

VL China Fund

Monthly Fund Factsheet

30 November 2015

Important Information

VL China Fund is constituted in the form of a unit trust established under the laws of Hong Kong.

The fund seeks to achieve its investment objective primarily through exposure to companies carrying on business or with business exposure in the China region with long term growth prospects.

The fund can invest no less than 70% of its NAV in Hong Kong-listed stocks and if investing in overseas stocks, no more than 30% of its NAV in non-Hong Kong listed stocks.

All investments involve risks. This material is not an offer or solicitation. The fund is an investment fund. There is no guarantee on the repayment of principal. The fund's investment portfolio may fall in value and therefore your investment in the fund may suffer losses. If you have any queries, please consult your financial consultants. This material has not been reviewed by the Securities and Futures Commission.

Investment objective

The fund aims to provide long-term capital appreciation by investing in a diversified portfolio of equity securities of companies in different industry sectors whose primary business focus is in the China region.

Manager's Comments

Market sentiment in the Hong Kong and China markets remained weak in November. The fund suffered from a minor loss of 1.56% (Class A) against a 3.4% decline in the benchmark MSCI China (dividend reinvested) Index.

Whilst the overall markets were lacklustre, individual stock performances were divergent. The portfolio's key drag came from two major investments in PRC coal-fire power companies Huaneng Power (902 HK) and China Power (2380 HK). The sector was adversely impacted by weak demand and news that the NDRC would cut power tariff before the year end. Losses in these two positions were mitigated by double-digit gains in Haitong International (665 HK) and Digital China (861 HK). Haitong had been extremely oversold in the previous months amid worry on shrinking stock market transaction volume, while Digital China was boosted by news that its restructuring plan to divest the PC distribution business might be coming to fruition very soon.

In early December, global equities corrected as investors awaited the Fed's interest rate decision on 17 December. Expecting the market to move sideways in the near future, the Manager has allocated a portion of the fund's investment to event driven opportunities which still appear promising to deliver a decent risk-adjusted returns for the fund's portfolio.

Performance Update*

	A Units	B Units	MSCI China Index	Hang Seng Total Return Index
One month	-1.56%	-1.50%	-3.37%	-2.72%
Since fund launch	-7.76%	-7.54%	-8.69%	-9.35%
NAV per unit	92.2444	92.4637	n/a	n/a

*A and B units are invested in the same fund. Dividends are reinvested into the fund. Performance of A Units and B Units is calculated by VL Asset Management Limited in HKD on a NAV to NAV basis. Performance data is net of all fees. NAVs are published daily in the Standard and Hong Kong Economic Times and www.vlasset.com. Indices are derived from Bloomberg and are valued in HKD with dividend reinvested. All indices and figures are for reference only.

Fund Facts

Manager:	VL Asset Management Limited
Trustee	Standard Chartered Trust (Hong Kong Limited)
Custodian & Administrator	Standard Chartered Bank (Hong Kong Limited)
Launch date:	10 August 2015
Base currency:	Hong Kong Dollars (HKD)
Bloomberg code:	Class A - VLCHINA KY Class B - VLCHINB KY
ISIN code:	Class A - HK0000262953 Class B - HK0000262961

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Portfolio Characteristics

	Fund	Hang Seng Index
Price/earnings ratio	9.39X	10.71X
Price/book ratio	1.05X	1.11X
Dividend yield	4.60%	3.69%
Return on equity	11.19%	10.35%

Exposure by Geography

Geography	Instrument	Percentage
Hong Kong	H Shares	26.01%
	Red Chips	24.48%
	P-Chips	14.58%
	HK	16.45%
	Others	2.35%
China	B Shares	6.70%
US	ADRs	3.43%
Cash		6.00%
		100.00%

No derivative exposure

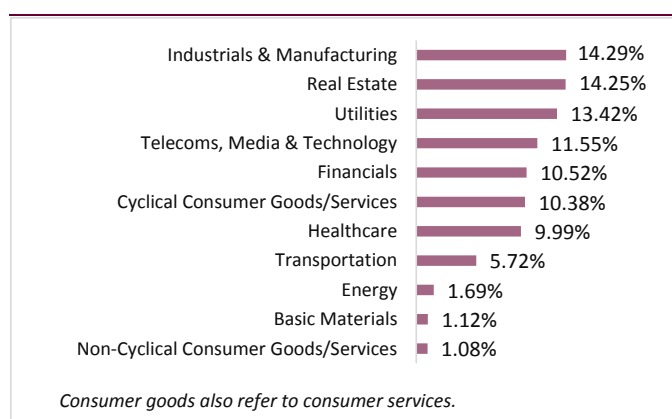
Fee Structure

	Class A	Class B
Minimum subscription	HK\$50,000	HK\$39,000,000
Subsequent subscription	HK\$5,000	HK\$1,000,000
Subscription fee	up to 5%	up to 5%
Redemption fee	nil	5%
Management fee	1.5%	0.75%
Performance fee	15% (high on high)	7.5% (high on high)
Lock-up	nil	3 years
Dealing day	daily (Hong Kong business day)	

Top 5 Stock Holdings

Name	Code	Sector	%
Haitong Int'l Securities	665 HK Equity	Financials	6.87%
Transport Int'l	62 HK Equity	Transportation	5.72%
Sinopharm Group	1099 HK Equity	Healthcare	5.64%
Digital China	861 HK Equity	TMT	5.52%
China Power Int'l	2380 HK Equity	Utility	4.18%
Total			27.93%

Exposure by Sector



VL Investment Team

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In particular, you should be aware of the concentration of the fund's investments in China and Hong Kong giving rise to possibly greater volatility compared with broad-based global funds. You should note too that VLAM, as manager of the fund, is entitled to receive performance fees under certain conditions, that such fees may encourage a manager to make riskier investment decisions than in the absence of performance-based incentive systems and that you should familiarize yourself with the method of calculating such fees.

Performance fee will be charged only if the NAV at the end of the financial year exceeds the "high watermark", which is the all-time year-end high of the fund's NAV. The fund's financial year end is 30 June.

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Classification is based on Global Industry Classification Standard (GICS). Exposure refers to long exposure unless otherwise specified.

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