# Longlead Pan-Asian Absolute Return Fund

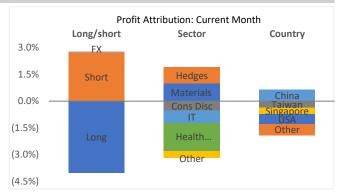
July 2021

|      | Jan  | Feb  | Mar   | Apr  | May   | Jun   | Jul   | Aug | Sep | Oct | Nov | Dec | YTD   |
|------|------|------|-------|------|-------|-------|-------|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-------|
| 2021 | 0.09 | 5.56 | -1.57 | 1.18 | -7.48 | -0.39 | -1.29 |     |     |     |     |     | -4.28 |

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#### Performance Trends & Attribution





Sector and country profit attribution is shown in the underlying currency of the Master Fund (US Dollars) and excludes the impact of FX movements

#### Monthly Commentary

The Longlead Pan-Asian Absolute Return Fund (the "Fund") generated a net loss of -1.29% in July as concerns over the spread of the Delta COVID variant across the region and a Chinese government regulatory crackdown on companies in the technology, education and property services industries saw equity market sentiment turn sharply negative and many Pan-Asian markets sell off. With the focus of these events mainly on China and Hong Kong, the Fund's long positions in these geographies detracted from performance with the MSCI China Index falling 12% and the Hang Seng Index, 8% in the month. Despite this, the Fund's shorts and hedging positions in these same markets performed well to more than offset this impact resulting in China exposures overall navigating the volatility and being profitable for the Fund in July. However the risk-off sentiment extended to other markets with indirect China exposure such as Taiwan and Singapore, with longs in those markets generating a loss for the Fund. In terms of sector performance, losses were posted in Health Care, Information Technology and Consumer Discretionary holdings, while gains were recorded in Materials and hedging positions.

Notwithstanding the recent regulatory driven volatility in Pan Asian markets centred on China, we note that recent moves by the Chinese government signal a potential neutralisation of the monetary tightening headwinds and acceleration of fiscal spending as we approach the end of the year. We attach a recent Longlead Mid Year Review thought piece for further background discussing this and other aspects shaping markets across the region.

Our next full quarterly newsletter and portfolio commentary will be released in October 2021.

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#### Portfolio Analysis

| COUNTRY   | Gross % | Net %  | SECTOR        | Gross % | Net %   |
|-----------|---------|--------|---------------|---------|---------|
| China     | 14.77%  | 2.87%  | Cons Disc     | 19.64%  | 1.66%   |
| Hong Kong | 10.80%  | -4.17% | Cons Staples  | 17.59%  | 6.49%   |
| Singapore | 13.67%  | -4.41% | Energy        | 1.69%   | 0.91%   |
| Taiwan    | 37.56%  | 0.13%  | Financials    | 9.78%   | -3.65%  |
| Korea     | 12.98%  | 0.04%  | Real Estate   | 4.26%   | -0.63%  |
| Japan     | 25.79%  | -6.38% | Health Care   | 8.25%   | 7.91%   |
| Australia | 21.25%  | 15.28% | Industrials   | 28.44%  | 4.90%   |
| NZ        | 0.00%   | 0.00%  | Info Tech     | 28.69%  | 1.74%   |
| US        | 11.56%  | 6.29%  | Materials     | 8.89%   | 2.42%   |
| Europe    | 4.22%   | -3.49% | Communication | 5.19%   | 3.50%   |
| Other     | 2.16%   | 1.19%  | Utilities     | 0.07%   | -0.07%  |
|           |         |        | Non sector    | 22.27%  | -17.83% |
| FUND      | 154.76% | 7.35%  | FUND          | 154.76% | 7.35%   |

| STATISTICS                    | %     |  |  |  |
|-------------------------------|-------|--|--|--|
| Current Month Return          | -1.29 |  |  |  |
| 2021 year-to-date return      | -4.28 |  |  |  |
| One year rolling return       | n/a   |  |  |  |
| Annualised return (inception) | n/a   |  |  |  |
| Annualised std deviation      | n/a   |  |  |  |
| Sharpe Ratio**                | n/a   |  |  |  |
| Percentage of +ve months      | 43    |  |  |  |
| Corr to MSCI Asia-Pac**       | n/a   |  |  |  |
| Corr to S&P 500**             | n/a   |  |  |  |

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### Monthly Net Performance History (%)

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 Launch Date: January 2021
 Management fees: 2%

 AUM: Strategy USD 81m; Firm USD 234m
 Performance fees: 20%

Subscription frequency: Monthly High water mark: Yes

Redemption frequency: Monthly, 60 days notice

Administrator: SS&C Fund Services (Asia) Pte Ltd

Lock Up: None Auditor: Ernst & Young

Fund domicile & type: Australia, Unit Trust Legal Counsel: Clayton Utz, Sydney

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