

# BMO Guardian Asian Growth and Income Fund F Class

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## Manager: BMO Investments Inc.

This document contains key information you should know about F Class (F Class) units of BMO Guardian Asian Growth and Income Fund. You can find more detailed information in the simplified prospectus offering this class of units of the fund. Ask your advisor for a copy, contact the manager, BMO Investments Inc., at 1-800-668-7327, at clientservices@bmoquardian.com or visit www.bmoquardianfunds.com.

#### **Quick facts**

**Date fund created:** (F Class) July 7, 2004 **Portfolio manager(s):** Matthews International Capital Management

LLC

**Total value on May 24, 2012:** \$589.7 Million **Distributions:** Any quarterly income distributed March, June,

September and December. Any capital gains in

December.

Management expense ratio (MER): 1.79% Minimum investment: Determined by your dealer

#### What does the fund invest in?

This fund's objective is to provide income and capital appreciation by investing in a diversified portfolio comprised of U.S. dollar-denominated convertible securities and higher yielding equity securities of Asian companies with less volatility than a pure equity fund and also offers some protection against unfavourable currency fluctuations. The fund's primary emphasis is the Asian Tiger countries (Asia excluding Japan).

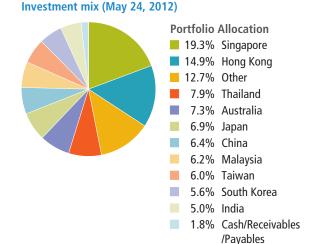
The charts below provide you with a snapshot of the fund's investments on May 24, 2012. The fund's investments will change.

#### Top 10 investments (May 24, 2012)

- 1. Singapore Technologies Engineering Ltd.
- 2. Taiwan Semiconductor Manufacturing Company Limited
- 3. Telstra Corporation Limited
- 4. CLP Holdings Limited
- China Petroleum and Chemical Corporation, Series SINO, Senior, Unsecured, Unsubordinated, Putable, Convertible, Callable, Zero Coupon, Apr 24, 2014
- 6. HSBC Holdings plc, ADR
- 7. Ascendas REIT
- 8. Hisamitsu Pharmaceutical Co., Inc.
- 9. PTT Public Company Limited, Foreign Market
- 10. AMMB Holdings Berhad

## **Total investments 68**

The top 10 investments make up 31.1% of the fund.



## How has the fund performed?

This section tells you how this class of the fund has performed since inception. Returns are after expenses have been deducted. These expenses reduce the class' returns.

It's important to note that this doesn't tell you how the class will perform in the future. Also, your actual after-tax return will depend on your personal tax situation.

#### Average return

As at May 31, 2012, a person who invested \$1,000 in this class of the fund since its inception now has \$1,707. This works out to an annual compound return of 7.0%.

## Year-by-year returns

This chart shows how the class has performed in each of the past 7 completed calendar years. The class dropped in value in 2 of the 7 years.





## How risky is it?

When you invest in a fund, the value of your investment can go down as well as up. BMO Investments Inc. has rated this fund's risk as Medium.

For a description of the specific risks of this fund, see the simplified prospectus offering this class of units of the fund.

Low to Medium Medium to High

## Are there any guarantees?

Like most mutual funds, this fund doesn't have any guarantees. You may not get back the amount of money you invest.

#### Who is this fund for?

#### Consider this fund if:

- you want a foreign income-producing investment
- you are looking for exposure to Asian securities for your portfolio
- you are comfortable with medium investment risk (i.e. you are willing to accept fluctuations in the market value of your investment).

Before you invest in any fund, you should consider how it would work with your other investments and your tolerance for risk.

#### A word about tax

Depending on the tax rules and tax rates that apply to you and the fund, you may have to pay tax on your portion of the fund's earnings and gains, whether paid out to you in cash or reinvested in the fund. Also, you may have to pay tax on any gain you realize when you redeem or sell your investment in the fund. However, if you hold your investment in a registered account such as a Registered Retirement Savings Plan or a Tax-Free Savings Account, generally you will not have to pay tax on earnings or gains that are held in the registered account.

#### How much does it cost?

The following section describes the fees and expenses you could pay to buy, own and sell F Class units of the fund.

The fund has other classes of units. The fees and expenses are different for each class. You should ask about other classes of units that may be suitable for you.

#### 1. Sales charges

Instead of paying a sales charge on each transaction, you pay an annual fee to your dealer based on the value of your assets. You pay no sales charge when you buy F Class units of the fund.

## 2. Fund expenses

You don't pay these expenses directly. They affect you because they reduce the returns of this class of the fund.

As of December 31, 2011, the F Class expenses of the fund were 1.87% of its value. This equals \$19 for every \$1,000 invested.

	Annual rate (as a % of the class' value)
Management expense ratio (MER) This is the total of the management fee and operating expenses for F Class units of the fund.	1.79%
Trading expense ratio (TER)	
These are the fund's trading costs.	0.08%
Fund expenses	1.87%

#### 3. Other fees

F Class units are for investors who are enrolled in dealer sponsored wrap programs or flat fee accounts. You can buy F Class units only through dealers who have entered into a F Class agreement with BMO Investments Inc. and only with the prior approval of BMO Investments Inc.

You may have to pay other fees when you buy, hold, sell or switch units of the fund.

#### Fee What you pay

**Short-term trading fee** Up to 2% of the amount that you redeem or switch if you buy or switch and then redeem or switch units of the fund within 30 days of purchasing or switching them. This penalty will be paid directly to the fund.



## What if I change my mind?

Under securities law in some provinces and territories, you have the right to:

- withdraw from an agreement to buy mutual fund units or shares within two business days after you receive a simplified prospectus, or
- cancel your purchase within 48 hours after you receive confirmation of the purchase.

In some provinces and territories, you also have the right to cancel a purchase, or in some jurisdictions, claim damages, if the simplified prospectus, annual information form or financial statements contain a misrepresentation. You must act within the time limit set by the securities law in your province or territory.

For more information, see the securities law of your province or territory or ask a lawyer.

## For more information

Contact BMO Investments Inc. or your advisor for a copy of the simplified prospectus offering this class of units of the fund and other disclosure documents. These documents and the Fund Facts make up the fund's legal documents.

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