

## ASIA GROWTH STRATEGIES



### FUND FACTS

Ticker	MAKOX
CUSIP	577-130-305
Inception Date	1/3/95
Assets	\$132.0 million
NAV	\$4.13
Total # of Positions	55
Weighted Average Market Cap	\$17.8 billion

### Portfolio Turnover Ratio

Fiscal Year 2009 52.47%<sup>1</sup>

### Gross Expense Ratios<sup>2</sup>

Fiscal Year 2009 1.30%

### Benchmark

Korea Composite Stock Price Index (KOSPI)<sup>3</sup>

### Redemption Fee

2% within first 90 calendar days of purchase

### INVESTMENT APPROACH

Matthews International Capital Management, LLC, the advisor to Matthews Asia Funds, believes in the long-term growth of Asia, one of the world's fastest-growing regions. Since 1991, we have focused our efforts and expertise exclusively in these countries, investing through a variety of market environments. Matthews is the largest dedicated Asia-only investment specialist in the United States. With \$12.9 billion in assets under management as of June 30, 2010, Matthews employs a bottom-up, fundamental investment philosophy with a focus on long-term investment performance.

# Matthews Korea Fund

June 30, 2010

## Fund Objective

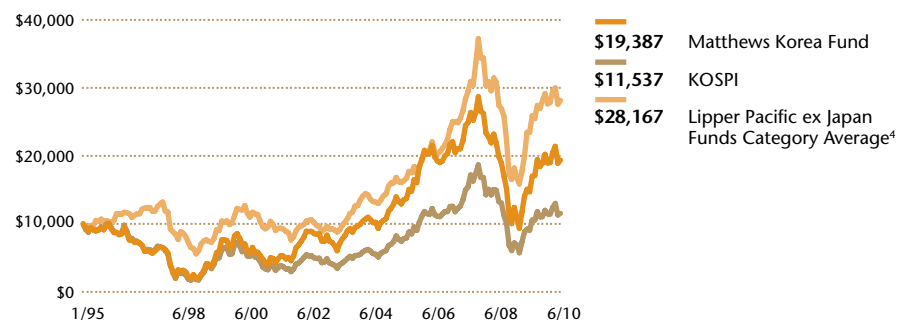
Under normal market conditions, the Matthews Korea Fund seeks to achieve its investment objective by investing at least 80% of its total net assets, which include borrowings for investment purposes, in the common and preferred stocks of companies located in South Korea ("Korea").

*Investing in international markets may involve additional risks, such as social and political instability, market illiquidity, exchange-rate fluctuations, a high level of volatility and limited regulation. In addition, single-country and sector funds may be subject to a higher degree of market risk than diversified funds because of concentration in a specific industry, sector or geographic region.*

### PERFORMANCE AS OF JUNE 30, 2010

	Average Annual Total Returns					
	3 Months	1 Year	3 Years	5 Years	10 Years	Inception 1/3/95
Matthews Korea Fund	-5.49%	31.69%	-8.00%	7.17%	11.48%	4.37%
Korea Composite Stock Price Index	-7.13%	27.32%	-9.25%	7.78%	6.86%	0.93%

### GROWTH OF A \$10,000 INVESTMENT SINCE INCEPTION



The performance data and graph do not reflect the deduction of taxes that a shareholder would pay on dividends, capital gain distributions or redemption of fund shares. Values are in US\$.

- 1 The lesser of fiscal year 2009 long-term purchase costs or sales proceeds divided by the average monthly market value of long-term securities.
- 2 The Matthews Asia Funds do not charge 12b-1 fees.
- 3 The Korea Composite Stock Price Index (KOSPI) is a market capitalization-weighted index of all common stocks listed on the Korea Stock Exchange. It is not possible to invest directly in an index. Source: Index data from Bloomberg; total return calculations performed by BNY Mellon Investment Servicing Inc.
- 4 The Lipper Category Average does not reflect sales charges and is based on total return, including reinvestment of dividends and capital gains for the stated periods. Calculated from 12/31/94.

*Performance assumes reinvestment of all dividends and/or distributions before taxes. 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 their original cost. Current performance may be lower or higher than the return figures quoted. Returns would have been lower if certain of the Fund's fees and expenses had not been waived. For the Fund's most recent month-end performance visit [matthewsasia.com](http://matthewsasia.com).*

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## TOP TEN HOLDINGS<sup>5</sup>

	Sector	% of Net
Samsung Electronics Co., Ltd.	Information Technology	11.7%
POSCO	Materials	3.8%
Shinhan Financial Group Co., Ltd.	Financials	3.6%
KB Financial Group, Inc.	Financials	3.0%
LG Chem, Ltd.	Materials	2.7%
SK Telecom Co., Ltd.	Telecommunication Services	2.6%
Hyundai Mobis	Consumer Discretionary	2.5%
Hyundai Motor Co.	Consumer Discretionary	2.4%
Dongbu Insurance Co., Ltd.	Financials	2.4%
Samsung Fire & Marine Insurance Co., Ltd.	Financials	2.3%
<b>% OF ASSETS IN TOP TEN</b>		<b>37.0%</b>

## SECTOR ALLOCATION (%)<sup>6</sup>

	Fund	Benchmark	Difference
Consumer Discretionary	21.2	14.2	7.0
Information Technology	20.8	20.7	0.1
Financials	18.6	17.4	1.2
Industrials	10.7	18.9	-8.2
Materials	10.6	14.1	-3.5
Consumer Staples	8.4	5.2	3.2
Telecom Services	4.0	3.1	0.9
Health Care	3.5	1.2	2.3
Energy	1.5	2.2	-0.7
Utilities	0.0	2.9	-2.9
Cash and Other Assets, Less Liabilities	0.7	0.0	0.7

Sector data based on MSCI's revised Global Industry Classification Standards. For more details, visit [www.msci.com](http://www.msci.com).

Source: FactSet Research Systems

## MARKET CAP EXPOSURE (%)<sup>6,7</sup>

	Fund	Benchmark	Difference
Large Cap (over \$5B)	55.4	62.6	-7.2
Mid Cap (\$1B-\$5B)	29.0	25.8	3.2
Small Cap (under \$1B)	14.9	11.6	3.3
Cash and Other Assets, Less Liabilities	0.7	0.0	0.7

Source: FactSet Research Systems

## P/E RATIOS<sup>8</sup>

P/E Using FY1 Estimates	9.6x
P/E Using FY2 Estimates	8.7x

Source: FactSet Research Systems

<sup>5</sup> Holdings may combine more than one security from same issuer and related depository receipts.

<sup>6</sup> Percentage values in data are rounded to the nearest tenth of one percent; the values may not sum to 100% due to rounding.

<sup>7</sup> Equity market cap of issuer.

<sup>8</sup> The P/E figures represent the Harmonic Average P/E—which measures the price/earnings ratio of the Fund's entire portfolio, excluding negative earners—weighted by the size of the company's position within the portfolio.

## PORTFOLIO MANAGEMENT

**J. Michael Oh**  
Lead Manager

**Michael B. Han, CFA**  
Co-Manager

## STRATEGIES FOR INVESTING IN ASIA

### ASIA GROWTH AND INCOME

- ✿ Matthews Asian Growth and Income Fund
- ✿ Matthews Asia Dividend Fund
- ✿ Matthews China Dividend Fund

### ASIA GROWTH

- ✿ Matthews Asia Pacific Fund
- ✿ Matthews Pacific Tiger Fund
- ✿ Matthews China Fund
- ✿ Matthews India Fund
- ✿ Matthews Japan Fund
- ✿ Matthews Korea Fund

### ASIA SMALL COMPANY

- ✿ Matthews Asia Small Companies Fund

### ASIA SPECIALTY

- ✿ Matthews Asia Science and Technology Fund

✿ *Regional fund designed for use as a core portfolio holding*

✿ *Asian fund designed to complement core portfolio holdings*

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