

A Cayman-domiciled mutual fund with monthly liquidity. The investment objective of the Company is to seek long-term capital appreciation of its assets by investing in a portfolio of the equity securities of smaller Vietnamese companies with a market capitalisation of US\$ 20 million to US\$ 250 million.

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#### Custodian

DBS Bank Ltd., Hong Kong Branch

Auditor Ernst & Young Ltd., Cayman Islands

## **Liquidity & Fees**

Dealing Day: The 1st business day in each month Subscriptions: 2 business days notice Redemptions: 3 months notice Management fee: 1.5% p.a. Performance fee: 15% over 8% per annum with high water mark

Redemption fee: 3% within first 12 months, 1% thereafter payable to the Fund

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Launch Date	8 December 2015
Issue Price	US\$ 2.50
NAV per share	At 30 June 2017
Lead Series	3.279
Series 3	3.303
Series 4	3.328
Series 5	3.338
Series 6	3.350
Series 7	3.324
Series 9	3.279
Series 10	3.278
Fund Size	US\$8.0 mn (30 June 2017)
No. of Holdings	24
ISIN (Lead Series)	KYG7307A1058
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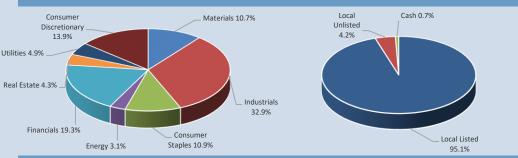
# **PXP Vietnam Smaller Companies Fund – PXP VSCF** 10 July 2017

### **Manager's Commentary**

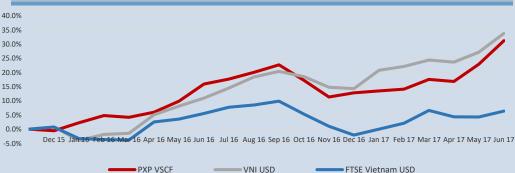
June was the Fund's strongest month since inception with the gain driven by holdings in the brokerage, consumer, real estate and industrials sectors. That Vietnam was not included on MSCI's Emerging Market watchlist was shrugged off and the VNI has continued to post new-nine year highs on an almost daily basis, and closed above 780 points last week. Turnover at HoSE in Q2 has increased 47% q/q to c.\$190 mn per day and the Fund's two brokerage holdings have performed especially well.

The macroeconomic environment remains sound with second quarter GDP growth faster at 6.2% y/y (from 5.1% in Q1) but still short of the PM's 2017 promise of 6.7%. Our forecast remains at 6.5% but high-level policy to support the economy could give it a boost; indeed the central bank cut key interest rates by 0.25% over the weekend.

## **Portfolio Breakdown**



#### **NAV Performance vs Benchmark**



#### **NAV Performance: Rolling**

	PXP VSCF *	Viet Nam Index**
June 2017	+6.70%	+5.20%
12 months	+13.19%	+20.56%
Inception	+31.16%	+33.75%

#### **NAV Performance: Calendar**

	PXP VSCF *	Viet Nam Index**
YTD	+16.28%	+17.04%
2016	+13.44%	+13.39%
2015	-0.56%	+0.78%

\* All figures are NET of fees \*\* Index performance in US\$ All performance data as at 30 June 2017

### Vietnam Macro Latest Releases

	2016	YTD	
GDP Growth y/y**	6.21%	6.17%	
Trade surplus / (deficit)*	US\$2.6bn	US\$ -2.7bn	
СРІ у/у *	4.74%	2.54%	
Latest			
Vietnam Dong / USD *	22,720		
Nikkei PMI *	52.5		
Disbursed FDI y/y **	9.0%		

Source: GSO, Customs Office & Bloomberg

Latest monthly data \*\* Latest quarterly data

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