ChinaAMC Investment Trust

ChinaAMC Global Investment Grade Bond Fund

Annual Report

For the year ended 31 December 2023





CHINAAMC GLOBAL INVESTMENT GRADE BOND FUND – A SUB-FUND OF CHINAAMC INVESTMENT TRUST

REPORTS AND FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2023

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ADMINISTRATION AND MANAGEMENT

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MANAGER'S REPORT

Market Review

The global markets experienced a complex and fast-changing year in 2023. Although investors' risk appetite fell briefly in March in response to the breakout of the U.S. banking crisis, the overall resilience of the U.S. economy far exceeded market expectations at the beginning of the year. In the meantime, falling commodity prices gradually brought down global inflation, leading to a rebound in risk assets. Assets that lagged in 2022 made a comeback in 2023.

Credit spreads fluctuated in a narrow range for most of the year, except for March. Supported by solid fundamentals and technical factors, credit spreads across most sectors hit their lowest point at the end of 2023. Among developed markets, the U.S. outperformed Europe, while in emerging markets, Asia outperformed Europe and Africa and the Middle East outperformed Latin America. In the case of Chinese-issued USD bonds, spreads for investment-grade bonds tightened, while high-yield real estate bonds continued to see a large number of defaults.

Entering 2024, market focus has gradually shifted from the end of the rate hike cycle to imminent rate cut. The aggressive fiscal policy and the wealth of residents and companies accumulated during COVID-19 propelled the better-than-expected performance of the U.S. economy in 2023. We expect the U.S. economy to slow down on a quarter-on-quarter basis compared to 2023, and technical recessions may occur in certain quarters. However, in our base scenario, the U.S. economy is able to withstand the impact of the current rate hike cycle, with only a shallow recession, and the probability of a deep recession is extremely low. Unlike previous economic cycles, there was no irrational bubbles before the current rate hike cycle, and the leverage of the financial system, residents and companies was at a relatively reasonable level. In addition, the Fed now has an enhanced policy mechanism, deeper insights into the economy, closer communications with the market, and stronger willingness to maintain a stable financial system.

We are cautiously optimistic about the global USD credit bond market in 2024. Since the second half of 2023, global credit spreads and benchmark interest rates has moved in the same direction after a six-month negatively correlated period. This suggests that the overall performance of credit bonds for most of the current rate hike cycle has been driven by technical factors instead of fundamentals. Historical data shows that the average performance of bond-like assets in the three months before the first rate cut leads major asset classes. With the overall yield of credit bonds remaining at its 20-year attractive level, it is worth incorporating the asset class into a long-term investment portfolio.

China Asset Management (Hong Kong) Limited 27 March 2024

TRUSTEE'S REPORT TO UNITHOLDERS

We hereby confirm that, in our opinion, China Asset Management (Hong Kong) Limited in all material respects, managed ChinaAMC Global Investment Grade Bond Fund – a sub-fund of ChinaAMC Investment Trust in accordance with the provisions of the Trust Deed dated 7 October 2010, as supplemented, amended and restated from time to time, for the year ended 31 December 2023.

For and on behalf of Cititrust Limited

Trustee 27 March 2024

STATEMENT OF RESPONSIBILITIES OF THE MANAGER AND THE TRUSTEE

Manager's responsibilities

China Asset Management (Hong Kong) Limited (the "Manager"), the Manager of the ChinaAMC Global Investment Grade Bond Fund (the "Sub-Fund"), a sub-fund of ChinaAMC Investment Trust (the "Trust"), is required by the Code on Unit Trusts and Mutual Funds established by the Securities & Futures Commission of Hong Kong (the "SFC Code") and the trust deed dated 7 October 2010, as supplemented, amended and restated from time to time (the "Trust Deed") to prepare financial statements for each annual accounting period which give a true and fair view of the financial position of the Sub-Fund at the end of that period and of the transactions for the year/period then ended. In preparing these financial statements, the Manager is required to:

- select suitable accounting policies and then apply them consistently; and
- make judgements and estimates that are prudent and reasonable.

The Manager is also required to manage the Sub-Fund in accordance with the Trust Deed and take reasonable steps for the prevention and detection of fraud and other irregularities.

The Trust is an umbrella unit trust governed by its Trust Deed. As at 31 December 2023, the Trust has established three sub-funds.

Trustee's responsibilities

The Trustee of the Sub-Fund is required to:

- ensure that the Sub-Fund is managed by the Manager in accordance with the Trust Deed and that the investment and borrowing powers are complied with;
- satisfy itself that sufficient accounting and other records have been maintained;
- safeguard the property of the Sub-Fund and rights attaching thereto; and
- report to the unitholders for each annual accounting year on the conduct of the Manager in the management of the Sub-Fund.

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Report on the audit of the financial statements

Opinion

We have audited the financial statements of ChinaAMC Global Investment Grade Bond Fund ("the Sub-Fund"), set on pages 9 to 35, which comprise the statement of financial position as at 31 December 2023, the statement of comprehensive income, the statement of changes in net assets attributable to unitholders and the statement of cash flows for the year then ended and notes, comprising material accounting policy information and other explanatory information.

In our opinion, the financial statements give a true and fair view of the financial position of the Sub-Fund as at 31 December 2023 and of its financial transactions and cash flows for the year then ended in accordance with International Financial Reporting Standards ("IFRSs") issued by the International Accounting Standards Board (the "IASB").

Basis for Opinion

We conducted our audit in accordance with International Standards on Auditing ("ISAs") issued by the International Auditing and Assurance Standards Board ("IAASB"). Our responsibilities under those standards are further described in the *Auditor's responsibilities for the audit of the financial statements* section of our report. We are independent of the Sub-Fund in accordance with the *International Code of Ethics for Professional Accountants (including International Independence Standards)* issued by the International Ethics Standards Board for Accountants (the "IESBA Code") and we have fulfilled our other ethical responsibilities in accordance with the IESBA Code. We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion.

Information other than the financial statements and auditors' report thereon

The Trustee and the Manager (the "Management") of the Sub-Fund are responsible for the other information. The other information comprises all the information included in the annual report, other than the financial statements and our auditor's report thereon.

Our opinion on the financial statements does not cover the other information and we do not express any form of assurance conclusion thereon.

In connection with our audit of the financial statements, our responsibility is to read the other information and, in doing so, consider whether the other information is materially inconsistent with the financial statements or our knowledge obtained in the audit or otherwise appears to be materially misstated.

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Report on the audit of the financial statements (continued)

Information other than the financial statements and auditors' report thereon (continued)

If, based on the work we have performed, we conclude that there is a material misstatement of this other information, we are required to report that fact. We have nothing to report in this regard.

Responsibilities of the Management for the Financial Statements

The Management of the Sub-Fund is responsible for the preparation of the financial statements that give a true and fair view in accordance with IFRSs issued by the IASB and for such internal control as the Management of the Sub-Fund determines is necessary to enable the preparation of financial statements that are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

In preparing the financial statements, the Management of the Sub-Fund is responsible for assessing the Sub-Fund's ability to continue as a going concern, disclosing, as applicable, matters related to going concern and using the going concern basis of accounting unless the Management of the Sub-Fund either intends to liquidate the Sub-Fund or to cease operations, or has no realistic alternative but to do so.

In addition, the Management of the Sub-Fund is required to ensure that the financial statements have been properly prepared in accordance with the relevant provisions of the Trust Deed dated 7 October 2010, as amended (the "Trust Deed") and the relevant disclosure provisions of Appendix E of the Code on Unit Trusts and Mutual Funds (the "SFC Code") issued by the Hong Kong Securities and Futures Commission.

Auditor's responsibilities for the audit of the financial statements

Our objectives are to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements as a whole are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error, and to issue an auditor's report that includes our opinion. This report is made solely to you, as a body, and for no other purpose. We do not assume responsibility towards or accept liability to any other person for the contents of this report.

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Report on the audit of the financial statements (continued)

Auditor's responsibilities for the audit of the financial statements (continued)

Reasonable assurance is a high level of assurance but is not a guarantee that an audit conducted in accordance with ISAs will always detect a material misstatement when it exists. Misstatements can arise from fraud or error and are considered material if, individually or in the aggregate, they could reasonably be expected to influence the economic decisions of users taken on the basis of these financial statements. In addition, we are required to assess whether the financial statements of the Sub-Fund have been properly prepared, in all material respects, in accordance with the relevant provisions of the Trust Deed and the relevant disclosure provisions of Appendix E of the SFC Code.

As part of an audit in accordance with ISAs, we exercise professional judgment and maintain professional scepticism throughout the audit. We also:

- Identify and assess the risks of material misstatement of the financial statements, whether
 due to fraud or error, design and perform audit procedures responsive to those risks, and
 obtain audit evidence that is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion.
 The risk of not detecting a material misstatement resulting from fraud is higher than for one
 resulting from error, as fraud may involve collusion, forgery, intentional omissions,
 misrepresentations or the override of internal control.
- Obtain an understanding of internal control relevant to the audit in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the Sub-Fund's internal control.
- Evaluate the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of accounting estimates and related disclosures made by the Management of the Sub-Fund.
- Conclude on the appropriateness of the Management's use of the going concern basis of accounting and, based on the audit evidence obtained, whether a material uncertainty exists related to events or conditions that may cast significant doubt on the Sub-Fund's ability to continue as a going concern. If we conclude that a material uncertainty exists, we are required to draw attention in our auditor's report to the related disclosures in the financial statements or, if such disclosures are inadequate, to modify our opinion. Our conclusions are based on the audit evidence obtained up to the date of our auditor's report. However, future events or conditions may cause the Sub-Fund to cease to continue as a going concern.

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Report on the audit of the financial statements (continued)

Auditor's responsibilities for the audit of the financial statements (continued)

• Evaluate the overall presentation, structure and content of the financial statements, including the disclosures, and whether the financial statements represent the underlying transactions and events in a manner that achieves fair presentation.

We communicate with the Management of the Sub-Fund regarding, among other matters, the planned scope and timing of the audit and significant audit findings, including any significant deficiencies in internal control that we identify during our audit.

Report on matters under the relevant provisions of the Trust Deed and the relevant disclosure provisions of Appendix E of the SFC code

In our opinion, the financial statements have been properly prepared, in all material respects, in accordance with the relevant provisions of the Trust Deed and the relevant disclosure provisions of Appendix E of the SFC Code.

Certified Public Accountants 8th Floor, Prince's Building 10 Chater Road Central, Hong Kong

27 March 2024

STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION AS AT 31 DECEMBER 2023

(Expressed in United States dollars)

	Notes	2023		2022
Assets				
Cash and cash equivalents Margin accounts Financial assets at fair value through	8(d)	\$ 628,596 916,058	\$	898,549 249,173
profit or loss	3, 11(a)	 51,044,274		7,491,193
Total assets		\$ 52,588,928	\$	8,638,915
Liabilities				
Financial liabilities at fair value through profit or loss Amounts due to brokers Accruals and other payables	4, 11(a)	\$ 90,972 2,188 81,940	\$	- - 55,528
Total liabilities (excluding net assets attributable to unitholders)		\$ 175,100	\$ ====	55,528
Net assets attributable to unitholders	9(c)	\$ 52,413,828	\$	8,583,387

STATEMENT OF COMPREHENSIVE INCOME FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2023

(Expressed in United States dollars)

	Notes	2023	2022
Interest income on cash and cash equivalents Interest income on investments Net gain/(loss) on financial assets and	8(d)	\$ 86,953 1,178,069	\$ 10,470 320,731
financial liabilities at fair value through profit or loss Other income Net foreign exchange (loss)/gain	6	1,018,153 (1,336) (3,550)	 (660,867) 233 3,047
Total income/(loss)		\$ 2,278,289	\$ (326,386)
Management fee Audit fee Trustee and Custodian fee Financial statements preparation fee Legal and professional fee Bank charges Interest expense Transaction costs Transfer agency fee Others	8(a) 8(b) 8(c) 8(d) 8(d) 8(e) 8(f)	\$ (103,303) (18,908) (47,977) (8,001) (1,740) (788) (8,232) (199,804) (13,616) (7,621)	\$ (40,054) (18,414) (48,000) (8,000) (213) (7,051) (29,409) (6,282) (4,538)
Total operating expenses		\$ (409,990)	\$ (161,961)
Profit/(loss) before tax		\$ 1,868,299	\$ (488,347)
Withholding tax	5	 (2,700)	 (3,600)
Increase/(decrease) in net assets attributable to unitholders from operations for the year		\$ 1,865,599	\$ (491,947)

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN NET ASSETS ATTRIBUTABLE TO UNITHOLDERS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2023

(Expressed in United States dollars)

			Notes			2023		2022
Balance at the beginning	of the year	ar		\$	8,58	33,387	\$	10,575,334
Subscription				\$	46,06	64,842	\$	2,000,000
Redemption					(4,10	00,000)		(3,500,000)
Total transactions with u	nitholders			\$	41,96	64,842	\$	(1,500,000)
Increase/(decrease) in ne to unitholders from ope				\$	1,86	65,599 	\$ 	(491,947)
Balance at the end of the	year		9(c)	\$	52,4°	13,828	\$	8,583,387
Number of units issued and redeemed:		<i>Class A</i> HKD units		<i>Class</i> D uni		<i>Cla</i> : RMB ui		Class I USD units
At 1 January 2022		-			-		-	932,440
Subscription of units during the year Redemption of units during the year		-			-		-	187,497 (327,693)
At 31 December 2022 and 1 January 2023					_		_	792,244
Subscription of units during the year Redemption of units		1,093		1	10	2,000,0	000	3,753,713
during the year At 31 December 2023	9(a)	1,093	_	1	10	2,000,0	000	(354,738) 4,191,219

STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2023

(Expressed in United States dollars)

	Notes	2023		es 2023		Notes 2023		2022
Operating activities								
Increase/(decrease) in net assets attributable to unitholders from operations for the year		\$	1,865,599	\$ (491,947)				
Adjustments for: Interest income Interest expense Withholding tax	5		(1,265,022) 8,232 2,700	 (331,201) 7,051 3,600				
Operating profit/(loss) before changes in working capital		\$	611,509	\$ (812,497)				
(Increase)/decrease in financial assets at fair value through profit or loss Increase/(decrease) in financial liabilities at fair value through profit or loss (Increase)/decrease in margin accounts Increase in amounts due to brokers Increase in accruals and other payables Interest received, net of withholding tax paid			(43,553,081) 90,972 (666,885) 2,188 26,412 1,262,322	1,703,725 (500) 98,080 - 7,514 327,601				
Net cash (used in)/generated from operating activities		\$	(42,226,563)	\$ <u> </u>				
Financing activities								
Proceeds from subscription of units Payments on redemption of units Interest paid		\$	46,064,842 (4,100,000) (8,232)	\$ 2,000,000 (3,500,000) (7,051)				
Net cash generated from/(used in) financing activities		\$ =	41,956,610	\$ (1,507,051)				

STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS (CONTINUED) FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2023

(Expressed in United States dollars)

	Notes	2023	2022
Net decrease in cash and cash equivalents		\$ (269,953)	\$ (183,128)
Cash and cash equivalents at the beginning of the year		 898,549	 1,081,677
Cash and cash equivalents at the end of the year	8(d)	\$ 628,596	\$ 898,549

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2023

(Expressed in United States dollars, unless otherwise indicated)

1 General Information

ChinaAMC Global Investment Grade Bond Fund (the "Sub-Fund") is a sub-fund of ChinaAMC Investment Trust (the "Trust"), which is an open-ended unit trust initially established as an exempted trust under the laws of the Cayman Islands pursuant to a trust deed dated 7 October 2010, as amended or supplemented from time to time and restated on 28 July 2017 (the "Trust Deed"), between Citigroup First Investment Management Limited (the "Former Manager") and Cititrust (Cayman) Limited (the "Former Trustee").

Redomicile of the Trust and the Sub-Fund

The Trust was initially established as an exempted trust under the laws of the Cayman Islands. With effect from 28 July 2017, the Trust shall take effect in accordance with the laws of Hong Kong and the laws of Hong Kong shall be the governing law of the Trust.

Pursuant with the supplemental deeds dated 28 July 2017, the Former Manager retired as the manager of the Trust and China Asset Management (Hong Kong) Limited (the "Manager") was appointed as the manager of the Trust with effect from 28 July 2017. On the same day, the Former Trustee retired as the trustee of the Trust and Cititrust Limited (the "Trustee") was appointed as the trustee of the Trust.

The Sub-Fund is authorised by the Hong Kong Securities and Futures Commission (the "SFC") under Section 104 of the Hong Kong Securities and Futures Ordinance, and governed by the Hong Kong Code on Unit Trusts and Mutual Funds (the "SFC Code") issued by the SFC. The Sub-Fund was authorised by the SFC on 1 June 2020 and the first dealing day was 15 June 2020.

The investment objective of the Sub-Fund is to provide unitholders with long term capital growth primarily through investing in investment grade fixed income and debt instruments in markets worldwide.

The investment strategy of the Sub-Fund is to invest up to 100% of the net asset value of the Sub-Fund in fixed income and debt instruments of varying maturities in markets worldwide. At least 70% of the Sub-Fund's net asset value will be invested in fixed income instruments with an investment grade rating (i.e. having a credit rating of Baa3 or BBB- or above by Standard & Poor's, Fitch, Moody's or another recognised credit rating agency) or fixed income instruments with issuers of investment grade rating if the instrument does not have a credit rating.

The custodian and administration functions are delegated to Citibank N.A., Hong Kong Branch (the "Custodian" and the "Administrator"). Citibank N.A., Hong Kong Branch is a related party of the Former Manager, the Former Trustee and the Trustee.

2 Material accounting policies

The principal accounting policies applied in the preparation of these financial statements are set out below. These policies have been consistently applied to the year presented, unless otherwise stated.

(a) Statement of compliance

These financial statements have been prepared in accordance with International Financial Reporting Standards ("IFRSs"), the relevant provisions of the Trust Deed, and the relevant disclosure provisions of the SFC Code issued by the SFC. Material accounting policies adopted by the Sub-Fund are disclosed below.

The International Accounting Standards Board ("IASB") has issued certain amendments to IFRSs that are first effective or available for early adoption for the current accounting period of the Sub-Fund. Note 1(c) provides information on any changes in accounting policies resulting from initial application of these developments to the extent that they are relevant to the Sub-Fund for the current accounting period reflected in these financial statements.

(b) Basis of preparation of the financial statements

These financial statements are presented in United States dollars ("USD"), which is the reporting currency of the units in issue of the Sub-Fund. All amounts have been rounded to the nearest dollar, unless otherwise indicated.

The measurement basis used in the preparation of the financial statements is the historical cost basis as modified by the revaluation of financial assets (including derivative financial instruments) at fair value through profit or loss.

The preparation of financial statements in conformity with IFRSs requires the Manager and the Trustee (collectively the "Management") to make judgements, estimates and assumptions that affect the application of policies and reported amounts of assets, liabilities, income and expenses. The estimates and associated assumptions are based on historical experience and various other factors that are believed to be reasonable under the circumstances, the results of which form the basis of making the judgements about carrying values of assets and liabilities that are not readily apparent from other sources. Actual results may differ from these estimates.

The estimates and underlying assumptions are reviewed on an ongoing basis. Revisions to accounting estimates are recognised in the period in which the estimate is revised if the revision affects only that period, or in the period of the revision and future periods if the revision affects both current and future periods.

Judgements made by management in the application of IFRSs that have significant effect on the financial statements and major sources of estimation uncertainty are discussed in note 3.

All references to "net assets" or "net asset value" throughout these financial statements refer to net assets attributable to unitholders unless otherwise stated.

(c) Changes in accounting policies

New and amended IFRSs

The Sub-Fund has applied the following new and amended IFRSs issued by the IASB to these financial statements for the current accounting period:

- Disclosure of Accounting Policies (Amendments to IAS 1 and IFRS Practice Statement 2)
- Definition of Accounting Estimates (Amendments to IAS 8)

The Sub-Fund has not applied any new standard or interpretation that is not yet effective for the current accounting period. Impacts of the adoption of the new and amended IFRSs are discussed below:

Disclosure of Accounting Policies (Amendments to IAS 1 and IFRS Practice Statement 2)

The amendments require entities to disclose material accounting policy information and provide guidance on applying the concept of materiality to accounting policy disclosure. The Sub-Fund has revisited the accounting policy information it has been disclosing and considered it is consistent with the amendments.

Definition of Accounting Estimates (Amendments to IAS 8)

The amendments provide further guidance on the distinction between changes in accounting policies and changes in accounting estimates. The amendments do not have a material impact on these financial statements as the Sub-Fund's approach in distinguishing changes in accounting policies and changes in accounting estimates is consistent with the amendments.

(d) Foreign currency translation

(i) Functional and presentation currency

The subscriptions and redemptions of the units of the Sub-Fund are denominated in United States dollars ("USD"). The performance of the Sub-Fund is measured and reported to unitholders in USD. The Management considers the USD as the currency that most faithfully represents the economic effects of the underlying transactions, events and conditions. The financial statements are presented in USD, which is the Sub-Fund's functional and presentation currency.

(ii) Transactions and balances

Foreign currency transactions are translated into the functional currency using the exchange rates prevailing at the dates of the transactions. Foreign currency assets and liabilities are translated into the functional currency using the exchange rate prevailing at the reporting date.

Foreign exchange gains and losses arising from translation are included in the statement of comprehensive income.

Foreign exchange gains and losses relating to the financial assets and financial liabilities carried at fair value through profit or loss are presented in the statement of comprehensive income within "net gain/(loss) on financial assets and financial liabilities at fair value through profit or loss".

(e) Financial assets and financial liabilities at fair value through profit or loss

(i) Classification

The Sub-Fund classifies its investments based on both the Sub-Fund's business model for managing those financial assets and the contractual cash flow characteristics of the financial assets. The portfolio of financial assets is managed and performance is evaluated on a fair value basis. The Sub-Fund primarily focuses on fair value information and uses that information to assess the assets' performance and to make decisions. The Sub-Fund has not taken the option to irrevocably designate any equity securities as fair value through other comprehensive income. The contractual cash flows of the Sub-Fund's debt securities are solely principal and interest, however, these securities are neither held for the purpose of collecting contractual cash flows nor held both for collecting contractual cash flows and for sale. The collection of contractual cash flows is only incidental to achieving the Sub-Fund's business objective. Consequently, all investments are measured at fair value through profit or loss.

The Sub-Fund makes short sales in which a borrowed security is sold in anticipation of a decline in the market value of that security, or it may use short sales for various arbitrage transactions. Short sales are held for trading and are consequently classified as financial liabilities at fair value through profit or loss. Derivative contracts that have a negative fair value are presented as financial liabilities at fair value through profit or loss.

As such, the Sub-Fund classifies all of its investment portfolio as financial assets or financial liabilities at fair value through profit or loss.

The Sub-Fund's policy requires the Manager to evaluate the information about these financial assets and financial liabilities on a fair value basis together with other related financial information.

(ii) Recognition, derecognition and measurement

Regular purchases and sales of investments are recognised on the trade date – the date on which the Sub-Fund commits to purchase or sell the investment. Financial assets and financial liabilities at fair value through profit or loss are initially recognised at fair value.

Transaction costs are expensed as incurred in the statement of comprehensive income.

Financial assets are derecognised when the rights to receive cash flows from the investments have expired or the Sub-Fund has transferred substantially all risks and rewards of ownership.

Subsequent to initial recognition, all financial assets and financial liabilities at fair value through profit or loss are measured at fair value. Gains and losses arising from changes in the fair value of financial assets and financial liabilities at fair value through profit or loss are presented in the statement of comprehensive income within "net gain/(loss) on financial assets and financial liabilities at fair value through profit or loss" in the year/period in which they arise.

Interest on debt securities at fair value through profit or loss is recognised in the statement of comprehensive income.

(iii) Fair value estimation

The fair value of financial instruments traded in active markets (such as publicly traded derivatives and trading securities) is based on quoted market prices at the date of the statement of financial position. The quoted market price used for financial assets and financial liabilities held by the Sub-Fund is the last traded market price where the last traded price falls within the bid-ask spread. In circumstances where the last traded price is not within the bid-ask spread, the Management will determine the point within the bid-ask spread that is most representative of fair value.

The fair value of financial assets that are not traded in an active market (for example, over-the-counter derivatives) is determined by using valuation techniques. The Sub-Fund uses a variety of methods and makes assumptions that are based on market conditions existing at each reporting date. Valuation techniques used include the use of comparable recent arm's length transactions, reference to other instruments that are substantially the same, discounted cash flow analysis, option pricing models and other valuation techniques commonly used by market participants making the maximum use of market inputs and relying as little as possible on entity-specific inputs.

Investments which are not listed on an exchange or are thinly traded are valued by using quotes from brokers or based on the Manager's judgements and estimates. The fair value of debt securities is based on quoted market prices.

(iv) Transfers between levels of the fair value hierarchy

Transfers between levels of the fair value hierarchy are deemed to have occurred at the end of the reporting period.

(f) Offsetting financial instruments

Financial assets and financial liabilities are offset and the net amount is reported in the statement of financial position when there is a legally enforceable right to offset the recognised amounts and there is an intention to settle on a net basis, or realise the asset and settle the liability simultaneously.

(g) Cash and cash equivalents

Cash and cash equivalents comprise deposits with banks and other short-term investments in an active market with original maturities of three months or less.

(h) Interest income on cash and cash equivalents and interest income on investments

Interest is recognised on a time-proportionate basis using the effective interest method. Interest income on cash and cash equivalents includes interest from bank balances. Interest income on investments includes interest from debt securities.

(i) Accrued expenses

Accrued expenses are recognised initially at fair value and subsequently stated at amortised cost using the effective interest method.

(j) Increase/(decrease) in net assets attributable to unitholders from operations

Income not distributed is included in net assets attributable to unitholders.

(k) Taxation

The Sub-Fund currently incurs withholding taxes imposed by certain countries on investment income and capital gains. Such income or gains are recorded gross of withholding taxes in the statement of comprehensive income. Withholding taxes are shown as a separate item in the statement of comprehensive income.

(I) Net gain/(loss) on financial assets and financial liabilities at fair value through profit or loss

Net loss on financial assets and financial liabilities at fair value through profit or loss includes all realised and unrealised fair value changes and foreign exchange differences arising from financial assets at fair value through profit or loss, but exclude interest and dividend income.

(m) Units in issue

The Sub-Fund has multiple classes of redeemable units in issue, which redeemable at the unitholder's option. All the classes are the most subordinate classes of financial instruments in the Sub-Fund and rank pari passu in all material respects and have the same terms and conditions other than that different classes of unit are denominated in different currencies. The redeemable units provide unitholders with the right to require redemption for cash at a value proportionate to the unitholders' units in the net assets of the applicable class of units of the Sub-Fund at the redemption date, and also in the event of the Sub-Fund's liquidation.

The redeemable units of the Sub-Fund are classified as financial liabilities and are carried at an amount which corresponds to the redemption amount that is payable at the reporting date if the unitholder exercises the right to put the units back to the Sub-Fund.

(n) Collateral

Cash collateral provided by the Sub-Fund is identified in the statement of financial position as margin accounts and is not included as a component of cash and cash equivalents.

(o) Establishment costs

Establishment costs are recognised as an expense in the year in which they are incurred in accordance with IFRSs. However, this has resulted in a difference between the Sub-Fund's trading net asset value and the sum of assets and liabilities measured in accordance with IFRSs as disclosed in Note 9(c).

(p) Transaction costs

Transaction costs are costs incurred to acquire financial assets or liabilities at fair value through profit or loss. They include fees and commissions paid to agents, advisers, brokers and dealers. Transaction costs, when incurred, are immediately recognised in profit or loss as an expense.

3 Financial assets at fair value through profit or loss

	2023	2022
Financial assets at fair value through profit or loss: - Quoted debt securities - Forward contracts	\$ 51,023,343 20,931	\$ 7,491,193 <u>-</u>
Total financial assets at fair value through profit or loss	\$ 51,044,274	\$ 7,491,193

As at 31 December 2023 and 31 December 2022, there were no futures contracts as financial assets at fair value through profit or loss held by the Sub-Fund.

4 Financial liabilities at fair value through profit or loss

	2023	2022
Financial liabilities at fair value through profit or loss: - Futures contracts (a) - Forward contracts	\$ 54,343 36,629	\$ - -
Total financial liabilities at fair value through profit or loss	\$ 90,972	\$

The details of each type of derivative financial instruments are disclosed below.

(a) Futures contracts

Futures are contractual obligations to buy or sell financial instruments on a future date at a specified price established in an organised market. The futures contracts are collateralised by cash or marketable securities.

Details of the futures contracts as at 31 December 2023:

Туре	Description	Number of contracts long/(short)	Notional amount long/(short)	Fair value liabilities
Bond futures	US LONG BOND (CBT) 03/19/24	(24)	\$ (2,998,500)	\$ (23,250)
Bond futures	US 10YR NOTE (CBT) 03/19/24	(24)	(2,709,375)	(8,250)
Bond futures	US 10YR NOTE (CBT) 03/19/24	(31)	(3,499,609)	(8,234)
Bond futures	US 5YR NOTE (CBT) 03/28/24	70	7,614,141	12,578
Bond futures	US 5YR NOTE (CBT) 03/28/24	(70)	(7,614,141)	(12,578)
Bond futures	US 10YR NOTE (CBT) 03/19/24	(55)	(6,208,984)	 (14,609)

As at 31 December 2022, there were no futures contracts as financial assets and financial liabilities at fair value through profit or loss held by the Sub-Fund.

5 Taxation

Taxation in the statement of comprehensive income represents:

	2023	2022
Withholding tax on interest income	\$ 2,700	\$ 3,600

5 Taxation (continued)

(a) Hong Kong

No provision for Hong Kong profits tax has been made in the financial statements as the Sub-Fund is exempted from taxation under section 26A(1A) of the Hong Kong Inland Revenue Ordinance.

(b) Foreign countries

The Sub-Fund invests in securities issued by entities which are domiciled in countries other than Hong Kong. Many of these foreign countries have tax laws that indicate that capital gains taxes maybe applicable to non-residents, such as the Sub-Fund. Typically, these capital gains taxes are required to be determined on a self-assessment basis; therefore, such taxes may not be deducted by the Sub-Fund's broker on a withholding basis.

At 31 December 2023 and 31 December 2022, the Sub-Fund has applied the most likely amount method in measuring uncertain tax liabilities and related interest and penalties with respect to foreign capital gains taxes at nil; while this represents the Management's best estimate, estimated value could differ significantly from the amount ultimately payable.

6 Net gain/(loss) on financial assets and financial liabilities at fair value through profit or loss

	\$ 1,018,153	\$ (660,867)
and financial liabilities at fair value through profit or loss	 1,881,815	 (306,529)
Net realised loss Net change in unrealised gain/(loss) in financial assets	\$ (863,662)	\$ (354,338)
	2023	2022

7 Soft dollar arrangements

The Manager has not received any soft dollar commissions or entered into any soft dollar arrangements for the Sub-Fund for the year ended 31 December 2023 and 31 December 2022.

8 Transactions with related parties or the Connected Persons

The following is a summary of transactions entered into during the year/period between the Sub-Fund and its related parties, including the Manager, the investment delegate, the Trustee/Custodian and their connected persons (the "Connected Persons"). The Connected Persons are those as defined in the SFC Code issued by the SFC. All such transactions were entered into in the ordinary course of business and under normal commercial terms. To the best of the knowledge of the Trustee and the Manager, the Sub-Fund did not have any other transactions with the Connected Persons except for those disclosed below.

8 Transactions with related parties or the Connected Persons (continued)

(a) Management fee

The fee payable to the Manager is calculated at 0.8% per annum of the net asset value of Class A units, and 0.4% per annum of the net asset value of Class I units, payable monthly in arrears. The management fee for the year ended 31 December 2023 amounted to \$103,303 (2022: \$40,054), of which \$42,485 (2022: \$9,428) was payable as at 31 December 2023.

(b) Trustee and Custodian fee

The fee payable to the Trustee and the Custodian is calculated at 0.08% per annum of net asset value of the Sub-Fund. It is accrued daily and payable in arrears on a monthly basis, subject to a monthly minimum of \$4,000, waived for first 12 months from 16 June 2020. The fee charged for the year ended 31 December 2023 amounted to \$47,977 (2022: \$48,000), of which \$8,021 (2022: \$16,044) was payable as at 31 December 2023.

(c) Financial statements preparation fee

The Administrator is entitled to a financial statements preparation fee. The financial statements preparation fee for the year ended 31 December 2023 amounted to \$8,001 (2022: \$8,000), of which \$4,001 (2022: \$8,000) was payable as at 31 December 2023.

(d) Cash and cash equivalents

All bank balances of the Sub-Fund are held in interest-bearing accounts with Citibank N.A., Hong Kong Branch. As at 31 December 2023, the balances amounted to \$628,596 (2022: \$898,549). For the year ended 31 December 2023, the interest earned from these bank balances and interest expense amounted to \$86,953 (2022: \$10,470) and \$8,232 (2022: \$7,051) respectively. The bank charges amounted to \$788 (2022: \$213).

(e) Transaction costs

In the purchase and sales of investments, the Sub-Fund may utilise the brokerage services of fellow subsidiaries of the Trustee. For the year ended 31 December 2023 and 31 December 2022, there is no commission incurred for the transactions effected through these entities.

(f) Transfer agency fee

The Trustee is entitled to a transfer agency fee of \$6,000 per annum. The transfer agency fee for the year ended 31 December 2023 amounted to \$13,616 (2022: \$6,282), of which \$1,003 (2022: \$2,005) was payable as at 31 December 2023.

(g) Unit holdings

As at 31 December 2023, there are six unitholders related to the Manager: a subsidiary of the Manager and five funds managed by the Manager. These unitholders held 94.57% of the interest in the Sub-Fund. As at 31 December 2022, there are three unitholders related to the Manager: a subsidiary of the Manager and two funds managed by the Manager. These unitholders held 100% of the interest in the Sub-Fund.

9 Net assets attributable to unitholders

(a) Units issued and redeemed

The following table shows the net asset value per unit:

		2023		2022
Total number of units in issue				
Class A (HKD) units Class A (USD) units Class I (RMB) units Class I (USD) units		093 10 000 219 792,24		
Net asset value per unit in local currency (calculated in accordance with the EM)				
Class A (HKD) units Class A (USD) units Class I (RMB) units Class I (USD) units	HKD USD RMB USD	10.370 10.386 10.341 11.826	HKD USD RMB USD	- - - 10.854

The Trust and the Sub-Fund do not have any externally imposed capital requirements. As at 31 December 2023, the Sub-Fund had net assets attributable to unitholders of \$52,413,828 (2022: \$8,583,387). The Sub-Fund strives to invest funds received from the issuance of redeemable units in investments that meet the Sub-Fund's investment objectives while maintaining sufficient liquidity to meet the funding needs when unitholders redeem their units.

The Manager may from time to time permit unitholders to convert some or all of their units of any class into units of any other class whether in respect of the Sub-Fund or any other subfunds of the Trust which have been authorised by the SFC.

(b) Distributions

The Sub-Fund does not intend to pay dividends or other distributions for the year ended 31 December 2023 and 31 December 2022.

(c) Reconciliation of net asset value for subscriptions and redemptions to net asset value per statement of financial position

Adjustment for establishment costs

The Sub-Fund's Explanatory Memorandum ("EM") requires the establishment costs to be amortised over a period of 5 years for the purpose of calculating its trading net asset value, whereas IFRSs require the establishment costs to be expensed when incurred.

The costs of establishment of the Sub-Fund (including legal, structuring and advisory fees) are estimated to be approximately \$32,000. The costs will be amortised over the first 5 financial years of the Sub-Fund from 16 June 2020. As at 31 December 2023, \$9,196 (2022: \$15,543) are unamortised for the Sub-Fund, with remaining amortisation period of 1 years and 5 months.

9 Net assets attributable to unitholders (Continued)

All establishment costs have been expensed when incurred in accordance with IFRSs, however, this has resulted in a difference between the Sub-Fund's trading net asset value and the sum of assets and liabilities measured in accordance with IFRSs.

Net assets attributable to unitholders (before adjustment for establishment costs)	2023	2022
Class A (HKD) units Class A (USD) units Class I (RMB) units Class I (USD) units	\$ 1,448 104 2,848,695 49,589,572	\$ - - 8,598,930
Adjustment for establishment costs		
Class A (HKD) units Class A (USD) units Class I (RMB) units Class I (USD) units	 (1) - (1,412) (24,578)	 - - - (15,543)
Net assets attributable to unitholders (after adjustment for establishment costs)		
Class A (HKD) units Class A (USD) units Class I (RMB) units Class I (USD) units	\$ 1,447 104 2,847,283 49,564,994	\$ - - 8,583,387

10 Financial instruments and associated risks

The Sub-Fund's investing activities expose it to various types of risks that are associated with the financial instruments and markets in which it invests according to the investment strategy. The risks that the Sub-Fund is exposed to are market risk, credit risk and liquidity risk. Market risk includes price risk, interest rate risk and currency risk.

The Sub-Fund maintains an investment portfolio in a variety of debt securities and derivative financial instruments as dictated by its investment management strategy.

The nature and extent of the financial instruments outstanding at the end of the reporting period and the risk management policies employed by the Sub-Fund are discussed below.

(a) Market risk

All investments held by the Sub-Fund are measured at fair value through profit or loss, and all changes in market conditions directly affect profit or loss. Market risk is the risk that the value of the investments will fluctuate as a result of changes in prices, interest rates or exchange rates.

(i) Price risk

Price risk is the risk that value of a financial instrument will fluctuate as a result of changes in market prices, whether those changes are caused by factors specific to an individual instrument or factors affecting all instruments traded in the market.

The following table shows the concentration of investments of the Sub-Fund by product type:

By product type	2023	3	2022				
		% of total		% of total			
	Market value	net assets	Market value	net assets			
Financial assets at fair value through profit or loss							
Quoted debt securities Forward contracts	\$ 51,023,343 20,931	97.35 0.04	\$ 7,491,193 	87.28			
	\$ 51,044,274	97.39	\$ 7,491,193	87.28			
Financial liabilities at fair value through profit or loss							
Futures contracts	\$ (54,343)	(0.10)	\$ -	-			
Forward contracts	(36,629)	(0.07)					
	\$ (90,972) 	(0.17)	\$				
Total investments	\$ 50,953,302	97.22	\$ 7,491,193	87.28			

The following table shows the net market exposure of quoted debt securities by market:

By market	2023	2022
China	\$ 709,397	\$ -
Germany	471,497	-
Hong Kong	1,098,541	-
Luxembourg	10,842,799	4,204,444
Singapore	607,684	-
United States	 37,293,425	 3,286,749
	\$ 51,023,343	\$ 7,491,193

The following table shows the net market exposure of quoted debt securities by industry:

By industry	2023 % investment portfolio	2022 % investment portfolio
Basic Materials	13.77	3.71
Communication services	6.03	6.91
Consumer, Cyclical	0.81	_
Consumer, Non-cyclical	3.85	4.89
Energy	12.18	_
Financials	54.26	77.93
Government	2.04	_
Industrials	4.97	2.56
Utilities	2.09	4.00
	100.00	100.00

As at 31 December 2023 and 31 December 2022, the Sub-Fund has no individual investment with fair value which is larger than 10% of the Sub-Fund's net asset value.

The Sub-Fund's overall exposure to price risk including the notional exposure on derivative contracts are as follows:

	Carrying val liabilities at fair	•	% of net	Notional
31 December 2023		profit or loss	assets	exposure
Futures contracts	\$	(54,343)	(0.10)	\$ 15,416,468

As at 31 December 2022, there are no futures contracts as financial assets and financial liabilities at fair value through profit or loss held by the Sub-Fund.

The sensitivity analysis of market risk for debt securities is disclosed in the interest rate risk in Note 10(a)(ii) below.

(ii) Interest rate risk

Interest rate risk arises from the effects of fluctuations in the prevailing levels of market interest rates on the fair value of interest-bearing financial instruments and their future cash flows. The Sub-Fund invests in debt securities which are subject to interest rate fluctuations.

As interest rates rise, prices of fixed income securities may fall and vice versa. The rationale is that as interest rates increase, the opportunity cost of holding a fixed income security increases since investors are able to realise greater yields by switching to other investments that reflect the higher interest rates.

The table below summarises the Sub-Fund's exposure to interest rate risk for financial assets and liabilities, categorised by contractual repricing or maturity dates.

	2023											
Assets		Up to 1 year		1 - 5 years		Over 5 years	No	n interest- bearing		Total		
Cash and cash equivalents	\$	628,596	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	628,596		
Margin accounts Financial assets at fair value		916,058		-		-		-		916,058		
through profit or loss		4,241,612	_	14,281,583	_	32,500,148		20,931	_	51,044,274		
Total assets	\$	5,786,266	\$	14,281,583	\$	32,500,148	\$	20,931	\$	52,588,928		
Liabilities												
Accruals and other payables	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	81,940	\$	81,940		
Amounts due to brokers Financial liabilities at fair value		-		-		-		2,188		2,188		
through profit or loss	_		_					90,972	_	90,972		
Total liabilities	\$	<u>-</u>	\$	<u>-</u>	\$	<u>-</u>	\$	175,100	\$	175,100		
Total interest sensitivity gap	\$	5,786,266	\$	14,281,583	\$	32,500,148						

	2022											
Assets	Up to 1 yea	r 1 - 5 years	Over 5 years	Non interest- bearing	Total							
Cash and cash equivalents Margin accounts Financial assets at fair value through profit or loss	\$ 898,549 249,173 987,733	-	\$ - - 1,771,907	\$ - -	\$ 898,549 249,173 7,491,193							
Total assets	\$ 2,135,45	7 \$ 4,731,551	\$ 1,771,907	\$	\$ 8,638,915							
Liabilities												
Accruals and other payables	\$	- \$ -	\$ -	\$ 55,528	\$ 55,528							
Total liabilities	\$	- \$ -	\$ -	\$ 55,528	\$ 55,528							
Total interest sensitivity gap	\$ 2,135,45	7 \$ 4,731,551	\$ 1,771,907									

The following table demonstrates the sensitivity of the Sub-Fund's net asset value as at year ended 31 December 2023 and 31 December 2022 to a reasonably possible change in interest rates, with all other variable held constant.

	Carrying value of financial assets of fair value throug profit or los	t h	Weighted average duration	Change in basis points	Estimated possible change in net asset value increase/ (decrease)		
31 December 2023							
Quoted debt securities	\$ 51,023,34	97.35	3.93	(50) 50	\$	1,030,273 (1,030,273)	
31 December 2022							
Quoted debt securities	\$ 7,491,19	3 87.28	1.96	(50) 50	\$	73,414 (73,414)	

The Manager has used its view of what would be a "reasonable shift" in each key market to estimate the impact on the sensitivity analysis above.

(iii) Currency risk

The Sub-Fund may invest in financial instruments and enter into transactions that are denominated in currencies other than its functional currency. Consequently, the Sub-Fund is exposed to risks that the exchange rate of its functional currency relative to other foreign currencies may change in a manner that has an adverse effect on the fair value of that portion of the Sub-Fund's financial assets or liabilities denominated in currencies other than USD. The Manager monitors the Sub-Fund's foreign currency exposures on an ongoing basis.

As at 31 December 2023 and 31 December 2022, the Sub-Fund holds monetary and non-monetary assets and liabilities, which are mainly denominated in USD, the Sub-Fund's functional currency and presentation currency and therefore there is no significant exposure to currency risk.

(b) Credit risk

Credit risk is the risk that an issuer or counterparty will be unable or unwilling to meet a commitment that it has entered into with the Sub-Fund. The Sub-Fund's exposure to credit risk is monitored by the Manager on an ongoing basis. The carrying amounts of financial assets best represent the maximum credit risk exposure at the reporting date. This relates to financial assets carried at amortised cost, as they have short term maturity.

The Sub-Fund applies the IFRS 9 general model for cash and cash equivalents and margin accounts to measure the expected credit losses. The identified impairment loss was immaterial as the history of defaults are minimal.

All the Sub-Fund's cash and cash equivalents, margin accounts and financial assets at fair value through profit or loss are held in major financial institutions located in Hong Kong, which the Sub-Fund believes are of high credit quality. The Manager considers that the Sub-Fund does not have a significant concentration of credit risk.

The Manager mitigates the counterparty risk associated with the Sub-Fund by putting in place appropriate counterparty risk management procedures. The Manager monitors the credit rating of the brokers on an ongoing basis.

The table below sets out the net exposure of the Sub-Fund to counterparties as at 31 December 2023 and 31 December 2022 together with their credit ratings provided by Standard & Poor's rating services:

		2023		2022			
	Credit rating	C	Net exposure to ounterparties	Credit rating	co	Net exposure to ounterparties	
Cash and cash equivalents Citibank N.A., Hong Kong Branch	A-1	\$	628,596	A-1	\$	898,549	
Margin accounts							
GF Futures (HK) Co., Ltd	A-3	\$	916,058	A-3	\$	249,173	
Financial assets at fair value through profit or loss Citibank N.A., Hong Kong Branch	A-1	\$	51,044,274	A-1	\$	7,491,193	

The Sub-Fund's investments in debt securities by credit rating sourced from Standard and Poor's, Moody's and Fitch Rating Services is set out in the following table. The highest rating is chosen among the aforementioned 3 rating services. The comparison table is as follows:

Rating (S&P and Fitch)	Rating (Moody's)	
AAA AA+ AA AA- A+ A A- BBB+ BBB BBB- BB+ BB BB- CCC+ CCC CCC CCC CCC CCC CCC CCC CCC C	Aaa Aa1 Aa2 Aa3 A1 A2 A3 Baa1 Baa2 Baa3 Ba1 Ba2 Ba3 B1 Caa1 Caa2 Caa3 Ca C - NR NA	
By rating category	2023	2022
AA/Aa2 AA-/Aa3 AA+/Aa1 A+/A1 A/A2 A-/A3 BBB+/Baa1 BBB/Baa2 BBB-/Baa3 BB+/Ba1 BB/Ba2	3.86% 4.91% 2.64% 20.21% 21.72% 11.84% 26.62% 8.20%	2.59% 5.32% - 7.58% 19.15% 30.41% 15.17% 16.99% - 2.79%
Total	100.00%	100.00%

The Management manages the credit risk of the unrated debt securities (if any) by monitoring the credit ratings of the issuers.

(c) Liquidity risk

Liquidity risk arises from the risk that the Manager may not be able to convert investments into cash to meet liquidity needs in a timely manner. As unitholders may realise units on any dealing day, the Sub-Fund is exposed to liquidity risk of meeting unitholder redemptions.

As at 31 December 2023 and 31 December 2022, the Sub-Fund's investments in quoted debt securities are considered to be readily realisable because they are traded in an active market.

The table below analyses the remaining contractual maturities of the Sub-Fund's financial liabilities as at 31 December 2023 and 31 December 2022:

						2023	}			
	Repa on de	•		Within 1 month	to	1 month 3 months		months o 1 year	No pecified naturity	Total
Financial liabilities at fair value through profit or loss	\$	_	\$	36,629	\$	54,343	\$	-	\$ _	\$ 90,972
Amounts due to brokers		-		2,188		-		-	-	2,188
Accruals and other payables			_	81,940					 	 81,940
Total financial liabilities	\$		\$	120,757	\$	54,343	\$		\$ 	\$ 175,100
						2022				
	Repay on den			Within 1 month		1 month months		nonths 1 year	No cified aturity	Total
Accruals and other payables	\$		\$	55,528	\$		\$		\$ 	\$ 55,528
Total financial liabilities	\$		\$	55,528	\$	_	\$		\$ 	\$ 55,528

(d) Offsetting and amounts subject to master netting arrangements and similar agreements

As at 31 December 2023 and 31 December 2022, the Sub-Fund was subject to one master netting arrangement with its sole derivative counterparty. All the derivative assets and liabilities of the Sub-Fund are held with this counterparty and the margin balance maintained by the Sub-Fund is for the purpose of providing collateral on derivative positions.

The following tables present the Sub-Fund's financial assets and liabilities subject to offsetting, enforceable master netting arrangements and similar agreements. The tables are presented by type of financial instrument.

Financial assets and financial liabilities subject to offsetting, enforceable master netting arrangements and similar agreements:

		Α	B C=A+B <u>D</u> Related amounts not set-off the statement of financial position			E=C+D						
	r	Gross amounts of ecognised financial assets/ (liabilities)	amounts of amounts of recognised financial		financial assets/ (liabilities) presented in the atement of financial	D(i) Financial D(ii) Casl instruments collatera						
As at 31 December 2023												
Assets Derivative financial instruments (financial		00.004	•		•	00.004	•		•		•	00.004
assets) Margin accounts	\$ \$	20,931 916,058	\$ \$	-	\$ \$	20,931 916,058	\$ \$	(90,972)	\$ \$	-	\$ \$	20,931 825,086
Liabilities Derivative financial instruments (financial liabilities)	\$	(90,972)	\$	-	\$	(90,972)	\$	-	\$	90,972	\$	-
As at 31 December 2022 Assets Margin accounts	\$	249,173	\$		\$	249,173	\$		\$		\$	249,173
wargin accounts	Φ	249,173	Φ	-	Φ	249,173	Φ	-	Φ	-	Φ	249,173

Amounts in D(i) and D(ii) above relate to amounts subject to set-off that do not qualify for offsetting under (B) above. This includes (i) amounts which are subject to set-off against the asset (or liability) disclosed in (A) above which have not been offset in the statement of financial position, and (ii) any financial collateral (including cash collateral), both received and pledged.

Under all the current master netting arrangement, the Sub-Fund's overall exposure to credit risk associated with favourable contracts is reduced to the extent that if an event of default occurs, all amounts with the counterparty are terminated and settled on a net basis. Pursuant to the terms of the master netting agreement, an event of default includes the following:

- failure by a party to make payment when due;
- failure by a party to comply with or perform any agreement or obligation (other than payment) required by the agreement if such failure is not remedied within 30 days after notice of such failure is given to the party; and
- bankruptcy.

11 Fair value information

(a) Financial instruments carried at fair value

The table below presents the fair value of the Sub-Fund's financial instruments measured at the end of the reporting period on a recurring basis, categorised into the three-level fair value hierarchy as defined in IFRS 13, Fair value measurement. The level into which a fair value measurement is classified is determined with reference to the observability and significance of the inputs used in the valuation technique as follows:

- Level 1 valuations: Fair value measured using only level 1 inputs i.e. unadjusted quoted prices in active markets for identical assets or liabilities at the measurement date.
- Level 2 valuations: Fair value measured using level 2 inputs i.e. observable inputs which fail to meet level 1, and not using significant unobservable inputs. Unobservable inputs are inputs for which market data are not available.
- Level 3 valuations: Fair value measured using significant unobservable inputs.

			202	23			
	 Level 1		Level 2		Level 3		Total
Assets Financial assets at fair value through profit or loss							
Quoted debt securitiesForward contracts	\$ <u>-</u>	\$	51,023,343 20,931	\$	<u>-</u>	\$	51,023,343 20,931
Total assets	\$ 	\$	51,044,274	\$		\$	51,044,274
<u>Liabilities</u> Financial liabilities at fair value through profit or loss - Future contracts	\$ 54,343	\$	-	\$	_	\$	54,343
- Forward contracts	 -	_	36,629			_	36,629
Total liabilities	\$ 54,343	\$	36,629	\$		\$	90,972
			202	22			
	Level 1		Level 2		Level 3		Total
Assets Financial assets at fair value through profit or loss - Quoted debt securities	\$ 	\$	7,491,193	\$		\$	7,491,193
Total assets	\$ 	\$	7,491,193	\$		\$	7,491,193

11 Fair value information (Continued)

For the year ended 31 December 2023 and 31 December 2022, there were no transfers between levels of investments held by the Sub-Fund.

The objective of valuation techniques is to arrive at a fair value measurement that reflects the price that would be received to sell the asset or paid to transfer the liability in an orderly transaction between market participants at the measurement date.

(b) Fair values of financial instruments carried at other than fair value

The financial assets and financial liabilities included in the statement of financial position, except the financial assets and financial liabilities at fair value through profit or loss, are carried at amortised cost. Their carrying values are an appropriate approximation of fair value.

12 Possible impact of amendments, new standards and interpretations issued but not yet effective for the year ended 31 December 2023

Up to the date of issue of these financial statements, the IASB has issued a number of new or amended standards, which are not yet effective for the year ended 31 December 2023 and which have not been adopted in these financial statements. These developments include the following which may be relevant to the Sub-Fund.

Effective for accounting periods beginning on or after

Classification of Liabilities as Current or Non-Current and Non-current 1 January 2024 Liabilities with Covenants (Amendments to IAS 1)

Supplier Finance Arrangements (Amendments to IAS 7 and IFRS 7) 1 January 2024

Lack of Exchangeability (Amendments to IAS 21) 1 January 2025

The Sub-Fund is in the process of making an assessment of what the impact of these developments is expected to be in the period of initial application. So far it has concluded that the adoption of them is unlikely to have a significant impact on the financial statements.

13 Approval of financial statements

The financial statements were approved and authorized for issue by the Management on 27 March 2024.

INFORMATION ON EXPOSURE ARISING FROM FINANCIAL DERIVATIVE INSTRUMENTS (UNAUDITED) FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2023

(Expressed in United States dollars, unless otherwise indicated)

The lowest, highest and average gross exposure rising from the use of financial derivative instruments for any purpose as a proportion to the Sub-Fund's total net asset value for the year ended 31 December 2023.

2023 % of net asset value

Lowest gross exposure	0.00
Highest gross exposure	81.81
Average gross exposure	23.18

The lowest, highest and average net exposure arising from the use of financial derivative instruments for investment purpose as a proportion to the Sub-Fund's total net asset value for the year ended 31 December 2023.

2023 % of net asset value

Lowest net exposure	(81.81)
Highest net exposure	0.00
Average net exposure	(23.18)

INVESTMENT PORTFOLIO (UNAUDITED) AS AT 31 DECEMBER 2023

	Holdings	Market value	% of total net assets
Financial assets at fair value through profit or loss			
Quoted debt securities			
Denominated in Renminbi			
CHINA EDUCATION CHEDUC 4 04/19/26 SWIRE PRO MTN FI SWIPRO 3.55	2,000,000	\$ 280,644	0.54
07/25/28	3,000,000	428,753	0.82
		\$ 709,397	1.36
Denominated in USD			
AIRPORT AUTH HK HKAA 4 7/8 01/12/30 ALLIANT ENERGY F LNT 5.95 03/30/29 AMERIPRISE FINL AMP 5.7 12/15/28 ANGLO AMERICAN AALLN 2 1/4 03/17/28 AT&T INC T 0.9 03/25/24 AUST & NZ BANK ANZ 6 3/4 12/29/49 BAIDU INC BIDU 2 3/8 10/09/30 BAIDU INC BIDU 3.425 04/07/30 BANCO SANTANDER SANTAN 5.588 08/08/28 BANCO SANTANDER SANTAN 6.607 11/07/28 BANCO SANTANDER SANTAN 6.938 11/07/33 BARCLAYS PLC BACR 4.972 05/16/29 BARCLAYS PLC BACR 6.496 09/13/27	500,000 300,000 200,000 1,500,000 500,000 300,000 500,000 200,000 1,200,000 1,400,000 500,000 300,000	\$ 520,297 314,505 211,136 1,344,836 495,972 302,774 509,624 458,691 208,685 1,291,081 1,572,847 495,085 314,812	0.99 0.60 0.40 2.57 0.95 0.58 0.97 0.87 0.40 2.46 3.00 0.94 0.60
BARCLAYS PLC BACR 7.119 06/27/34 BAT CAPITAL CORP BATSLN 6.343 08/02/30 BLUESTAR FIN LTD CNBG 3.1 PERP BOC AVIATION LTD 2.625% 17SEP2030 BOC AVIATION USA BOCAVI 4 7/8 05/03/33 BOC AVIATION USA CORP CCBL CAYMAN 1 CCBL 3 1/2 05/16/24	500,000 300,000 300,000 700,000 200,000 500,000 500,000	533,340 323,074 299,865 607,684 197,415 518,658 498,496	0.62 0.57 1.16 0.38 0.99 0.95

	Holdings	Market value	% of total net assets
Financial assets at fair value through profit or loss (Continued)			
Quoted debt securities (Continued)			
Denominated in USD (Continued)			
CHARLES SCHWAB SCHW 6.196			
11/17/29 CHINA CONSTRUCTION BANK FRN	300,000	\$ 317,290	0.61
27FEB2029	1,000,000	1,012,306	1.93
CHINALCO CAPITAL CHALUM 4.1 PERP	400,000	400,456	0.76
CN CINDA 2020 I CCAMCL 5 3/4 02/07/27	200,000	206,484	0.39
CNAC HK FINBRID HAOHUA 3 7/8 06/19/29	1,300,000	1,218,827	2.33
CNAC HK FINBRIDGE CO LTD 3%	1,300,000	1,210,021	2.55
22SEP2030	1,200,000	1,059,284	2.02
CNOOC FIN 2013 L CNOOC 3.3 09/30/49	500,000	378,055	0.72
CNOOC FIN 2013 L CNOOC 4 1/4	,	,	
05/09/43	300,000	271,530	0.52
CNOOC FINANCE CNOOC 4.2 05/05/45	500,000	448,956	0.86
CNOOC PETROLEUM NORTH 5.875%			
10MAR2035	1,200,000	1,291,046	2.46
CNOOC PETROLEUM NORTH 6.4%			
15MAY2037	700,000	783,559	1.49
COLUMBIA PIPE HC CPGX 6.042			
08/15/28	200,000	211,026	0.40
COLUMBIA PIPE OC CPGX 6.036	000 000	202.242	0.00
11/15/33	300,000	322,649	0.62
CONTEMPRY RUIDNG CONAMP 2 5/8	400.000	0.45 500	0.00
09/17/30	400,000	345,522	0.66
CRED AGRICOLE SA ACAFP 5.301 07/12/28	900 000	020 200	1.60
CRED AGRICOLE SA ACAFP 5.514	800,000	838,388	1.00
07/05/33	750,000	801,262	1.53
CROWN CASTLE INC CCI 5.6 06/01/29	400,000	411,020	0.78
CROWN CASTLE INC CCI 5.8 03/01/34	700,000	728,467	1.39
DAH SING BANK DAHSIN 7 3/8 11/15/33	750,000	786,509	1.50
DEUTSCHE BANK NY DB 6.819 11/20/29	500,000	530,666	1.01
	222,200	222,200	

	Holdings	Market value	% of total net assets
Financial assets at fair value through profit or loss (Continued)			
Quoted debt securities (Continued)			
Denominated in USD (Continued)			
DEUTSCHE BANK NY DB 7.079 02/10/34 ELEMENT FLEET MA EFNCN 6.319	500,000	\$ 529,206	1.01
12/04/28	500,000	518,305	0.99
ENBRIDGE INC ENBCN 5.7 03/08/33	300,000	317,285	0.61
ENBRIDGE INC ENBCN 6.7 11/15/53 EXP-IMP BK KOREA EIBKOR 5 1/8	700,000	823,258	1.57
09/18/28	500,000	520,505	0.99
FAIRFAX FINL HLD FFHCN 6 12/07/33 GLENCORE FDG LLC GLENLN 6 1/2	500,000	516,099	0.98
10/06/33	1,000,000	1,108,852	2.12
GLENCORE FDG LLC GLENLN 6 1/8			
10/06/28	1,500,000	1,593,925	3.04
GUARDIAN LIFE GUARDN 5.737 10/02/28	300,000	319,772	0.61
HANA BAN KEBHNB 5 3/4 10/24/28	200,000	211,372	0.40
HSBC 6.375% 29MAR2049	200,000	201,574	0.38
HSBC HOLDINGS HSBC 4 1/4 03/14/24	500,000	504,428	0.96
HSBC HOLDINGS HSBC 6 3/8 12/29/49	500,000	504,780	0.96
HSBC HOLDINGS HSBC 6.254 03/09/34	1,700,000	1,838,564	3.51
JD.COM INC JD 3 3/8 01/14/30	600,000	552,436	1.05
JPMORGAN CHASE JPM 6.254 10/23/34 KOREA INV & SECS DFHOLD 6 7/8	600,000	657,890	1.26
11/06/26	300,000	309,082	0.59
KOREA NATL OIL KOROIL 3 1/4 10/01/25 MACQUARIE GROUP MQGAU 6.255	300,000	293,677	0.56
12/07/34	1,900,000	2,001,044	3.82
MEITUAN MTDPNG 3.05 10/28/30	600,000	509,408	0.97
MIZUHO FINANCIAL GROUP FRN 08SEP2031	500,000	412,111	0.79
MIZUHO FINANCIAL MIZUHO 5.748	550,550	-11 2 ,111	0.13
07/06/34	500,000	533,491	1.02
NATIONWIDE BLDG NWIDE 6.557	000,000	300, 101	1.02
10/18/27	400,000	419,116	0.80
NBN CO LTD NBNAUS 5 3/4 10/06/28	520,000	549,916	1.05

	Holdings	Market value	% of total net assets
Financial assets at fair value through profit or loss (Continued)			
Quoted debt securities (Continued)			
Denominated in USD (Continued)			
NIPPON LIFE INS NIPLIF 5.1 10/16/44 NNN REIT NNN 5.6 10/15/33 NORINCHUKIN BANK NORBK 5.43	200,000 250,000	\$ 200,637 263,694	0.38 0.50
03/09/28	400,000	415,395	0.79
O'REILLY AUTOMOT ORLY 5 3/4 11/20/26 PENSKE TRUCK LE PENSKE 6.05	400,000	412,525	0.79
08/01/28 PERUSAHAAN LISTRIK NEGAR	200,000	212,646	0.41
5.375%25JAN2029	300,000	311,948	0.60
PETRONAS CAPITAL LTD 3.5%	E00 000	474 407	0.00
21APR2030 PHILIP MORRIS IN PM 5 1/4 09/07/28	500,000	471,497 522,207	0.90
PUBLIC SERVICE PEG 6 1/8 10/15/33	500,000 400,000	523,307	1.00 0.83
ROCHE HLDGS INC ROSW 5.489	400,000	436,595	0.63
11/13/30	300,000	318,939	0.61
RTX CORP	200,000	210,925	0.40
RTX CORP RTX 6.1 03/15/34	350,000	383,513	0.73
SHUNTONG INTNTL JNRWVE 6.7	000,000	000,010	0.10
11/18/24	500,000	506,127	0.97
SIMON PROP GP LP SPG 6 1/4 01/15/34	400,000	439,901	0.84
SMBC AVIATION CA SMBCAC 5.45	.00,000	100,001	0.01
05/03/28	800,000	812,583	1.55
SMBC AVIATION CA SMBCAC 5.7	,	,	
07/25/33	400,000	415,329	0.79
STANLN 5.2% 26JAN2024	300,000	306,214	0.58
SUMITOMO MITSUI SUMIBK 5.808	,	,	
09/14/33 SVENSKA HNDLSBKN SHBASS FLOAT	800,000	866,849	1.65
06/15/26	500,000	505,958	0.97
UBS GROUP UBS 6.301 09/22/34	1,700,000	1,833,370	3.50
US BANCORP USB 6.787 10/26/27	500,000	528,445	1.01
WESTPAC BANKING WSTP 6.82 11/17/33	500,000	549,648	1.05
WILLIAMS COS INC WMB 2.6 03/15/31	300,000	259,626	0.50
		\$ 50,313,946	95.99
			

	Expiration date	Contracts	Market value	% of total net assets
Financial liabilities at fair value through profit or loss				
Futures contracts ¹				
US 10YR NOTE (CBT) 03/19/24 US 10YR NOTE (CBT) 03/19/24 US 10YR NOTE (CBT) 03/19/24 US LONG BOND (CBT) 03/19/24 US 5YR NOTE (CBT) 03/28/24 US 5YR NOTE (CBT) 03/28/24	19 March 2024 19 March 2024 19 March 2024 19 March 2024 28 March 2024 28 March 2024	(24) (31) (55) (24) 70 (70)	\$ (8,250) (8,234) (14,609) (23,250) 12,578 (12,578)	(0.02) (0.01) (0.03) (0.04) 0.02 (0.02)
			\$ (54,343)	(0.10)
	Counterparties	Underlying assets of financial derivative instruments	Market value	% of total net assets
Financial assets at fair value through profit or loss				
Forward contracts				
Bought CNY 5,000,000.00 Sold USD 701,423.81 Bought CNY 20,000,000.00 Sold USD 2.805,695.22	Citibank, Hong Kong Citibank, Hong Kong	Currencies Currencies	\$ 4,186 16,745	0.01
2,003,093.22	Rong	Currencies	\$ 20,931	0.03
			Ψ 20,931	
Financial liabilities at fair value through profit or loss				
Forward contracts				
Bought USD 1,515,681.80 Sold CNY 11,000,000.00	Citibank, Hong Kong	Currencies	\$ (36,629)	(0.07)
			\$ (36,629)	(0.07)

¹ The underlying assets of futures contacts are bonds and the counterparty of the future contracts is GF Futures (Hong Kong) Co., Ltd.

		% of total net assets	
Total Investments (Total cost of investments: \$48,760,509)	\$	50,953,302	97.22
Other net assets	_	1,460,526	2.78
Total net assets	\$	52,413,828	100.00

STATEMENT OF MOVEMENTS IN PORTFOLIO HOLDINGS (UNAUDITED) FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2023

	2023 % of total net assets	2022 % of total net assets
Financial assets at fair value through profit or loss		
Quoted debt securities China Germany Hong Kong Luxembourg Singapore United States	1.36 0.90 2.10 20.67 1.16 71.16	49.00 38.28
Forward Contracts	97.35 (0.03)	87.28
Futures contracts	(0.10)	
Total investments	97.22	87.28
Other net assets	2.78	12.72
Total net assets	100.00	100.00

PERFORMANCE TABLE (UNAUDITED)

(Expressed in United States dollars, unless otherwise indicated)

		2023		2022		2021
Total net asset value for valuation purposes (calculated in accordance with the EM)	\$ 5	52,439,819	\$	8,598,930	\$ 10	0,597,217
Net asset value per unit in unit denomination currency (calculated in accordance with the EM)						
- Class A (HKD) units	HKD	10.370		_		_
- Class A (USD) units	USD	10.386		-		_
- Class I (RMB) units	RMB	10.341		-		-
- Class I (USD) units	USD	11.826	USD	10.854	USD	11.365

Price record in unit denomination currency (calculated in accordance with the EM)¹

	2023		2022		2022 2021		2020 ²	
	Lowest net asset value per unit	Highest net asset value per unit						
- Class A (HKD) units	9.985	10.353	-	-	-	-	-	-
 Class A (USD) units 	9.985	10.404	-	-	-	-	-	-
- Class I (RMB) units	9.962	10.112	-	-	-	-	-	-
- Class I (USD) units	10.863	11.842	10.497	11.361	10.866	11.539	10.000	11.279

¹ Past performance figures shown are not indicative of the future performance of the Sub-Fund.

² The financial period of the Sub-Fund was from 15 June 2020 (date of commencement of operations) to 31 December 2020.

