# ICBC (B) ASSET MANAGEMENT (GLOBAL)

# PRODUCT KEY FACTS

ICBC Asset Management (Global) Funds
ICBC Asset Management China Emerging
Enterprises Fund

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- This statement provides you with key information about ICBC Asset Management China Emerging Enterprises Fund (formerly known as Global Emerging Enterprises Fund) (the "Sub-Fund").
- This statement is a part of the offering document and must be read in conjunction with the Explanatory Memorandum of ICBC Asset Management (Global) Funds.
- You should not invest in this product based on this statement alone.

## **Quick facts**

Manager: ICBC Asset Management (Global) Company Limited
Trustee: HSBC Institutional Trust Services (Asia) Limited

Ongoing Charges over a year: Class A# 2.64% Class I\* N/A

# The ongoing charges figure is based on ongoing expenses chargeable to the relevant class of units for the year ended 29 December 2023 ("Reporting Period") expressed as a percentage of the average net asset value of the Sub-Fund for the Reporting Period, on an annualized basis. The ongoing charges figure is updated due to net asset value movement from net redemption during the Reporting Period. This figure may vary from year to year. The ongoing charges is capped at 2.75% of the average net asset value of the Sub-Fund. Any ongoing charges exceeding 2.75% will be borne by the Manager.

\* The ongoing charges figure is the Manager's best estimate of the expenses and the average net asset value of the class of units over a 12 month period based on information available on another active class of units of the Sub-Fund with similar fee structure, as this class of units is newly established or is yet to be launched. The actual figure may be different and the figure may vary from year to year.

**Dealing frequency:** Daily

Base currency: HKD

**Dividend policy:** The Manager does not intend to declare dividends for

the classes of units of the Sub-Fund. All investment

income earned will be reinvested and reflected in the

net asset value of the classes of units.

Financial year end of this

Sub-Fund: 31 December

Min. initial investment: Class A HKD 20,000

Class I HKD 2,000,000

Min. subsequent investment: Class A HKD 5,000

Class I HKD 500,000

Min. holding: Class A Units with aggregate minimum value

of HKD 5,000

Class I Units with aggregate minimum value

of HKD 500,000

# What is this product?

ICBC Asset Management China Emerging Enterprises Fund (formerly known as Global Emerging Enterprises Fund) is a sub-fund of ICBC Asset Management (Global) Funds (the "Unit Trust"), which is an umbrella structure unit trust established under Hong Kong law by a trust deed dated 2 July 2009, as amended from time to time.

# **Objective and Investment Strategy**

ICBC Asset Management China Emerging Enterprises Fund (formerly known as Global Emerging Enterprises Fund) seeks to achieve long-term capital appreciation through investing not less than 70% of its net asset value in exchange-traded equities of companies whose business is connected with the economy of China (including Hong Kong and Macau) in industries relating to technology, internet, consumer, healthcare and/or other emerging industries and companies that display pioneering and leading-edge technological developments. The Sub-Fund aims to capture China's economic growth trends in emerging industries and companies that have potential to be sustained in the long run as compared to more established companies.

The Sub-Fund may invest in newly-listed equities of companies whose business is connected with the economy of China (including Hong Kong and Macau), and such exposure will be up to 100% of its net asset value. Newly-listed equity securities are defined as (i) equity securities issued during the initial public offerings by companies for listing on any stock exchanges around the world; and (ii) exchange-traded equity securities which have been listed for over 7 business days but less than four years.

The Sub-Fund may invest in equities of companies that have a total market capitalisation below HKD 10 billion and such exposure will be less than 70% of its net asset value. The Sub-Fund may invest in China A-share equities through Shanghai-Hong Kong Stock Connect Scheme / Shenzhen-Hong Kong Stock Connect Scheme and such exposure will be less than 30% of its net asset value.

In addition, the Sub-Fund may invest in money market instruments and such exposure will be less than 30% of its net asset value. Money market instruments may include but are not limited to negotiated term bank deposits, bank certificates of deposit and commercial

papers. There may be no credit rating on these securities and/or instruments to be invested by the Sub-Fund.

Under exceptional circumstances (e.g. market crash or major crisis), the Sub-Fund may invest temporarily up to 100% of its net asset value in liquid assets such as bank deposits, certificates of deposit, commercial paper and treasury bills for cash flow management.

## Use of derivatives

The Sub-Fund's net derivative exposure may be up to 50% of the Sub-Fund's net asset value.

# What are the key risks?

Investment involves risks. Please refer to the Explanatory Memorandum for details including the risk factors.

#### 1. Investment risk

 The Sub-Fund's investment portfolio may fall in value due to any of the key risk factors below and therefore your investment in the Sub-Fund may suffer losses.
 There is no guarantee of the repayment of principal.

## 2. Technology-related securities risk

 The technology industries are at a very early stage of development, and many of the companies in these industries have a very short history. Rapid changes in technology could render obsolete the products and services offered by the companies in which the Sub-Fund invests, and cause severe or complete declines in the prices of the securities of those companies.

### 3. Equity market risk

• The Sub-Fund's investment in equity securities is subject to general market risks, whose value may fluctuate due to various factors, such as changes in investment sentiment, political and economic conditions and issuer-specific factors.

### 4. Concentration risk in China

- The Sub-Fund's investments are concentrated in specific industry sectors and in China (including Hong Kong and Macau). The value of the Sub-Fund may be more volatile than that of a fund having a more diverse portfolio of investments.
- The value of the Sub-Fund may be more susceptible to adverse economic, political, policy, foreign exchange, liquidity, tax, legal or regulatory event affecting the technology industry and in China (including Hong Kong and Macau).

### 5. Foreign exchange/currency risk

Underlying investments of the Sub-Fund may be denominated in currencies other
than the base currency of the Sub-Fund. The net asset value of the Sub-Fund may
be affected unfavourably by fluctuations in the exchange rates between these
currencies and the base currency and by changes in exchange rate controls.

### 6. Liquidity risk

 The Sub-Fund invests in China (including Hong Kong and Macau) which may be subject to higher volatility and lower liquidity compared to more developed markets.
 The prices of securities traded in China (including Hong Kong and Macau) may be subject to fluctuations.

### 7. Risk associated with small-capitalisation / mid-capitalisation companies

• The stock of small-capitalisation/ mid-capitalisation companies may have lower liquidity and their price are more volatile to adverse economic developments than those of larger capitalisation companies in general.

### 8. Risk associated with China A-shares market

- Investing in the China market is subject to certain risks of investing in emerging markets generally and the risks specific to the China market. Economic measures implemented by the Chinese government may be subject to adjustment and modification. Any significant change in China's political, social or economic policies may have a negative impact on investments in the China market.
- The regulatory and legal framework for capital markets and joint stock companies in China may not be comparable to other countries/regions. Chinese accounting standards and practices may deviate significantly from international accounting standards. The settlement and clearing systems of the Chinese securities markets may be different from other countries in respect of the level of maturity and development.
- The China A-Shares markets are still in a stage of development, which may lead to
  uncertainties and difficulties in settlement and recording of transactions and in
  applying the relevant regulations. These may lead to a higher level of volatility and
  instability associated with the China A-Shares markets.

# 9. Risks associated with the Shanghai-Hong Kong Stock Connect/ Shenzhen-Hong Kong Stock Connect Scheme

• The relevant rules and regulations on Shanghai-Hong Kong Stock Connect/ Shenzhen-Hong Kong Stock Connect are subject to change which may have potential retrospective effect. The Shanghai-Hong Kong Stock Connect/ Shenzhen-Hong Kong Stock Connect is subject to quota limitations. Where a suspension in the trading through the programme is effected, the Sub-Fund's ability to invest in China A-shares or access the PRC market through the programme will be adversely affected. In such event, the Sub-Fund's ability to achieve its investment objective could be negatively affected.

## 10. PRC tax risk

- Based on professional and independent tax advice, the Sub-Fund currently will not make the following tax provision (i.e. 10% withholding income tax provision on realised and/or unrealised capital gains from investing in A shares via Shanghai-Hong Kong Stock Connect and/or Shenzhen-Hong Kong Stock Connect).
- There are risks and uncertainties associated with the current PRC tax laws, regulations and practice in respect of capital gains realised via Shanghai and Shenzhen Connect on the Sub-Fund's investments in the PRC. Any future changes in the taxation policies in respect of the Sub-Fund's investment in A shares in the PRC will impact on the Sub-Fund's returns. It is possible that any future announcement by the PRC tax authority may subject the Sub-Fund to unforeseen tax obligations, which may have retrospective effect.

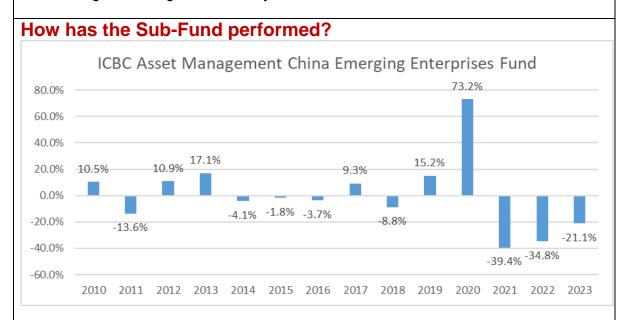
### 11. China risk

• The Sub-Fund invests in China (including Hong Kong and Macau) which may involve

increased risks and special considerations not typically associated with investment in more developed markets, such as liquidity risks, currency risks/control, political and economic uncertainties, legal and taxation risks, settlement risks, custody risk and the likelihood of a high degree of volatility.

## 12. Risks associated with investments in financial derivative instruments

- Investing in financial derivative instruments such as warrants and options may expose the Sub-Fund to higher risks associated with these instruments, such as counterparty/credit risk, liquidity risk, valuation risk, volatility risk and over-thecounter transaction risk.
- The leverage element/component of a financial derivative instrument can result in a loss significantly greater than the amount invested in the financial derivative instrument by the Sub-Fund. Exposure to financial derivative instrument may lead to a high risk of significant loss by the Sub-Fund.



### Note:

- Past performance information is not indicative of future performance. Investors may not get back the full amount invested.
- The computation basis of the performance is based on the calendar year end, net asset value-to-net asset value, with dividend reinvested.
- These figures show by how much the Class A of the Sub-Fund increased or decreased in value during the calendar year being shown.
- Performance data has been calculated in HKD, including ongoing charges and excluding subscription fee and redemption fee you might have to pay.
- Where no past performance is shown, there was insufficient data available in that year to provide performance.
- The Manager views Class A having the longest track record as the most appropriate representative unit class.
- Sub-Fund launch date: 2009.
- Unit class launch date: 2009.

# Is there any guarantee?

This Sub-Fund does not have any guarantees. You may not get back the full amount of money you invest.

# What are the fees and charges?

## Charges which may be payable by you

You may have to pay the following fees when dealing in the units of the Sub-Fund.

Fee What you pay

Initial Charge up to 5% of the subscription amount

Redemption Charge Current rate is 0%, up to the specified permitted

maximum level of 5% of the redemption

proceeds.

Switching Charge Current rate is 1%, up to the specified permitted

maximum level of 2% of the subscription amount applying for the new units upon

switching.

## Ongoing fees payable by the Sub-Fund

The following expenses will be paid out of the Sub-Fund. They affect you because they reduce the return you get on your investments.

# Annual rate (as a % of the Sub-Fund's net asset value unless otherwise specified)

Management Fee Class A 1.25% p.a.\* (as a % of the net asset value of Class I 1% p.a.\*

the relevant class of units)

Trustee Fee Up to 0.125% p.a.\*\*

Performance Fee Nil

Administration Fee Nil

Registrar Fee USD5,000 p.a.

(charged by the Trustee for (for the first 50 unitholders and thereafter US\$60 p.a.

acting as the Registrar) per unitholder)

- \* You should note that the Management Fee may be increased, up to a specified permitted maximum level, by giving the relevant unitholders at least 1 month's prior notice.
- \*\* Subject to a combined minimum fee (with other Sub-Funds under the Unit Trust, other than ICBC Asset Management RMB Fixed Income Fund) of US\$150,000 p.a. which will be apportioned amongst these Sub-Funds of the Unit Trust from time to time pro rata to their net asset value and adjusted (if necessary) at the last Valuation Day of such period for the purpose of determining the minimum fee. You should note that the Trustee Fee may be increased up to a specified permitted maximum level by giving the relevant unitholders at least 3 months' prior notice.

#### Other fees

You may have to pay other fees and charges when dealing in the units of the Sub-Fund. The Sub-Fund will also bear the costs which are directly attributable to it, as set out in its offering document.

## **Additional Information**

- You generally buy and redeem units at the Sub-Fund's next-determined net asset value after the Trustee or the Registrar receives your request in good order before 4:00p.m. (Hong Kong time) on the relevant Dealing Day, which is generally every Business Day. The Authorised Distributor(s) may impose different dealing deadlines for receiving instructions for subscriptions, redemptions or switching. Investors should pay attention to the arrangements of the Authorised Distributor(s) concerned.
- The net asset value of the Sub-Fund is calculated at the close of business of the last relevant market on the same Dealing Day and is available online at <a href="http://www.icbcamg.com">http://www.icbcamg.com</a>\*.
- Investors may obtain other information of the Sub-Fund online at http://www.icbcamg.com\*.
- \* The information contained in this website has not been reviewed by SFC.

# Important

If you are in doubt, you should seek professional advice.

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