# **ORBIS JAPAN EQUITY**

### STRATEGY SUMMARY FACT SHEET AT 31 AUGUST 2004



Orbis offers an investment in Japanese equities through the following funds:

Orbis SICAV Japan Equity Fund—Yen class\*, (data for which is presented below), Orbis SICAV Japan Equity Fund—Euro class, and Orbis Japan Equity (US\$) Fund, a Bermuda mutual fund. SizeJPY181.4 billionMinimum\$50,000LoadNoneDealingWeekly (Thursday)Fee:0.5%-2.5%<br/>performance based

These participate in the same equity portfolio, whose characteristics are shown below, but differ by currency exposure.

Independent Ratings	Standard & Poor's AAA	Global Fund Analysis *****	Forsyth Partners AA				
PORTFOLIO		TRACK RECORD					
Commentary		Value of ¥1,000 invested at inception					
first eights months of 20 TOPIX's return of 8.9%. It is encouraging that Jap recent gains following the growth figures. Meanwhile continue to develop favo development is the emerge in Japan by both local at consistent with our assess companies are worth we	in August. The Fund's return in the 204 is 7.6%, versus the benchmark anese stock prices did not relinquish release of less encouraging economic e, the long-term prospects for the Fund ourably. The most notable recent nce of merger and acquisition activity nd international companies. This is nent that the shares of many Japanese Il above their current prices if the managed with greater emphasis on e.	Average Japan Equity Fund 2400 2200 2000 1600 1400 1200 1000 900 800 700	TOPIX Index Y2,163 Y1,026 Y1,021				
Sector Allocation		Performance in Japanese yen (ne	et of fees)				
<b>Sector</b> Cyclicals Consumer Non-Durables Financials Communication and Util Technology Total	15 17	% ReturnsOrbisTOPIAnnualisedJapanIndexSince inception (1 Jan 1998)12.30.3Latest 5 years3.5(4.1)Latest 3 years4.71.8Latest year11.713.9Not annualised29.325.2Year to date7.68.9Quarter to date(6.3)(5.0)Risk Measures (Since Inception, month end prices)Maximum drawdown25%Maximum drawdown25%54%Annualised monthly volatility18.6%17.69Beta vs TOPIX0.81.0Tracking error12.9%0.0%	IX         Avg Japan         Quartile           Equity Fund**         Ranking           0.4         1           )         (4.5)         1           0.1         1           0         12.4         2           2         22.5         6.5           )         (5.7)         56%           %         20.3%         1.0				
Top 10 Holdings		Ranking within Japan equity fund	peer group				
Daito Trust Construction Toyota Industries Dai Nippon Printing Secom Returns are net of fees, include incor the Fund are available by Prospectus Prospectus. Past performance is no	%     %       5.9     Toppan Printing     4.9       5.8     Sankyo (machinery)     4.5       5.6     Yamada Denki     4.5       5.2     Fuji Television Network     4.3       4.9     Nippon Television Network     3.7       Total     49.5   ne and assume reinvestment of dividends. Shares in the only. Certain capitalised terms are defined in the guaranteed. **The latest Micropal data for 19 Aug		rbis Japan (Yen) Halt do L Halt do L Job Halt 25% untra 25\% unt				
04 has been extended to reflect the descriptions are available from ww www.forsythpartners.com.	move in the TOPIX through 31 Aug 04. Rating ww.funds-sp.com, www.globalfundanalysis.com & s Fund was a British Virgin Islands investmen	(50) Inception I 5 Years I 3 Year Sector/Avg Fund Data Source and Sector D	ars I 1 Year 95%				
<i>(Licensed to conduct investment to</i> <b>Contact:</b> Geoffrey Gardner or	Anagement (B.V.I.) Limited business by the Bermuda Monetary Authority) Helene Simmons - mail@orbisfunds.com 96 3000 www.orbisfunds.com	Bank of Bermuda (Luxembourg) S.A. Attention: The Orbis Service Team 13 rue Goethe, L-1637 Luxembourg Telephone: +352 40 46 46 430 Facsimile: +352 40 46 46 590					

## ORBIS JAPAN EQUITY SPECIFIC FUND DETAILS FACT SHEET AT 31 AUGUST 2004



This page shows the specific track record of each Orbis vehicle that participates in the portfolio of Japanese equities.

**Orbis Japan Equity** (Yen)\* is fully exposed to the Japanese yen and has a benchmark of the Tokyo Stock Price Index, including income "TOPIX".

Orbis Japan Equity (Euro) hedges its currency exposure into euro and has a benchmark of the TOPIX, hedged into euro.

Orbis Japan Equity (US\$) hedges its currency exposure into US dollars and has a benchmark of the TOPIX, hedged into US dollars.

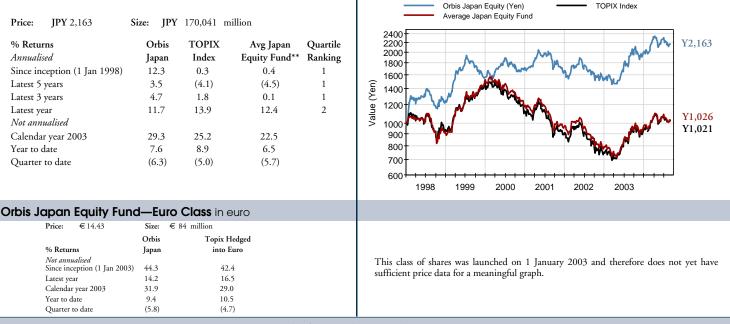
#### PRICES AND PERFORMANCE (NET OF FEES)

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Orbis Japan Equity Fund—Yen Class\* in Japanese yen

#### Value of ¥1,000 invested at inception



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Value of \$10 invested at inception

#### Orbis Japan Equity (US\$) Fund in US dollars

% Returns Annualised	Orbis Japan	Topix Hedged into US\$	23 21- 19- 18- 17-				A ch		A	M
Since inception (12 Jun 1998)	12.3	3.8		· · · · · · · · ·			M		- N	
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Quarter to date	(5.8)	(4.8)	9-	— ¥`	~			M	M./	

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Returns are net of fees, include income and assume reinvestment of dividends. Shares in the Fund are available by Prospectus only. Certain capitalised terms are defined in the Prospectus. Past performance is not necessarily a guide to future performance. The share price will fluctuate and is not guaranteed. \*Prior to 29 November 2002 this Fund was a British Virgin Islands investment company, Orbis Japan Equity (Yen) Fund Limited. \*\*The latest Micropal data for 19 Aug 04 has been extended to reflect the move in the TOPIX through 31 Aug 04 for periods greater than one month. Returns for shorter periods are not shown as high price volatility and late fund reporting may cause them to be significantly restated.