

First State Japan Equity Fund Class III JPY

Objectives and investment strategy

The Fund aims to achieve long term capital appreciation and invests primarily in a portfolio of equity or equity related securities which are established or have significant operations in Japan and which are listed, traded or dealt in on regulated markets worldwide.

Annualised performance in JPY (%)

	1уг	Зугѕ	5yrs	Since Inception
Class III (JPY - Acc) (Ex initial charges)	30.1	12.7	N/A	15.8
Class III (JPY - Acc) (Inc initial charges)	21.0	10.0	N/A	13.6
Benchmark*	10.1	3.0	N/A	6.8

Cumulative performance in JPY (%)

	3mths	1уг	3yrs	5yrs	Since Inception
Class III (JPY - Acc) (Ex initial charges)	6.7	30.1	43.1	N/A	75.9
Class III (JPY - Acc) (Inc initial charges)	-0.8	21.0	33.1	N/A	63.6
Benchmark*	4.2	10.1	9.2	N/A	28.7



Source: Lipper, First State Investments. Single pricing basis with net income reinvested.

Fund information

Fund launch date	02 February 2015
Share class launch date	24 October 2016
Fund size	¥27,362.9mn
Number of holdings	45
Dealing	Monday to Friday (except public holidays)
Minimum investment	¥50m
Management fee	1.0%p.a.
Initial charge	7.0% (Cash)
Share type	Accumulation
ISIN	IEOOBZCOS080
Bloomberg ticker	FSJE3AJ.ID

Asset allocation (%)[†]

Sector	%		%		%
Industrials	26.2	Info. Tech.	25.9	Consumer Staples	17.0
Health Care	13.0	Consumer Discret.	10.7	Materials	1.9
Comms Services	1.8	Liquidity	3.5		

Top 10 company holdings (%)

Security name	Sector	%
M3, Inc.	(Health Care)	4.7
Rakus Co Ltd	(Info. Tech.)	4.7
Nihon M&A Center Inc	(Industrials)	4.3
Keyence Corporation	(Info. Tech.)	4.2
GMO Payment Gateway, Inc.	(Info. Tech.)	4.2
Recruit Holdings Co Ltd	(Industrials)	4.0
MonotaRO Co., Ltd.	(Industrials)	3.8
Benefit One Inc	(Industrials)	3.8
Sony Corporation	(Consumer Discret.)	3.6
Kao Corp.	(Consumer Staples)	3.5



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Acc represents share class with dividends accumulated.

- * MSCI Japan Index
 - Benchmark performance is shown on a net of tax basis.
 - The Fund may hold multiple equity securities in the same company, which have been combined to provide the Fund's total position in that company. Index weights, if any, typically include only the main domestic-listed security. The above Fund weightings may or may not include reference to multiple securities.
- * Allocation percentage is rounded to the nearest one decimal place and the total allocation percentage may not add up to 100%.

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