# **MONTHLY REPORT 30 SEPTEMBER 2023**

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## FIRM AND FUND INFORMATION

#### Firm Overview:

Platinum Asset Management is a Sydney-based fundamental long/short equity fund manager established in 1994. Platinum's index-agnostic approach seeks to deliver long term absolute returns by looking beyond short-term market turbulence caused by events of a transient nature to seek out 'unfashionable' companies whose actual worth is greater than the value implied in their present share price. Similarly, when Platinum's research reveals that a company's prospects are overvalued, Platinum may short-sell such stocks. Platinum also seeks to protect capital via adjusting net exposure to markets.

# **Fund Approach:**

The fund's long short equity portfolio has a long bias with its net invested position able to range between 50% and 100% of the fund's NAV. The fund's net invested position will be varied through the use of shorting techniques via equity and index derivatives and through the adjustment of the fund's cash position.

# Historical exposures as % of fund's PV

Insufficient history

Fund AUM US \$28.20 mn
Strategy AUM US \$293.84 mn
Firm AUM US \$10.36 bn

Fund inception October 2022
Strategy inception November 2003
Firm inception March 1994

#### Historical position count

Insufficient history

#### **PERFORMANCE**

	D Class %
1 month	(2.0)
3 months	(2.9)
6 months	4.1
Calendar YTD	2.3

Insufficient history

# **CONTRIBUTION TO RETURN**

	Long Positions	Short Positions	Cash & Liquids
1 month	(2.1)	0.1	0.0
Calendar year to date	2.6	0.1	0.2

Contribution to return (CTR) is calculated by geometrically linking the daily monetary return (in USD) that the fund's long, short and cash positions contribute as a percentage of the daily average invested capital (adjusted for fund flows) over the relevant period. CTR calculations are gross of all fund fees and costs.

# MONTH TO MONTH FUND PERFORMANCE (D Class %)

	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	YTD	
2022											1.9	1.1	3.0	
2023	6.1	(4.1)	(3.4)	3.7	4.7	(1.2)	5.4	(6.1)	(2.0)				2.3	

Past performance is not a reliable indicator of future performance. Returns are in US\$ and could be reduced, or losses incurred, due to currency fluctuations.

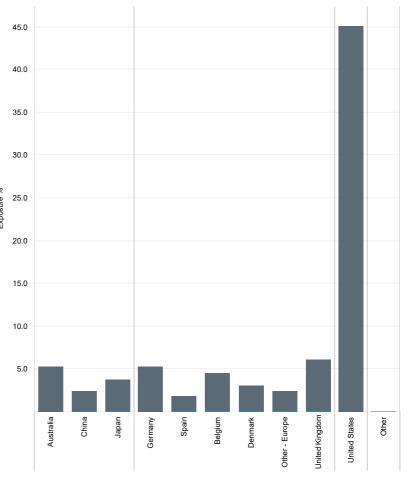
Source: Platinum Investment Management Limited for fund returns and CTR. Fund returns are total returns, calculated using the NAV per share of D Class, are pre-tax, net of fees and costs (note the anti-dilution levy is not an expense of the fund) and assume the accumulation of net income and capital gains.

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# **GEOGRAPHICAL BREAKDOWN 1,2**

	LONG % SHORT %	NET %	GROSS %
Asia-Pacific	11.4	11.4	11.4
Australia	5.3	5.3	5.3
China	2.3	2.3	2.3
Japan	3.7	3.7	3.7
Europe	23.1	23.1	23.1
Belgium	4.5	4.5	4.5
Denmark	3.0	3.0	3.0
Germany	5.3	5.3	5.3
Netherlands	1.2	1.2	1.2
Spain	1.8	1.8	1.8
Sweden	1.2	1.2	1.2
United Kingdom	6.1	6.1	6.1
North America	45.1	45.1	45.1 45.1
United States	45.1	45.1	45.1
Sub-Total	79.6	79.6	79.6
Cash	20.4	20.4	
Total	100.0	100.0	



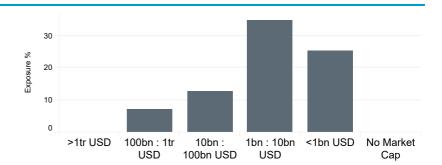
# **SECTOR BREAKDOWN 1,3**

	LONG %	SHORT %	NET %	GROSS %
Biotechnology	49.6		49.6	49.6
Pharmaceuticals	24.2		24.2	24.2
Life Sciences Tool	4.3		4.3	4.3
Electronic Equipm	1.0		1.0	1.0
Chemicals	0.3		0.3	0.3
Health Care Equip				



# MARKET CAP BREAKDOWN 1,4

	LONG % SHOR	T % NET %	GROSS %
>1tr USD			
100bn : 1tr USD	7.1	7.1	7.1
10bn : 100bn USD	12.6	12.6	12.6
1bn : 10bn USD	34.6	34.6	34.6
<1bn USD	25.2	25.2	25.2
No Market Cap			



## **CURRENCY BREAKDOWN 5**

AUD	CNY	DKK	EUR	GBP	JPY	SEK	USD
5.8%	2.3%	3.0%	13.3%	6 1%	4 3%	1.2%	63.9%

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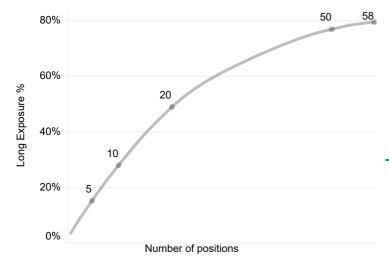
## **POSITIONING**

LONG POSITION	COUNTRY 2	SECTOR 3	% 6	SHORT POSITION	COUNTRY 2	SECTOR 3	% 6
Takeda Pharmaceutical Co	Japan	Pharmaceuticals	3.7				
Sanofi SA	<b>United States</b>	Pharmaceuticals	3.1				
Zealand Pharma A/S	Denmark	Biotechnology	3.0				
Alpha Teknova Inc	<b>United States</b>	Biotechnology	2.8				
Exscientia Plc	United Kingdom	Biotechnology	2.8				
Telix Pharmaceuticals Ltd	Australia	Biotechnology	2.8				
Quanterix Corp	<b>United States</b>	Life Sciences Too	2.6				
Galapagos NV	Belgium	Biotechnology	2.5				
Ideaya Biosciences Inc	<b>United States</b>	Biotechnology	2.5				
Roivant Sciences Ltd	United States	Biotechnology	2.4				

## GEOGRAPHICAL 2 AND SECTOR 3 BREAKDOWN

			Electronic Equipment	Life Sciences Tools &		
	Biotechnology	Chemicals	Instruments & Components	Services	Pharmaceuticals	Geographic Total
Greater China & India					2.3%	2.3%
Japan					3.7%	3.7%
Other Asia-Pac	3.7%				1.7%	5.3%
North America	30.2%		1.0%	3.9%	10.0%	45.1%
Europe	15.8%	0.3%		0.4%	6.5%	23.1%
Sector Total	49.6%	0.3%	1.0%	4.3%	24.2%	79.6%

# **CONCENTRATION**



LONG CO	NCENTRATION 6	SHORT CONCENTRATION 6
Top 5	15.4%	
Top 10	28.2%	
Top 20	49.1%	
Top 50	77.0%	
All 58	79.6%	

Estimated tonnes of carbon emissions per 100k invested

0.5

This estimate has been calculated by Platinum and represents the sum of the carbon emissions from the fund's underlying long stock positions, based on the closest match and latest data available in Sustainalytics, having regard to the fund's long entroined by the proportion of the fund's long portfolio for which carbon emissions data is not available, the rate of carbon emissions for the long portfolio for which carbon emissions data is available, is applied. This is an estimate and is subject to change. The actual carbon emissions attributable to the fund may vary considerably from the estimate provided

<sup>1.</sup> The "Long %" is the exposure to long securities and long securities/index derivative positions, the "Short %" is the exposure to short securities and short securities/index derivative positions, the "Net %" is the difference between the long % and the short %, and the "Gross %" is the sum of the long % and short % - each as a percentage of the fund's portfolio value.

<sup>2.</sup> Country classifications for securities reflect Bloomberg's "country of risk" designations.

<sup>3.</sup> Sector classifications generally reflect GICS sectors. Index positions (whether through ETFs or derivatives) are only included under the relevant sector if they are sector specific, otherwise they are included under "Other".

<sup>4.</sup> Figures used in market cap breakdown are sourced from Bloomberg.

<sup>5. &</sup>quot;Currency Breakdown" is the effective currency exposure as a percentage of the fund's portfolio value taking into account long and short securities, cash, forwards and long and short securities/index derivative positions. Currency classifications for securities reflect the relevant local currencies of the Bloomberg "country of risk" designations.

<sup>6.</sup> As a % of the fund's portfolio value.

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## SHARE CLASS PERFORMANCE

	Class A	Class B	Class D	Class E	Class F	Class G	Class H
Inception date	Not seeded	Not seeded	28 Oct 2022	Not seeded	Not seeded	Not seeded	Not seeded
Class currency	USD	USD	USD	EUR	EUR	GBP	GBP
Unit price			10.54				
1 month			(2.0)				
3 months			(2.9)				
6 months			4.1				
Calendar YTD			2.3				

Source: Platinum. Returns are total returns, calculated using the NAV per share of the stated share class, are pre-tax, net of fees and costs (note the anti-dilution levy is not an expense of the fund) and assume the accumulation of net income and capital gains attributable to the relevant share class. **Past performance is not a reliable indicator of future performance.** Returns are calculated in their respective class currencies and could be reduced, or losses incurred, due to currency fluctuations.

#### **SHARE CLASS TERMS**

	Class A	Class B	Class D	Class E	Class F	Class G	Class H
Inception date	Not seeded	Not seeded	28 Oct 2022	Not seeded	Not seeded	Not seeded	Not seeded
ISIN	IE000NKIQD15	IE000UMHXMB1	IE0000SJFC91	IE000HU3QKX6	IE000NUURRK4	IE000YV5UM84	IE000ULXROS2
Class currency	USD	USD	USD	EUR	EUR	GBP	GBP
Minimum initial investment	500,000	100,000	100,000	400,000	80,000	300,000	60,000
Minimum subsequent investment	25,000	25,000	25,000	20,000	20,000	20,000	20,000
Minimum holding	500,000	100,000	100,000	400,000	80,000	300,000	60,000
Anti-dilution levy	0.25%	0.25%	0.25%	0.25%	0.25%	0.25%	0.25%
Base fee	0.75%	1.40%	1.40%	0.75%	1.40%	0.75%	1.40%
Cap on total fees	1.00%	1.65%	1.65%	1.00%	1.65%	1.00%	1.65%
Performance fee over hurdle	15.00%	n/a	n/a	15.00%	n/a	15.00%	n/a
Voting rights	yes	yes	no	yes	yes	yes	yes

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