# BMO Asia USD Investment Grade Bond ETF

# 3141 HK

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- BMO Asia USD Investment Grade Bond ETF aims to provide investment results that, before fees and expenses, closely correspond to the performance of the Bloomberg Barclays Asia USD Investment Grade Bond Index. This Sub-Fund primarily invests in fixed rate USD-denominated government-related and corporate investment grade bonds of the Asia ex-Japan region. Such investments involve special risks including interest rate risk, over-the-counter market risk, issuer risk, sovereign debt risk and illiquidity of bonds close to maturity risk.
- Investing in emerging markets involves a greater risk of loss than investing in more developed markets due to, among other factors, greater political, tax, economic, foreign exchange, liquidity and regulatory risks.
- The units of this Sub-Fund may trade at a substantial premium or discount to their NAV.
- This Sub-Fund is subject to tracking error risks due to factors such as fees and expenses, the representative sampling strategy adopted by the manager and the liquidity of the underlying bonds.

## **FUND DETAILS**

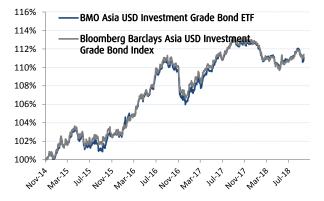
Manager	BMO Global Asset Management (Asia) Limited
Trustee	Cititrust Limited
Listing Date	November 13, 2014
Exchange	Stock Exchange of Hong Kong
Index	Bloomberg Barclays Asia
IIIUEX	USD Investment Grade Bond Index
Bloomberg Tick	er 3141.HK
Index Ticker	BAIGTRUU
ISIN	HK0000221389
Net Asset (HKD)	847,813,033
Trading Lot Size	200
Ongoing Charge	<b>s</b> 0.35%
Trading Currence	HKD
Distribution Free	<b>uency</b> Quarterly

### **FUND CHARACTERISTICS**

Number of Securities	221
Weighted Average Yield to Maturity (%)	4.35
Weighted Average Duration (yrs)	4.83

**Note:** The Yield to Maturity (YTM) of a portfolio is the weighted average Yield to Maturity of underlying bonds in gross in the portfolio. Calculations of Yield to Maturity take into account the bond's current market price, par value, coupon interest rate and term to maturity. The figure is not the dividend yield received by the investors. A positive distribution yield does not imply a positive return.

### **CUMULATIVE RETURNS**



#### **INVESTMENT OBJECTIVE**

The investment objective of the BMO Asia USD Investment Grade Bond ETF is to provide investment results that, before fees and expenses, closely correspond to the performance of the Bloomberg Barclays Asia USD Investment Grade Bond Index.

### **BENEFITS FOR INVESTORS**

FIRST ETF offering Asia USD bond exposure in Hong Kong, offering investors:

- Exposure to high grade bonds in a cost effective manner while also generating regular income
- Access to a diversified fixed income portfolio comprising more than 200 Asian high quality bond issues
- Stability of the US dollar income
- Low correlation with other asset classes means strong diversification benefits

### **INDEX INFORMATION**

The Index is a market capitalisation weighted index which measures the performance of fixed rate USD denominated government-related and corporate investment grade bonds of the Asia ex-Japan region.

The bonds must have a minimum outstanding amount of USD350 million and be rated at or above Baa3/BBB-/BBB- using the middle rating of Moody's, S&P and Fitch to be included in the Index. The Index may also include non-rated bonds issued by investment grade issuers. The Index is subject to an issuer cap of 4%.

The Index was launched on May 22, 2014 and is denominated in USD. The Index is rebalanced monthly.

### PERFORMANCE (Cumulative Returns %)

	1 Month	3 Months	6 Months	1 Year	Since Inception*
Fund	-0.43%	-0.57%	0.08%	-1.87%	10.62%
Index	-0.75%	-0.47%	0.10%	-2.11%	10.58%

#### **CALENDAR YEAR RETURNS (%)**

	YTD^	2017	2016	2015	2014*
Fund	-1.85%	5.69%	4.10%	2.00%	0.43%
Index	-2.06%	5.09%	4.46%	2.28%	0.55%

Note: The computation basis of the performance is based on the calendar year end, NAV-To-NAV, with dividend reinvested. These figures shown represent how much the fund increased or decreased in value during the calendar year. Performance data has been calculated in HKD, including ongoing charges.

^ Performance up to October 31, 2018 \* The Fund's inception date was November 7, 2014.

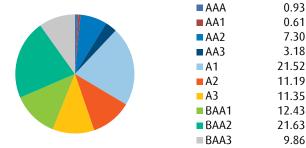


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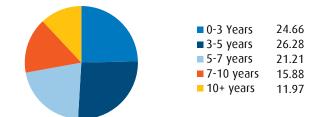
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# **CREDIT RATING (%)**



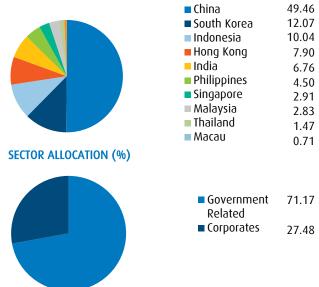
# **MATURITY (%)**



## TOP 10 HOLDINGS (%)

1.19
1.15
1.12
1.10
1.08
1.06
1.04
1.00
0.99
0.94

## **GEOGRAPHIC ALLOCATION (%)**



### **PARTICIPATING DEALERS**

ABN AMRO Clearing Hong Kong Limited BNP Paribas Securities Services China Merchants Securities (HK) Co., Limited Goldman Sachs (Asia) Securities Limited Haitong International Securities Company Limited Macquarie Bank Limited SG Securities (HK) Limited

### **MARKET MAKERS**

China Merchants Securities (HK) Co., Limited Flow Traders Hong Kong Limited Haitong International Securities Company Limited

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ETF Manager of the Year, Hong Kong	Asia Asset Management 2016 Best of the Best Awards	
Best ETF Provider for Hong Kong	The Asset Triple A ETF Awards 2016	
Best ETF Provider 2016 - Asia	Wealth & Finance 2016 Fund Awards	
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