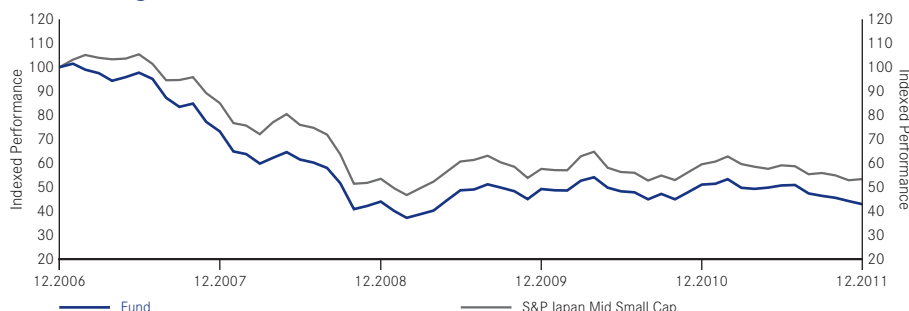


Japan Small & MidCap Opportunities Fund

A-Non-distributing Share Performance in ¥



Cumulative Performance	1 Month %	3 Months %	6 Months %	1 Year %	Year to Date %	Annualised (3 Years) %	Annualised (5 years) %	Annualised (Since Launch) %
A Class	-2.9	-7.5	-15.4	-16.0	-16.0	-0.8	-15.5	2.6
S&P Japan Mid Small Cap	0.9	-4.5	-9.6	-10.2	-10.2	0.0	-11.7	-0.7
Quartile ranking	4	4	4	3	3	3	4	2

Calendar Year Performance	2007 %	2008 %	2009 %	2010 %	2011 %
A Class	-26.7	-39.9	11.9	3.7	-16.0
S&P Japan Mid Small Cap	-14.9	-37.0	7.8	3.4	-10.2

Fund Data

Status	Sub-Fund of Luxembourg SICAV
Fund Manager	Shin Murakami
Launch Date of Fund	13.05.1987
Launch Date of Class A JPY	13.05.1987
Base Currency	¥
Additional Dealing Currencies	€, US\$
Benchmark	S&P Japan Mid Small Cap
Morningstar Category	Japan Small/Mid-Cap Equity
Total Fund Size (m)	¥15,366.4

Codes

CUSIP	L1049J643
ISIN	LU0249411835
Bloomberg Equity Ticker	MLJOPAY
Reuters Page Id	BLRKIH
Swiss Valoren Number	2559984

Dealing & Prices

Dealing Information	
Trading Frequency	Daily, forward pricing basis
Settlement	Trade date + 3 days
Fees	%
Initial Charge (A shares)	5
Annual Management Fee (A shares)	1.50
NAV	(¥)
A Class	2,661.00
12 Months High/Low NAV	(¥)
A Class	3,371.00/2,570.00

Additional Dealing Codes

Currency	CUSIP	ISIN
US\$	L1049J676	LU0006061252
€	L1049J718	LU0255399742

		Equity Fund
Stockmarket Capitalisation	Large	
	Mid	
	Small	80-120*
Style		Growth

*number of stocks

Summary of Investment Objective

The Japan Small & MidCap Opportunities Fund seeks to maximise total return. The Fund invests at least 70% of its total assets in the equity securities of small and mid capitalisation companies domiciled in, or exercising the predominant part of their economic activity in, Japan. Small and mid capitalisation companies are considered companies which, at the time of purchase, form the bottom 30% by market capitalisation of Japanese stock markets.

10 Largest Holdings

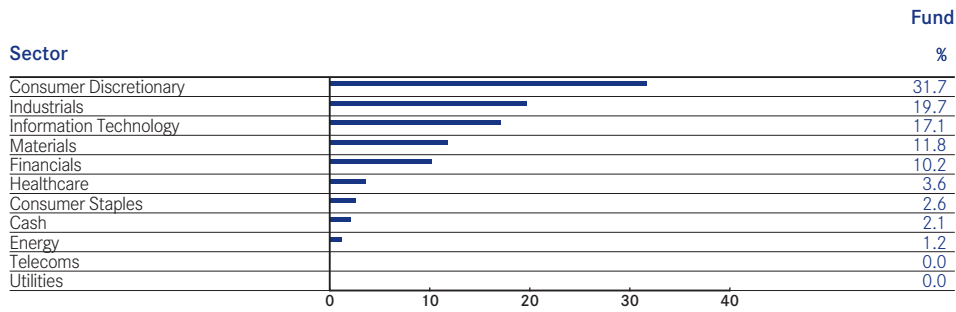
Nidec Tosok	3.2
Gree Inc.	2.3
Anritsu	2.2
Seven Bank	2.2
HONEY'S	2.1
Kajima Corp	2.1
Pigeon	2.1
NIDEC	2.0
Unipres	1.7
Rakuten	1.6
Total	21.5

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Composition of Fund



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Fund Risk Statistics

	3 Years	5 Years	Since Launch
Volatility (%)			
- Fund	18.4	20.0	23.3
- Benchmark*	17.5	18.8	21.9
Beta	1.01	1.02	0.90

* The Benchmark under Fund risk statistics for the Japan Small & MidCap Opportunities Fund is S&P Japan Mid Small Cap. ■