# JPMorgan Funds - Korea Equity Fund

Class: JPM Korea Equity I (acc) - USD

**Synthetic risk and reward indicator** Based on share class volatility for the past 5 years. See Key Investor Information Document (KIID) for details.

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Lower risk/ potential reward Not risk-free

Higher risk/ potential reward

# **Fund overview**

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**Investment objective:** To provide long-term capital growth by investing primarily in a concentrated portfolio of Korean companies, using financial derivative instruments where appropriate.

Investor profile: This aggressively managed equity fund is designed for investors looking for exposure to the Korean stock market. Therefore, the Sub-Fund may be suited to investors who are looking to add Korean stock market exposure to an existing diversified portfolio, or for experienced investors looking for a standalone Korean equity investment aimed at producing long-term capital growth. Because the Sub-Fund is invested in equities, and because of the additional individual economic, currency and political risks associated with investments in Korea, the fund may be suitable for investors with at least a five year investment horizon.

Fund manager(s)
John Cho
Client portfolio
manager(s)
Emerging Markets &
Asia Pacific Team
Fund reference
currency USD

Share class currency USD Fund assets USD 147.0m NAV USD 88.25 Fund launch 28 Sep 2007

Class launch 13 Dec 2011

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Entry/exit charges

Entry charge (max) 0.00%

Exit charge (max) 0.00%

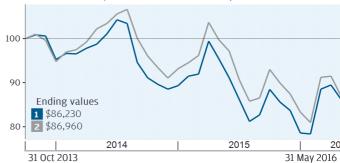
Ongoing charge 0.91%

# **Performance**

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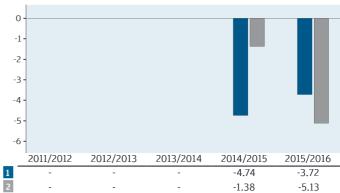
2 Benchmark: Korea Composite Stock Price Index (KOSPI)





## **QUARTERLY ROLLING 12-MONTH PERFORMANCE (%)**

As at end of March 2016



## **RETURN (%)**

Launch
-4.60
-4.21

## PERFORMANCE DISCLOSURES

Past performance is not a guide to current and future performance. The value of your investments and any income from them may fall as well as rise and you may not get back the full amount you invested.

Source: J.P. Morgan Asset Management. Share class performance is shown based on the NAV (net asset value) of the share class with income (gross) reinvested including actual ongoing charges excluding any entry and exit fees. Indices do not include fees or operating expenses and you cannot invest in them.

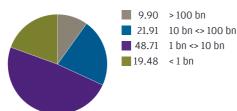
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# **Holdings**

TOP 10	Sector	% of assets
Samsung Electronics	Electrical & Electronic Equipment	9.6
Korea Electric Power	Electricity & Gas	4.8
KCC	Chemicals	4.1
SK Hynix Semiconductor	Electrical & Electronic Equipment	4.0
Hyundai Glovis	Transport & Storage	3.9
SK innovation	Services	3.3
Korea Investment	Finance	3.0
E-Mart	Distribution Industry	2.9
SK Telecom	Communications	2.5
S-Oil	Chemicals	2.2

## MARKET CAP (%)



#### Compared to benchmark SECTORS (%) Chemicals 13.7 +2.5 Electrical & Electronic Equipment 13.6 -71 Services 13.6 -23 Finance 13.5 +1.4 Distribution Industry 8.6 +2.0 Transport & Storage 6.4 +4.7 Flectricity & Gas 5.5 +1.6 Foods & Beverages 5 1 +21 Manufacturing 4.2 +4.2 Communications 3.4 +0.8 Transport Equipment 2.6 -6.5 Industry Service +2.2 2.2 Telecommunication & Broadcast Service +1.6 1.6 Construction 1.0 -0.8 Recreation & Culture 1.0 +1.0 It Software & Services 0.5 +0.5 Iron & Metal Products 0.0 -3.6 **Medical Supplies** 0.0 -2.7 Machinery 0.0 -1.6 Non-Metallic Mineral Products 0.0 -0.7 Others 0.0 -2.8 Cash 3.5 +3.5

# **Key risks**

Because the Sub-Fund is aggressively managed, volatility may be high as the Sub-Fund may take larger position sizes, may have high turnover of holdings and at times may have a significant exposure to certain areas of the market. The value of equity securities may go down as well as up in response to the performance of individual companies and general market conditions. The single market in which the Sub-Fund invests may be subject to particular political and economic risks, and as a result, the Sub-Fund may be more volatile than more broadly diversified funds.

Emerging markets may be subject to increased

risks, including less developed custody and settlement practices, higher volatility and lower liquidity than non emerging market securities. The Sub-Fund may be concentrated in a limited number of securities and as a result, may be more volatile than more broadly diversified funds. The Sub-Fund may invest in securities of smaller companies which may be less liquid, more volatile and tend to carry greater financial risk than securities of larger companies.

The Sub-Fund uses financial derivative instruments for investment purposes. The value of financial derivative instruments can be volatile and may result in gains or losses in excess of the amount required initially to establish a position in the derivative. The Management Company is

required to disclose in Appendix III of the Prospectus the sum of the gross notional exposure of the financial derivative instruments used (including those used for hedging or efficient portfolio management) as the expected level of leverage. However, this figure does not take into account whether the instrument increases or decreases investment risk and so may not be representative of the overall level of investment risk in the Sub-Fund.

The Sub-Fund may take active long and short currency positions. Movements in currency exchange rates can adversely affect the return of your investment. The currency hedging that may be used to minimise the effect of currency fluctuations may not always be successful.

## **GENERAL DISCLOSURES**

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For reactivated share classes the performance is shown from the date of reactivation and not the share class launch date.

## INFORMATION SOURCES

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