

# **Quarterly Headlines**

The MSCI China Index gained 2.0% during the second quarter. Index returns were supported by strong performance from the financials, healthcare and IT sectors. Notably, the consumer discretionary was weak, driven by poor performance from internet companies driven by profit taking from earlier strength and increasing competition.

The Mondrian China Concentrated equity portfolio outperformed the index in this quarter. Overweight positioning and strong selection in healthcare contributed to portfolio performance. Additionally, stock selection in consumer discretionary stocks was also a contributor. On the other hand, underweight positioning in financials and IT sectors detracted from performance.

# Strategy at a Glance

- Strategy Inception: December 2018
- Investment Team Size of 8
- Active, value-oriented defensive strategy
- Detailed, long-term fundamental analysis
- Consistent application of income-oriented valuation approach
- History of outperformance versus the benchmark
- Portfolio contains 20 35 issuers
- Annual turnover is generally 30 50%

## **Investment Professionals**



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## **Performance Summary**

|   | Composite<br>(Gross) | Composite<br>(Net) | Benchmark | Secondary<br>Benchmark |
|---|----------------------|--------------------|-----------|------------------------|
| Quarter 2, 2025                                 | 3.7%                 | 3.5%               | 2.0%      | 1.7%                   |
| 1 Year  | 29.5%                | 28.6%              | 33.8%     | 34.8%                  |
| 3 Years (Annualized)                            | 1.4%                 | 0.6%               | 3.1%      | 6.2%                   |
| 5 Years (Annualized)                            | 1.4%                 | 0.7%               | -1.0%     | 3.7%                   |
| Since Inception (Annualized)<br>January 1, 2019 | 6.0%                 | 5.3%               | 3.1%      | 2.7%                   |

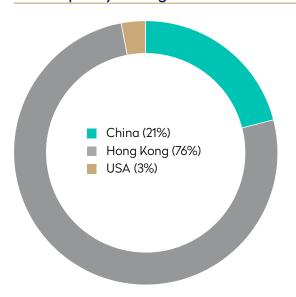
#### **Attribution**

| Market and Currency | Stock Selection | Total |
|---------------------|-----------------|-------|
| -0.1%               | 1.7%            | 1.6%  |
| Sector              | Stock Selection | Total |
| -1.2%               | 2.8%            | 1.6%  |

All returns in: USD Composite: Concentrated China Equity Benchmark: MSCI China Index Secondary Benchmark: MSCI China Value Index Source: Mondrian Investment Partners and MSCI

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## Stock Split by Listing Location



#### Sector Allocation

| Sector              | Portfolio Weight | Relative<br>Weight |
|---------------------|------------------|--------------------|
| Cons. Discretionary |                  | 32.2% +3.3%        |
| Comm. Services      | 22.3%            | +0.2%              |
| Financials          | 11.4%            | -7.5%              |
| Consumer Staples    | 7.7%             | +4.1%              |
| Industrials         | 7.5%             | +3.2%              |
| Utilities           | 7.4%             | +5.3%              |
| Energy              | 4.9%             | +2.4%              |
| Info. Technology    | 2.4%             | -6.6%              |
| Health Care         | 2.4%             | -1.6%              |
| Materials           | 0.0%             | -2.9%              |
| Real Estate         | 0.0%             | -1.7%              |
| Cash                | 1.8%             | -                  |

# **Strategy Characteristics**

|   | Portfolio | Benchmark |
|---|-----------|-----------|
| Weighted Average P/E<br>(trailing 12 months)  | 11.4x     | 13.3x     |
| Weighted Average P/B                          | 1.4x      | 1.5x      |
| Weighted Average<br>Dividend Yield            | 3.4%      | 2.2%      |
| Number of Holdings                            | 29        | 558       |
| Weighted Average Market<br>Cap (USD, billion) | 134.5     | 161.9     |
| Median Market Cap<br>(USD, billion)           | 12.6      | 2.5       |
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# **Our Organization**

- Founded in 1990, with over 30 years of stable, consistent leadership
- Approximately USD 50 billion under management and advisement
- Mondrian is employee-owned; approximately half of employees are partners
- Consistent, income-oriented value discipline has been applied to all products since the firm's inception
- Highly experienced team of 52 investment professionals in London

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## **Defensive Characteristics**



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