United Great Dragon Fund

Semi-Annual Report 31 October 2023



Unaudited Semi-Annual Report and Financial Statements For the Financial Period Ended 31 October 2023

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(A) MANAGER'S REPORT

Dear Unitholders,

We are pleased to present you the Manager's report and the unaudited accounts of United Great Dragon Fund (the "Fund") for the financial period from 1 May 2023 to 31 October 2023.

(1) Key Data of the Fund

1.1	Fund name	United Great Dragon Fund
1.2	Name of	United China A-Shares Innovation Fund
	Target Fund	
1.3	Fund category	Equity (Feeder Fund)
1.4	Fund type	Growth
1.5	Investment objective	The Fund seeks to provide long term capital appreciation.
1.6	Performance benchmark	MSCI China A Onshore Index.
1.7	Duration	The Fund was launched on 8 January 2021 and shall exist for as long as it appears to the Manager and Trustee that it is in the interests of the unit holders for it to continue. In some circumstances, the unit holders can resolve at a meeting to terminate the Fund.
1.8	Distribution policy	Given the Fund's investment objective, the Classes of Units are not expected to pay any distribution. However, distribution (if any) is at our discretion.

(2) Performance Data of the Fund

2.1	Portfolio composition	Details of portfolio composition of the Fund as at 31 Oc	ctober 2023 are as	follows:
	Sectors, category of investments & cash holdings		As at 31 October 2023	As at 31 October 2022 (%)
			(%)	, ,
		Collective Investment Scheme	98.30	94.56
		Cash	1.70	5.44
		Total	100.00	100.00
		Oc		As at 31 October 2022
		Net Asset Value ("NAV") (USD)		
		- MYR hedged Class - RMB hedged Class - USD Class NAV per unit in USD - MYR hedged Class	25,864,095 2,836,446 503,910 0.0416	33,096,147 3,973,928 956,018

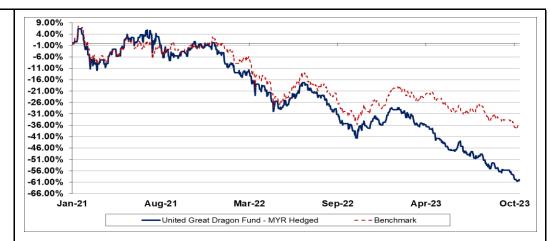
2.2	Performance	NAV per unit in respective currencies		
	details	- MYR hedged Class (RM)	0.1983	0.2918
	(continued)	- RMB hedged Class (RMB)	0.2012	0.2980
		- USD Class (USD)	0.2022	0.2899
		Units in circulation		
		- MYR hedged Class	621,053,943	536,075,864
		- RMB hedged Class	103,507,937	97,695,744
		- USD Class	2,491,761	3,297,764
		Highest NAV per unit in respective currencies	, - , -	- , ,
		- MYR hedged Class (RM)	0.2909	0.4135
		- RMB hedged Class (RMB)	0.2946	0.4218
		- USD Class (USD)	0.2909	0.4078
		Lowest NAV per unit in respective currencies	4,2,4,	011010
		- MYR hedged Class (RM)	0.1971	0.2918
		- RMB hedged Class (RMB)	0.1998	0.2980
		- USD Class (USD)	0.2009	0.2899
		Total return (%)	0.2007	0.2077
		- MYR hedged Class	-31.83	-21.71
		- RMB hedged Class	-31.70	-21.33
		- USD Class	-30.49	-21.01
		Capital growth (%)	20	21,01
		- MYR hedged Class	-31.83	-21.71
		- RMB hedged Class	-31.70	-21.33
		- USD Class	-30.49	-21.01
		Income distribution (%)		
		- MYR hedged Class		
		- RMB hedged Class		
		- USD Class		
		Gross distribution (sen/cent per unit)		
		in respective currencies		
		- MYR hedged Class (RM)		
		- RMB hedged Class (RMB)		
		- USD Class (USD)		
		Net distribution (sen/cent per unit)		
		in respective currencies		
		- MYR hedged Class (RM)		
		- RMB hedged Class (RMB)		
		- USD Class (USD)		
		Total expense ratio ("TER") (%)	0.06 1	0.07
		Portfolio turnover ratio ("PTR") (times)	0.04 2	0.05
		Totalono turno (or ratio (1 11) (times)	0.04	0.05

Notes:

¹ TER is lower against previous financial period mainly due to increase in average fund size. 2 PTR is lower against previous financial period mainly due to lower trading activity.

Performance details (continued)	Average total return (annualised) for the following p	for the following periods ended 31 October 2023			
		The Fund	Benchmark*		
		(%)	(%)		
	Since commencement (29 January 2021)				
	- MYR hedged Class	-28.51	-14.79		
	- RMB hedged Class	-28.13	-14.79		
	- USD Class	-28.00	-14.79		
	1 year				
	- MYR hedged Class	-32.04	-0.11		
	- RMB hedged Class	-32.48	-0.11		
	- USD Class	-30.25	-0.11		
	Annual total return				
	Financial years ended 30 April	The Fund	Benchmark*		
		(%)	(%)		
	2023				
	- MYR hedged Class	-21.95	-1.28		
	- RMB hedged Class	-22.23	-1.28		
	- USD Class	-20.74	-1.28		
	2022				
	- MYR hedged Class	-23.50	-20.64		
	- RMB hedged Class	-22.98	-20.64		
	- USD Class	-24.41	-20.64		
	Since commencement (29 January 2021)				
	- MYR hedged Class	-9.78	-13.38		
	- RMB hedged Class	-6.35	-13.38		
	- USD Class	-11.02	-13.38		
	* MSCI China A Onshore Index.				
	Note: Past performance is not necessarily indicativunit prices and investment returns may go down figures have been extracted from Bloomberg.	•			
3 Performance	MYR hedged Class				
Review	For the financial period under review, the Class underperforming the benchmark return of -14.86%.	s registered a re	eturn of -31.83%,		
	For the period under review, the NAV per unit of the 0.2909 to RM 0.1983.	Class decreased by	y 31.83% from RM		
	The line chart below shows comparison between th benchmark from the commencement of the Class to 31	-	f the Class and its		

Performance review (continued)



Source: UOBAM(M) as at 31 October 2023.

	1-month	3-months	6-months	12- months	Since commencement (29 January 2021)
The Fund	-10.39%	-21.65%	-31.83%	-32.04%	-60.34%
Benchmark*	-3.01%	-12.45%	-14.86%	-0.11%	-35.68%

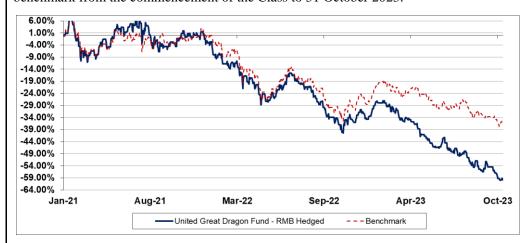
Source: UOBAM(M), Lipper and Bloomberg as at 31 October 2023.

RMB hedged Class

For the financial period under review, the Class registered a return of -31.70%, underperforming the benchmark return of -14.86%.

For the period under review, the NAV per unit of the Class decreased by 31.70% from RM 0.2946 to RM 0.2012.

The line chart below shows comparison between the performance of the Class and its benchmark from the commencement of the Class to 31 October 2023.



Source: UOBAM(M) as at 31 October 2023.

^{*} MSCI China A Onshore Index.

12-1-month 3-months 6-months Performance Since review months commencement (continued) (29 January 2021) The Fund -11.52% -21.56% -31.70% -32.48% -59.76% -3.01% -12.45% -14.86% -0.11% -35.68% Benchmark*

Source: UOBAM(M), Lipper and Bloomberg as at 31 October 2023.

USD Class

For the financial period under review, the Class registered a return of -30.49%, underperforming the benchmark return of -14.86%.

For the period under review, the NAV per unit of the Class decreased by 30.49% from RM 0.2909 to RM 0.2022.

The line chart below shows comparison between the performance of the Class and its benchmark from the commencement of the Class to 31 October 2023.



Source: UOBAM(M) as at 31 October 2023.

	1-month	3-months	6-months	12- months	Since commencement (29 January 2021)
The Fund	-9.93%	-20.92%	-30.49%	-30.25%	-59.56%
Benchmark*	-3.01%	-12.45%	-14.86%	-0.11%	-35.68%

Source: UOBAM(M), Lipper and Bloomberg as at 31 October 2023.

Note: Past performance is not necessarily indicative of future performance and that unit prices and investment returns may go down, as well as up. All performance figures have been extracted from Bloomberg.

2.4 Target Fund performance

Target Fund performance review

For the financial period from 1 May 2023 to 31 October 2023, the net asset value (NAV) of the Fund declined 30.64%.

^{*} MSCI China A Onshore Index.

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2.4	Target Fund performance	The fund's perf Services, and In		mainly drag	gged by Inform	nation Technolog	y, Communication
	(continued)	Shanghai Baolo	ong Automot nolight, Con	ive Corp and	d Sailun Grou	p. The key perfo	Precision Industry, ormance detractors d Beijing Kingsoft
		Technology (45	5.73%), Consumer Staples	sumer Discre (4.20%), E	etionary (20.77 ETF (4.11%),	7%), Materials (8	ation: Information 3.04%), Industrials Services (3.22%),
	The Fund had the following country exposures: China (93.20%), and the remainder in cas (6.80%).						remainder in cash
		Source: UOB As Target Fund per					
			1-month	3-months	6-months	12-months	Since 23 Nov 2020 (annualized)
		Target Fund (A USD Acc)	-9.94%	-20.66%	-30.64%	-30.23%	-22.42%
		Source: UOB A.	sset Manager	nent Ltd, Fu	nd Factsheet a	s at 31 October 20	023
2.5	Target Fund's	No	Equity			Sector	Weighting
	top 10 holdings	1	LUXSHAR INDUSTR'	E PRECISIO Y CO	ON	Information Technology	8.68%
		2	ZHONGJI	INNOLIGHT	CO LTD	Information Technology	6.47%
		3	SUZHOU T COMMUN	TFC OPTIC <i>A</i> ICATI	AL .	Information Technology	5.52%
		4	ZHEJIANO DRIVELIN	S SHUANGF IE	IUAN	Consumer Discretionary	4.42%
		5	KWEICHO	W MOUTA	I CO LTD	Consumer Staples	4.20%
		6	UOBAM P	ING AN CH	INEXT ETF	ETF	4.11%
		7	IFLYTEK (COLTD		Information Technology	3.87%
		8	SHENZHE HOLDING	N TRANSSI S CO	ON	Information Technology	3.52%
		9	JIANGNAI TEC	N MOULD A	AND PLASTIC	Consumer Discretionary	3.34%
		10	KINGNET	NETWORK	CO LTD	Communicatio n Services	3.22%

2.6	Strategies and policies employed	Strategies and policies of the Target Fund			
		During the financial period (from 1 May 2023 to 31 October 2023), the Manager of the Target Fund (i.e. Ping An Asset Management) continued to stick to their basic investment policy as follows.			
		The Manager sets an absolute price targe company research and analysis. Their in prices. This analysis contains earnings es evaluation through the research on each c	nvestment decis stimation for ne	ions are based of	on the target stock
		The Manager makes their investment of without being influenced from short term		the mid-to-long	term perspective,
		Strategies and policies of the Fund			
2.7		For the financial period under review, the Fund seeks to achieve its investment objective by investing a minimum of 90% of the Fund's NAV in the Target Fund with the remaining balance in liquid assets. Accordingly, this Fund will have a passive strategy as all the investment decisions will be made at the Target Fund level.			
2.7	Asset allocation	This table below shows the asset allocation	on of the Fund a	s at 31 October 2	2022:
		Assets	As at 31 October 2023 (%)	As at 31 October 2022 (%)	Changes (%)
		Collective Investment Scheme	98.30	94.56	3.96
		Cash	1.70	5.44	-68.75
		Total	100.00	100.00	
		Reason for the differences in asset allocation As at 31 October 2023, the asset allocation of the Fund stood at 98.30% in equities and 1.70% in cash. The Fund's asset allocation was within its investment objective of investing a minimum of 90% of the Fund's NAV in the Target Fund.			
2.8	Income distribution/ Unit splits	There was no income distribution and ur review.	nit split declared	d during the fina	ncial period under
2.9	State of affairs	There has been neither significant change to the state of affairs of the Fund nor any circumstances that materially affect any interests of the unit holders during the financial period under review.			
2.10	Securities Financing Transaction and Cross Trade Transactions	The Fund has not undertaken any securities lending or repurchase transactions. There were no cross trade transactions carried out during the financial period under review.			
2.11	Rebates and soft commission	It is our policy to channel all rebates brokers/dealers are retained by the Mana demonstrable benefit to unit holders of th	ger only if the		

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2.11	Rebates and soft commission (continued)	The Manager will retain the soft commissions that are deemed to be beneficial to the unitholders of the Fund in the form of research and advisory services from any broker or dealer by virtue of transactions conducted for the fund that can assist in the decision making process in relation to the Fund such as technical analysis software, data and quotation services and computer software incidental to investment management of the Fund. During the financial period under review, the Manager had not received any soft
		commissions.
2.12	Market review	China equity markets were under pressure during the period from 1 May 2023 to 31 October 2023. Investor confidence was challenged by concerns of macroeconomic conditions, sluggish property market with renewed bankruptcy cases and escalation of geopolitical tension.
		With the introduction of stimulus measures by the Chinese government, we expect to see economic stabilization and recovery. The central government will issue an additional RMB 1 trillion in government bonds in the fourth quarter of this year to ease local government financial pressure. China's Gross Domestic Product ("GDP") in the third quarter grew by 4.90% year-on-year, better than market expectations of 4.47%.
		In terms of liquidity, People's Bank of China ("PBOC") stated that there is ample room and reserve for monetary policy to respond to unexpected challenges and changes and will continue to make countercyclical adjustments. Both the 1-year Loan Prime Rate ("LPR") and the 5-year LPR remain unchanged in October but there is scope to reduce 5-year LPR going forward. In September, the central bank lowered the deposit reserve ratio of financial institutions by 0.25%, which is expected to release Renminbi ("RMB") 500 billion of liquidity. Further reserve requirement ratio ("RRR") cuts and interest rate adjustments are expected in the fourth quarter.
		Source: UOB Asset Management Ltd
2.13	Market outlook	We are relatively optimistic about the pace of domestic economic recovery and the improvement in geopolitical relations. In addition, based on technological innovation cycle, we are at a cross junction between the end of the mobile internet cycle and the start of the artificial intelligence innovation cycle. These factors can catalyze emerging growth stocks rebound after market has stabilized.
		In terms of industry allocation, we are currently focusing on positioning around artificial intelligence, consumer electronics innovation and the auto parts industries. Our view is as follows:
		Artificial intelligence: We believe that the artificial intelligence sector needs more monetizable applications to gain market confidence. The subsequent popular applications will bring a second round of opportunities for the sector.
		Consumer electronics: Consumer electronics sector has undergone a relatively thorough supply destocking, and the overcapacity situation has improved. On the demand side, structural improvements by customers such as Huawei have brought about a new cycle of inventory replenishing in the industry, though it is still in an early recovery stage. We are optimistic about re-rating opportunities driven by MR and artificial intelligence equipment next year.

2.13	Market outlook	Automotive parts: It is still our long-term bullish call. The globalization of China's
	(continued)	automotive industry and the improvement of its supply chain system have significantly
		realized the performance of many component companies, and we hope to discover more
		cost-effective stocks among them.
		Source: UOB Asset Management Ltd

Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia UOB Asset Management (Malaysia) Berhad

27 December 2023

(B) TRUSTEE'S REPORT

TO THE UNIT HOLDERS OF UNITED GREAT DRAGON FUND ("FUND")

We have acted as Trustee of the Fund for the financial period ended 31 October 2023 and we hereby confirm to the best of our knowledge, after having made all reasonable enquiries, UOB Asset Management (Malaysia) Berhad has operated and managed the Fund during the period covered by these financial statements in accordance with the following:

- 1. Limitations imposed on the investment powers of the management company under the deed, the securities laws and the Guidelines on Unit Trust Funds;
- 2. Valuation and pricing is carried out in accordance with the deed; and
- 3. Any creation and cancellation of units are carried out in accordance with the deed and any regulatory requirements.

For Deutsche Trustees Malaysia Berhad

Ng Hon Leong Head, Fund Operations

Kuala Lumpur 27 December 2023 **Slyvia Beh**Chief Executive Officer

(C) STATEMENT BY MANAGER

I, **Lim Suet Ling**, being the Director of and on behalf of the Board of Directors of UOB Asset Management (Malaysia) Berhad, do hereby state that, in the opinion of the Manager, the accompanying financial statements are drawn up in accordance with Malaysian Financial Reporting Standards and International Financial Reporting Standards so as to give a true and fair view of the financial position of **United Great Dragon Fund** as at 31 October 2023 and of its financial performance, changes in net assets attributable to unitholders and cash flows for the financial period then ended and comply with requirements of the Deed(s).

For and on behalf of the Manager, UOB Asset Management (Malaysia) Berhad

LIM SUET LING

Executive Director/
Chief Executive Officer

27 December 2023

(D) FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

UNITED GREAT DRAGON FUND

UNAUDITED STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION AS AT 31 OCTOBER 2023

		31.10.2023	30.04.2023
	Note	USD	USD
ASSETS			
Investments	3	30,353,385	45,779,125
Amount due from Manager	5	-	289,685
Cash at bank	_	554,139	3,408,260
TOTAL ASSETS	_	30,907,524	49,477,070
LIABILITIES			
Forward foreign currency contracts	4	1,669,044	1,891,438
Amount due to Manager	5	27,553	-
Amount due to Trustee	6	1,059	1,635
Accruals		5,417	14,322
TOTAL LIABILITIES (EXCLUDING NET ASSET	S		
ATTRIBUTABLE TO UNITHOLDERS)	_	1,703,073	1,907,395
NET ASSET VALUE ("NAV") ATTRIBUTABLE			
TO UNITHOLDERS	-	29,204,451	47,569,675
NET ASSETS ATTRIBUTABLE TO UNITHOLDE. OF THE FUND COMPRISE:	RS		
	7	81,675,813	82,414,888
Unitholders' capital	7		
Retained earnings/(accumulated losses)	, <u> </u>	(52,471,362)	(34,845,213)
NET ASSETS ATTRIBUTABLE TO			
UNITHOLDERS	7	29,204,451	47,569,675
TOTAL NAV AND LIABILITIES	_	30,907,524	49,477,070

UNAUDITED STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION AS AT 31 OCTOBER 2023 (CONTINUED)

	Note	31.10.2023 USD	30.04.2023 USD
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NET ASSET VALUE ATTRIBUTABLE TO			
UNITHOLDERS			
- MYR HEDGED CLASS		25,864,095	42,052,515
- RMB HEDGED CLASS		2,836,446	4,480,980
- USD CLASS	_	503,910	1,036,180
	-	29,204,451	47,569,675
UNITS IN CIRCULATION	- -		
- MYR HEDGED CLASS	7(a)	621,053,943	644,506,166
- RMB HEDGED CLASS	7(b)	103,507,937	105,314,570
- USD CLASS	7(c)	2,491,761	3,562,035
NET ASSET VALUE PER UNIT IN USD			
- MYR HEDGED CLASS	-	0.0416	0.0652
- RMB HEDGED CLASS	-	0.0274	0.0425
- USD CLASS	_	0.2022	0.2909
			-
NET ASSET VALUE PER UNIT IN RESPECTIV	VE		
CURRENCIES			
- MYR HEDGED CLASS (MYR)		0.1983	0.2909
- RMB HEDGED CLASS (RMB)		0.2012	0.2946
- USD CLASS (USD)		0.2022	0.2909

UNAUDITED STATEMENT OF COMPREHENSIVE INCOME FOR THE SIXTH MONTHS FINANCIAL PERIOD ENDED 31 OCTOBER 2023

		01.05.2023	01.05.2022
		to 31.10.2023	to 31.10.2022
	Note	USD	USD
INVESTMENT INCOME/(LOSS)			
Net gain/(loss) on investments at fair value through profi	t		
or loss ("FVTPL"):	3		
- net realised gain/(loss) on sale of investments at FVT	PL	(2,541,654)	(1,009,184)
- net unrealised gain/(loss) on changes in fair value	7(e)	(11,604,586)	(9,121,856)
Net realised gain/(loss) on foreign currency exchange		(105,217)	(220,453)
Net realised gain/(loss) on forward foreign currency			
contracts		(3,571,636)	(3,408,961)
Net unrealised gain/(loss) on forward foreign currency			
contracts	7(e)	222,394	(785,190)
Net unrealised gain/(loss) on foreign currency exchange	7(e)	68	477
		(17,600,631)	(14,545,167)
EXPENSES			
Manager's fee	8	14,513	23,692
Trustee's fee	9	8,076	9,922
Auditors' remuneration		1,127	1,072
Tax agent's fee		534	561
Other expenses		1,268	1,110
		25,518	36,357
NET INCOME/(LOSS) BEFORE TAXATION		(17,626,149)	(14,581,524)
NET INCOME/(LOSS) BEFORE TAXATION		(17,020,149)	(14,381,324)
Tax expense	10		
NET INCOME/(LOSS) AFTER TAXATION,			
REPRESENTING TOTAL COMPREHENSIVE			
INCOME/(LOSS) THE FINANCIAL PERIOD		(17,626,149)	(14,581,524)
		(17,020,117)	(11,001,021)
Net income/(loss) after taxation is made up of the follow	ing:		
Realised amount	7(d)	(6,244,025)	(4,674,955)
Unrealised amount	7(e)	(11,382,124)	(9,906,569)
	. /	(17,626,149)	(14,581,524)

UNAUDITED STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN NET ASSETS ATTRIBUTABLE TO UNITHOLDERSFOR THE SIXTH MONTHS FINANCIAL PERIOD ENDED 31 OCTOBER 2023

	Note	Unitholders' capital USD	Retained earnings/ (accumulated losses) USD	Total net asset value USD
Balance as at 1 May 2022		72,884,697	(20,706,766)	52,177,931
Movement in net asset value: Total comprehensive income/(loss) for the financial period		-	(14,581,524)	(14,581,524)
Creation of units			, , , ,	, , , ,
- MYR HEDGED CLASS		3,164,266	-	3,164,266
- RMB HEDGED CLASS		907,634	-	907,634
- USD CLASS		117,399	-	117,399
Cancellation of units		/ - - - - - - - - - -		(2 200 - 10)
- MYR HEDGED CLASS		(3,598,660)	-	(3,598,660)
- RMB HEDGED CLASS		(154,076)	-	(154,076)
- USD CLASS		(6,877)	-	(6,877)
Balance as at 31 October 2022		73,314,383	(35,288,290)	38,026,093
Balance as at 1 May 2023		82,414,888	(34,845,213)	47,569,675
Movement in net asset value:				
Total comprehensive income/(loss)				
for the financial period		-	(17,626,149)	(17,626,149)
Creation of units				
- MYR HEDGED CLASS	7(a)	4,890,200	-	4,890,200
- RMB HEDGED CLASS	7(b)	63,382	-	63,382
- USD CLASS	7(c)	95,977	-	95,977
Cancellation of units				
- MYR HEDGED CLASS	7(a)	(5,321,974)	-	(5,321,974)
- RMB HEDGED CLASS	7(b)	(127,846)	-	(127,846)
- USD CLASS	7(c)	(338,814)		(338,814)
Balance as at 31 October 2023		81,675,813	(52,471,362)	29,204,451

UNAUDITED STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS FOR THE SIXTH MONTHS FINANCIAL PERIOD ENDED 31 OCTOBER 2023

	01.05.2023	01.05.2022
	to 31.10.2023	to 31.10.2022
	USD	USD
CASH FLOWS FROM OPERATING AND		
INVESTING ACTIVITIES		
Proceeds from sale of investments	2,329,500	3,284,242
Purchase of investments	(1,050,000)	(1,218,000)
Manager's fee paid	(19,836)	(27,786)
Trustee's fee paid	(8,652)	(10,329)
Payment of other fees and expenses	(11,885)	(1,110)
Net realised gain/(loss) on foreign currency exchange	(105,217)	(220,453)
Net realised gain/(loss) on forward foreign currency		
contracts	(3,571,636)	(3,408,961)
Net cash generated from/(used in) operating and		
investing activities	(2,437,726)	(1,602,397)
CASH FLOWS FROM FINANCING ACTIVITIES		
Proceeds from creation of units	5,365,211	4,233,005
Payment for cancellation of units	(5,781,607)	(3,906,048)
Net cash generated from/(used in) financing activities	(416,396)	326,957
NET INCDEACE/(DECDEACE) IN CACH AND		
NET INCREASE/(DECREASE) IN CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS	(2.954.122)	(1,275,440)
CASH EQUIVALENTS	(2,854,122)	(1,273,440)
CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS AT THE		
BEGINNING OF THE FINANCIAL PERIOD	3,408,261	3,513,649
CACH AND CACH EQUIVALENDS AT THE		
CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS AT THE END OF THE FINANCIAL PERIOD	<i>EE 1</i> 120	2 229 200
END OF THE FINANCIAL PERIOD	554,139	2,238,209
Cash and cash equivalents comprises the following:		
Cash at bank	554,139	2,238,209

NOTES TO THE UNAUDITED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

1. INFORMATION ON THE FUND, THE MANAGER AND THEIR PRINCIPAL ACTIVITIES

The United Great Dragon Fund (hereinafter referred to as "the Fund") was constituted pursuant to the execution of the Deed dated 11 August 2020 between UOB Asset Management (Malaysia) Berhad ("the Manager") and Deutsche Trustees Malaysia Berhad ("the Trustee").

The Fund seeks to provide long term capital appreciation. The Fund was launched on 8 January 2021 and commenced for operation on 29 January 2021. As provided in the Master Deed, the accrual period or financial year shall end on 30 April.

The Manager is a subsidiary of UOB Asset Management Limited, headquartered in Singapore.

The financial statements were authorised for issue by the Manager on 27 December 2023.

2. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

2.1 Basis of preparation of the financial statements

The financial statements of the Fund have been prepared in accordance with Malaysian Financial Reporting Standards ("MFRS") as issued by the Malaysian Accounting Standards Board ("MASB") and International Financial Reporting Standards ("IFRS") as issued by the International Accounting Standards Board ("IASB").

The financial statements have been prepared on a historical-cost basis except as disclosed in the accounting policies below and are presented in United States Dollar ("USD").

There are no other standards, amendments to standards or interpretations that are effective for annual period beginning on or after 1 May 2022 that have a material effect on the financial statements of the Fund.

None of the standards, amendments to standards or interpretations that are effective for the financial year beginning on or after 1 May 2023 are applicable to the financial statements of the Fund.

2.2 Summary of significant accounting policies

(a) Financial instruments

Financial assets and financial liabilities are recognised when the Fund becomes a party to the contractual provision of the instrument.

2. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONTINUED)

2.2 Summary of significant accounting policies (continued)

(a) Financial instruments (continued)

Financial assets and financial liabilities are initially measured at fair value. Transaction costs that are directly attributable to the acquisition or issue of financial assets and financial liabilities (other than financial assets and financial liabilities at fair value through profit or loss) are added to or deducted from the fair value of the financial assets or financial liabilities, as appropriate, on initial recognition.

Transaction costs directly attributable to the acquisition of the financial assets and financial liabilities at fair value through profit or loss are recognised immediately in profit or loss.

All regular way purchases or sales of financial assets are recognised and derecognised on a trade date basis. Regular way purchases or sales are purchases or sales of financial assets that require delivery of assets within the time frame established by regulation or convention in the market place.

Classification

The Fund classifies its financial assets and financial liabilities at initial recognition into the categories of financial assets and financial liabilities discussed below.

In applying that classification, a financial asset or financial liability is considered to be held for trading if:

- (a) It is acquired or incurred principally for the purpose of selling or repurchasing it in the near term; or
- (b) On initial recognition, it is part of a portfolio of identified financial instruments that are managed together and for which, there is evidence of a recent actual pattern of short-term profit-taking; or,
- (c) It is a derivative (except for a derivative that is a financial guarantee contract or a designated and effective hedging instrument).

Financial assets

The Fund classifies its financial assets as measured at amortised cost or measured at fair value through profit or loss ("FVTPL") on the basis of both the entity's business model for managing the financial assets and the contractual cash flow characteristics of the financial asset.

2. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONTINUED)

2.2 Summary of significant accounting policies (continued)

(a) Financial instruments (continued)

Financial assets (continued)

(i) Financial assets measured at amortised cost

A debt instrument is measured at amortised cost if it is held within a business model whose objective is to hold financial assets in order to collect contractual cash flows and its contractual terms give rise on specified dates to cash flows that are solely payments of principal and interest ("SPPI") on the principal amount outstanding. The Fund includes in this category bank balances.

(ii) Financial assets at FVTPL

A financial asset is measured at fair value through profit or loss if:

- (a) Its contractual terms do not give rise to cash flows on specified dates that are SPPI on the principal amount outstanding; or
- (b) It is not held within a business model whose objective is either to collect contractual cash flows, or to both collect contractual cash flows and sell; or,
- (c) At initial recognition, it is irrevocably designated as measured at FVTPL when doing so eliminates or significantly reduces a measurement or recognition inconsistency that would otherwise arise from measuring assets or liabilities or recognising the gains and losses on them on different bases.

The Fund includes in this category collective investment scheme. These include investments that are held under a business model to manage them on a fair value basis for investment income and fair value gains.

Financial liabilities

(i) Financial liabilities measured at FVTPL

A financial liability is measured at FVTPL if it meets the definition of held for trading. The Fund includes in this category derivatives liabilities.

2. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONTINUED)

2.2 Summary of significant accounting policies (continued)

(a) Financial instruments (continued)

Financial liabilities (continued)

(ii) Financial liabilities measured at amortised cost

This category includes all financial liabilities, other than those measured at FVTPL. The Fund includes in this category amount due to Manager and amount due to Trustee.

Impairment of financial assets

The Fund holds only trade receivables with no financing component and which have maturities of less than 12 months at amortised cost and, as such, has chosen to apply an approach similar to the simplified approach for expected credit losses ("ECL") under MFRS 9 to all its trade receivables. Therefore, the Fund does not track changes in credit risk, but instead recognises a loss allowance based on lifetime ECL at each reporting date. The Fund's approach to ECL reflects a probability-weighted outcome, the time value of money and reasonable and supportable information that is available without undue cost or effort at the reporting date about past events, current conditions and forecasts of future economic conditions.

Derecognition of financial assets and financial liabilities

A financial asset is derecognised when:

- (i) The contractual rights to receive cash flows from the financial assets have expired; or
- (ii) The Fund has transferred its contractual rights to received cash flows from the financial assets or have assumed contractual obligation to pay the received cash flows in full without material delay to one or more third parties under a "pass through" arrangement; and either:
 - (a) the Fund has transferred substantially all the risks and rewards of ownership of the financial assets; or
 - (b) the Fund has neither transferred nor retained substantially all the risks and rewards, but has transferred control of the financial assets.

On derecognition of the financial assets at amortised cost, gains and losses are recognised in profit or loss when the asset is derecognised, modified or impaired.

2. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONTINUED)

2.2 Summary of significant accounting policies (continued)

(a) Financial instruments (continued)

Derecognition of financial assets and financial liabilities (continued)

A financial liability is derecognised when the obligation under the financial liability is extinguished. Gains and losses are recognised in profit or loss when the liabilities are derecognised, and through the amortisation process.

(b) Classification of realised and unrealised gains and losses

Unrealised gains and losses comprise changes in the fair value of financial instruments at FVTPL. Realised gains and losses on disposals of financial instruments at FVTPL are calculated using the weighted average method. They represent the difference between an instrument's initial carrying amount and disposal amount.

Return on investments and foreign exchange translation differences of cash at bank balances denominated in foreign currencies are classified as realised income in the financial statements.

(c) Derivative financial instruments

Derivatives are financial assets or liabilities at fair value through profit or loss categorised as held for trading unless they are designated hedges.

The Fund's derivative financial instruments comprise forward foreign currency contracts. Derivatives are initially recognised at fair value on the date a derivative contract is entered into and are subsequently re-measured at their fair value.

The method of recognising the resulting gain or loss depends on whether the derivative is designated as a hedging instrument, and the nature of the item being hedged. Derivatives that do not qualify for hedge accounting are classified as held for trading and accounted for in accordance with the accounting policy for FVTPL.

(d) Functional and presentation currency

The financial statements of the Fund are measured using the currency of the primary economic environment in which the Fund operates ("the functional currency"). The financial statements are presented in USD, which is also the Fund's functional currency.

2. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONTINUED)

2.2 Summary of significant accounting policies (continued)

(e) Foreign currency translation

Transactions in currencies other than the Fund's functional currency (foreign currencies) are recorded in the functional currency using exchange rates prevailing at the transaction dates. At each reporting date, foreign currency monetary items are translated into USD at exchange rates ruling at the reporting date. All exchange gains or losses are recognised in the profit or loss.

(f) Unitholders' capital

The unitholders' capital to the Fund are classified as liabilities under MFRS 132 Financial Instruments: Presentation.

The outstanding units are carried at the redemption amount that is payable at each financial year if unitholder exercises the right to put the unit back to the Fund.

Units are created and cancelled at prices based on the Fund's NAV per unit at the time of creation or cancellation. The Fund's NAV per unit is calculated by dividing the net assets attributable to unit holders with the total number of outstanding units.

(g) Distribution of income

Any distribution to the Fund's unitholders is recognised in the statement of comprehensive income, as the unitholders' capital are classified as financial liability as per Note 2.3(f). A proposed dividend is recognised as a liability in the period in which it is approved. Distribution is either reinvested or paid in cash to the unitholders on the income payment date. Reinvestment of units is based on the NAV per unit on the income payment date which is also the time of creation.

(h) Cash and cash equivalents

Cash and cash equivalents comprise cash at bank which has an insignificant risk of changes in value.

(i) Income recognition

Income is recognised to the extent that it is probable that the economic benefits will flow to the Fund and the income can be reliably measured. Income is measured at the fair value of consideration received or receivable.

2. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONTINUED)

2.2 Summary of significant accounting policies (continued)

(i) Net asset value attributable to unitholders

Net asset value attributable to unitholders represents the redemption amount that would be payable if the unitholders exercised the right to redeem units of the Fund at the end of the reporting period.

(k) Income tax

Current tax assets and liabilities are measured at the amount expected to be recovered from or paid to the tax authorities. The tax rates and tax laws used to compute the amount are those that are enacted or substantively enacted by the reporting date.

No deferred tax is recognised as there are no material temporary differences.

(I) Segment reporting

For internal management reporting purposes, all of the investments of the Fund are managed as one portfolio and reviewed as such by the Manager. The Manager is the decision maker for performance assessment purposes and makes decisions about resource allocation. Accordingly, the Fund does not have any operating segment information to be disclosed in the financial statements.

(m) Significant accounting estimates and judgments

The preparation of the Fund's financial statements requires the Manager to make judgments, estimates and assumptions that affect the reported amounts of revenues, expenses, assets and liabilities, and the disclosure of contingent liabilities at the reporting date. However, uncertainty about these assumptions and estimates could result in outcomes that could require a material adjustment to the carrying amount of the asset or liability in the future.

No major judgments have been made by the Manager in applying the Fund's accounting policies. There are no key assumptions concerning the future and other key sources of estimation uncertainty at the reporting date that have a significant risk of causing a material adjustment to the carrying amounts of assets and liabilities within the next financial year.

2. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONTINUED)

2.2 Summary of significant accounting policies (continued)

(n) Determination of fair value

For investments in collective investment scheme ("CIS"), fair value is determined based on the closing NAV per unit of the CIS. For investments in forward foreign currency contracts, the fair value is calculated by making reference to prevailing forward exchange rates for contracts with silimar maturity profiles in the market. Forward foreign currency contracts are presented as assets when the fair value is positive (net gain position) or as liabilities when the fair value is negative (net loss position).

3. INVESTMENTS

			31.10.2023 USD	30.04.2023 USD
Investments designated as FVTP	PL:			
- collective investment scheme			30,353,385	45,779,125
			01.05.2023 to 31.10.2023 USD	01.05.2022 to 31.10.2022 USD
Net gain/(loss) on investments at	t FVTPL compri	sed:		
- net realised gain/(loss) on sa	•		(2,541,654)	(1,009,184)
- net unrealised gain/(loss) on			(11,604,586)	(9,121,856)
2 \ , ,	C		(14,146,240)	(10,131,040)
				Fair value expressed as a percentage of value of
Name of counter	Quantity	Cost USD	Fair value USD	the Fund %
COLLECTIVE INVESTMENT	T SCHEME - F	OREIGN		
United China A-Shares Innovation Fund Class A USD Acc	63,236,218	68,451,860	30,353,385	103.93
EXCESS/(SHORTFALL) OF		, . ,	,,-	

EXCESS/(SHORTFALL) OF FAIR VALUE OVER COST:

- UNREALISED GAIN/(LOSS) ON FAIR VALUE

(38,098,475)

TOTAL INVESTMENTS AT FVTPL $_{25}$

30,353,385

4. FORWARD FOREIGN CURRENCY CONTRACTS

As at the date reporting date, there are 16 (30.04.2023: 7) forward foreign currency contracts outstanding.

The notional principal amount of the outstanding forward foreign currency contracts amounted to USD28,763,000 (30.04.2023: USD49,036,000).

The forward foreign currency contracts entered into were for hedging against the currency exposure arising from the investments denominated in USD and the subscriptions in other classes denominated in MYR and RMB.

As the Fund has not adopted hedge accounting, the changes in fair value of the forward foreign currency contracts are recognised immediately in the profit or loss.

5. AMOUNT DUE FROM/(TO) MANAGER

	31.10.2023 USD	30.04.2023 USD
Creation of units	28,370	343,894
Cancellation of units	(56,422)	(49,385)
Manager's fee payable	499	(4,824)
	(27,553)	289,685

The normal credit period for the Manager's fee payable is one month (30.04.2023: one month).

6. AMOUNT DUE TO TRUSTEE

	31.10.2023	30.04.2023
	USD	USD
Trustee's fee payable	1,059	1,635

Amount due to Trustee represents Trustee's fee payable.

The normal credit period for the Trustee's fee payable is one month (30.04.2023: one month).

7. NET ASSET VALUE ("NAV") ATTRIBUTABLE TO UNITHOLDERS

Unitholders should note that the NAV of the Fund is determined by deducting the value of all the Fund's liabilities from the value of all the Fund's assets, at a particular valuation point. For the purpose of computing the annual management fee and annual trustee fee, the NAV of the Fund is inclusive of the management fee and the trustee fee for the relevant day.

The NAV per unit of the Fund at a valuation point is determined by dividing the NAV of the Fund at that valuation point by the number of units in circulation of the Fund at the same valuation point.

Due to multiple Classes of Units in the Fund, the income and/or expenses for the Fund are apportioned by using the multi-class ratio, which is based on the value of the Class of Units of the Fund (quoted in the base currency) relative to the value of the whole Fund (quoted in the base currency). As at 31 October 2023, the multi-class ratio used in apportionment for MYR Hedged Class is 88.56 (30.04.2023: 88.40), RMB Hedged Class is 9.71 (30.04.2023: 9.42) and USD Class is 1.73 (30.04.2023: 2.18).

Net asset value attributable to unitholders is represented by:

	Note	31.10.2023 USD	30.04.2023 USD
Unitholders' capital			
- MYR HEDGED CLASS	(a)	72,780,286	73,212,060
- RMB HEDGED CLASS	(b)	7,448,504	7,512,968
- USD CLASS	(c)	1,447,023	1,689,860
		81,675,813	82,414,888
Retained earnings/(accumulated losses)			
- Realised income/(loss)	(d)	(12,703,800)	(6,459,775)
 Unrealised income/(loss) 	(e)	(39,767,562)	(28,385,438)
		(52,471,362)	(34,845,213)
Total NAV attributable to unitholders		29,204,451	47,569,675

7. NET ASSET VALUE ("NAV") ATTRIBUTABLE TO UNITHOLDERS (CONTINUED)

(a) UNITHOLDERS' CAPITAL/UNITS IN CIRCULATION - MYR HEDGED CLASS

	Units	31.10.2023 USD	Units	30.04.2023 USD
At the beginning of the financial period/				
year	644,506,166	73,212,060	540,035,892	65,046,433
Creation of units				
during the financial				
period/year	81,832,784	4,890,200	177,107,588	13,945,157
Cancellation of units				
during the financial				
period/year	(105,285,007)	(5,321,974)	(72,637,314)	(5,779,530)
At the end of the				_
financial period/year	621,053,943	72,780,286	644,506,166	73,212,060

(b) UNITHOLDERS' CAPITAL/UNITS IN CIRCULATION - RMB HEDGED CLASS

	Units	31.10.2023 USD	Units	30.04.2023 USD
At the beginning of the financial period/				
year	105,314,570	7,512,968	84,673,849	6,355,820
Creation of units				
during the financial				
period/year	1,880,661	63,382	26,766,166	1,468,854
Cancellation of units				
during the financial				
period/year	(3,687,294)	(127,846)	(6,125,445)	(311,706)
At the end of the				
financial period/year	103,507,937	7,448,504	105,314,570	7,512,968
the financial period/ year Creation of units during the financial period/year Cancellation of units during the financial period/year At the end of the	1,880,661 (3,687,294)	63,382	26,766,166 (6,125,445)	1,468,85

7. NET ASSET VALUE ("NAV") ATTRIBUTABLE TO UNITHOLDERS (CONTINUED)

(c) UNITHOLDERS' CAPITAL/UNITS IN CIRCULATION - USD CLASS

	Units	31.10.2023 USD	Units	30.04.2023 USD
At the beginning of				
the financial period/ year	3,562,035	1,689,860	3,010,054	1,482,444
Creation of units	- , ,	, ,	-,,	, - ,
during the financial	247.612	05 077	1 156 212	402.070
period/year Cancellation of units	347,613	95,977	1,156,312	403,070
during the financial				
period/year	(1,417,887)	(338,814)	(604,331)	(195,654)
At the end of the				
financial period/year	2,491,761	1,447,023	3,562,035	1,689,860

The Manager and parties related to the Manager did not hold any units in the Fund as at 31 October 2023 (30.04.2023: nil).

(d) RETAINED EARNINGS/(ACCUMULATED LOSSES) - REALISED

	31.10.2023 USD	30.04.2023 USD
At the beginning of the financial period/year	(6,459,775)	(1,093,384)
Total comprehensive income/(loss) for the		
financial period/year	(17,626,149)	(14,138,447)
Net unrealised (gain)/loss attributable to investments		
and others held transferred to unrealised reserve	11,382,124	8,772,056
Net increase/(decrease) in realised reserve for the		
financial period/year	(6,244,025)	(5,366,391)
At the end of the financial period/year	(12,703,800)	(6,459,775)

7. NET ASSET VALUE ("NAV") ATTRIBUTABLE TO UNITHOLDERS (CONTINUED)

(e) RETAINED EARNINGS/(ACCUMULATED LOSSES) - UNREALISED

	31.10.2023 USD	30.04.2023 USD
At the beginning of the financial period/year Net unrealised gain/(loss) attributable to investments and others held transferred to unrealised reserve	(28,385,438)	(19,613,382)
- Investments at FVTPL	(11,604,586)	(9,036,168)
- Forward foreign currency contracts	222,394	263,656
- Foreign currency exchange	68	456
	(11,382,124)	(8,772,056)
At the end of the financial period/year	(39,767,562)	(28,385,438)

8. MANAGER'S FEE

Schedule 8 of the Deed provides that the Manager shall be entitled to a fee at a rate agreed between the Manager and the Trustee which the rate shall not exceed 2.00% (01.05.2022 - 31.10.2022: 2.00%) per annum of the net asset value of the Fund, calculated on a daily basis.

The management fee provided in the financial statements is computed based on 1.80% (01.05.2022 - 31.10.2022: 1.80%) on the net asset value of the Fund, calculated on a daily basis for the financial period.

There will be no further liability to the Manager in respect of Manager's fee other than the amount recognised in the financial statements.

9. TRUSTEE'S FEE

Schedule 9 of the Deed provides that the Trustee shall be entitled to a fee at a rate agreed between the Manager and the Trustee which the rate shall not exceed 0.06% (01.05.2022 - 31.10.2022: 0.06%) per annum of the net asset value of the Fund, calculated on a daily basis; subject to a minimum fee of RM15,000 (01.05.2022 - 31.10.2022: RM15,000) per annum (excluding foreign custodian fee and charges).

The Trustee's fee provided in the financial statements is 0.04% (01.05.2022 - 31.10.2022: 0.04%) per annum based on the net asset value of the Fund, subject to a minimum fee of RM15,000 (01.05.2022 - 31.10.2022: RM15,000) per annum, calculated on a daily basis for the

There will be no further liability to the Trustee in respect of Trustee's fee other than the amount recognised in the financial statements.

10. INCOME TAX EXPENSE

Income from deposit placements is exempted from tax in accordance with Schedule 6, Paragraph 35A of the Income Tax Act, 1967 ("ITA"), subject to certain exclusion. Distribution income derived from sources outside Malaysia and received in Malaysia is not exempted from tax. Pursuant to Section 61(1)(b) of the ITA, gains from realisation of investment will not be treated as income of the Fund and hence are not subject to income tax.

A reconciliation of income tax expense applicable to net income/(loss) before taxation at the statutory income tax rate to income tax expense at the effective income tax rate of the Fund is as follows:

	01.05.2023 to 31.10.2023 USD	01.05.2022 to 31.10.2022 USD
Net income/(loss) before taxation	(17,626,149)	(14,581,524)
Taxation at Malaysian statutory rate of 24% (01.05.2022 - 31.10.2022: 24%)	(4,230,276)	(3,499,566)
Tax effects of: (Income not subject to tax)/loss not deductible		
for tax purposes	4,224,151	3,490,841
Restriction on tax deductible expenses for funds	3,754	5,943
Expenses not deductible for tax purposes	2,371	2,782
Tax expense for the financial period	-	

11. TRANSACTIONS WITH INVESTMENT MANAGER OF THE TARGET FUND

Details of transactions with Investment Manager of the Target Fund for the financial period ended 31 October 2023 are as follows:

		Percentage
	Value of	of total
	trade	trade
Investment Manager of the Target Fund	USD	%
UOB Asset Management Ltd, Singapore*	3,379,500	100.00

^{*} A company related to the Manager.

The Directors of the Manager are of the opinion that any transactions with the related party are entered into in the normal course of business and are established on terms and conditions that are not materially different from that obtainable in transactions with unrelated parties. These dealings with the related party are transacted at arm's length basis.

12. TOTAL EXPENSE RATIO ("TER")

	01.05.2023	01.05.2022
	to 31.10.2023	to 31.10.2022
	%	%
Manager's fee*	0.04	0.05
Trustee's fee	0.02	0.02
Other expenses	_**	_**
Total TER	0.06	0.07

^{*} Manager's fee net of Target Fund's management fee

The TER of the Fund is the ratio of the sum of fees and expenses incurred by the Fund to the average NAV of the Fund calculated on a daily basis.

13. PORTFOLIO TURNOVER RATIO ("PTR")

	01.05.2023	01.05.2022	
	to 31.10.2023 to	0 31.10.2022	
PTR (times)	0.04	0.05	

The PTR of the Fund is the ratio of average acquisitions and disposals of the Fund for the financial period to the average NAV of the Fund calculated on a daily basis.

14. FINANCIAL INSTRUMENTS

(a) Classification of financial instruments

The Fund's financial assets and financial liabilities are measured on an ongoing basis based on their respective classification. The significant accounting policies in Note 2.2 describe how the classes of financial instruments are measured, and how income and expenses are recognised:

- (i) the Fund's investments, comprising collective investment scheme, are classified as financial assets at FVTPL which are measured at fair value;
- (ii) the Fund's financial assets, comprising cash at bank, are classified as other financial assets which are measured at amortised cost;
- (iii) all of the Fund's financial liabilities (excluding NAV attributable to unitholders), comprising amount due to Manager and amount due to Trustee, are classified as other financial liabilities which are measured at amortised cost;

^{**} Represents values that are less than 0.01

14. FINANCIAL INSTRUMENTS (CONTINUED)

(a) Classification of financial instruments (continued)

- (iv) the Fund's forward foreign currency contracts are derivatives which are measured at FVTPL; and
- (v) the Fund's NAV attributable to unitholders are carried in the financial statements based on the residual value of the net assets of the Fund.

	Financial assets at FVTPL USD	Financial assets at amortised cost USD	Financial liabilities at amortised cost USD	Derivatives at FVTPL USD	Total USD
31.10.2023					
Financial assets Investments	30,353,385	_	_	_	30,353,385
Cash at bank	-	554,139	-	_	554,139
Total financial					
assets	30,353,385	554,139			30,907,524
Financial liabilities	8				
Forward foreign					
currency contracts				1,669,044	1,669,044
Amount due to	-	-	-	1,009,044	1,009,044
Manager	-	-	27,553	-	27,553
Amount due to			1.050		1.050
Trustee Total financial			1,059		1,059
liabilities			28,612	1,669,044	1,697,656
30.04.2023					
Financial assets					
Investments	45,779,125	-	-	-	45,779,125
Amount due from		200 605			200.605
Manager Cash at bank	-	289,685 3,408,260	-	-	289,685 3,408,260
Total financial		3,400,200			3,400,200
assets	45,779,125	3,697,945			49,477,070

14. FINANCIAL INSTRUMENTS (CONTINUED)

(a) Classification of financial instruments (continued)

	Financial assets at FVTPL USD	Financial assets at amortised cost USD	Financial liabilities at amortised cost USD	Derivatives at FVTPL USD	Total USD
30.04.2023 (continue Financial liabilities	ed)				
Forward foreign					
currency					
contracts	-	-	-	1,891,438	1,891,438
Amount due to			4 - 2 -		4 0 -
Trustee			1,635		1,635
Total financial					
liabilities	_		1,635	1,891,438	1,893,073

(b) Financial instruments that are carried at fair value

The Fund uses the following hierarchy for determining and disclosing the fair value of financial instruments by valuation technique:

- Level 1: Inputs are quoted prices (unadjusted) in active markets for identical asset or liability that the entity can access at the measurement date;
- Level 2: Inputs are inputs, other than quoted prices included within level 1, that are observable for the asset or liability, either directly or indirectly; and
- Level 3: Inputs are unobservable inputs for the asset or liability.

14. FINANCIAL INSTRUMENTS (CONTINUED)

(b) Financial instruments that are carried at fair value (continued)

The following table shows an analysis of financial instruments recorded at fair value by the level of the fair value hierarchy:

	Level 1 USD	Level 2 USD	Level 3 USD	Total USD
31.10.2023				
Financial instruments				
Collective investment				
scheme	30,353,385	-	-	30,353,385
Forward foreign				
currency contracts		(1,669,044)	-	(1,669,044)
Total financial instruments	30,353,385	(1,669,044)		28,684,341
30.04.2023				
Financial instruments				
Collective investment				
scheme	45,779,125	-	-	45,779,125
Forward foreign				
currency contracts		(1,891,438)		(1,891,438)
Total financial instruments	45,779,125	(1,891,438)	-	43,887,687

(c) Financial instruments that are not carried at fair value and whose carrying amounts are reasonable approximations of fair value

The following are classes of financial instruments that are not carried at fair value and whose carrying amounts are reasonable approximation of fair value due to their short period to maturity or short credit period:

- Cash at bank
- Amount due from/(to) Manager
- Amount due to Trustee
- NAV attributable to unitholders

There were no financial instruments which are not carried at fair values and whose carrying amounts are not reasonable approximation of their respective fair values.

15. FINANCIAL RISK MANAGEMENT OBJECTIVES AND POLICIES

The Fund is exposed to a variety of risks including market risk, non-compliance risk, credit risk, currency risk and liquidity risk. Whilst these are the most important types of financial risks inherent in each type of financial instrument, the Manager and the Trustee would like to highlight that this list does not purport to constitute an exhaustive list of all the risks inherent in an investment in the Fund.

The Fund's overall risk management programme seeks to minimise potential adverse effects on the Fund's financial performance. Specific guidelines on exposures to individual securities and certain industries are in place for the Fund at any time as part of the overall financial risk management to reduce the Fund's risk exposures.

(a) Market risk

Market risk refers to potential losses that may arise from changes in the market conditions which may affect the market prices of the financial instruments of the Fund and hence the NAV of the Fund. Market conditions are generally affected by, amongst others, social environment, political and economic stability.

The Fund's overall exposure to market risk was as follows:

	31.10.2023 USD	30.04.2023 USD
Investments at FVTPL	30,353,385	45,779,125

The table below summarises the sensitivity of the Fund's net asset value and net income after taxation to movements in prices of investments. The analysis is based on the assumption that the price of the investments fluctuates by 5% with all other variables held constant.

		Impact on			
	Change in	i	income/(loss)		
	price of	Market	after tax		
	investments	value	and NAV		
	%	USD	USD		
31.10.2023					
	-5	28,835,716	(1,517,669)		
	0	30,353,385	-		
	5	31,871,054	1,517,669		
20.04.202		_			
30.04.2023					
	-5	43,490,169	(2,288,956)		
	0	45,779,125	-		
	5	48,068,081	2,288,956		

15. FINANCIAL RISK MANAGEMENT OBJECTIVES AND POLICIES (CONTINUED)

(b) Non-compliance risk

Non-adherence with laws, rules, regulations, prescribed practices, internal policies and procedures may adversely affect the Fund's investment when the Manager takes action to rectify the non-compliance. Investment goals may also be affected should the Manager not adhere to the investment mandate (such as the Fund's investment objective and investment policy and strategy). The non-adherence may be the outcome from human error (for instance the oversight of the Manager) or system failure (causing unnecessary downtime). The magnitude of such risk and its impact on the Fund and/or unitholders are dependent on the nature and severity of the non-compliance. In order to mitigate this risk, the Manager has stringent internal controls and ensures that compliance monitoring processes are undertaken.

(c) Credit risk

Credit concentration risk is associated with the number of underlying investments or financial institutions which a Fund invests in or places deposits with. For example a Fund which invests its assets in a single underlying instrument or places deposits with a single institution is more risky compared to a Fund with two or more underlying investments or institutions. This is because if the single issuer/financial institution default, it would have a significant impact to that Fund.

At the reporting date, the Fund's maximum exposure to credit risk is represented by the carrying amount of each class of financial assets recognised in the statement of financial position.

15. FINANCIAL RISK MANAGEMENT OBJECTIVES AND POLICIES (CONTINUED)

(c) Credit risk (continued)

Analysis of the Fund's financial instruments which are exposed to credit risk by rating agency designation is as follows:

	Investments	Cash at bank	Derivatives liabilities at FVTPL	Total	As a percentage of NAV
	Investments				
	USD	USD	USD	USD	%
31.10.2023					
AAA	-	-	(552,670)	(552,670)	(1.89)
AA	-	_	(1,116,374)	(1,116,374)	(3.82)
AA1	-	554,139	-	554,139	1.90
Non-rated	30,353,385	_	-	30,353,385	103.93
	30,353,385	554,139	(1,669,044)	29,238,480	100.12
30.04.2023					
AAA	-	-	(475,276)	(475,276)	(1.00)
AA	-	-	(1,416,162)	(1,416,162)	(2.98)
AA1	-	3,408,260	-	3,408,260	7.16
Non-rated	45,779,125	_	-	45,779,125	96.24
	45,779,125	3,408,260	(1,891,438)	47,295,947	99.42

The financial assets of the Fund are neither past due nor impaired.

15. FINANCIAL RISK MANAGEMENT OBJECTIVES AND POLICIES (CONTINUED)

(d) Currency risk

This risk is associated with investments denominated in currencies different from the base currency. As the Fund is denominated in USD, investments in other currencies other than USD will cause the Fund to be exposed to currency risks. Fluctuations in the exchange rates of other currencies against the USD may affect the NAV of the Fund and consequently the NAV per unit of the Fund.

For the MYR hedged Class/RMB hedged Class

Investors in the MYR hedged Class/RMB hedged Class are subject to minimal currency risk as the Manager will as much as practicable mitigate this risk by hedging these currencies against the denominated of the Target Fund, which is USD. Investors should note that by employing this hedging, investors would not be able to enjoy the additional currency gains when USD moves favourably against these currencies. Additional transaction costs of hedging will also be borne by investors in these Class(es) of Units.

For the USD Class

As the USD Class is denominated in the same currency as the Base Currency of the Fund, hence investors in the USD Class should not be subjected to any currency risk at the Class level. However, Sophisticated Investors who intend to invest in the USD Class should be aware that as there are other hedged Class(es) of Units which will be offered for sales, any unrealised gain or loss on the currency forward for those hedged Class(es) of Units will have an impact on the Fund when calculating the fees and charges of the Fund, and consequently it will affect the NAV of the Class as well as the NAV per Unit of the Class.

The following table sets out the foreign currency risk concentrations of the Fund.

		31.10.2023		30.04.2023 Percentage
		Percentage		
	Total	of NAV	Total	of NAV
	USD	%	USD	%
Malaysian Ringgit ("MYR"	")			
Cash at bank	370,789	1.27	2,925,929	6.15
Forward foreign currency				
contracts	(1,590,509)	(5.45)	(1,770,430)	(3.72)
Amount due from/(to)				
Manager	(40,011)	(0.14)	295,113	0.62
Net asset value attributable				
to unitholders	25,864,095	88.56	42,052,515	88.40
	24,604,363	84.25	43,503,127	91.45

15. FINANCIAL RISK MANAGEMENT OBJECTIVES AND POLICIES (CONTINUED)

(d) Currency risk (continued)

The following table sets out the foreign currency risk concentrations of the Fund. (continued)

31.10.2023 Percentage			30.04.2023 Percentage
Total	of NAV	Total	of NAV
USD	%	USD	%
11,959	0.04	(604)	_*
5,703	0.02	276,484	0.58
(78,533)	(0.27)	(121,008)	(0.25)
-	-	(10,565)	(0.03)
2,836,446	9.71	4,480,980	9.42
2,775,574	9.50	4,625,287	9.72
	11,959 5,703 (78,533) - 2,836,446	Total USD	Percentage Total USD of NAV USD 11,959 0.04 (604) 5,703 0.02 276,484 (78,533) (0.27) (121,008) - - (10,565) 2,836,446 9.71 4,480,980

^{*} Represents values that are less than 0.01

The table below summarises the sensitivity of the Fund's net asset value and profit after tax to changes in foreign exchange movements. The analysis is based on the assumption that the foreign exchange rate changes by 5%, with all other variables remaining constant. Any increase/decrease in foreign exchange rate will result in a corresponding decrease/increase in the net assets attributable to unitholders by approximately 5%. Disclosures below are shown in absolute terms, changes and impact could be positive or negative.

	Change in foreign exchange rate %	31.10.2023 Impact on net income/ (loss) after taxation and NAV %	30.04.2023 Impact on net income/ (loss) after taxation and NAV %
MYR	+5	1,230,218	2,175,156
	-5	(1,230,218)	(2,175,156)
RMB	+5	138,779	231,264
	-5	(138,779)	(231,264)

15. FINANCIAL RISK MANAGEMENT OBJECTIVES AND POLICIES (CONTINUED)

(e) Liquidity risk

In the event of unexpectedly large realisations of units, there may be a possibility that the assets of the Target Fund may be forced to be liquidated at below their fair and expected value, especially in illiquid public exchanges or over-the-counter markets. The Investment Manager of the Target Fund will ensure that a sufficient portion of the Target Fund will be in liquid assets such as cash and cash-equivalents to meet expected realisations, net of new subscriptions.

Investments by the Target Fund in some Asian and/or emerging markets often involve a greater degree of risk due to the nature of such markets which do not have fully developed services such as custodian and settlement services often taken for granted in more developed markets. There may be a greater degree of volatility in such markets because of the speculative element, significant retail participation and lack of liquidity which are inherent characteristics of these markets.

The natures of undiscounted contractual cash flows for financial assets of the Fund are not presented as:

- (i) The investments have no maturity period; and
- (ii) Other financial assets and financial liabilities will contractually mature less than one year from the reporting date at amounts not significantly different from that presented on the statement of financial position.

16. CAPITAL MANAGEMENT

The capital of the Fund can vary depending on the demand for redemptions and subscriptions to the Fund. The Fund's units in issue at the end of the financial year are disclosed in Notes 7(a), (b) and (c).

No changes were made to the Fund's objectives, policies or processes during the current financial period.

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