from here. Furthermore, if shares and hence valuations were to fall a further 20% then we would be at *all time* historic valuation lows and would have reached levels where is has *always* been correct to ignore the macro picture and buy stocks. As such, the risk/reward is favorably skewed with the risk on the downside now looking smaller than the potential upside.
- At current valuations we believe there is over 40% upside to Hong Kong and China and well over 100% upside in Vietnam. Other ASEAN markets such as the Philippines warrant at least 15%-20% upside from here.
- Smaller companies fell on average 30% in 2011, so there is also extreme value in this segment of the market.

Within the region the most expensive set of stocks are the defensives. Although the relative performance of these has fallen in January to date, they remain well held by investors and there is better value elsewhere. Owing to this, we have made some portfolio changes, some of which have taken place in January. These include reducing the telecoms weighting in favour of increasing cheap cyclicals with good franchise businesses, such as China brands **Lenovo** (half the market cap in cash!) and **Haier** as well as **Anhui Expressway** and **Jiangsu Expressway**. We are totally focused on quality, value, competitive position and high ROE. We have a very selective group of areas which we believe will do well in 2012 all of which are discussed below. We are currently positioning the portfolio to make maximum benefit from these areas. We expect to keep cash between 5%-15% and futures are unlikely to reduce net exposure to below 40%. At the end of the repositioning we expect to have the following weightings:

- Hong Kong and China: 35%-40% based on the attractive value of companies and expectations of policy softening in China.
- ASEAN: 45%-55% based on the extreme value and upside potential in Vietnam and the Philippines and strong demographic and domestic economic environment in Thailand and Malaysia.
- Gold: 5%-10%based on the likely move towards money creation in the absence of anything else
 working in the West and Asian governments' voracious appetite for increasing gold as a share of
 foreign reserves.
- **Technology: 5%-10%** based on the strong handset and Gallium Arsenide themes and the sector is attractive valuations of the sector after a bad 2011.

Thematically, we remain very keen on domestic consumption but must emphasise that this does not include the expensive consumer staples companies nor the widely held luxury brands. Instead we have significant exposure to **Casinos**, **Tourism**, including **Air Travel** (a more cyclical and value driven choice), **Domestic Brands**, **Toll Roads**, and some **Property**, **Banks** and **Construction** in the Frontier Markets. We expect to be fully positioned in the coming month.

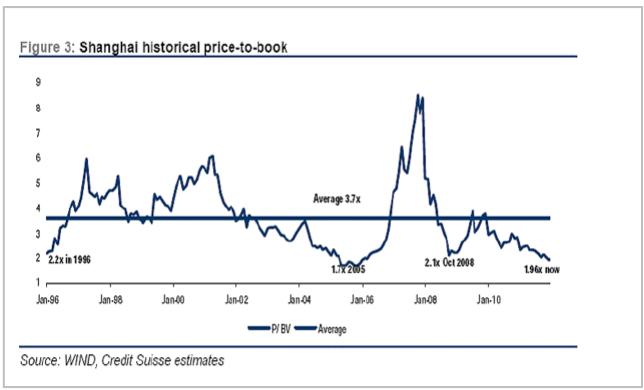
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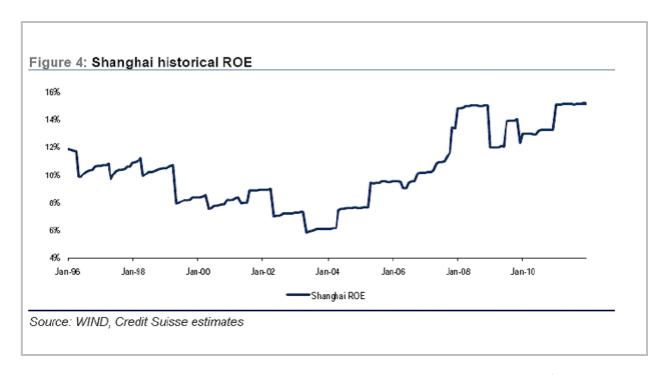
It will be important to approach China with a light touch this year. There can be little debate that digging deeply into the underbelly of China's debt situation, bank loan quality, housing supply or future viability as a cheap source of manufacturing for the world, yields worrying stuff. Indeed, we have been struck in particular by a recent anomaly that Phillips has announced it is taking a significant portion of its manufacturing away from China and back to the Netherlands, citing that a product engineer in Shanghai is now the same cost as one in Drachten, whilst China's employee turnover is too high to remain sustainable. China needs to reappraise its situation and effect some deep changes.

However, there are a few reasons to be a little more equivocal this year about China's outlook and in particular the stock market. Firstly, there can be no doubt that small medium enterprises (SMEs) are struggling and some kind of relief will be afforded by the government, possibly via tax reform or by less tight, but quite directed, fiscal and monetary measures. Secondly, the possible routes for stimulating the economy generally have narrowed, ruling out property and infrastructure and making a return to the policy of a heavily undervalued currency and aggressive exports unlikely or unviable. Although we believe that the inflation outlook will become sufficiently benign that the government could stimulate aggressively we think it is unlikely unless unemployment rises sharply. Instead they will focus on particular issues such as the heavy outflows of capital we are seeing.

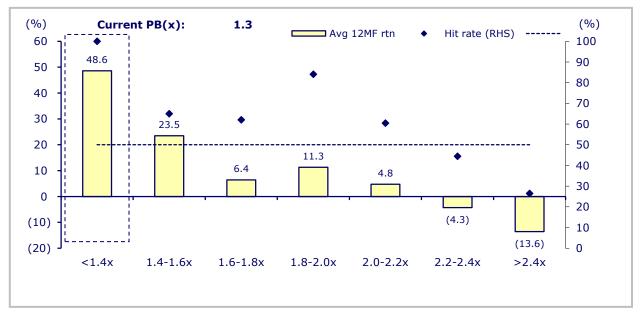
This means we are very likely to see some positive changes in the financial services and savings environment. To this end, the Chinese government will be pushing on an open door. Below are charts of the P/B and PE of the Shanghai Index, which stands close to its all time low. Indeed, the PE of the index, now at 12.9x 2012 earnings, has never been lower while ROE is at 15.1% which compares well with 9.5% in 2005 when the market reached its historic P/B low.







Furthermore, CLSA has carried out some research regarding the current low valuation of shares in Hong Kong. They observe that since 1993 whenever the P/B has fallen to below 1.4x (and it is currently at 1.3x) there is a 100% probability of a 48% or more return in the subsequent year. Of course the past is no guide to the future but the simple observation is that valuations are compellingly low and so any change of wind direction in government policy to something more supportive could have a disproportionate impact on share prices.



Source: CLSA

Technology Themes

We have selected a very small handful of technology themes for 2012, taking care that the areas we are looking at not only benefit from some secular and extraordinary shift in growth and demand, but also that the companies we invest in have very strong competitive positions and are attractively valued. Although we expect smartphone handset shipments to increase over 40% year on year in 2012 and for WIFI growth to reach nearly 30%, growth in itself is not enough. We recognize that touch screen and battery life are both interesting areas but now suffer from having a number of capable players. The most exciting technology franchises with effective barriers to entry at the most attractive valuations are to be found in the supply chains for **OLED** and **Gallium Arsenide**.

We are also expecting a massive disruption in the TV market. This is an area which has managed to resist change but internet and TV will converge with Apple's and Microsoft's interface softwares, Siri and Kinect, becoming key weapons in the battle. Watch this space in 2012.

Finally, and possibly most importantly of all, apps have snuck into everyday life but we do not perhaps fully appreciate that in 5 or 10 years from now we will see their creation as one of the most important technological innovations of the age! Apps stores have democratised the writing of software, enabling anyone anywhere (even in North Korea, in fact!) who solves a problem or sees an opportunity to use freely provided tools to create a product that tens of millions can buy, instantly, anywhere. They are hugely efficient and massively deflationary and their impact will be seen to have been momentous.

Life's a GaAs

Gallium Arsenide (GaAs) is a semiconducting material used in the radio part of mobile phones and WIFI. Specifically, it is used in power amplifiers. Strictly speaking, the first sentence should have read 'the semiconducting material' as analysts say there is no competing substrate that can do the same job nearly as efficiently. Low end smartphones phones with poor efficiency will simply use silicone for the same purpose. Furthermore, as the WIFI networks are upgraded these too will need more GaAs power amplifiers. Beyond that there are new applications coming as well. Forrester Research estimates that by 2016 half of all households in the US will have WIFI enabled devices on their TVs which will, as the world follows, be another massive new source of demand.

So the story here is one of numbers. A feature phone may have about \$1 worth of GaAs components but a low end smartphone may have as much as \$3 worth. Once you move up to 4G, a top end phone can have as much as \$8 worth of GaAs components. With the advent of 4G/LTE handsets this year combined with the growth rate of the smartphone market, which is set to top 40% CAGR this year, the takeoff in demand is just beginning. What is more, this is an industry with very few players. Win Semiconductor, listed in Taiwan, is the largest GaAs foundry in the world. It has a five year technology lead over its competitors and counts Apple amongst its customers and yet it has a market cap of only \$700m. Earnings are forecast to rise by 70% in 2012 and it trades on an undemanding PE of 12x. Visual Photonics (VPEC), which is also listed in Taiwan, supplies GaAs epi wafers from which the GaAs components are cut and is a smaller company than Win Semiconductor. It has just announced a 40% month on month increase in sales in December and also trades on an undemanding P/B multiple of under 2x.

Frontier Markets

One Tuesday in August, as markets across the globe fell, stocks on the S&P 500 index traded with the highest correlation co-efficient ever, of 0.84. This was higher even than the previous record of 0.83 set on the Black Monday crash in 1987. In such turbulent times investors have been taught to seek established markets for safety but in August, for example, this was not helpful. On August 15th 2011, the 10 day rolling average of volatility for the S&P500 Index hit a high of 66.8. The same measure for the MSCI All Country World Index reached 46.7 while the MSCI Emerging Markets Index registered 39. The MSCI Frontier Markets Index, however, peaked on the same 10 day volatility measure at just 23.1.

August's example of how Frontier Markets can be uncorrelated when it matters extends to Asia. In August 2011, the S&P fell 5.6%, the developed market heavy MXAPJ All Country Asia ex Japan Index fell 8.9%, while Thailand and Indonesia fell 5.6% and 7.1%, respectively. Vietnam, however, rose a counter intuitive 4.6%!

Frontier Markets often offer healthier fiscal positions (witness ASEAN), more solid economic fundamentals as well as lower volatility and more attractive valuations. Indeed, Frontier Markets are trading on an average 2012 PE of 8.7x earnings (and have an average dividend yield of 5.3%!) versus MSCI Emerging Markets on 9.6x and MSCI World on 11.7x (and a dividend yield of half that in frontier markets!). Frontier Markets account for 15% of global GDP on a purchasing power basis but occupy only 4% of global stock market capitalization and under 0.5% of the MSCI World Index. Only 20% of the 2,500 companies in Frontier Markets are covered by any analysts. Of the world's fastest growing countries 39 out of 45 are Frontier Markets and it's hardly surprising when you look at the demographics. More than 37% of the world's 15-34 year olds live in Frontier Markets which will drive growth rates at well above average. This is coupled with very low debt levels, high savings and the benefits of leapfrogging to the most recent technologies (e.g. mobile penetration is similar to mainstream emerging markets).

Asia has some of the most interesting Frontier Markets: Vietnam, Sri Lanka, Bangladesh, Mongolia and Laos to name a few. But for those who missed the pleasure of watching the emergence of developed Asia over the past 25 years, look no further than Burma, now Myanmar. Whilst in portfolio terms we will all need to be patient, its coming emergence will probably be one of the most speedy and exciting we have seen.

Vietnam

We have written extensively in recent reports about Vietnam but the story gets more intriguing as the stock market continued to fall towards the end of the year, with the Ho Chi Minh Index losing another eye popping 17.7% in the final quarter of 2011. The acute credit crunch and tightening initiated at the start of the year really started to bite and headline inflation numbers around the 20% level did not help. Furthermore, the property sector was squeezed terribly by the government's restrictions on bank lending whilst the banking sector is now undergoing forced restructuring as the government acts to consolidate the small banks with high levels of non performing loans.

BUT the seeming mess that the country is in seems largely to be in the price. Year on year headline inflation numbers remain high but the month on month numbers for the past five months suggest that the annualized inflation rate is in fact well down into single digits. At the end of 1Q 2012, will see the actual year on year comparison rate for Consumer Price Index tumble, which could provide a wake up call to equity investors. Until then, we are likely to see the government retain interest rates at high levels (deposit rates are about 14%) to protect the currency as the restructuring takes place.

At the end of a five year bear market (for that is for how many years Vietnam has been falling, totting up an 87% decline on the Hanoi Index, a good proxy for the median stock) it is bound to be hard to find bulls. Indeed, it is hard to find analysts, stock brokers or even fund managers who have any interest in the country at all.

We visited Vietnam twice in 2011 and are visiting again in February. What we see is a country brimming with potential (location, demographics, resources, size, beaches, work-ethic) and now a government which is steadily tackling the problems. The value that has been created by this year's declines is extraordinary and we have no doubt that Vietnam could enjoy a huge rally as inflation falls and interest rates come down. If the government keeps its course on reforms then Vietnam has the chance to be at the bottom of a proper secular bull market, such as we have seen in Indonesia.

Vietnam Portfolio

As we came to the final few days of December and early January we have taken the first step towards building a small basket of Vietnamese holdings in the fund. We think the biggest question is not if but when the stock market recovers and, at least in the first instance, this is likely to be led by locals. The risks include possibly further currency weakness, corruption scandals, weakening of government resolve and low liquidity. But the top 50 stocks in Vietnam now offer 17.5% EPS growth for 2012 on an average PE of 6.3x. This PE ratio is heavily skewed by half a dozen large and expensive companies, so we are generally being paid to accept such risks. Indeed there are companies so cheap in Vietnam that they pay dividend yields of 50%. Our new holdings cover sectors such as software, fertilizer, sugar, fish farming, jewellery making and bakeries. Our basket averages a 2012 PE of around 4x and our stocks have dividend yields between 5% and 20% for the coming year. We are aiming to have 10%-15% of the portfolio in Vietnam in the belief that when this stock market turns, and it should do so this year as inflation and interest rates fall, it could double.

Myanmar

Asian investors with long memories will harbour plenty of nostalgia for the unbeatable spectacle, not to mention the investment opportunities, of an emerging country transforming to developed status over a couple of decades. Well, we are once again being handed just such an opportunity utterly in the raw. The country in question is Myanmar.

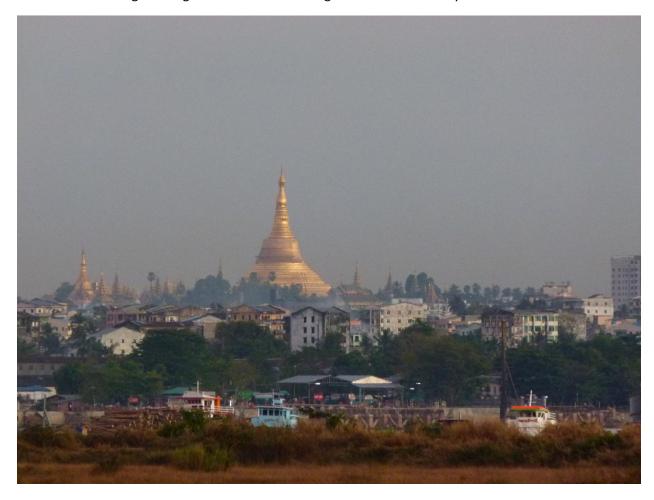
In the 1930s, Myanmar was Asia's largest rice exporter and Asia's second wealthiest country. It has some beautiful but now decrepit buildings to show for it. It has twice the landmass of Vietnam and is 30% larger than Thailand. It has 90% of the world's rubies, 60% of the world's teak reserves, vast quantities of rubber, oil, gas, coal, nickel and some stunning beaches to rival the best in Asia. The country borders with five countries including India and China so the neighbouring population totals 2.6 billion people or 40% of the world's population! The young population of 55 mm people are mostly employed in agriculture and have between them just 500,000 cars (compare this with Thailand which has 24 million cars). Nobody is quite sure what the GDP of Myanmar is but estimates range from \$19bn to \$43bn.

Since the 1930s, Myanmar has endured some pretty shocking times. Demonetisation of some bank notes in 1987 rendered 75% of cash in circulation worthless. Even now the official exchange rate is 120x different from the unofficial one (yes, that is a multiple, not a percentage). The resulting havoc of the political and economic mismanagement means that almost everything needs to be done for example

any traditional banking would be good. In addition telecoms, the exchange rate, tax, land rights, infrastructure – the list goes on – all need be addressed.

However, there are some extraordinary events now taking place in Myanmar and at breakneck speed. As we wrote last year, the new President, Thein Sein, who is known to be less corrupt and a reformist, was elected. Aung Sang Suu Kyi has since been released from house arrest, has met with President Thein Sien (and Hilary Clinton), been photographed in all the newspapers (previously unthinkable in itself) and is expected to be elected to parliament. At Davos 2012 substantial tax breaks for foreign companies investing in Myanmar were announced. Meanwhile, hundreds of political prisoners were released in January and a ceasefire was agreed with the Karan National Union. The civil war had previously endured for over six decades. We expect sanctions will be lifted by most major economies in the very near future.

Whilst there are probably more important decisions to be made at portfolio level (Myanmar has a minute stock market with two companies listed and no turnover) as Myanmar develops the impact on ASEAN will be huge and the speed of change will take all our breaths away. If you want a front row seat for this, travel there soon. Do not hesitate. You can also appreciate the beautiful Shwedagon Pagoda that dominates Yangon and gives the Eiffel Tower a good run for its money!



Source: CLSA Thailand

It's more fun in the Philippines

The Philippines has started 2012 with a splash, not in stock market terms but in marketing ones. The Department of Tourism has launched one of the more innovative and thus amusing tourism campaigns we have seen entitled "More Fun in the Philippines" and starring well known beauty spots and tourist activities. Additionally, anyone can upload any picture to go with the heading and thus create their own advertisement for the Philippines. The result has been so successful that the whole scheme has gone viral. Innovative, international standard content creation is something we are seeing more and more of in Asia and notably this entire campaign was home grown. We love the humour and could not resist showing you an example.



Source - CLSA

But we digress.

As well as clever advertising, the Philippines has much going for it this year, not least a clearly rather more joyful frame of mind than that in the West, an observation which carries a serious point for investors.

The economy is in strong shape as overseas remittances reached \$20bn in 2011 or roughly 10% of GDP and are growing at over 5% per annum. Manufacturing is also growing thanks to outsourcing and the whole sector is growing at 20%. These two segments alone are bringing \$3bn a month into the economy and the consumer is on the rise. The number of high net worth individuals is set to double in the coming three years whilst average income per capita is likely to reach \$2,500 in the same period up from \$2,000 in 2011. There is virtually no consumer debt, seven out of ten people do not even have a credit card and only 3% of the population owns a car. Meanwhile, demographics will also provide longer term growth

momentum. Over 50% of the population is less than 25 years old and the population is growing at 2% per annum.

The banking sector is in great shape to support a structural and prolonged period of growth. Loan growth is running at about 21% per annum and the average bank has a loan/deposit ratio of 62%. The reserve requirement ratio is 21%, one of the highest in the world. Indeed, the Philippine banking system would easily pass muster for Basel III today. Interest rates and the reserve requirement could thus both fall in 2012.

Finally, we expect infrastructure spending, delayed from last year, to pick up. There are sixteen major projects lined up worth some \$2.65bn.

We think the Philippines has the hallmarks of being one of the better performing countries in 2012. The stock market trades on a 2012 PE of 12.7x, which is well below its 10 year average of 15x. It is sufficiently small and under researched to remain off the track for many investors but the locals will likely be enthusiastic for their own market.

Casinos

It is getting to the point that wherever you are in Asia you are not that far from a casino. In the Philippines this will also be the case from mid year. Two additional casino projects will be opened in the second half of 2012 and the expected junket trips and influx from other Asian countries including China could be quite an injection to the tourism industry.

Alliance Global

Alliance Global is a Philippine based holding company with 40% of its EDITDA coming from gaming, the rest comprising mainly property and consumer goods, with the lions share of the latter coming from spirits. All three divisions are enjoying strong growth and with significant expansion coming from the current gaming operations they are also starting work on a new casino this year which will ensure growth beyond the current three year horizon. The stock is trading on a 2012 PE of 10x, down from recent highs on 15x and EPS growth of 20%-30% in 2012 and 2013 will be very supportive.

Nagacorp

Nagacorp, as one of the few ways of gaining exposure to Cambodia, is a company we are particularly excited about. Listed in Hong Kong, this Phnom Penh based casino operator has been growing rapidly. Management are now looking to increase the number of gaming tables from 121 to over 300 and to step up efforts to attract Vietnamese and Thai customers. This, plus plans to build a new casino and a new hotel, as well as adding more luxury shopping facilities should help drive strong growth from here. On a 7x P/E and with a 10% forecast dividend yield we think this looks very attractive.

Gold

In September 2011, China's imports of gold from Hong Kong (a good proxy for the country's overall buying) matched almost half of the entire purchases made in 2010. In October, China increased buying to a level 51% higher than in September. Similarly, Korea's gold holdings in November rose 39% on the prior month. This is extraordinary as sentiment indicators in the gold market were indicating levels of bearishness not seen since 2008.

There has certainly been some recovery in the gold price during January, probably coincident with equities rising and the resumption of central bankers hinting at a renewed emphasis on growth. But leaving aside the obvious demand spikes for gold in the face of global crisis or renewed and aggressive quantitative easing, China and India now account for over 45% of global investment in physical gold bars. In 2011, India's gold bar investment rose 6%, a new record which amounts to nearly 25% of all gold bar investment. The Year of the Dragon could see China's investment in gold rise another 25%-30% leading it to overtake India as the world's largest private hoarder of gold.

Newcrest Mining

Newcrest Mining performed poorly over the quarter as the gold price weakened and news emerged that disruptions at its three core assets would lead to slightly lower than expected production. However, its projected significant production growth over the next four years is still on track. Moreover, with the outlook for Europe still unclear combined with the likelihood that the policy response will focus on providing additional liquidity then there is a good chance that inflationary pressures will re-emerge further down the line. Newcrest Mining now trades on a 13x P/E which we believe is an attractive level and offers good upside.

PORTFOLIO PERFORMANCE

Performance Summary (%) Periods ending 31.12.2011

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	USD	GBP	SGD
1 Month	-0.52	0.36	-0.67
3 Months	-5.04	-4.89	-5.27
Year to Date	-20.89	-20.70	-20.95
Since Launch+	37.15	8.12	-20.95
2011	-20.89	-20.70	-20.95
2010	-2.66	-3.00	-3.70
2009	26.59	23.20	-
2008	-20.84	-17.70	-
2007	21.88	21.69	-
2006	33.94	13.89	-
2005	8.86	-	-
Annualised 5 years	-1.22	-1.03	-
Annualised 3 years	-0.84	-1.77	-
Annualised Since Inception	5.20	1.44	-13.01

Source: Bloomberg

+ Launch date: A: 07.10.05, C: 14.07.06, D: 15.01.10

Fund Performance - Class A USD (%)



Source: Bloomberg. Total return net of fees. Since launch: 07.10.05

Monthly Performance Summary (%)

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Source: Bloomberg

RISK ANALYSIS

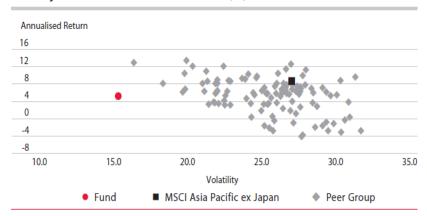
Risk Metrics

	Fund
Beta	0.55
Alpha (%)	0.43
Sharpe Ratio	0.34
Volatility (%)	15.33
% of the portfolio – which could be sold in 2 business days	95.50%

Source: Bloomberg

Since Inception: A: 07.10.05

Risk Adjusted Performance - Class A USD (%)

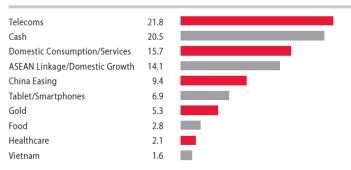


Source: Bloomberg. Annualised return and 1 year volatility versus the peer group (open ended offshore Asia Pacific ex Japan Equity Index Fund), 7.10.05 to 30.12.11.

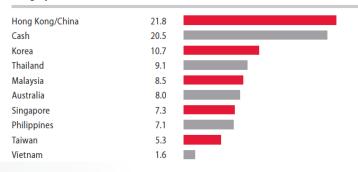
THEMATIC & GEOGRAPHICAL BREAKDOWN

Top 5 Holdings (%)	
Philippine Long Distance Telephone	4.8
Advance Info Services	4.7
Genting Malaysia BHD	4.6
BEC World Public	4.4
Lenovo Group	4.3
Total Number of Holdings	33
Portfolio Financial Ratios*	
Predicted Price/Earnings Ratio	13.1x
Predicted Return on Equity (%)	24.0
Predicted Earnings Growth (%)	17.0
*Fiscal year periods	
Futures (%)	
SET50 Futures (Mar 2012)	-2.5
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MSCI SING Index (Jan 2012)	-3.0
MSCI SING Index (Jan 2012) KOSPI2 Index Futures (Mar 2012)	-3.0 -4.7

Thematic Breakdown (%)



Geographical Breakdown (%)



All data as at 30.12.11. Source: Prusik Investment Management LLP, unless otherwise stated.

FUND PARTICULARS

Fund Facts

Fund Size (US)	86.0m
Launch Date	7 October 2005
Fund Structure	UCITS III
Domicile	Dublin
Currencies	USD (base), GDP, SGD

Dealing

Dealing Line	+353 1 603 6490
Administrator	Brown Brothers Harriman (Dublin)
Dealing Frequency	Weekly, Friday
Min. Initial Subscription	USD 10,000
Subscription Notice	2 business days
Redemption Notice	2 business days

Share Class Details

Codes

Class 1			SEDOL	ISIN	NAV*	
A USD	Unhedged	Non Distributing	B0MDR72	IE00B0M9LK15	137.15	
B USD	Unhedged	Distributing	B0M9LL2	IE00B0M9LL22	137.21	
C GBP	Hedged	Distributing	B18RM25	IE00B18RM256	74.66	
D SGD	Hedged	Distributing	B3LYLK8	IE00B3LYLK86	189.66	
Performance fee based on individual investors' holding.*Month End 31.12.2011						
N USD	Unhedged	Non Distributing	B3LP510	IE00B3LP5101	137.15	
O USD	Unhedged	Distributing	B3M40N3	IE00B3M40N30	137.23	
P GBP	Hedged	Distributing	B3MWDD8	IE00B3MWDD86	74.50	
Performance fee based on fund performance as a whole.*Month End 31.12.2011						

Management Fees

Annual Management Fee
1.5% p.a Paid monthly in arrears
Performance Fee
10% of NAV appreciation conditional on a 6% hurdle

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