**ALQUITY INDIAN SC FUND:** 

FACTSHEET AS AT: NAV: GBP R

SEPTEMBER 2024

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## MONTHLY SUMMARY

Those NAV prices displayed with duplicated ISINs, in currencies other than the base currency of USD, are reflected only on an unofficial and indicative basis. The aforementioned NAVs are for guidance only and we can give no assurances of its accuracy. The official NAV for those ISINs is in USD.

- Indian markets registered moderate gains during the month
- The monsoon continues to be 'above average'
- Consumer price inflation was slightly higher than expected in August

## PERFORMANCE OVERVIEW

					2024
JAN	-8.8%	-0.4%	-0.8%	-3.7%	-0.8%
FEB	-3.9%	5.7%	-4.9%	-O.7%	1.0%
MAR	-29.7%	3.8%	2.3%	-2.3%	-O.1%
APR	9.8%	-2.7%	2.9%	1.0%	4.0%
MAY	-1.4%	9.9%	-5.1%	5.2%	-1.0%
JUN	9.9%	4.0%	-1.8%	3.3%	8.9%
JUL	0.5%	1.6%	8.3%	1.1%	1.0%
AUG	5.2%	9.0%	6.4%	1.4%	-3.3%
SEP	5.9%	1.6%	-0.5%	3.5%	-0.2%
OCT	0.4%	-1.0%	-2.0%	-3.2%	
NOV	8.5%	0.3%	1.4%	1.6%	
DEC	5.5%	1.9%	-6.4%	3.5%	
ANNUAL	8.7%	38.5%	-1.3%	10.9%	9.4%

VOLATILITY\* 1Y 14.6%
\*Volatility as of 30th September 2024

3Y\* 16.7%

\*Where the share class has not been running for 3 years, the volatility figure displayed is since the inception of the share class

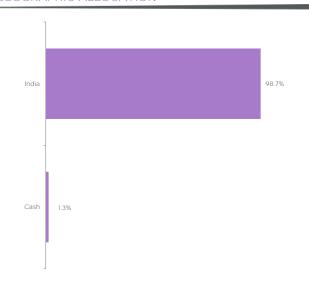


PERFORMANCE SUMMARY:					
1 Month:	-O.2%	1 Year:	11.4%		
3 Months:	-2.5%	3 Years:	21.2%		
6 Months:	9.2%	Inception:	199.0%		
Year to Date:	9.4%	Annualised:	11.1%		

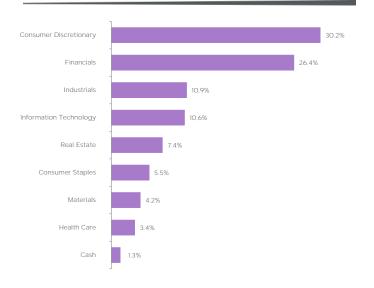
the fund's inception
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\*For the purposes of reporting, the unrealised capital gains have been removed from the portfolio characteristics calculations, however remain part of the Net Asset Value calculation

## GEOGRAPHIC ALLOCATION



## SECTOR ALLOCATION



#### MONTHLY UPDATE

Indian markets registered moderate gains during the month.

Consumer price inflation was slightly higher than expected in August, but still well-controlled at 3.65% year on year.

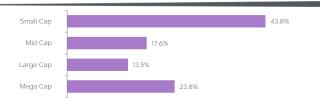
The monsoon continues to be 'above average' which we expect to boost rural spending as we move into the festival season.

Our portfolio remains focused on winners from India's ongoing structural growth, as well as companies benefiting from the expected rural recovery and upcoming declines in interest rates.

#### **TOP 10 HOLDINGS**

	TOTAL	40.4%
10.	Oberoi Realty	2.9%
9.	Skipper	3.1%
8.	Dabur	3.2%
7.	Lemon Tree Hotels	3.3%
6.	Aptus Value Housing Finance	3.3%
5.	TCS	3.8%
4.	Mahindra & Mahindra	4.6%
3.	Infosys	4.8%
2.	HDFC Bank	5.6%
1.	ICICI Bank	5.8%

## CAPITALISATION



Small Cap (less than \$10bn), Mid Cap (\$10bn to \$25bn), Large Cap (\$25bn to \$50bn), Mega Cap (\$50bn and above)

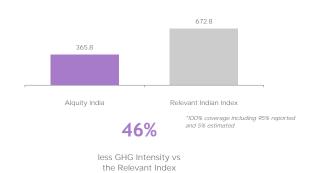
#### PERFORMANCE CONTRIBUTORS AND DETRACTORS

The Indian ETF rose 1.4% in US Dollar terms in September.

At a sector level, the Fund benefited from the zero weighting in the Energy sector and the overweight to the Consumer Discretionary sector, but suffered from the zero weighting to Utilities and the underweight to Materials.

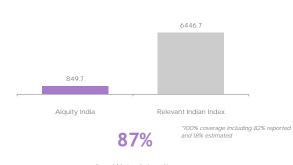
At a stock level, strong gains were registered from Go Fashion, Vmart and Skipper Ltd - as well as from a zero weighting in Reliance Industries and Tata Motors. However, this was partly offset by the poor performance of Lemon Tree Hotels and Redington.

# SCOPE 1 & 2 GHG INTENSITY (TONNES/\$MN)



Source: Alquity, as of 30th June 2024

## WATER INTENSITY (TONNES/\$MN)



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#### **ESG: KEY PROGRESS INDICATORS**

For all portfolio holdings, we track a set of Key Progress Indicators "KPIs" that represent a general set of transparency and ESG standards we want all firms to meet over time. In each case, the assessment has a financial motivation and an associated positive potential impact in line with the principles of the UN Global Compact. The chart summarises the where we stand in relation to the KPIs for all the portfolio holdings. These KPIs support our engagement activity with our holdings. Please contact us or refer to our Responsible Investment brochure for full details.

#### Holdings meeting each KPI standard - % of companies 1



<sup>1</sup>Source: Alguity, as of 31st of December 2023. \*KPIs launched in 2019. \*\* KPIs introduced in 2020.

#### TRANSFORMING LIVES

We donate a proportion of our fees from the Alquity Indian Subcontinent Fund to charity partners in the region, reinforcing our belief that social progress should also lead to financial success.

DONATIONS GENERATED BY THE INDIAN SUBCONTINENT FUND: \$404,448

LIVES TRANSFORMED DIRECTLY: 1,801

LIVES TRANSFORMED INDIRECTLY: 9,200

Total Lives Transformed by Alquity



#### Total Donations generated by Alquity



Data correct at 30 Jun 24

Source: Alquity Transforming Lives Foundation

For more information about the Alquity Transforming Lives Foundation please visit www.alquityfoundation.org

#### **FUND FACTS**

Fund: Alguity Indian Subcontinent Fund

 Share Class :
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 Inception Date :
 05/05/2014

 Fund AUM :
 US\$ 64.1m

Number of Holdings: 44

Fund Structure: UCITS V SICAV

Domicile: Luxembourg

Liquidity: Daily

Fund Manager: Mike Sell

Minimum Investment: £5,000

Annual Management Fee: 1.10%

Performance Fee : 15% (with hurdle & high watermark)

ISIN: LU1049768085
SEDOL: BLDYYHO
Bloomberg Ticker: ALISGBR

#### **FUND OBJECTIVE**

The Alquity Indian Subcontinent Fund is equity focused and targets attractive risk-adjusted returns over the long-term by investing in public companies across the Indian Subcontinent. Our portfolio emphasises long-term themes, transparency and alignment of management. This is achieved by a fundamental process which incorporates both financial valuation and Environmental, Social and Governance analysis of material non-financial factors.

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