## **CRUX** China Fund

GBP factsheet June 2023



### Fund Facts as at 30/06/23

### **Fund Objective**

The investment objective of the CRUX China Fund is to produce returns and achieve long term capital growth through investment primarily in equity securities in China.

Launch Date 29 October 2021
<b>Structure</b> Lux SICAV
<b>Fund Size</b> £1.2m
Benchmark MSCI China All Shares Index
Fund Base Currency GBP
<b>Share Class Currency</b> GBP

Market Capitalisation	(%)
> \$50bn	13.4
\$15bn-50bn	28.2
\$2bn-15bn	33.9
< \$2bn	23.3

Charges (%)	Initial	OCF
B Class (GBP)	None	0.75

Minimum Investment	
B Class (GBP)	€1000.00

ISIN Number (GBP)
LU2382311913 (B Acc)
LU2382311830 (B Inc)



Top 10 Holdings	%	Top 10 Coun- %		Top 10 Sec	
	0.6	tries	04.9	Automobile	
Li Auto	9.6	China	94.8	nents	
Baidu	7.1	Hong Kong	3.9	Media & Ent	
BYD Co	5.7	5.7 Capital Goods			
CATL	4.5			Consumer Dis Distribution &	
Kuaishou Technol- ogy	3.3			Materials	
Pinduoduo	3.2			Software & Se	
Zijin Mining	2.8			Pharmaceutic nology & Life	
Dada Nexus - ADR	2.6			Consumer Ser	
Yidu	2.5		Consumer Star bution & Retail		
MMG	2.5		Consumer Du Apparel		
Total Holdings	68			Cash	

### Source: CRUX Asset Management.



■ MSCI China All Shares Index (-26.1%) ■ IA China/Greater China Sector (-29.6%)

Source: as at 30 June 2023.

Note: These figures refer to the past and past performance is not a reliable indicator of future results.

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Disc Yr Perf (%)	YTD	2022	2021	2020	2019	2018	Since Launch
CCF B Acc GBP	-11.2%	-15.8%	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	-30.1%
MSCI China All Shares Index	-10.5%	-14.0%	-12.1%	29.3%	22.7%	-18.5%	-26.1%
IA China/Greater China Sector	-12.7%	-16.0%	-10.7%	33.5%	22.2%	-14.2%	-29.6%

#### Disc Yr Perf\* (Discrete Year Performance)

Source: as at 30 June 2023. © 2023 FE Fundinfo. All Rights Reserved. Total return, Bid-bid in GBP, net income reinvested. Discrete performance data may change due to final dividend information being received after quarter end.

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Investors in Chinese equities have faced a challenging 3 months, given the geopolitical, economic, and regulatory risks. These factors have led to increased volatility and a significant decline in market multiples due to risk aversion. For the CRUX China Fund, this has been a tough period as value has outperformed growth in most major markets, price discovery has declined, and stock prices have not followed earnings momentum. We are seeing signs of life in the technology sector given recent AI exuberance, although cautious as to how US-Sino relations may impact how AI opportunities develop for Chinese companies.

Given the fund's growth and optimism bias, weak performance in this environment was anticipated. The fund NAV fell by 12.5%, closely following the benchmark's 12.3% decline.

Across the portfolio, Consumer Discretionary, Materials and Real Estate were positive contributors, while Health Care, Industrials and Technology negatively impacted the portfolio's performance. As of now, our investments are primarily focused on technological leaders and burgeoning companies within China, where we believe the risk-reward ratio strongly favours long-term returns despite inherent uncertainties. We believe we are well-positioned and anticipate a strong rebound in performance from China, over the next 12 months.





Ewan Markson-Brown Fund Manager





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