Astute Asian (Ex Japan) Fund

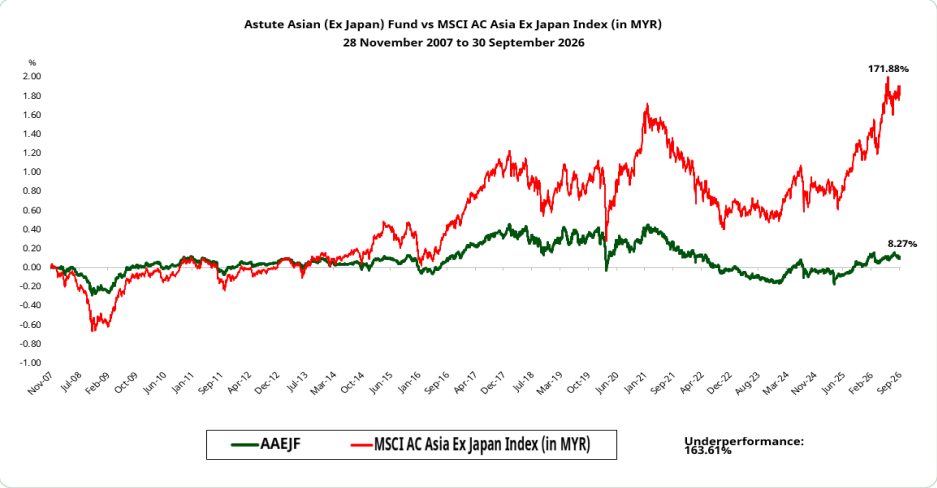
September 2026

OBJECTIVE

To achieve a steady income and some prospects for capital appreciation in the long term by investing primarily in Asian markets excluding Japan.

FUND PERFORMANCE BREAKDOWN

Performance chart since inception (Source: Bloomberg)



Cumulative Performance (%)	YTD	1 Month	3 Months	6 Months	1 Year	3 Year	5 Year	Since Inception
Fund	+2.86	-3.30	+0.17	+3.66	+4.76	+23.74	-9.59	+8.27
Benchmark	+24.58	+0.52	-1.10	+26.68	+24.99	+62.70	+37.68	+171.88

Calendar Year Performance (%)	Asian (Ex Japan) Fund	Benchmark*
YTD 2026 @ 30.09.2026	+2.86	+24.58
2025	+8.86	+17.69
2024	+13.17	+6.95
2023	-11.80	+7.96
2022	-13.18	-16.89
Since inception (28.11.2007)	+8.27	+171.88

HISTORICAL DISTRIBUTIONS

Distribution (ex-date)	Distribution / Unit	Unit Split
N/A	N/A	N/A

SPECIFIC RISKS

Market Risk, Particular Stock Risk, Warrant Risk, Negative Return Risk, Dividend Payment Risk, Currency Risk, Country Risk, Derivative Risk.

FUND FACTS

Launch Date
28 November 2007

Category / Type
Equity / Growth

FEES & CHARGES

Sales Charge
Up to 5.2632% of NAV/unit

Management Fee
1.50% p.a of NAV

Trustee
Maybank Trustees Berhad

Trustee Fee
0.05% p.a of NAV

TRANSACTION DETAILS

Min Initial Investment
Cash = RM 1,000

Min Additional Investment
Cash = RM 100

FUND NAV	NAV	Date
High	RM 0.2535	25.02.2026
Low	RM 0.2284	30.03.2026

BENCHMARK *

MSCI AC Asia Ex-Japan Index

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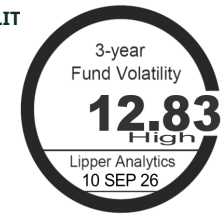

NAV PER UNIT
RM 0.2377

FUND SIZE
RM 646,040.48

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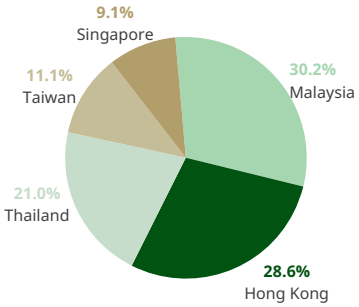
FUND ALLOCATION

Financial Services	22.8%	Plantation	5.7%
Technology	17.3%	Property	4.7%
Liquidity	11.3%	Telecommunication	3.9%
Industrial Prod & Serv.	8.8%	Real Estate	3.8%
Materials	8.0%	Communication	3.2%
Trading/Services	7.7%	Consumer Cyclical	2.8%

COUNTRY ALLOCATION



TOP 5 HOLDINGS

Holdings	Sector	%
Taiwan Semiconductor	Technology	9.82
Krung Thai	Financial Services	8.87
Zijin Mining	Materials	7.78
CNOOC	Trading/Services	7.71
Malaysian Pacific Industries	Technology	7.50

Disclosure Statements: Based on the Fund's portfolio returns as at 10 September 2026, the Volatility Factor (VF) for this Fund is 12.83 and is classified as 'High' (source: Lipper). 'High' includes funds with VF that are above 11.86 but not more than 16.705. The VF means there is a possibility for the Fund in generating an upside return or downside return around this VF. The Volatility Class (VC) is assigned by Lipper based on quintile ranks of VF for qualified funds. VF is subject to monthly revision and VC will be revised every six months. The Fund's portfolio may have changed since this date and there is no guarantee that the Fund will continue to have the same VF or VC in the future. Presently, only funds launched in the market for at least 36 months will display the VF and its VC. A copy of the Master Prospectus dated 17 August 2023 and the Product Highlights Sheet ("PHS") have been registered and lodged with the SC. A PHS highlighting the key features and risks of the Fund is available and investors have the right to request for a PHS. Investors are advised to obtain, read and understand the Prospectus and the PHS before investing and to consider the fees and charges involved. The Prospectus and the PHS can be obtained from our office, our authorised distributors, consultants or representatives. Any issue of units to which the Prospectus relates will only be made on receipt of a Master Account Application Form referred to and accompanying with a copy of the Prospectus.

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