

## **Interim Management Report of Fund Performance**

*For the Six-Month Period Ended September 30, 2024*

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## Management Discussion of Fund Performance

November 12, 2024

This Management Discussion of Fund Performance presents the portfolio management team's view on the significant factors and developments that have affected the Fund's performance and outlook in the six-month period ended September 30, 2024 (the "period"). If the Fund was established during the period, "period" represents the period since inception.

In this report, "IGIM" and "the Manager" refer to I.G. Investment Management, Ltd., the manager of the Fund. In addition, net asset value ("NAV") refers to the value of the Fund as calculated for transaction purposes, on which the discussion of Fund performance is based.

Please read *A Note on Forward-Looking Statements* on the first page of this document.

## Results of Operations

### Investment Performance

The performance in the current and previous periods is shown in the *Past Performance* section of the report. The following comparison to market indices is intended to help investors understand the Fund's performance relative to the general performance of the markets. However, the Fund's mandate may be different from that of the indices shown.

For the six-month period ended September 30, 2024, the Series P securities returned 12.2% (after deducting fees and expenses paid by the Fund). In comparison, the MSCI China A (Net) Index returned 19.5%.

Chinese equities rallied late in the period in response to a central bank stimulus package that included monetary, property market and equity market policies. However, soft domestic demand and prolonged weakness in the property market continued to outweigh the benefits of export performance. Manufacturing indicators fell, partly because of the effects of hot weather and flooding on production in August, while the services and construction sectors expanded.

Within the MSCI China A (Net) Index, financials, industrials and real estate were the best-performing sectors in Canadian dollar terms, while communication services, consumer staples and health care were the weakest.

The Fund underperformed the index, with underweight exposure to the financials sector and stock selection in the consumer discretionary and information technology sectors detracting from performance. The Fund's cash position also detracted from performance as equity markets rose. Stock selection in the industrials sector contributed to performance.

The Fund reduced holdings in the health care sector over the period as a system of national centralized procurement was expected to have an impact on the sector. Materials sector holdings were also reduced, although the Fund remained overweight in the sector. Exposure to the utilities and consumer discretionary sectors increased.

## Net Assets

The Fund's net assets increased by 9.9% during the period to \$21.3 million. This change was composed primarily of \$2.3 million in net income (including any interest and/or dividend income) from investment performance, after deducting fees and expenses, and a decrease of \$0.4 million due to net securityholder activity (including sales, redemptions and cash distributions).

## Fees and Expenses

The annualized management expense ratio ("MER") during the period ended September 30, 2024, was generally similar to the MER for the year ended March 31, 2024. Total expenses paid vary from period to period mainly as a result of changes in average assets. No management fee or administration fee, other than certain specific fund costs, is charged to the Fund. The MERs are presented in the *Financial Highlights* section of this report.

## Recent Developments

The portfolio management team remains optimistic about the Chinese equity market as it expects central bank stimulus to continue to be positive for investor confidence and share prices. The team expects policy-induced optimism to translate into increased economic investment and consumption, although equities could experience volatility until statistical evidence of economic improvement emerges. Equity market potential could also depend on the execution of mechanisms to support recently introduced central bank policies.

## Related Party Transactions

I.G. Investment Management, Ltd. is the Manager, Trustee and Portfolio Advisor of the Fund. The Fund is only available for purchase by other IG Wealth Management Funds and is not available for purchase by retail investors. The Manager, Portfolio Advisor and Trustee are, indirectly, wholly owned subsidiaries of IGM Financial Inc.

The following sub-advisor provided investment services to the Fund:

- China Asset Management Co., Ltd.

China Asset Management Co., Ltd. is affiliated with IGM Financial Inc.

Certain other investment funds, distributed by IG Wealth Management, and other qualified investors may invest in Series P of this Fund. As at September 30, 2024, this series comprised 100.0% of the Fund's net assets. The Manager relied on standing instructions approved by the IG Wealth Management Funds Independent Review Committee for the execution of all such transactions, which are based on the net asset value per security determined in accordance with the stated policies of the Fund on each transaction day. Investments by other investment funds in the Fund increase the risk of large redemption or purchase orders, which could result in larger than normal cash positions in the Fund for short periods of time. This could have an impact on the Fund's operations. However, the Manager uses various strategies to minimize the potential dilutive impact associated with large cash positions. These strategies may include transferring securities in-kind where possible, utilizing ETFs to maintain market exposure in lieu of cash and spreading transactions in smaller increments over a period of time.

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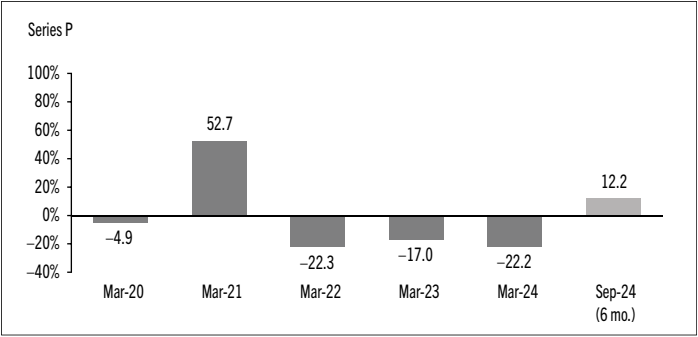
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## Past Performance

The Fund's performance information assumes all distributions made by the Fund in the periods presented are reinvested in additional securities of the relevant series of the Fund. The performance information does not take into account sales, redemption, distribution or other optional charges, or income taxes payable by any investor that would have reduced returns or performance. The past performance of the Fund is not necessarily an indication of how it will perform in the future.

## Year-by-Year Returns

The following bar chart presents the performance of Series P of the Fund for each of the fiscal periods shown. The chart shows, in percentage terms, how much an investment made on the first day of each fiscal period, or on the series inception or reinstatement date, as applicable, would have increased or decreased by the last day of the fiscal period presented. Series inception or reinstatement dates can be found under *Fund Formation and Series Information*.



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## Summary of Investment Portfolio at September 30, 2024

PORTFOLIO ALLOCATION	% OF NAV
Equities	93.1
Cash and cash equivalents	4.5
Other assets (liabilities)	2.4
REGIONAL ALLOCATION	% OF NAV
China	93.1
Cash and cash equivalents	4.5
Other assets (liabilities)	2.4
SECTOR ALLOCATION	% OF NAV
Consumer discretionary	23.2
Industrials	21.1
Materials	12.7
Utilities	9.2
Information technology	8.8
Consumer staples	7.2
Energy	6.2
Cash and cash equivalents	4.5
Other assets (liabilities)	2.4
Financials	1.9
Health care	1.5
Communication services	1.3

TOP 25 POSITIONS	% OF NAV
Issuer	
Zhejiang Weixing Industrial Development Co. Ltd.	5.8
Midea Group Co. Ltd.	5.0
China Shenhua Energy Co. Ltd.	4.7
Cash and cash equivalents	4.5
Zhejiang Zheneng Electric Power Co. Ltd.	4.1
Sieyuan Electric Co. Ltd.	4.0
Henan Pinggao Electric Co. Ltd.	3.8
Luxshare Precision Industry Co. Ltd.	3.6
China Yangtze Power Co. Ltd.	3.0
JCHX Mining Management Co. Ltd.	2.9
Wuliangye Yibin Co. Ltd.	2.9
Tingyi (Cayman Islands) Holding Corp.	2.7
Contemporary Amperex Technology Co. Ltd.	2.5
BYD Co. Ltd.	2.5
Shandong Sun Paper Industry JSC Ltd.	2.4
Hexing Electrical Co. Ltd.	2.4
Sailun Group Co. Ltd.	2.3
Scholar Education Group	2.3
Yintai Gold Co. Ltd.	2.2
Hubei Feilihua Quartz Glass Co. Ltd.	2.1
Sichuan Chuantou Energy Co. Ltd.	2.0
Zhejiang NHU Co. Ltd.	2.0
Anhui Heli Co. Ltd.	2.0
China National Chemical Engineering Co. Ltd.	1.9
Giant Biogene Holding Co. Ltd.	1.6
Top long positions as a percentage of total net asset value	75.2

The Fund held no short positions at the end of the period.  
The investments and percentages may have changed since September 30, 2024, due to the ongoing portfolio transactions of the Fund. Quarterly updates of holdings are available within 60 days of the end of each quarter except for March 31, the Fund's fiscal year-end, when they are available within 90 days.

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## Financial Highlights

The following tables show selected key financial information about the Fund and are intended to help you understand the Fund's financial performance for each of the fiscal periods presented below. If during the period a series was established or reinstated, "period" represents the period from inception or reinstatement to the end of that fiscal period. Series inception or reinstatement dates can be found under *Fund Formation and Series Information*.

### THE FUND'S NET ASSETS PER SECURITY (\$)¹

Series P	Sep. 30 2024	Mar. 31 2024	Mar. 31 2023	Mar. 31 2022	Mar. 31 2021	Mar. 31 2020
<b>Net assets, beginning of period</b>	<b>6.86</b>	<b>8.94</b>	<b>10.89</b>	<b>14.10</b>	<b>9.51</b>	<b>10.00</b>
<b>Increase (decrease) from operations:</b>						
Total revenue	0.18	0.09	0.11	0.07	0.11	0.01
Total expenses	(0.01)	(0.04)	(0.06)	(0.06)	(0.04)	(0.01)
Realized gains (losses) for the period	(0.20)	(1.94)	(2.97)	(0.70)	0.80	0.19
Unrealized gains (losses) for the period	0.85	(0.05)	1.06	(3.07)	3.84	(0.68)
<b>Total increase (decrease) from operations²</b>	<b>0.82</b>	<b>(1.94)</b>	<b>(1.86)</b>	<b>(3.76)</b>	<b>4.71</b>	<b>(0.49)</b>
<b>Distributions:</b>						
From net investment income (excluding Canadian dividends)	—	(0.09)	(0.10)	(0.05)	(0.11)	—
From Canadian dividends	—	—	—	—	—	—
From capital gains	—	—	—	(0.03)	(0.33)	—
Return of capital	—	—	—	—	—	—
<b>Total annual distributions³</b>	<b>—</b>	<b>(0.09)</b>	<b>(0.10)</b>	<b>(0.08)</b>	<b>(0.44)</b>	<b>—</b>
<b>Net assets, end of period</b>	<b>7.70</b>	<b>6.86</b>	<b>8.94</b>	<b>10.89</b>	<b>14.10</b>	<b>9.51</b>

(1) These calculations are prescribed by securities regulations and are not intended to be a reconciliation between opening and closing net assets per security. This information is derived from the Fund's unaudited interim financial statements and audited annual financial statements. The net assets per security presented in the financial statements may differ from the net asset value per security calculated for fund pricing purposes. An explanation of these differences, if any, can be found in the *Notes to Financial Statements*.

(2) Net assets and distributions are based on the actual number of securities outstanding at the relevant time. The increase/decrease from operations is based on the weighted average number of securities outstanding over the fiscal period.

(3) Distributions were paid in cash, reinvested in additional securities of the Fund, or both.

## RATIOS AND SUPPLEMENTAL DATA

Series P	Sep. 30 2024	Mar. 31 2024	Mar. 31 2023	Mar. 31 2022	Mar. 31 2021	Mar. 31 2020
Total net asset value (\$000)¹	21,315	19,387	23,341	20,716	16,054	8,797
Securities outstanding (000)¹	2,768	2,826	2,612	1,902	1,138	925
Management expense ratio (%)²	—	—	—	—	—	—
Management expense ratio before waivers or absorptions (%)²	—	—	—	—	—	—
Trading expense ratio (%)³	0.28	0.55	0.58	0.42	0.31	0.70
Portfolio turnover rate (%)⁴	85.09	317.95	286.16	180.52	97.58	—
Net asset value per security (\$)	7.70	6.86	8.94	10.89	14.10	9.51

(1) This information is provided as at the end of the fiscal period shown.

(2) Management expense ratio ("MER") is based on total expenses, excluding commissions and other portfolio transaction costs, income taxes and withholding taxes, for the stated period and is expressed as an annualized percentage of daily average net assets during the period, except as noted. In the period a series is established, the MER is annualized from the date of inception to the end of the period. Where the Fund directly invests in securities of another fund (including exchange-traded funds or "ETFs"), the MERs presented for the Fund include the portion of MERs of the other fund(s) attributable to this investment. Any income distributions received from ETFs managed by affiliates of the Manager, with the intention of offsetting fees paid within those ETFs but which are not considered to be duplicative fees under regulatory requirements, are treated as waived expenses for MER purposes. The Manager may waive or absorb operating expenses at its discretion and stop waiving or absorbing such expenses at any time without notice.

(3) The trading expense ratio ("TER") represents total commissions and other portfolio transaction costs incurred as an annualized percentage of daily average net assets during the period. Where the Fund invests in securities of another fund (including ETFs), the TERs presented for the Fund include the portion of TERs of the other fund(s) attributable to this investment.

(4) The Fund's portfolio turnover rate indicates how actively the Fund's portfolio advisor manages its portfolio investments. A portfolio turnover rate of 100% is equivalent to the Fund buying and selling all of the securities in its portfolio once in the course of the period. The higher the Fund's portfolio turnover rate in a period, the greater the trading costs payable by the Fund in the period, and the greater the chance of an investor receiving taxable capital gains in the year. There is not necessarily a relationship between a high turnover rate and the performance of a fund. The portfolio turnover rate is not provided when the Fund is less than one year old. The value of any trades to realign the Fund's portfolio after a fund merger, if any, is excluded from the portfolio turnover rate.

## Management Fees

The Fund is only available for purchase by other IG Wealth Management Funds and is not available for purchase by retail investors. In order to avoid duplication of fees in the other IG Wealth Management Funds, the Fund does not pay a management fee.

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## Fund Formation and Series Information

The Fund may have undergone a number of changes, such as a reorganization or a change in manager, mandate or name. A history of the major changes affecting the Fund in the last 10 years can be found in the Fund's Annual Information Form.

Date of Formation: January 13, 2020

The Fund may issue an unlimited number of securities of each series. The number of issued and outstanding securities of each series is disclosed under *Financial Highlights*.

Series P securities are offered exclusively to mutual funds managed by IGIM (or its affiliates) and certain institutional investors in connection with fund-of-fund arrangements.

Series	Inception/ Reinstatement Date	Management fee (%)	Service fee (%)	Administration fee (%)	Trustee fee (%)
Series P	January 13, 2020	–	–	–	–

The fee rates in the table above are rounded to two decimals.