# CRUX Asia ex-Japan Fund

GBP factsheet July 2023



## Fund Facts as at 31/07/23

### **Fund Objective**

The investment objective of the CRUX Asia ex-Japan Fund is to produce returns and achieve long term capital growth through investment primarily in equity securities in Asia (excluding Japan) and Australasia. The Fund will not concentrate its investments in any country, market or sector

#### **Launch Date**

11 October 2021

#### Structure

Lux SICAV

#### **Fund Size**

£135.9m

#### **Benchmark**

MSCI Asia ex-Japan Index

#### **Fund Base Currency**

**GBP** 

### **Share Class Currency**

GBP

Market Capitalisation	(%)
> \$50bn	19.3
\$15bn-50bn	9.8
\$2bn-15bn	41.9
< \$2bn	27.6

Charges (%)	Initial	OCF	
B Class (GBP)	up to 5.00	0.70	

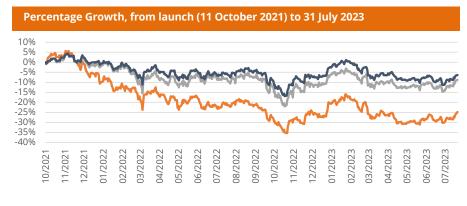
Minimum Investment	
B Class (GBP)	€1000.00

ISIN Number (EUR)
LU2382310352 (B Acc)
LU2382310279 (B Inc)

Top 10 Holdings	%	Top 10 Countries	%	Top 10 Sectors	%
Baidu	5.9	China	47.7	Automobiles & Components	13.
Li Auto	5.9	India	17.5	Media & Entertain- ment	11.
Indusind Bank	4.6	Taiwan	12.8	Technology Hardware & Equipment	11.
Unimicron Technology Corporation	3.3	South Korea	8.0	Semiconductors & Semiconductor Equip- ment	9.7
BYD Co	2.9	Indonesia	4.1	Software & Services	8.4
Cyient Ltd	2.7	Australia	3.9	Banks	7.9
Chalice Mining	2.6	Vietnam	2.7	Capital Goods	7.6
CATL	2.5	Singapore	1.1	Materials	6.5
TSMC - ADR	2.5	Hong Kong	0.9	Consumer Discretion- ary Distribution & Retail	5.0
KPIT Technologies	2.4			Financial Services	3.6

Total Holdings	86	Cash	1.4
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Source: CRUX Asset Management.



- ★ CAexJ B Acc GBP (-24.8%)
- MSCI Asia ex-Japan Index GBP (-8.8%)
- IA Asia Pacific Excluding Japan Sector GBP (-6.4%)

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Disc Yr Perf (%)	YTD	2022	2021	2020	2019	2018	Since Launch
CAexJ B Acc GBP	2.5%	-22.5%	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	-24.8%
MSCI Asia ex-Japan Sector	2.2%	-9.6%	-3.8%	21.2%	13.6%	-9.1%	-8.8%
IA Asia Pacific Excluding Japan Sector	0.4%	-6.9%	1.5%	20.0%	15.8%	-9.8%	-6.4%

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

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The CRUX Asia ex-Japan fund outperformed the MSCI Asia ex-Japan index this month. The main positive contributors to fund performance were Consumer Discretionary, Information Technology, and Consumer Staples sectors. Chinese new energy auto manufacturer Li Auto, Korean precision laser equipment manufacturer EO Technics and Chinese on-demand delivery company Dada Nexus were our top contributors. The main negative contributors came from the Energy, Industrials and Financials sectors. The largest detractors to our performance were Asia Pacific oil & gas producer Jadestone Energy, Taiwanese semiconductor socket manufacturer Lotes, and Chinese industrial robot maker Estun Automation. Our underweight in the large internet benchmark names Tencent and Alibaba also detracted from performance. Over the month, we reduced our exposure to the materials and consumer discretionary sectors, and increased our weighting in technology hardware names.



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