# Schroder International Selection Fund BRIC (Brazil, Russia, India, China)

A1 Accumulation EUR Share Class

#### **Fund Launch Date**

31 October 2005

#### **Total Fund Size (Million)**

USD 1,382.7

#### **Share Price End of Month (EUR)**

144.16

#### Total number of holdings

47

#### **Benchmark**

MSCI BRIC Net TR

#### **Fund Manager**

Allan Conway & Waj Hashmi

#### Managed fund since

31 October 2005

#### **Historic Yield**

0.53 %

#### **Essential Statistics over 3 years**

|                              | Fund | Benchmark |
|------------------------------|------|-----------|
| Annual Volatility (%)        | 17.8 | 17.9      |
| Alpha (%)                    | 0.3  |           |
| Beta                         | 1.0  |           |
| Information Ratio            | 0.0  |           |
| Sharpe Ratio                 | 0.3  | 0.2       |
| Predicted Tracking Error (%) | 3.5  |           |

The above ratios are based on bid to bid price based performance data.

#### **Financial Ratios**

|                            | Fund | Benchmark |
|----------------------------|------|-----------|
| P/Book Value               | 2.5  | 1.8       |
| P/E Ratio                  | 16.5 | 14.0      |
| Predicted P/E Ratio        | 12.8 | 11.6      |
| ROE (%)                    | 20.9 | 17.4      |
| Dividend Yield (%)         | 2.5  | 2.9       |
| 3 Year Earnings Growth (%) | 13.0 | 10.5      |

These financial ratios refer to the average of the equity holdings contained in the fund's portfolio and in the benchmark (if mentioned) respectively.

## Investment Objective and Policy

To provide capital growth primarily through investment in equity and equity related securities of Brazilian, Russian, Indian and Chinese companies.

## Risk Considerations

The capital invested is not guaranteed. The fund will frequently make investments using currencies which are different to the fund currency and this may affect the value of the investments and any consequent yields or dividend payments. Investments in equities are subject to market risk and this risk is not hedged. In order to access restricted markets, the fund may invest in structured products, such as fully funded participation notes and warrants, that have no supporting collateral. The use of these products creates counterparty risk and consequent risk of default. The fund may invest in assets that are difficult to sell quickly which may affect the value of the fund and, in extreme conditions, its ability to meet redemption requests upon demand. The fund may use financial derivative instruments as part of the investment process. There is no guarantee that they will deliver the expected

## Performance Analysis

| Performance (%) | 1<br>month | 3<br>months | 6<br>months | YTD  | 1 year | 3 years | 5 years | Since Launch |
|-----------------|------------|-------------|-------------|------|--------|---------|---------|--------------|
| Fund            | -1.9       | 1.8         | 4.7         | 10.3 | 10.3   | 15.2    | 4.8     | 73.0         |
| Benchmark       | -2.4       | 0.1         | 5.0         | 10.6 | 10.6   | 15.2    | 7.5     | 96.0         |

| Discrete Yearly<br>Performance (%) | Q4/2013 -<br>Q4/2014 | Q4/2012 -<br>Q4/2013 | Q4/2011 -<br>Q4/2012 | Q4/2010 -<br>Q4/2011 | Q4/2009 -<br>Q4/2010 |
|------------------------------------|----------------------|----------------------|----------------------|----------------------|----------------------|
| Fund                               | 10.3                 | -6.0                 | 11.0                 | -20.2                | 14.0                 |
| Benchmark                          | 10.6                 | -7.7                 | 12.8                 | -20.3                | 17.0                 |

#### Performance over 5 years (%)



Past performance is not a reliable indicator of future results, prices of shares and the income from them may fall as well as rise and investors may not get back the amount originally invested.

All fund performance data are on a NAV to NAV basis, net income reinvested. Data is not available for the time periods with no % growth stated. In case a share class is created after the fund's launch date, a simulated past performance is used, based upon the performance of an existing share class within the fund, taking into account the difference in the ongoing charges and the portfolio transaction costs, and including the impact of any performance fees if applicable.

Some performance differences between the fund and the benchmark may arise because the fund performance is calculated at a different valuation point from the benchmark.

#### Source: Schroder

The fund currency may differ from that of your country of residence and the analysis of performance can differ when expressed in different currencies.

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**HDFC Bank** 

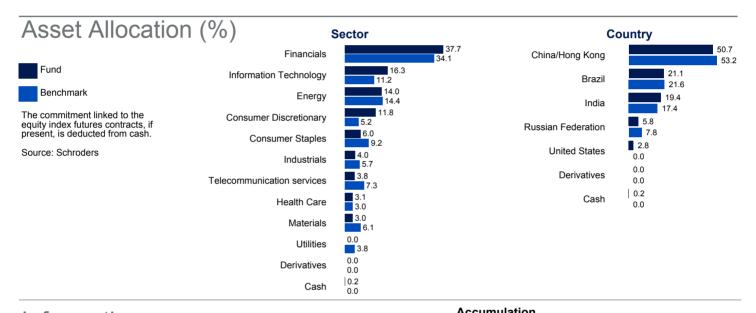
# **Holdings Analysis**

| Top 10 Holdings       |                       | Sector                     | % NAV                  |
|-----------------------|-----------------------|----------------------------|------------------------|
| 1. Tencent Holdings   | 3                     | Information Technology     | 8.1                    |
| 2. China Construction | on Bank               | Financials                 | 7.9                    |
| 3. China Petroleum    | & Chemical            | Energy                     | 5.6                    |
| 4. China Pacific Ins  | urance Group          | Financials                 | 5.4                    |
| 5. Itau Unibanco Ho   | olding                | Financials                 | 5.0                    |
| 6. HDFC Bank          |                       | Financials                 | 4.6                    |
| 7. China Life Insura  | nce                   | Financials                 | 4.5                    |
| 8. Axis Bank          |                       | Financials                 | 4.0                    |
| 9. China Mobile       |                       | Telecommunication services | 3.8                    |
| 10. Industrial & Com  | mercial Bank of China | Financials                 | 2.8                    |
| Overweights           | (%) Underweights      | (%) Market Cap S           | Total 51.7<br>plit (%) |

China Pacific Insurance Group China Petroleum & Chemical Overweights and underweights data are based on China Construction Bank Axis Bank

| (%)         | Underweights                     | (%)  | Total<br>Market Cap Split | 51.7<br>(%) |
|-------------|----------------------------------|------|---------------------------|-------------|
| 4.6         | Bank of China                    | -2.9 | <500 Million              | 0.5         |
| 4.5         | Infosys                          | -1.8 | >=500<1000 Million        | 1.2         |
| 4.3         | Housing Development              | -1 7 | >=1000<2000 Million       | 0.0         |
| 4.1 Finance | Finance                          |      | >=2000<5000 Million       | 3.2         |
| 4.0         | Ping An Insurance Group of China | -1.7 | >=5000 Million            | 95.1        |
|             | CNOOC                            | -1.5 | Unclassified              | 0.0         |
|             |                                  |      |                           |             |

fund's exposure to holdings grouped by name.



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|                                    | Accumulation  |
|------------------------------------|---|
| SEDOL                              | B11ZCD7   |
| Bloomberg                          | SCHISAE:LX  |
| Reuters                            | LU0248178906.LUF  |
| ISIN                               | LU0248178906  |
| Fund Base Currency                 | USD   |
| Dealing Frequency                  | Daily (13:00 CET)   |
| Entry Charge                       | 4.00 % of gross investment amount   |
| Ongoing Charges (latest available) | 2.43 %  |
| Minimum Investment Amount          | EUR 1000 or USD 1000 or their near equivalent in any other freely convertible<br>currency. The minimum subscription amount may be waived at the Directors'<br>discretion. |

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