

NICHE JUNGLE





Bi-Weekly Risk Report

14 September 2024

Please refer to the UCITS fund prospectus and KIID before making any final investment decision



Summary

- <u>Project characteristics</u>
- Portfolio: Valuation
- Portfolio: Holdings
- Portfolio: Allocation & performance
- Ex-ante analysis: VaR 1 month 95%

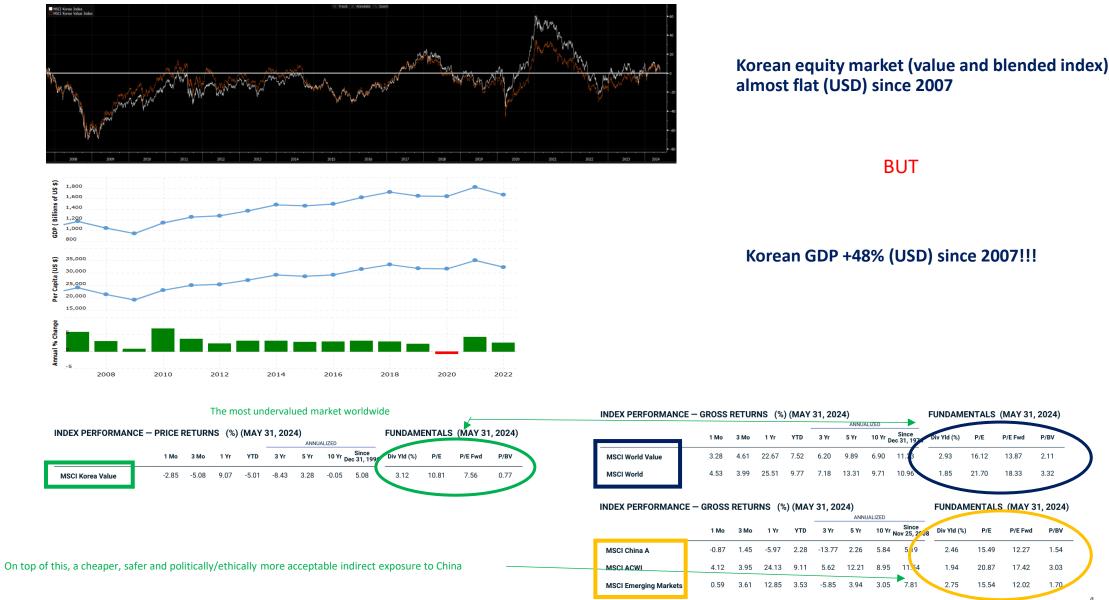
NJ Korea Reunification SDG



	Project characteristics
Instrument	UCITS Fund – Art.8 Plus SFDR
Project website	Link
Supplement	Link
ISIN	Class A – IE00007XSO15 Class I – IE0004F6ARY1 Class Q (listed class) - IE000ROCQO77
Project ICAV:	NicheJungle ICAV www.nichejungle.com
Project Inception date:	17/10/2022
Project AUM:	13.88 mln € as of 14/09/2024
Project Max AUM:	25 mln
Project Liquidability at max. AUM	90% 5 day – 99% 20 days
Project liquidity :	Daily
Project # stocks	Min: 100 Max: 150
Project currency hedging policy	No hedging policy
Institutional and listed classes fees	0% management fees 20% performance fees (absolute with HWM – no reset)
Project Investment Manager:	Niche Asset Management Ltd – <u>www.nicheam.com</u>

The project invests in south Korean companies that are significantly exposed to the domestic market and are operating in infrastructure and consumption businesses. These are the areas that could benefit the most from a reconciliation between South Korea and North Korea. Korean domestic stocks are the most attractive worldwide from a valuation standpoint and the likely imminent inclusion of South Korea among MSCI developed markets could be the catalyst for a significative repricing. The event of reconciliation provides the project portfolio with a further powerful free option to which today Mr Market assigns zero probability. However, as we are used to learn, geopolitical events can hardly be anticipated...

Korean equity: a significant opportunity...



Source: NicheAM, WorldBank, MSCI, Bloomberg

P/E Fwd

13.87

18.33

P/E Fwd

12.27

17.42

12.02

P/BV

2.11

3.32

P/BV

1.54

3.03

1.70

Kospi general Index vs NJ Korea Reunification portfolio

- The Kospi general index, the most popular and inclusive index of South Korea equity, includes in weight less than 10% of the stocks that are part of NJ Korea Reunification portfolio
- 100% of the companies included in the portfolio of NJ Korea Reunification project record more than 30% of total sales in the domestic market, and more than 85% in weight of the companies included in the portfolio of NJ Korea Reunification project record more than 50% of sales in the domestic market
- Less than 25% in weight of the companies included in the Kospi have more than 50% of sales in the South Korean market
- The portfolio of NJ Korea Reunification suffers more than the Kospi from a weakening of the Korean currency, and viceversa, as its investee companies are more domestic oriented
- The portfolio of the Kospi benefits more than the NJ Korea Reunification from the global economic expansion and viceversa
- The portfolio of NJ Korea Reunification benefits more than the portfolio of Kospi from the Korean economic expansion and viceversa
- The portfolio of NJ Korea Reunification will benefit more than the portfolio of Kospi from the inclusion of South Korea in the MSCI Developed Countries Index
- The portfolio of NJ Korea reunification will benefit extremely more than the portfolio of Kospi from a rapprochement between North Korea and South Korea

Investee companies divested so far

Closed trades

Date	<u>Stock</u>	Selling price (KRW)	Performance*	Take Profit (Partial/Total)	Valuation Target (KRW)	Further upsideat at exit, according to valuation gap report	Notes (if sold before reaching the target)
07/11/2022	Manho Rope & Wire Ltd	44922	+59,3%	Total	45000	< +/- 5%	-
14/12/2022	Sebang	27539	+78,8%	Total	27200	< +/- 5%	-
20/02/2023	Osstem Implant Co Ltd	188518	+62,4%	Total	190000	< +/- 5%	-
19/04/2023	Rifa Industrial	25850	+68.4%	Total	30500	+18%	The company doesn't want to engage with the IM on sustainability
27/04/2023	KISCO Holdings	20123	+61.6%	Total	36620	+82%	Switch with the operating company, Kisco, that presents better upside (>120%) and liquidity
15/05/2023	Oyang Corp	8180	+7,9%	Total	14150	+73%	The company doesn't want to engage with the IM on sustainability
01/06/2023	Hyundai Elevator	40532	+74.0%	Total	39600	< +/- 5%	-
05/06/2023	SK RENT A CAR	9466	+47.9%	Total	9100	< +/- 5%	-
03/07/2023	Hd Hyundai Electric	66102	+73.1%	Total	68000	< +/- 5%	•
10/07/2023	Eugene Investment & Sec	4153	+63.5%	Total	4900	+18%	The company doesn't want to engage with the IM on sustainability
24/07/2023	Posco Holdings	566000	+122.0%	Total	547220	< +/- 5%	-
04/08/2023	LX Hausys	52711	+63.9%	Total	53700	< +/- 5%	-
08/08/2023	Chinyang Holdings	3275	+9.6%	Total	4770	+46%	The company doesn't want to engage with the IM on sustainability
06/09/2023	KC Tech Co	22041	+36.7%	Total	27500	+25%	The company doesn't want to engage with the IM on sustainability
15/09/2023	Asia Holding	168462	+28.7%	Total	237000	+41%	Switch with one of its main operating company, Asia Paper, that presents a more compelling risk/reward profile (upside>130%)
25/10/2023	Mirae Asset Life	4490	59.1%	Total	4300	< +/- 5%	-
22/01/2024	Gabia	19194	+87.7%	Total	20200	< +/- 5%	• •
23/01/2024	Interflex	17754	+72.5%	Total	17250	< +/- 5%	-
20/02/2024	Soulbrain Holdings	67506	+181.9%	Total	75000	+11%	-
18/04/2024	Daihan Pharmaceutical	28100	+3.1%	Total	28500	+83%	The company doesn't want to engage with the IM on sustainability

* Local currency

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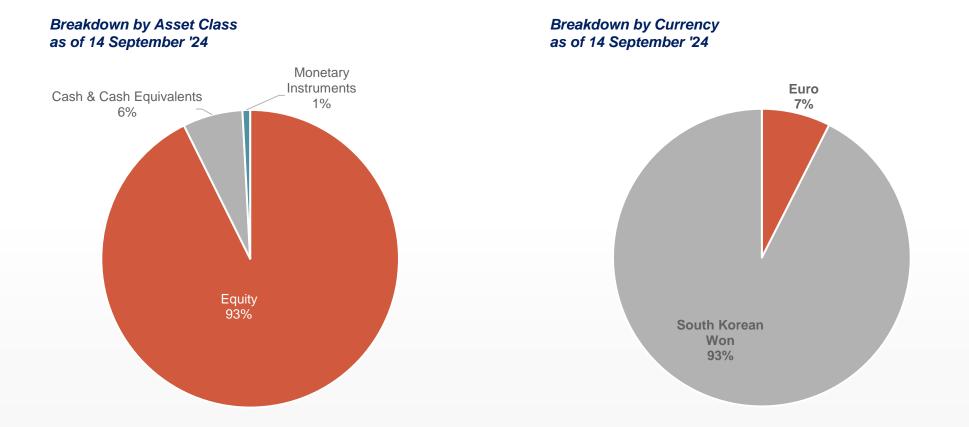
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28/05/2024	KISCO Corp	11090	+86.4%	Total	11700	< +/- 5%	-
31/05/2024	Samsung Fire & Marine Insurance	264344	+89.2%	Total	260000	< +/- 5%	-
10/06/2024	SK Square	88385	+143.1%	Total	95000	7%	-
14/06/2024	Korea Gas Corp	47748	+57.4%	Total	42500	-11%	-
17/06/2024	HI Mando	45195	+23.6%	Total	47500	< +/- 5%	-
18/06/2024	Daesang	29826	+47.7%	Total	31500	< +/- 5%	-
02/07/2024	Fursys	50240	+78.0%	Total	50630	< +/- 5%	-
29/07/2024	KB Financial Group Inc	87906	+94.23%	Partial(35%)	130200	48%	Tactical reduction
29/07/2024	Hana Financial Group Inc	63462	+76.8%	Partial(30%)	117500	85%	Tactical reduction
29/07/2024	Shinhan Financial Group Co Ltd	58434	+75.3%	Partial(48%)	88600	52%	Tactical reduction
29/07/2024	Samsung Securities Co Ltd	45213	+43.7%	Partial(37%)	54000	20%	Tactical reduction
29/07/2024	GS Engineering & Construction	19215	-7.96%	Total	28000	46%	switched to Hyundai Engineering & Construction due to better risk/reward profile (no litigation, better financial structure)
09/08/2024	TongYang Life Insurance	8221	+98.2%	Total	10000	22%	Sold on rumours of take over
09/08/2024	Hwacheon Machine Tool	28250	+3.3%	Total	59565	109%	The company doesn't want to engage with the IM on sustainability
16/08/2024	Yesco Holdings	44743	+80.9%	Partial(47%)	64300	45%	Tactical reduction
19/08/2024	Hd Hyundai Energy Solutions	30753	+37.6%	Total	31200	< +/- 5%	
19/08/2024	Seegene	35170	+28.1%	Total	33500	< +/- 5%	-

* Local currency

Source: NicheAM

PORTFOLIO: Allocation summary





EQUITY PORTFOLIO: Holdings (as of 14 September '24)

Holding	Portfolio Weight	Holding
Lg Uplus Corp - Reg Shs	2.05%	Ottogi Corporation
Korea Electric Power Corp	1.85%	Hs Ad
Indust Bk Of Korea	1.78%	Hyundai Fire Marine Insurance Co Ltd
Kt Corporation	1.77%	Bookook Secs Co
Dongwon Industries Co Ltd	1.75%	Youngone Corp
Cuckoo Electronics Co Ltd	1.70%	Lotte Rental Co Ltd
Woori Financial Group	1.69%	Whan In Pharmaceutic
Hyundai Engineering Construction-Reg Shs	1.68%	Dgb Financial Group Ltd
Handsome	1.66%	Korean Reinsurance Co
Shinsegae Information & Comm	1.63%	Db Financial Inv
Samsung Securities Co Ltd - Reg Shs	1.59%	Hyundai Home Shopping
Maeil Dairies Co Ltd	1.57%	Wimco Registered
Bnk Financial Group Inc	1.57%	Hyundai Green Food Co. Ltd
Lg Electronics Inc Pfd Shs.Non Voting	1.43%	Skchem Non-Cum Pfd
Kb Financial Group Inc	1.32%	Hyundai Steel Co
Kyungdong City G	1.31%	Sam Jung Pulp
Hyundai G.F. Holdings	1.29%	Hanwha Solutions Corporatio
Hana Financial Group Inc	1.25%	Korean Air
Gwangjushinsegae Co Ltd	1.24%	Kyeryong Construction Industrial Co Ltd
Cj Cheiljedang Corp	1.15%	Cell Biotech Co Ltd
Hecto Innovation Co Ltd	1.11%	Megastudyedu Co Ltd
Global Enterprise Co Ltd	1.11%	Lotte Chilsung Beverage Co Pfd Shs N.Vtg
Samsung Life Insurance Co Ltd	1.09%	Megastudy
Cj Freshway Corp	1.07%	E-Mart
Coway Co Ltd	1.07%	Cs Holdings Co Ltd
Daishin Securities Pref.Non.Voting	1.03%	Woori Investment & Securities Pfd N.Vot
Sk Telekom	1.02%	Hyundai Department Store Shs
Multicampus	1.02%	Vieworks
Asia Paper Manufacturing Co	1.02%	Tae Kwang Industrial Co Ltd
Daelim Industrial Pref/Non-Voting	1.02%	Interlark Holding
Ace Bed Co Ltd	1.01%	Hs Hwasung Co Ltd
DI E And C - Registered Shs	1.00%	Lock & Lock



Equity Exposure: 93% No of holdings: 124 Average Weight: 0.75% Median Weight: 0.63%

TOP 5 : 9.20% TOP 10: 17.56% TOP 25: 36.73% TOP 50: 60.17%

Portfolio Weight

1.00%

0.99%

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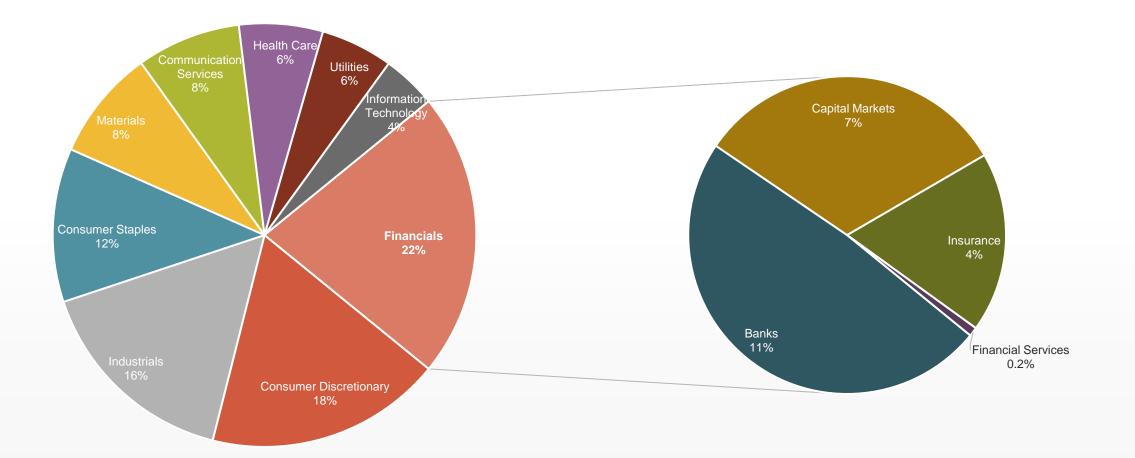
EQUITY PORTFOLIO: Holdings (as of 14 September '24)

Holding	Portfolio Weight	Holding	Portfolio Weight
Korea Electric Terminal	0.62%	Shinsegae Food Co Ltd	0.38%
Kyobo Securities	0.62%	Woongjin Thinkbig Co	0.36%
Pharmgen Science Inc	0.61%	Sk Telecom Co Ltd-Spon Adr	0.35%
Shinhan Financial Group	0.60%	Huons Co Ltd	0.34%
Imarketkorea Inc	0.59%	Hy Lok Corp	0.33%
Saraminhr Co Ltd	0.59%	Dongwon F And B	0.33%
Daehan Flour Mills	0.57%	Kwang Dong Pharmaceutical Co Ltd	0.31%
Kuhmo Industrial Co Ltd	0.57%	Youngone Corporation	0.30%
Geumhwa Psc Co Ltd	0.56%	Kpc Holdings Corp	0.30%
Bgf Rg Registered Shs	0.56%	Daehan Synthetic	0.29%
Seoul City Gas Co Ltd	0.56%	Motonic Corporation	0.28%
Dongkook Pharmaceutical Co Ltd	0.54%	Hyundai Livart	0.27%
Kpx Chemical Co Ltd	0.50%	Jis Co Ltd	0.27%
Yuhwa Securities Co Ltd	0.50%	Suheung Capsule Co Ltd	0.26%
Yesco Shs	0.48%	Daewoo Securities - Pfd Shs Non Voting	0.24%
Daewon Pharmaceutical Co Ltd	0.48%	Korea Life Insurance Co Ltd	0.24%
Samchully Co Ltd	0.47%		0.24%
Shinhan Financial Group Co Ltd Repr.2Shs	0.47%	Dongbu Engineering Construction	0.24%
Incheon City Gas Co Ltd	0.45%	Lg Haussys Prf Shs N.Vtg	
Shin Heung Energy And Electronics Co Ltd	0.45%	Huons Global Co Ltd	0.22%
Korea United Pharm Inc	0.44%	Namhae Chemical Corp	0.22%
Ilshin Spinning Co Ltd	0.44%	Ssangyong Precision Industry	0.21%
Hyosung Corp	0.44%	Intelligent Digital Integrated Security	0.20%
Lotte Confectionery Co Ltd	0.44%	Nice Information & Telecommunication Inc	0.20%
Kt Adr	0.43%	Korea Circuit Co Ltd-Pref	0.18%
Sebang Co Ltd	0.42%	Digital Daesung Co Ltd	0.17%
Sindoricom	0.42%	Ezwel Co Ltd	0.17%
Kt Skylife	0.41%	Charm Engineering	0.13%
Ssangyong Fire Marine Insurance	0.40%	Hs Hyosung Corporation	0.08%
Nong Shim Holdings Co Ltd	0.39%		
Value Added Technology Co Ltd	0.38%		
Sunjin Co Ltd	0.38%		



EQUITY PORTFOLIO: Allocation summary: Breakdown by Sector as 14 September '24





EQUITY PORTFOLIO: Change in holdings (31 August '24 - 14 September '24)



Holding	Trade	End Portfolio Weight	Change in Weight*	Total Return on sold positions**
Lotte Conf	BUY	0.44%	0.44%	
Dongwon Industries	ADD	1.75%	0.45%	
Lotte Chilsung Beverage Pref Shs	ADD	0.72%	0.17%	
Sebang Non-Voting PRF	ADD	0.42%	0.16%	

*Not adjusted for subscriptions/redemptions and changes in market value

**Local Currency

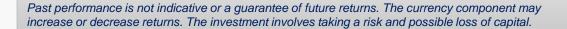
Source: NicheAM, Refinitiv

PORTFOLIO: Allocation & Performance summary

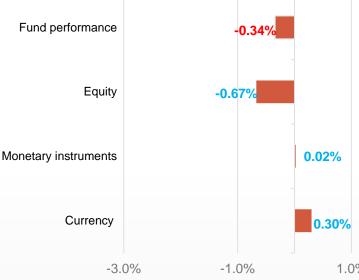




Fund* Chart (31 August '24 - 14 September '24)



Performance by Asset Class (31 August '24 - 14 September '24)



Performance contribution by Asset Class and Sector (31 August '24 - 14 September '24)

	Avg Weight (a)	2 weeks Return (b)	Contribution (c = a*b)
Contribution by asset class			
Equity*	91.6%	-0.67%	-0.61%
Cash & monetary instruments	8.4%	0.02%	0.00%
Currency		0.30%	0.27%
Total performance			-0.34%
Equity Contribution by sector			
Communication Services	7.2%	3.5%	0.25%
Utilities	5.1%	0.4%	0.02%
Consumer Staples	10.3%	0.1%	0.01%
Financials	20.0%	-0.2%	-0.04%
Information Technology	3.9%	-2.3%	-0.09%
Consumer Discretionary	16.7%	-0.5%	-0.09%
Materials	7.8%	-2.1%	-0.17%
Health Care	5.9%	-3.5%	-0.20%
Industrials	14.7%	-2.0%	-0.30%

*Equity Performance is net of fees

Source: NicheAM. Refinitiv

AUM: 13.88 mln €

Project closure at 25 mln €

EQUITY PORTFOLIO: Performance (31 August '24 - 14 September '24)



Top performers*

	Avg Weight	Return	Contribution		Avg Weight	Return	Contribution
DB Financial Investment	0.8%	29.5%	0.24%	Wonik Materials	0.9%	-10.4%	-0.09%
КТ	1.7%	9.3%	0.16%	KB Financial Group	1.3%	-4.5%	-0.06%
Hyundai G F Holdings	1.3%	8.2%	0.10%	Woori Financial Group	1.7%	-3.5%	-0.06%
Sk Telecom	1.0%	5.9%	0.06%	Bnk Financial Group	1.6%	-3.8%	-0.06%
LG Uplus	2.0%	2.9%	0.06%	Shinsegae I&C	1.6%	-3.5%	-0.06%
Cuckoo Holdings	1.7%	3.1%	0.05%	MegaStudyEdu	0.8%	-7.2%	-0.06%
Korea Electric Power	1.8%	2.8%	0.05%	DL E&C	1.0%	-5.3%	-0.05%
Maeil Dairies	1.5%	2.2%	0.03%	Handsome	1.7%	-3.1%	-0.05%
Asia Paper Manufacturing	1.0%	3.2%	0.03%	Dongkook Pharmaceutical	0.6%	-8.8%	-0.05%
Bookook Securities	1.0%	3.1%	0.03%	KumhoE&C	0.6%	-7.3%	-0.04%
KT ADR	0.4%	6.2%	0.03%	Hyundai Marine & Fire Insurance	1.0%	-4.0%	-0.04%
Korean Reinsurance	0.9%	2.5%	0.02%	Saramin	0.6%	-6.3%	-0.04%
Youngone	0.9%	2.5%	0.02%	PharmGen Science	0.6%	-6.2%	-0.04%
Youngone Holdings	0.3%	8.0%	0.02%	Lotte Rental	1.0%	-3.5%	-0.03%
Gwangjushinsegae	1.2%	1.8%	0.02%	Hanwha Solutions	0.8%	-4.4%	-0.03%

Bottom performers

*Sorted from highest to lowest by Contribution

Source: NicheAM, Refinitiv

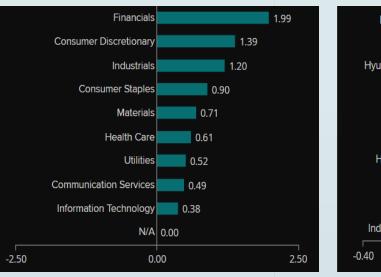
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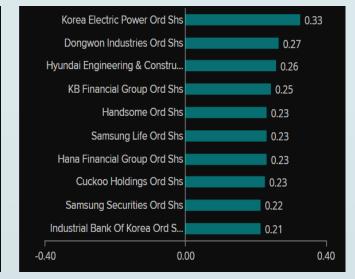
Portfolio VaR Sensitivity

KR	95% VaR	99% VaR
Historical 1D	-1,43%	-3,11%
Historical 1W	-3,19%	-6,96%
Historical 1M	-6,69%	-14,59%

VAR 1M – 95% BY SECTOR AS OF *14/09/2024*



VAR 1M-95% TOP 10 SECURITIES AS OF 14/09/2024





EQUITY PORTFOLIO: Indices % price changes

Index	Price as of 14/09/2024	% Price Change 2 weeks (local currency)	% Price Change 2 weeks (€)	% Price Change 3 months (local ccy)	% Price Change 3 months (€)	% Price Change Year to Date (local ccy)	% Price Change Year to Date (€)	% Price Change 1 Year (local ccy)	% Price Change 1 Year (€)	% Price Change Since inception ** (local ccy)	% Price Change Since inception ** (€)
NicheJungle Korea Reunification SDG*	1085.57	-	-0.34%	-	0.00%	-	5.56%	-	6.81%	-	8.56%
MSCI ACWI Net (.dMIWD00000NUS)	446.73	-0.75%	-1.01%	4.09%	0.56%	15.10%	14.69%	22.54%	17.73%	51.51%	34.58%
MSCI Asia Pacific Value (.dMIAP0000VPUS)	169.58	-2.07%	-2.33%	1.65%	-1.80%	7.00%	6.61%	10.58%	6.24%	34.79%	19.72%
MSCI Asia Pacific (.MIAP00000PUS)	183.05	-1.83%	-2.09%	1.92%	-1.54%	8.06%	7.67%	12.31%	7.90%	33.57%	18.64%
Korea KOSPI (.KS11)	2575.41	-3.70%	-3.35%	-6.63%	-6.16%	-3.01%	-6.00%	0.10%	-3.74%	16.02%	11.01%
Tokyo Stock Exchange (.TOPX)	2571.14	-5.22%	-1.88%	-6.39%	1.06%	8.65%	8.44%	6.88%	7.53%	36.79%	28.59%
China (.HSI)	7812.13	1.84%	1.94%	16.00%	19.34%	7.42%	7.03%	12.25%	7.53%	14.36%	2.17%

* class I

** Inception date: 17/10/2022

Source: Niche AM, Refinitiv

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