

# First State Singapore and Malaysia Growth Fund

- -The Fund invests primarily in equity or equity-related securities issued by companies incorporated in, have substantial assets in, or derive significant revenues from operations in Singapore or Malaysia.
- The Fund invests in emerging markets which may have increased risks than developed markets including liquidity risk, currency risk/control, political and economic uncertainties, high degree of volatility, settlement risk and custody risk.
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- -The Fund may use FDIs for hedging and efficient portfolio management purposes, which may subject the Fund to additional liquidity, valuation, counterparty and over the counter transaction risks.
- -It is possible that a part or entire value of your investment could be lost. You should not base your investment decision solely on this document. Please read the offering document including risk factors for details.

## Investment objective & strategy

The Fund aims to achieve long term capital appreciation and invests primarily in equity or equity-related securities issued by companies that are listed, traded or dealt in on regulated markets in Singapore or Malaysia or companies that are listed, traded or dealt in on another regulated market but that are incorporated in, have substantial assets in, or derive significant revenues from operations in Singapore or Malaysia.

#### **Cumulative performance in USD (%)**

						Since
	3mths	YTD	1уг	3yrs	5yrs	Inception
Class I (USD - Acc)*	-6.3	0.7	-3.6	11.0	-2.2	472.7
Benchmark <sup>∆</sup>	-6.0	2.2	-4.3	16.7	-5.1	316.4



Source: Lipper & FSI, Nav-Nav (USD total return).

## Calendar year performance in USD (%)

	2018	2017	2016	2015	2014
Class I (USD - Acc)*	-2.1	20.9	2.6	-17.2	3.2
Benchmark <sup>△</sup>	-8.1	31.5	-0.7	-18.7	-3.1

Source: Lipper & FSI, Nav-Nav (USD total return)

### Available share classes

Share Class <sup>+</sup>	Inception Date	Nav/per Share	ISIN Code
Class I (USD - Acc)	18 Oct 2002	US\$57.27	IE0031814969

Allocation percentage is rounded to the nearest one decimal place and the total allocation percentage may not add up to 100%.

### **Fund information**

Total fund size	US\$41.3mn
Number of holdings	35
Dealing	Daily
Minimum initial investment	US\$1,000
Minimum subsequent investment	US\$500
Management fee	1.5%p.a.
Initial charge	5.0%

## Asset allocation (%)<sup>†</sup>

Country	%	%	%
Singapore	55.0 Malaysia	21.9 Indonesia	8.0
Hong Kong	6.8 Japan	1.7 Thailand	1.6
Philippines	1.5 Liquidity	3.6	

Sector	%		%		%
Financials	30.9	Consumer Staples	25.5	Consumer Discret.	11.3
Health Care	11.0	Real Estate	7.4	Industrials	5.3
Materials	3.9	Info. Tech.	1.0	Liquidity	3.6

#### Top 10 company holdings (%)

Stock name	Sector	%
Haw Par Corporation Limited	(Health Care)	9.0
DBS Group Holdings Ltd	(Financials)	6.6
Oversea-Chinese Banking Corporation	(Financials)	6.6
United Overseas Bank Ltd. (Singapore)	(Financials)	6.4
Dairy Farm International Holdings	(Consumer Staples)	4.7
Great Eastern Holdings Limited	(Financials)	4.7
Carlsberg Brewery Malaysia Bhd.	(Consumer Staples)	4.7
Heineken Malaysia Bhd.	(Consumer Staples)	4.5
City Developments Limited	(Real Estate)	4.1
Jardine Cycle & Carriage Limited	(Consumer Discret.)	3.6

This Fund is a sub fund of Ireland domiciled First State Global Umbrella Fund Plc. \* Class I (USD-Acc) is the non-dividend distributing class of the fund, the performance quoted are based on USD total return (non-dividend distributing). Δ Benchmark is changed from Market Cap Weighted of MSCI Malaysia/MSCI Singapore Indices to MSCI Singapore & Malaysia Net Index effective on 1 May 2017. \*Acc represents share class with dividends accumulated.

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