

# **INVESTMENT**

SPECIALIST INVESTMENT AWARDS 2016

Emerging Markets Single Country

#### **FUND FACTS (USD)**

**Total Fund Assets** Total # of Positions \$115.7 million 47

Weighted Average

Market Cap \$17.2 billion

> S&P Bombay Stock Exchange 100 Index

Benchmark Management Fee 1.25%

Minimum Initial

\$1,000/£500 Investment

Minimum Subsequent

\$500/£250 Investment **Fund Domicile** Luxembourg

USD

**GBP** 

Available Share Classes A, I **Base Currency** 

Additional Dealing

Currencies **Net Asset Value** 

> A Acc (USD) \$15.14 A Acc (GBP) £18.31

### **PORTFOLIO MANAGEMENT**

Sunil Asnani Lead Manager

Sharat Shroff, CFA

Co-Manager

### **MATTHEWS ASIA**

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## India Fund

Class A Shares

Matthews Asia Funds 31 October 2017

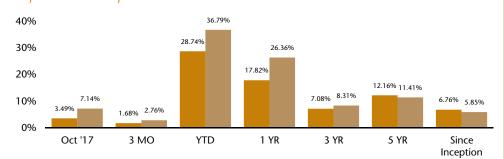
### **Investment Objective**

Long-term capital appreciation.

### Available Share Classes

| Share Class | ISIN         | SEDOL   | CUSIP     |
|-------------|--------------|---------|-----------|
| A Acc (USD) | LU0594557299 | B638ST7 | L6263Q520 |
| A Acc (GBP) | LU0594557455 | B3XT5K9 | L6263Q603 |

### Performance as of 31 October 2017<sup>†</sup>



India Fund, A Acc (USD)

|  | S&P Bomba | y Stock Exchange | 100 Index | (USD) |
|--|-----------|------------------|-----------|-------|
|--|-----------|------------------|-----------|-------|

| India Fund                             | Oct '17 | 3 MO  | YTD    | 1 YR   | 3 YR   | 5 YR   | Since<br>Inception | Inception   |
|--|---------|-------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------------------|-------------|
| A Acc (USD)                            | 3.49%   | 1.68% | 28.74% | 17.82% | 7.08%  | 12.16% | 6.76%              | 30 Jun 2011 |
| A Acc (GBP)                            | 4.63%   | 0.72% | 19.83% | 8.15%  | 13.97% | 16.64% | 10.02%             | 30 Jun 2011 |
| S&P Bombay Stock<br>Exchange 100 Index | 7.14%   | 2.76% | 36.79% | 26.36% | 8.31%  | 11.41% | 5.85%              | <b>n</b> 2  |
| (USD)                                  | 7.14%   | 2.76% | 30.79% | 20.30% | 0.31%  | 11.41% | 3.63%              | n.a.        |

### Annual Returns (For the Years Ended 31 December)

| India Fund                                      | 2016   | 2015   | 2014   | 2013   | 2012   |
|---|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|
| A Acc (USD)                                     | -3.53% | -3.18% | 53.54% | -5.20% | 28.15% |
| A Acc (GBP)                                     | 16.02% | 1.78%  | 62.97% | -7.46% | 22.75% |
| S&P Bombay Stock<br>Exchange 100 Index<br>(USD) | 2.32%  | -6.41% | 31.40% | -4.70% | 28.62% |

<sup>†</sup> All returns over 1 year are annualised

All performance quoted represents past performance and is no guarantee of future results. Investment return and principal value will fluctuate with market conditions so that when redeemed, shares may be worth more or less than the original cost. Current performance may be lower or higher than performance shown. Investors investing in Funds denominated in non-local currency should be aware of the risk of currency exchange fluctuations that may cause a loss of principal.

Performance details provided are based on a NAV-to-NAV basis with any dividends reinvested, and are net of management fees and other expenses. Source: Brown Brothers Harriman (Luxembourg) S.C.A.

# India Fund

### 31 October 2017

| TOP TEN HOLDINGS <sup>1</sup>                       |                        |                    |
|---|------------------------|--------------------|
|   | Sector                 | % of Net<br>Assets |
| Suzuki Motor Corp.                                  | Consumer Discretionary | 5.6%               |
| Eicher Motors, Ltd.                                 | Industrials            | 5.1%               |
| HDFC Bank, Ltd.                                     | Financials             | 5.0%               |
| ITC, Ltd.   | Consumer Staples       | 4.9%               |
| IndusInd Bank, Ltd.                                 | Financials             | 4.5%               |
| Kotak Mahindra Bank, Ltd.                           | Financials             | 4.0%               |
| Shriram City Union Finance, Ltd.                    | Financials             | 3.6%               |
| Ajanta Pharma, Ltd.                                 | Health Care            | 3.4%               |
| Info Edge India, Ltd.                               | Information Technology | 3.0%               |
| AIA Engineering, Ltd.                               | Industrials            | 3.0%               |
| % OF ASSETS IN TOP TEN                              |                        | 42.1%              |
| Source: Brown Brothers Harriman (Luxembourg) S.C.A. |                        |                    |

| SECTOR ALLOCATION (%) <sup>2</sup>                              |      |           |            | MARKET CAP EXPOSURE (%) <sup>2,3</sup>                     |      |           |            |
|---|------|-----------|------------|--|------|-----------|------------|
|   | Fund | Benchmark | Difference |  | Fund | Benchmark | Difference |
| Financials  | 31.1 | 32.5      | -1.4       | Mega Cap (over \$25B)                                      | 27.7 | 52.4      | -24.7      |
| Consumer Staples  | 17.8 | 9.8       | 8.0        | Large Cap (\$10B-\$25B)                                    | 13.3 | 27.2      | -13.9      |
| Consumer Discretionary  | 11.9 | 11.2      | 0.7        | Mid Cap (\$3B-\$10B)                                       | 14.9 | 18.9      | -4.0       |
| Information Technology  | 11.7 | 9.2       | 2.5        | Small Cap (under \$3B)                                     | 40.6 | 1.6       | 39.0       |
| Industrials   | 10.7 | 7.0       | 3.7        | Cash and Other Assets,                                     |      |           |            |
| Health Care   | 9.4  | 4.9       | 4.5        | Less Liabilities   | 3.5  | 0.0       | 3.5        |
| Materials   | 4.0  | 8.5       | -4.5       |  |      |           |            |
| Energy  | 0.0  | 11.5      | -11.5      | Source: FactSet Research Systems                           |      |           |            |
| Utilities   | 0.0  | 3.1       | -3.1       | P/E RATIOS <sup>4</sup>                                    |      |           |            |
| Telecom Services  | 0.0  | 2.1       | -2.1       | .,   |      |           |            |
| Real Estate   | 0.0  | 0.2       | -0.2       |  |      |           |            |
| Cash and Other Assets,  |      |           |            | P/E Using FY1 Estimates                                    |      |           | 27.7x      |
| Less Liabilities  | 3.5  | 0.0       | 3.5        | P/E Using FY2 Estimates                                    |      |           | 23.1x      |
|   |      |           |            |  |      |           |            |
|   |      |           |            |  |      |           |            |
|   |      |           |            |  |      |           |            |
| Sector data based on MSCI's revised Global Industry             |      |           |            |  |      |           |            |
| Classification Standards. For more details, visit www.msci.com. |      |           |            | Carrage Fact Cat Dancard Control                           | (D/F |           | 0 /1 7)    |
| Source: FactSet Research Systems                                |      |           |            | Source: FactSet Research Systems (P/E est. as of 31/10/17) |      |           |            |

- Holdings may combine more than one security from the same issuer and related depositary receipts.
- 2 Percentage values in data are rounded to the nearest tenth of one percent; the values may not sum to 100% due to rounding.
- 3 Equity market cap of issuer.
- 4 The P/E Ratio is the share price of a stock as of the report date, divided by the forecasted earnings per share for a 12-month period (FY1) and 24 month period (FY2). For the Fund, this is the weighted harmonic average estimated P/E ratio of all the underlying stocks in the Fund, excluding negative earners. There is no guarantee that the composition of the Fund will remain unchanged, or that forecasted earnings of a stock will be realized. Information provided is for illustrative purposes

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