

# Value Partners Asian Food and Nutrition Fund



A Sub-Fund of Value Partners Ireland Fund ICAV

A UCITS-Compliant Fund<sup>1</sup>

NAV per unit: Class A USD Unhedged Acc - USD9.09

Fund size : USD12.85 million

CIES Eligible<sup>△</sup>



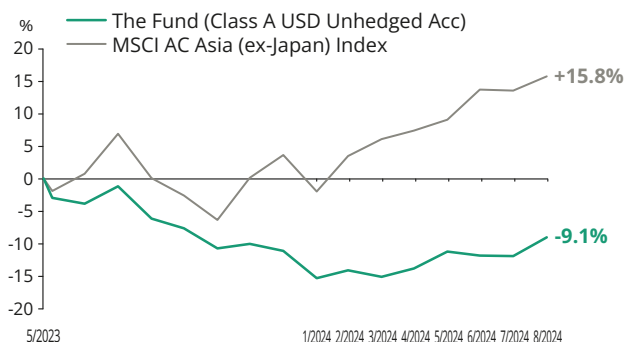
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- Value Partners Asian Food and Nutrition Fund (The "Fund") primarily invests in the equity securities of companies engaged in or profit from any activity forming part of the food and beverage nutrition value chain based, or carrying out their business, in the Asia (ex-Japan) region which the Investment Manager believes contribute positively to environmental, social and governance ("ESG") attributes along the value chain.
- The Fund may be subject to risks associated with ESG investing, including concentration and exclusion risks, subjective judgment in investment selection, etc..
- The Fund invests in concentrated region/sector and is subject to higher level of risks than a fund having a more diverse portfolio of investments.
- The Fund's equity portfolio may include small- and mid-cap companies. Investments in such companies may involve greater risks. The stock of such companies may also have lower liquidity and their prices are more volatile to adverse economic developments than those of larger capitalisation companies in general.
- The Fund may also invest in derivatives and engage in securities financing transactions which can involve material risks, e.g. counterparty default risk, collateral reinvestment risk or liquidity risk, and may expose the Fund to significant losses.
- In respect of the distribution classes for the Fund, the Investment Manager currently intends to make monthly dividend distribution. However, the distribution rate is not guaranteed. Distribution yield is not indicative of the return of the Fund. Distribution may be paid from capital of the Fund. Investors should note that where the payment of distributions are paid out of capital, this represents and amounts to a return or withdrawal of part of the amount you originally invested or capital gains attributable to that and may result in an immediate decrease of the net asset value per share of the Fund.
- You should not make investment decision on the basis of this material alone. Please read the prospectus for details and risk factors.

## Investment objective

The Fund aims to achieve long-term income and growth by investing primarily in the equity securities of companies engaged in or profit from any activity forming part of the food and beverage nutrition value chain based, or carrying out their business, in the Asia (ex-Japan) region which the Investment Manager believes contribute positively to environmental, social and governance ("ESG") attributes along the value chain. For the purpose of this Fund, "Asia" includes but is not limited to Mainland China and other emerging market countries.

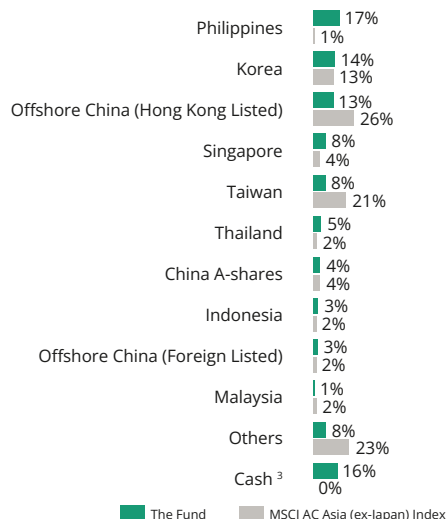
## Performance since launch



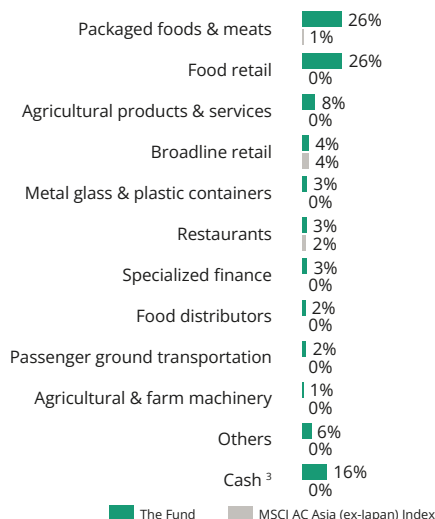
## Performance update

	Class A USD Unhedged Acc	MSCI AC Asia (ex-Japan) Index
Year-to-date	+2.4%	+11.7%
One month	+3.3%	+1.9%
One year	-3.1%	+15.7%
Three years	N/A	N/A
Five years	N/A	N/A
Total return since launch	-9.1%	+15.8%
Annualized return since launch <sup>△</sup>	-7.2%	+12.2%

## Geographical exposure by listing<sup>2</sup>



## Sector exposure<sup>2,4</sup>



## The Fund - Class A USD Unhedged Acc: Monthly performance

Year	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Annual
2023	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	-3.0%	-0.9%	+2.8%	-5.1%	-1.6%	-3.4%	+0.8%	-1.2%	-11.2%
2024 (YTD)	-4.7%	+1.4%	-1.2%	+1.5%	+3.0%	-0.7%	-0.1%	+3.3%					+2.4%

<sup>△</sup> The Fund is one of the eligible collective investment schemes for the purpose of the New Capital Investment Entrant Scheme (New CIES) in Hong Kong with effect from 1 March 2024.

<sup>△</sup> Annualized return is calculated from inception based on published NAV.

Performance is calculated on NAV to NAV in base currency with dividend reinvested and net of fees. All indices are for reference only. Past Performance is not a guide to future performance and may not be repeated. The value of investments and the income from them may go down as well as up and investors may not get back the amounts originally invested. Exchange rate changes may cause the value of any overseas investments to rise or fall. The on-going charges are the fees the Fund charges to investors to cover the costs of running the Fund. Additional costs, including transaction fees, will also be incurred. These costs are paid out by the Fund, which will impact on the overall return of the Fund.

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## Top holdings

Name	Industry <sup>4</sup>	%
Philippine Seven Corp	Food retail	10.0
Century Pacific Food Inc	Packaged foods & meats	5.8
BGF retail Co Ltd	Food retail	5.6
CP ALL PCL	Food retail	5.2
iShares Core MSCI Asia ex Japan ETF	Others	5.1
President Chain Store Corp	Food retail	4.9
Alibaba Group Holding Ltd	Broadline retail	3.7
First Resources Ltd	Agricultural products	3.7
Mayora Indah Tbk PT	Packaged foods & meats	3.3
Tingyi (Cayman Islands) Holding Corp	Packaged foods & meats	3.2

These securities constitute 51% of the Fund.

## Portfolio characteristics

Price/earnings ratio	12.5 times	
Price/book ratio	1.6 times	
Portfolio yield	3.1%	
	<b>Class A USD Unhedged Acc</b>	<b>MSCI AC Asia (ex-Japan) Index</b>
Annualized volatility (3 years) <sup>5</sup>	N/A	N/A

## NAVs & codes

Classes	NAV	ISIN	Bloomberg
Class A AUD Hedged Acc	8.89	IE000A1BC7A9	VPAFNAA ID
Class A HKD Unhedged Acc	9.05	IE000864PPI8	VPAFNHA ID
Class A RMB Hedged Acc	8.78	IE000VW6AV56	VPAFNUA ID
Class A SGD Hedged Acc	8.88	IE000032N2A4	VPAFNSA ID
Class A USD Unhedged Acc	9.09	IE000NVDH404	VPAFNAU ID

## Fund facts

Manager:	Carne Global Fund Managers (Ireland) Limited
Investment manager:	Value Partners Hong Kong Limited
Administrator:	HSBC Securities Services (Ireland) DAC
Depository:	HSBC Continental Europe
Base currency:	USD
Launch date:	24 May 2023
	- Class A AUD Hedged Acc
	- Class A HKD Unhedged Acc
	- Class A RMB Hedged Acc
	- Class A SGD Hedged Acc
	- Class A USD Unhedged Acc
Dealing frequency:	Daily
SFDR Classification**:	Article 8

\*\* The Fund has environmental and/or social characteristics within the meaning of Article 8 of Regulation (EU) 2019/2088 on Sustainability-related Disclosures in the Financial Services Sector (the "SFDR"). For information on sustainability-related aspects of the Fund, please refer to the Annex II in the prospectus at <https://www.valuepartners-group.com/en/products-services/ireland-retail-investors/>. The Fund is also on the List of ESG Funds in Hong Kong. The list of ESG funds does not constitute an SFC official recommendation of these products or a guarantee of their ESG attributes or related performance. SFC authorization does not mean the product is suitable for any particular investor. For more details, please read <https://www.sfc.hk/en/Regulatory-functions/Products/List-of-ESG-funds>.

## Fee structure & Subscription information

	Class A
Minimum subscription:	AUD10,000 / HKD80,000 / RMB 60,000 / SGD10,000 / USD10,000
Initial subscription fee:	Up to 5% of issue price
Management fee:	1.5% p.a.
Redemption fee:	Currently nil

## Senior investment staff

**Co-Chairman & Co-Chief Investment Officer:** Cheah Cheng Hye  
**Co-Chief Investment Officer:** Louis So  
**Deputy Chief Investment Officer, Equities:** Yu Chen Jun  
**Senior Investment Directors:** Norman Ho, CFA; Renee Hung  
**Chief Investment Officer, Multi Assets:** Kelly Chung, CFA  
**Investment Directors:** Lillian Cao; Luo Jing, CFA; Michelle Yu, CFA  
**Head of ESG Investment:** Frank Tsui, CEMSA

## Key corporate awards



**Asset Class Award: Asia ex-Japan equity<sup>6</sup>**  
 ~ AsianInvestor Asset Management Awards 2022

**Asia ex-Japan Equity House: Best-in-Class<sup>7</sup>**  
**Greater China Equity House: Outstanding Achiever**  
 ~ Benchmark Fund of the Year Awards 2018, Hong Kong

**Offshore China Equity (10-year)<sup>8</sup>**  
 ~ Insight & Mandate, Professional Investment Awards 2018

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