# Class: A5H SGD

# PineBridge US Large Cap Research Enhanced Fund



### **CAPITAL AT RISK:**

All investments involve risk. The value of your investment and the income from it will fluctuate and a loss of capital may occur.

## **PORTFOLIO MANAGER(S)**

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## **BENCHMARK**

Standard & Poor's 500 Total Return Net Index

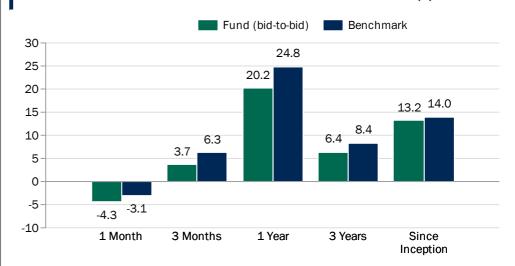
| Asset Class         | Equity                                   |
|---------------------|--|
| Fund Inception      | 25 Aug 2005                              |
| Fund Base Currency  | USD                                      |
| Fund Size (million) | US\$ 130.3                               |
| No. of Securities   | 119                                      |
| Legal Structure     | UCITS                                    |
| Income Treatment    | No Distribution:<br>Dividends Reinvested |
| Initial Charge      | Maximum 5%                               |
| ISIN                | IE00BKDWB100                             |
| Bloomberg           | PULRA5H                                  |
| Subscription Mode   | Cash, SRS                                |

#### INVESTMENT OBJECTIVE

To attain long term growth of capital by means of a diversified portfolio through investment in equity and equity-related securities of companies, at least 90% of which have assets, products or operations based in the United States and are included in the Russell 1000 Index. Up to 10% of the value of the Sub-Fund may be invested in other companies which have a US Stock Exchange listing.

Past performance does not predict future returns. Please see a list of key risks and important benchmark information for this sub-fund on pages 2 & 3.

# ANNUALIZED PERFORMANCE IN UNIT CLASS CURRENCY VS BENCHMARK (%)



## CALENDAR YEAR PERFORMANCE IN UNIT CLASS CURRENCY VS BENCHMARK (%)

| -                      | 2024<br>YTD | 2023 | 2022  | 2021 | 2020 | 2019 | 2018 | 2017 | 2016 | 2015 | 2014 |
|------------------------|-------------|------|-------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|
| Fund<br>(bid-to-bid)   | 6.1         | 20.3 | -16.9 | 27.5 | -    | -    | -    | -    | -    | -    | -    |
| Fund<br>(offer-to-bid) | 1.0         | 14.5 | -20.8 | 21.5 | -    | -    | -    | -    | -    | -    | -    |
| Benchmark              | 9.5         | 23.6 | -18.9 | 30.7 | -    | -    | -    | -    | -    | -    | -    |

Source: PineBridge Investments.

Bid-to-bid performance is calculated on NAV to NAV (SGD) with dividends reinvested. Offer-to-bid performance takes into account the maximum 5% sales charge. Returns over one year are annualized. Performance is representative of A5H class in SGD. The return of your investment may increase or decrease as a result of currency fluctuations if your investment is made in a currency other than the base currency of the fund.

# **FUND ANALYSIS**

| -                      | 2 VEADC |
|------------------------|---------|
|                        | 3 YEARS |
| Information Ratio      | -0.4    |
| Sharpe Ratio           | 0.1     |
| Alpha (%)              | -2.4    |
| Tracking Error (%)     | 5.2     |
| Standard Deviation (%) | 17.2    |
| Beta                   | 1.1     |
| R Squared (%)          | 91.4    |
|                        |         |

## **PORTFOLIO CHARACTERISTICS**

| Wtd Avg Mkt Cap US\$ million | 302,025.3 |
|------------------------------|-----------|
| P/E Ratio                    | 19.8      |
| P/B Ratio                    | 4.1       |
| ROE (%)                      | 36.4      |
| Debt to Equity Ratio         | 1.28      |

**UNIT CLASS INFORMATION** (For a full list of available share classes, please visit pinebridge.com.sg)

| Unit Class | Inception Date | Price as at 30/04/24 | Minimum<br>Investment | Management<br>Fee | Service<br>Fee | Total Expense Ratio as at 31/12/23 | Ongoing<br>Charge | Entry/Exit<br>Fee |
|------------|----------------|----------------------|-----------------------|-------------------|----------------|------------------------------------|-------------------|-------------------|
| A5H SGD    | 28 May 2020    | SGD 20.32            | SGD 1,000             | 1.00%             | 0.50%          | 1.73%                              | 1.75%             | 5% / 3%           |

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| SECTOR BREAKDOWN (%)   |      |           |  |  |  |  |
|------------------------|------|-----------|--|--|--|--|
| I                      | FUND | BENCHMARK |  |  |  |  |
| Information Technology | 29.6 | 29.2      |  |  |  |  |
| Consumer Discretionary | 12.1 | 10.3      |  |  |  |  |
| Financials             | 11.9 | 13.1      |  |  |  |  |
| Communication Services | 11.0 | 9.1       |  |  |  |  |
| Health Care            | 10.4 | 12.3      |  |  |  |  |
| Industrials            | 8.1  | 8.8       |  |  |  |  |
| Consumer Staples       | 7.6  | 6.2       |  |  |  |  |
| Energy                 | 4.8  | 4.1       |  |  |  |  |
| Other                  | 4.3  | 6.9       |  |  |  |  |
| Cash                   | 0.2  | 0.0       |  |  |  |  |

| TOP TEN HOLDINGS (%)           |      |  |  |  |  |
|--------------------------------|------|--|--|--|--|
| 1                              | FUND |  |  |  |  |
| Apple Inc.                     | 6.5  |  |  |  |  |
| Microsoft Corporation          | 6.2  |  |  |  |  |
| NVIDIA Corporation             | 5.4  |  |  |  |  |
| Alphabet Inc.                  | 5.1  |  |  |  |  |
| Amazon.com, Inc.               | 4.1  |  |  |  |  |
| Meta Platforms, Inc.           | 3.0  |  |  |  |  |
| iShares Core S&P 500 UCITS ETF | 2.8  |  |  |  |  |
| Exxon Mobil Corporation        | 2.1  |  |  |  |  |
| Visa Inc.                      | 1.9  |  |  |  |  |
| AbbVie Inc.                    | 1.5  |  |  |  |  |

## IMPORTANT BENCHMARK INFORMATION:

The Sub-Fund is actively managed, seeking to deliver excess returns over the Sub-Fund's benchmark. The holdings may or may not be components of the benchmark and the Investment Manager has broad discretion to deviate from the benchmark securities, weightings and risk characteristics. The degree to which the Sub-Fund resembles the composition and risk characteristics of the benchmark is not a specifically targeted outcome and could vary over time, and the Sub-Fund's performance may be meaningfully different from the Sub-Fund's benchmark. The Sub-Fund targets a material tracking error against its benchmark which has typically been approximately 2%. The Sub-Fund also aims to limit the active stock, sector and industry weights of the portfolio versus the benchmark. These have historically been in a range of +/- 2%, though will vary over time and are subject to change. Source of benchmark: S&P. The benchmark is used for information purposes only and is calculated dividend reinvested. No benchmark is directly identical to the Sub-Fund and its performance is not a reliable indicator of future performance of the Sub-Fund. The benchmark from inception was the Standard & Poor's 500 Total Return Index. It was changed to the Standard & Poor's 500 Total Return Net Index with effect from 30 November 2009 as the Investment Manager considers the current benchmark more reflective of the Sub-Fund's investment strategy than the previous benchmark and that the current benchmark is the industry standard for the relevant exposure.

## **GLOSSARY**

Alpha: Measures the relative performance generated by the fund compared to the benchmark. An alpha of 1.0 indicates that the fund has outperformed its benchmark by 1%, after adjusting for risk of the benchmark.

Beta: Reflects sensitivity of the fund's returns to that of benchmark returns. A beta of 1.05 suggests that the fund could perform 5% better than the benchmark in up market and 5% worse in down market, assuming all other factors remain constant.

Exit Fee: Fee charged to investors when they redeem unit from a fund.

Information Ratio: Measures the funds returns above the benchmark returns relative to the risk (volatility) of the excess returns. It is a measure that identifies the consistency of the manager to outperform the benchmark.

Initial Fee: Fee charged to investors when they purchase units in a fund.

Management Fee: Percentage of the fund's assets that unitholders pay annually as remuneration to the investment adviser for managing the fund. Ongoing Charge / Ongoing Charge Fee (OCF): Charge unitholders pay annually which relates to the costs of running a fund. The OCF takes into account the Investment Management Fee and all the expense of running a fund.

R Squared: Reflects the proportion of fund performance explained by changes in the benchmark. A high R-squared indicates the fund's performance has been in line with the benchmark. A low R-squared indicates the fund's performance has not been in line with the benchmark.

Service Fee: Percentage of fund's assets that retail unitholders pay annually for distribution services.

Sharpe Ratio: Measure of the fund's risk adjusted performance calculated as the portfolio returns in excess of the risk-free rate, divided by the risk (volatility) i.e. the Standard Deviation. The higher the Sharpe Ratio the better the returns compared to the risk taken.

Total Expense Ratio (TER): Estimated percentage (annualized) of fund assets used to pay for management fees and operating expenses, including service fees (if any) incurred by the fund. Fund expenses are reflected in the NAV. When calculating the TER, PineBridge has used the amount of expenses that it has received or estimated in its capacity as the Fund's Manager. Please note that the expense ratio includes variable expenses that are based on a number of factors including fund size, transactions, and other expenses. No assurance can be given that the TER will be realized over any future given period.

Tracking Error: Reflects the degree of variability of fund returns in relation to the benchmark. The lower the number the closer the fund's historic performance is to the benchmark.

For explanation of additional technical terms, please visit the individual fund page at pinebridge.com.sg.

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### **KEY RISKS**

Potential Investors should consider the following key risks before investing in the Sub-Fund:

Equity Investing Risk: The value of shares and securities related to shares may fall due to issuer related issues, financial market dynamics and world events including economic and political changes. Concentration Risk: The Sub-Fund may invest in a limited number of securities compared to more diversified Sub-Funds or it may focus its investments and hold relatively large positions in, among other things, particular industries, countries, sectors, currencies or issuers. This may increase the volatility of the value of the Sub-Fund or for the Sub-Fund to bear losses and may also limit the liquidity of certain securities within the Sub-Fund. Derivative Risk: A Sub-Fund may use derivative instruments for both efficient portfolio management and for investment purposes. Derivative transactions may be subject to significant volatility which may result in a loss greater than the principal amount invested. Counterparty Risk: A Sub-Fund may have credit exposure (by virtue of position in swaps, repurchase agreements, FDI etc.) to its trading parties and may bear the risk of default of the counterparties. Operational Risk: A Sub-Fund may risk loss resulting from process failures, inadequate procedures or controls. Risk-Constrained Strategy Risk: The Sub-Fund may use a risk management approach, which involves the holdings and the potential risk of the Sub-Fund to be close to those of its benchmark and the returns to closely follow its benchmark too. Quantitative Model Risk: The Sub-Fund may use a financial model to enhance returns and/or manage risk. There is no guarantee the model will behave in the way it is expected to, nor that it will not lead to an error that is difficult to detect and correct, for lengthy periods of time. These factors may lead to adverse outcomes for the investors. ESG Risk: Risks associated with the environmental, social and governance variables, which could potentially affect the financial situation or operating performance of the Fund. These include sustainability risk, ESG Categorisation Risk a

The risk factors described above should not be considered an exhaustive list of risks, which potential investors should consider before investing in the Sub-Fund. For more details on the fund's potential risks please read the Prospectus and Key Investor Information Document at pinebridge.com/funds

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