

# Aberdeen Asian Credit Fund



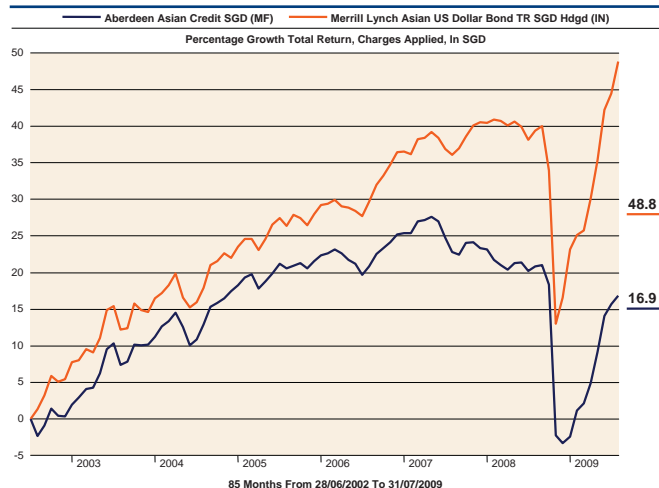
## Fund objective

Aims to provide holders with current income and the potential for capital appreciation from a portfolio of Asian fixed income instruments such as bonds and debentures, and other obligations, of companies and governments in the Asia Pacific region including Australasia and Japan.

## Key information

Fund included under <sup>1</sup>	SRS	Switching fee	1.0%
Launch date	5 Dec 97	Management fee	1.0% p.a
Benchmark	ML Asian USD Bond hedged to SGD	Min. investment	S\$1,000/ US\$5,000
Monthly investment plan <sup>1</sup>	S\$100 min.	Min. subsequent investment	S\$100/ US\$2,500
Front end load	3.0%	Fund size	S\$2.2m

## Performance<sup>#</sup>



## Performance (%)

SGD	1 mth	3 mths	1 yr	3 yrs	5 yrs	5 yrs (p.a)
Fund NAV to NAV	1.1	7.1	-3.2	-2.9	4.0	0.8
Fund (Charges applied <sup>2</sup> )	-2.0	3.9	-6.2	-6.2	0.4	0.1
Benchmark	3.0	9.9	6.8	14.7	26.2	4.8

USD <sup>^</sup>	1 mth	3 mths	1 yr	3 yrs	3 yrs (p.a)
Fund NAV to NAV	2.1	9.8	-7.9	6.0	2.0
Fund (Charges applied <sup>2</sup> )	-1.0	6.5	-10.7	2.5	0.8
Benchmark	3.4	12.6	1.3	25.4	7.8

Source: Lipper, percentage growth, gross income reinvested, as at 31 Jul 09

<sup>^</sup> Fund available for US\$ investment since Jun 04

<sup>#</sup> Start date follows restructuring of portfolio

## Prices over past 12 months

	Highest NAV	Lowest NAV
SGD	\$1.2782 (15/08/08)	\$0.9967 (02/01/09)
USD	\$1.1500 (31/07/08)	\$0.8200 (05/12/08)

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## Top ten holdings

	%
XINAO 7.375% Aug 2012	7.0
Majapahit Holding BV 7.25% Oct 2011	7.0
SK Broadband 7.00% Feb 2012	6.9
STATS Chippac 7.5% Jul 2010	6.9
Shinsegae Co Ltd 6.125% Jun 2011	6.9
Public Bank 5.625% Sep 2014	6.8
Republic of Philippines 9.875% Jan 2019	6.7
PT Bank Lippo 7.375% Nov 2016	6.6
Hyundai Capital 5.50% Nov 2010	6.6
Korea Expressway 4.875% Apr 2014	5.7
Total	67.1

## Currency exposure

	%
SGD	92.7
USD	7.3
Total	100.0

## Credit ratings

	%
A or higher	18.2
BBB	20.3
BB	43.7
B or lower	6.7
NR	7.7
Cash & Others	3.4
Total	100.0

## Fund Statistics

Duration - Fund	2.3yrs
- Index	4.8yrs
Yield to maturity	6.4%

Dividend payable from 10 business days after end March, June, September and December.

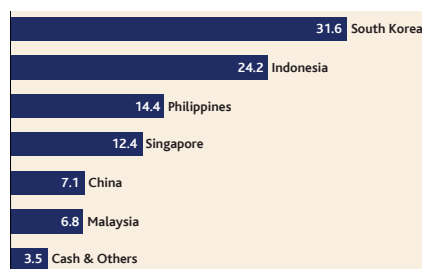
<sup>1</sup> S\$ Class only

<sup>2</sup> Includes an assumed 3% front end load.

NAV to NAV figures are a better reflection of underlying investment performance.

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## Country risk of issuer



## Sector Allocation



## Fund manager's report

- The rally in Asian credit markets picked up pace alongside equity markets in July, thanks to positive sentiment and firm risk appetite.
- The US Treasury Department named nine asset managers for its Public-Private Investment Program, aimed at establishing a market for bad debt on US bank balance sheets.
- The primary market remained strong and new issuance continued to be oversubscribed.
- Moody's upgraded the Philippines' government debt rating from B1 to Ba3, citing a stable outlook.

## Risk Statistics (3yrs to 31/07/09)

Beta	0.85
Std deviation	11.40
Sharpe ratio	-0.12

## Codes

UK Sedol number	6156866
ISIN code	SGD - SG9999000384 USD - SG9999001853
Bloomberg ticker	SGD - ABAFIFI SP USD - ABAHYFU SP

*Note: The Fund is an open-ended sub-fund under the Aberdeen Select Portfolio. The fund name was changed from Aberdeen Asian High Yield Fund to Aberdeen Asian Credit Fund and its benchmark was changed from HSBC Asia US Dollar Bond Index to Merrill Lynch Asian US Dollar Bond Index (hedged to SGD) with effect from 1 Oct 08. All non-performance data is sourced from Aberdeen Asset Management Asia Limited with gross risk statistics also from Bloomberg, Lipper & Russell Mellon.*

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