# ORBIS SICAV ASIA EX-JAPAN EQUITY FUND

## FACT SHEET AT 30 APRIL 2009



The Fund seeks higher returns than the average of the Asia ex-Japan equity markets, without greater risk and has a benchmark of the MSCI All Country Asia ex Japan (Net) (US\$) Index ("MSCI Asia ex-Japan Index"). Currency exposure is managed separately to equity exposure. The Fund may be long in benchmark or non-benchmark currencies without holding underlying assets in those currencies.

Price Size Minimum Load Dealing Fee

\$10.31 (Investor Shares) \$720 million \$50,000 None Weekly (Thursday) 0.5%-2.5% performance based

#### Commentary

Your Fund gained 20.6% in April, bringing the year-to-date performance to 22.5%. This compares favourably to the benchmark MSCI Asia ex-Japan Index's 16.8% and 17.4% gains for the month and year-to-date, respectively. Relative performance for both time periods has been driven in no small part by the Fund's significant exposure to smaller but fast-growing Chinese companies such as E-House, Shanda Interactive, Baidu, NetEase and Ctrip. Most are not household names, and perhaps that is why they became attractive to us. In what was a very bad year for stockmarkets in both the region and China in 2008, these smaller and lesser known shares were pummelled, while the larger and very well known Chinese companies fared better. We were disappointed that the share prices of the large capitalisation companies the Fund had invested in previously had not retraced their steps far enough for us to buy again, but we were very excited once these smaller companies came through our investment research process. Many of them are well-managed industry leaders with excellent long-term greenfield growth prospects, although their small size also means they are likely to be more volatile.

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### **Geographical Deployment**

	Fund's % exposure to		% of MSCI
Country	Equities	Currencies	Asia ex-Japan Index
China	38	38	26
Hong Kong	9	9	12
Taiwan	22	22	17
Greater China	69	69	55
Korea	15	15	20
Thailand	6	6	2
Singapore	3	3	6
Malaysia	3	3	4
India	1	1	9
Other	3	3	4
Total	100	100	100

### Top 10 Holdings

%E-House (China) HoldingsSamsung Electronics5.3Shanda Interactive EntertainmentSINA5.1SinoPac Financial HoldingsHyundai Motor4.6Korea Investment HoldingsPowertech Technology4.5China Life Insurance (Taiwan)Total



#### Performance in US dollars (net of fees)

% <b>Returns</b> Annualised Since inception (1 Jan 2006)	Orbis Asia ex-Japan 2.7	MSCI Asia ex-Japan Index 1.3	Avg Asia ex-Japan Fund* 0.1	
Latest 3 years	(2.3)	(3.6)	(4.9)	
Latest year	(37.2)	(39.6)	(39.1)	
Calendar year 2008	(44.0)	(52.4)	(50.9)	
Not annualised				
Year to date	22.5	17.4	13.7	
Month to date	20.6	16.8		
Risk Measures (Since inception, month end prices)				
Maximum drawdown	55%	62%	60%	
Annualised monthly volatility	29.0%	29.0%	27.5%	
Beta vs MSCI Asia ex-Japan Index	1.0	1.0	0.9	
Annualised monthly tracking error	9.5%	0.0%	8.3%	

#### Additional Information

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The value of shares of the Fund may go down as well as up and past performance is not necessarily a guide to the future. When making an investment in the Funds, an investor's capital is at risk.

%

4.4

4.2

4.1

3.9

3.8

48.1

The Japan Equity Funds are now open to new investors. Investment in other Orbis Funds remains restricted.

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