

AMO Japan Growth Equity Portfolio Class Q USD-Hedged Acc

30 June 2024 Factsheet

Investment Objective

AMO Japan Growth Equity Portfolio (the sub-fund) aims to outperform the TOPIX TR Index (gross of tax with dividends reinvested) in the medium to long term, through an active management and mainly bottom up approach.

Investment Policy

Companies with distinct competitive advantages are able to grow their earnings in the long run, coping with changes in market and macro conditions. Covering both qualitative and quantitative aspects allows us to develop an in-depth and thorough understanding of each company and make the right investment decision.

Fund Overview

Portfolio Manager	Seiichiro Iwamoto
Structure	UCITS SICAV
Base Currency	JPY
Sub-fund Launch Date	15 Mar 2018
Share Class Launch Date	17 Aug 2020
Benchmark	TOPIX Total Return
Total Sub-fund Size (JPY Mil)	6,232.2

Portfolio Manager Commentary

Performance Overview

TDK Corporation (electric component) and Nihon Dempa Kogyo Co., Ltd. (quartz crystals) rose and made a positive contribution to performance due to the growth of smartphones equipped with Edge AI semiconductors, for which these companies provide relevant products. On the other hand, UACJ Corp. (aluminium products) fell and had a negative impact on performance due to reports of shares being sold by the parent company.

Market Outlook and Investment Strategy

The Japanese stock market will continue to experience a gradual upward trend, fuelled by expectations of overcoming deflation. Regarding positive factors, we anticipate an expansion in consumption driven by domestic wage increase and stable economic conditions in advanced countries. Our research indicates that the utilization of AI is expanding across various industries, including content creation, in response to labor shortages and to improve business efficiency. In non-manufacturing sectors, we observe a noticeable shift in mindset, and we expect the earnings trend of stocks linked to domestic demand growth to remain strong. In the manufacturing industry, the increasing use of AI for generating artificial content is driving the demand for data, leading to increased investments in IT infrastructure. As part of our investment strategy, we actively identify and explore relevant stocks in these areas to capture potential growth opportunities.

Performance



Cumulative Performance %

	1 Month	3 Months	6 Months	YTD	Since Inception
Share Class	4.18	-1.05	9.25	9.25	33.25
Benchmark	1.86	3.02	22.91	22.91	112.21

Annualised Performance %

	1 Year	3 Year	5 Year	Since Inception
Share Class	6.20	0.72	-	7.70
Benchmark	32.50	19.76	-	21.47

Calendar Year Performance %

	2023	2022	2021
Share Class	12.84	-19.26	9.18
Benchmark	35.70	-0.54	12.81

Above performance is based on a Net Asset Value basis. Fund source data: Brown Brothers Harriman (Lux) S.C.A

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Share Class Information

Minimum Investment	JPY 5,000,000 or the equivalent
Investment Management Fee	1.30%
Total Expense Ratio**	1.99%
ISIN	LU1950436714
Bloomberg	AMJGQUH LX

Dealing & Prices

Dealing Frequency	Daily
Settlement	T+3
Administrator	Brown Brothers Harriman (Luxembourg) SCA
Price Availability	https://www.am-one-int.co.uk/

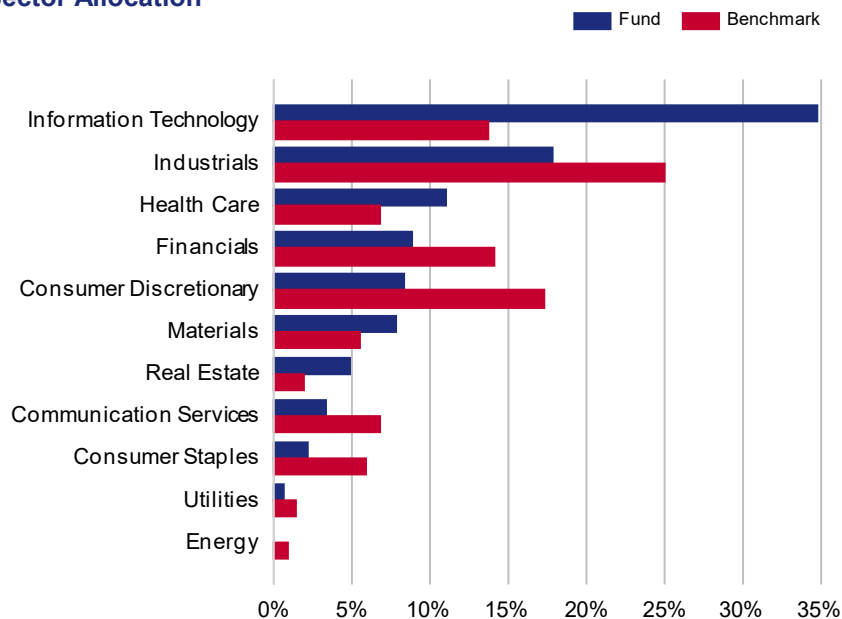
Fund Statistics

Number of Holdings	98
% in Top 10 Holdings	19%
Active Share	83.3%
Weighted Average Market Cap (JPY Bil)	2,609.52
Beta (Ex-Post)	1.29
Historical Volatility [^]	18.18%
Tracking Error (Ex-Post) [^]	10.53%
Information Ratio [^]	-1.81
Sharpe Ratio [^]	-0.17

Top 10 Holdings

Security	Sector	Weight %
Hitachi, Ltd.	Industrials	2.36
Sumitomo Mitsui Financial Group, Inc.	Financials	2.28
TDK Corporation	Information Technology	2.16
MS&AD Insurance Group Holdings, Inc.	Financials	2.04
FUJIFILM Holdings Corp	Information Technology	2.03
Mitsubishi UFJ Financial Group, Inc.	Financials	1.80
Tokyo Seimitsu Co., Ltd	Information Technology	1.75
Itochu Corporation	Industrials	1.71
Renesas Electronics Corporation	Information Technology	1.67
Mitsui Fudosan Co., Ltd.	Real Estate	1.62

Sector Allocation



Source: FactSet.

** TER excludes portfolio transaction costs. The figure is based on expenses for the year ending December 2023.

[^] Calculated using the past 3 year monthly returns.

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