

#### Summary of fund objective

The investment objective of the Fund is to seek long term capital appreciation, measured in Yen, through investment in the securities of companies listed on the exchanges and over-the-counter markets in Japan. The Fund is primarily invested in the equity securities of Japanese companies, but may also invest in debt securities convertible into common shares and other equity linked instruments. For the full objectives and investment policy please consult the current prospectus.

#### **Key facts**



Daiji Ozawa Tokyo
Managed fund since March 2007
Share class launch 30 September 2011
Original fund launch <sup>1</sup> 25 May 1993
Legal status Luxembourg SICAV with UCITS status
Share class currency USD
Share class type Income
Fund size JPY 16.01 bn
Reference index TOPIX Index-TR
Bloomberg code IJPVCDU LX
ISIN code LU0607515797
Settlement date Trade Date + 3 Days
Morningstar Rating™ ★ ★ ★ ★ ★

## **Invesco Japanese Value Equity Fund** C (USD)-AD Shares

31 December 2017

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#### Quarterly fund commentary

Japanese equity markets rallied over the final quarter of the year. This rally was driven by better-than-expected earnings results, solid global growth and Prime Minister Shinzo Abe's landslide victory in the snap election. This victory could lead to more business friendly structural reforms, in our view. Against this market backdrop, new positions were introduced in a reinsurance group due to its improving shareholder return and a content provider on the back of its innovative product offering capability and strong earnings prospects. In turn, an entire position was sold in a major pharmaceutical company. Looking ahead, we may see some volatility in markets in the near-term post their strong performance over last 12 months. Nonetheless, we believe the outlook for the equity market is positive as, in our view, Japan's corporate fundamentals and improving economy are not reflected in companies' market valuations. Furthermore, most investors appear to have overlooked the ongoing progress in corporate governance reform. We continue to seek undervalued companies across a broad range of sectors, with a particular focus on those making the necessary changes to create sustainable corporate value over the long term.



The performance period shown here starts on the last day of the first indicated month and ends on the last day of the last indicated month.

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Cumulative pe	erformance*						
in %	YTD	1 month	1 year	3 years	5 years		
Fund	40.22	3.23	40.22	63.72	97.97		
Index	26.55	0.90	26.55	46.24	79.58		
Calendar year	performance*						
in %	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017		
Fund	24.95	-3.22	12.40	3.87	40.22		
Index	27.03	-3.33	11.69	3.46	26.55		
Standardised	rolling 12 month	performar	nce**				
	31.12.12	31.12.13	31.12.14	31.12.15	31.12.16		
in %	31.12.13	31.12.14	31.12.15	31.12.16	31.12.17		
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The standardised past performance information is updated on a quarterly basis. Should you require upto-date past performance information this is available on our website www.invescoeurope.com or by contacting us.

Past performance is not a guide to future returns. The performance shown does not take account of the commissions and costs incurred on the issue and redemption of units.

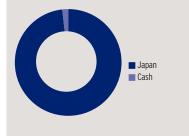
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Top 10 holdings*	(total holdings: 47)	
Holding	Sector	%
Nidec	Industrials	3.8
Daikin	Industrials	3.4
Komatsu	Industrials	3.2
Hitachi	Information Technology	3.2
Sumitomo Metal Mining	Materials	3.1
Sekisui Chemical	Consumer Discretionary	2.9
Daiwa House Industry	Real Estate	2.9
Otsuka	Information Technology	2.8
Resort Trust	Consumer Discretionary	2.8
Yaskawa Electric	Information Technology	2.8

#### Geographical weightings of the fund in $\%^*$



Sector weightings of the fund in %\*



Geographical weightings\*

Japan Cash

#### Sector weightings\*

	in %
Industrials	31.6
Consumer Discretionary	27.6
Information Technology	17.6
Real Estate	7.9
Financials	7.8
Materials	4.3
Health Care	1.0
Consumer Staples	0.4
Cash	1.8
	Industrials Consumer Discretionary Information Technology Real Estate Financials Materials Health Care Consumer Staples

### Financial characteristics\*

Average weighted market capitalisation	USD 19.69 bn
Median market capitalisation	USD 5.81 bn

#### 3 year characteristics\*\*

Alpha	5.06
Beta	0.91
Correlation	0.94
Information ratio	0.68
Sharpe ratio	1.25
Tracking error in %	5.67
Volatility in %	12.33
For detailed information about the 3 year characteristics please see http://www.invescoeurope.com/CE/Glossary.pdf.	

#### NAV and fees

Current NAV USD 19.80 12 month price high USD 19.85 (27/12/2017) 12 month price low USD 14.05 (03/01/2017) Minimum investment <sup>2</sup> USD 1,000,000 Entry charge Up to 5.00% Annual management fee 0.75%

**Ongoing charges** 1.02% (28/02/2017)

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#### **Risk Warnings**

The value of investments and any income will fluctuate (this may partly be the result of exchange rate fluctuations) and investors may not get back the full amount invested.

#### Important Information

<sup>1</sup>The Original Fund Launch date shown herein is different from the fund launch date shown in the KIID, as it indicates the launch date of a previous fund that was merged into the fund shown and therefore the track record starts with this previous fund. Further information can be found on our website: www.invescoeurope.com.

<sup>2</sup>The minimum investment amounts are: USD 1,000,000 / EUR 800,000 / GBP 600,000 / CHF 1,000,000 / SEK 7,000,000. Please contact us or refer to the most up to date Prospectus for details of minimum investment amounts in other currencies.

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