

## Summary of fund objective

The fund aims to achieve long-term capital growth by investing in shares of Asian companies. For the full objectives and investment policy please consult the current prospectus.

## **Key facts**



Stuart Parks Henley -on- Thames Managed fund since February 1998

Share class launch 08 October 2014

Original fund launch 1 08 March 1993

Legal status

Mutual Fund - Irish Unit Trust authorised as UCITS

Share class currency **EUR** 

Share class type Income

Fund size USD 1.70 bn

Reference index MSCI AC Asia ex Japan Index-ND

Bloomberg code

IASAADE ID ISIN code

IE00BMMV7G99

Settlement date Trade Date + 3 Days

Morningstar Rating™

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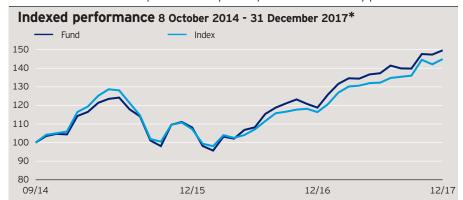
# Invesco Asian Equity Fund A (EUR)-AD Shares

## 31 December 2017

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### Quarterly fund commentary

Asian equity markets rallied thanks to positive earnings growth revisions and solid global economic expansion. In China, upbeat 3Q results led to higher earnings expectations in the internet and industrial sectors. Elsewhere, Indian equities were supported by the ruling Bharatiya Janata Party's victories in state elections and the planned recapitalisation of the state-owned banks. In Korea, the market was helped by an agreement with China, which normalised relations post the installation of the US anti-missile system, and strong 3Q GDP growth estimates. Taiwan ended the quarter higher but parts of the market exposed to Apple's supply chain suffered due to lukewarm demand for iPhone X and iPhone 8. We seek to invest in companies whose share prices are substantially below our estimate of fair value. The fund has a high weighting in a selection of highly cash generative Chinese internet companies, as we believe the market is too sceptical on their ability to maintain strong earnings growth. However, we took profits in recent outperformers, and we added new positions in a Chinese online retailer with strong cashflow generation and high barriers to entry and a Chinese telecommunication services company which is out of favour due to the Iull in telecom capex before the introduction of 5G. We have a notable position in South Korea where we believe companies are likely to adopt shareholder friendly policies.



Each period starts at the end of the indicated month. The first indicated month may not represent a full month and may start only on the launch/restructuring date indicated in the headline.

in %	YTD	1 month	1 year	3 years	Since inception
Fund	25.94	1.57	25.94	43.32	49.63
Index	24.48	1.98	24.48	36.78	44.91

## Calendar year performance\*

in %	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017
Fund	-	-	3.54	9.90	25.94
Index	-	-	1.18	8.60	24.48

## Standardised rolling 12 month performance\*\*

	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
Fund	-	-	3.54	9.90	25.94

The standardised rolling 12 month performance information is updated on a quarterly basis beginning one year after the share class launch. As the share class was launched on 8 October 2014, data is not available for the complete period covered by the table. Should you require up-to-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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Issuers and active weights*					
Top 10 issuers					
Samsung Electronics Co Ltd	8.5				
Tencent Holdings Ltd	5.1				
AIA Group Ltd	5.0				
NetEase Inc	4.7				
Taiwan Semiconductor Manufacturing Co Ltd	4.2				
Housing Development Finance Corp Ltd	3.3				
POSCO	3.2				
Industrial & Commercial Bank of China Ltd	2.6				
Korea Electric Power Corp	2.6				
CNOOC Ltd	2.5				

Top 10 positive	+	Top 10 negative	-
NetEase Inc	4.1	Alibaba Group Holding Ltd	2.1
Samsung Electronics Co Ltd	2.9	China Construction Bank Corp	1.6
AIA Group Ltd	2.8	Tencent Holdings Ltd	1.2
POSCO	2.7	Ping An Insurance Group Co of	1.2
Housing Development Finance Corp	2.4	China Ltd	
Ltd		SK Hynix Inc	0.9
Korea Electric Power Corp	2.4	Reliance Industries Ltd	0.8
UPL Ltd	2.3	Hong Kong Exchanges & Clearing	0.8
CNOOC Ltd	2.0	Ltd	
China Life Insurance Co Ltd/Taiwan	1.9	Oversea-Chinese Banking Corp Ltd	0.6
JD.com Inc	1.6	Sun Hung Kai Properties Ltd	0.5
		China Life Insurance Co Ltd	0.5

(total holdings: 60)

Geographical weightings of the fund in %*				
	China South Korea India Taiwan Hong Kong Singapore Philippines Thailand Others Cash			

Sector weightings of the fund in %*					
	<ul> <li>Information Technology</li> <li>Financials</li> <li>Industrials</li> <li>Materials</li> <li>Consumer Discretionary</li> <li>Utilities</li> <li>Real Estate</li> <li>Telecommunication</li> <li>Services</li> <li>Others</li> <li>Cash</li> </ul>				

NAV and fees
Current NAV EUR 14.92
<b>12 month price high</b> EUR 15.22 (22/11/2017)
<b>12 month price low</b> EUR 12.07 (03/01/2017)
Minimum investment <sup>2</sup> EUR 1,000
Entry charge Up to 5.00%
Annual management fee 1.5%
<b>Ongoing charges</b> 1.95% (31/07/2016)

Geographical weightings*			Sector weightings*			
in %	Fund	Index	in %	Fund	Index	
China	32.9	34.2	Information Technology	32.7	31.8	
South Korea	20.5	17.7	Financials	25.4	23.4	
India	11.8	10.1	Industrials	7.4	6.7	
Taiwan	11.7	13.0	Materials	7.0	4.6	
Hong Kong	9.5	11.2	Consumer Discretionary	6.8	9.3	
Singapore	4.1	4.0	Utilities	5.1	2.8	
Philippines	1.6	1.3	Real Estate	3.6	5.9	
Thailand	1.6	2.6	Telecommunication	3.2	4.2	
Others	2.8	5.9	Services			
Cash	3.6	0.0	Others	5.2	11.4	
			Cash	3.6	0.0	

Financial characteristics*					
Average weighted market capitalisation	EUR 81.11 bn				
Median market capitalisation	EUR 15.62 bn				

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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. As a large portion of the fund is invested in less developed countries, you should be prepared to accept significantly large fluctuations of the value of the fund.

## **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 1,500 / EUR 1,000 / GBP 1,000 / CHF 1,500 / SEK 10,000. 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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