

Why China A-Shares?

PEK[®] VanEck Vectors[™] ChinaAMC CSI 300 ETF

China A-shares are stocks listed on China's Shanghai and Shenzhen Stock Exchanges and represent the largest component of China's equity market. Many U.S.-listed, China-focused ETFs track indices that provide exposure only to H-shares, or Chinese stocks listed in Hong Kong. Including A-shares in a portfolio may provide differentiated performance and help to complete an investor's emerging markets allocation.

China A-shares Have Historically Outperformed H-shares



Potential for Diversification of International Equity Exposure

China A-shares have historically experienced lower correlations to broad market indices, compared to H-shares.

Correlations 1/31/05 - 12/31/16	CSI 300* Index	HSCEI Index	FTSE China 50 Index	S&P 500 Index	MSCI EAFE Index	MSCI Emerging Markets Index
CSI 300 Index*	1.00	0.51	0.49	0.09	0.23	0.37
HSCEI Index		1.00	0.99	0.23	0.55	0.78
FTSE China 50 Index			1.00	0.23	0.56	0.79
S&P 500 Index				1.00	0.51	0.48
MSCI EAFE Index					1.00	0.81
MSCI Emerging Markets Index						1.00

VanEck Vectors ChinaAMC CSI 300 ETF (PEK) seeks to replicate as closely as possible, before fees and expenses, the price and yield performance of the CSI 300 Index (CSI0300), which is comprised of the 300 largest and most liquid stocks in the Chinese A-share market.

*Index data prior to October 1, 2010 reflects the CSI 300 Index (CSI0300). From October 1, 2010 forward, the data reflects the VanEck Vectors ChinaAMC CSI 300 ETF (PEK). Source: FactSet. Data as of December 31, 2016. See reverse side for fund performance, share class definitions, and index descriptions. All performance quoted represents past performance and is not a guarantee of future results. Index performance is not illustrative of fund performance, and the actual performance of the fund may vary significantly from this data. Index returns assume reinvestment of all income and dividends and do not reflect any management fees or brokerage expenses. Indices are unmanaged and are not securities in which investments can be made. Diversification does not assure profit nor protect against loss.

Correlation describes a complementary or parallel relationship between two investments. The correlation coefficient is a measure that determines the degree to which two variables' movements are associated and will vary from -1.0 to 1.0. -1.0 indicates perfect negative correlation, and 1.0 indicates perfect positive correlation.

Fund Characteristics	PEK
Number of Holdings	302
Commencement Date	10/13/10
30-Day SEC Yield ⁴	1.28%
Management Fee	0.50%
Other Expenses	0.70%
Gross Expense Ratio	1.20%
Fee Waiver/Reimbursement ⁵	-0.45%
Net Expense Ratio	0.75%

Total Return (%)	PEK
YTD*	NAV -16.16
	Share Price -15.23
1 Yr	NAV -16.16
	Share Price -15.23
3 Yr	NAV 7.81
	Share Price 6.61
5 Yr	NAV 5.51
	Share Price 4.49
Since Fund Inception 10/13/10	NAV -0.14
	Share Price 1.81

Data as of December 31, 2016.

*Returns less than one year are not annualized.

⁴ In the absence of temporary waivers or reimbursements, the 30-Day SEC Yield would have been 0.95% on December 31, 2016.⁵ Expenses for PEK are capped contractually at 0.72% until 05/01/17. Cap excludes certain expenses such as interest expenses, offering costs, trading expenses, taxes, extraordinary expenses and acquired fund fees and expenses (AFFEs).

Performance data quoted represents past performance which is no guarantee of future results and which may be lower or higher than current performance. Performance current to the most recent month end available by calling 800.826.2333 or by visiting vaneck.com. Investment returns and ETF share values will fluctuate so that investors' shares, when redeemed, may be worth more or less than their original cost. ETF returns assume that dividends and capital gains distributions have been reinvested in the Fund at NAV.

DEFINITIONS: **A-shares** are companies incorporated in China that trade on the Shanghai and Shenzhen stock exchanges, are quoted in Renminbi (RMB), and are only available to domestic Chinese investors, Qualified Foreign Institutional Investors (QFIs), and RQFIs (the "R" stands for Renminbi). **B-shares** are companies incorporated in China that trade on the Shanghai and Shenzhen stock exchanges, are quoted in foreign currencies (Shanghai: USD; Shenzhen: HKD), and are available to foreign investors. **H-shares** are companies incorporated in China that trade on the Hong Kong Stock Exchange. **Red Chips** are companies incorporated outside of China that trade on the Hong Kong Stock Exchange and are controlled by organizations or enterprises that are owned by the state, provinces, or municipalities of the People's Republic of China (PRC). **P Chips** are companies incorporated outside of China that trade on the Hong Kong Stock Exchange and satisfy the following criteria: 1) the company is controlled by PRC individuals, 2) the company derives more than 80% of its revenue from PRC, and 3) the company allocates more than 60% of its assets in PRC.

The **CSI 300 Index** consists of 300 stocks with the largest market capitalizations and liquidity among A-shares listed on the Shanghai and Shenzhen Stock Exchanges. **HSCEI Index** is the Hang Seng China Enterprises Index ("H-shares Index") and is the major index that tracks the performance of China enterprises listed in Hong Kong in the form of H-shares. **FTSE China 50 Index** includes the largest 50 Chinese stocks (H-shares, Red Chips, and P Chips) listed on the Stock Exchange of Hong Kong, ranked by full market capitalization. **S&P 500 Index** is widely regarded as the best single gauge of large cap U.S. equities, including 500 leading companies capturing approximately 80% coverage of available U.S. market capitalization. **MSCI EAFE Index** represents developed markets outside of North America in Europe, Australasia, and the Far East. **MSCI Emerging Markets Index** captures large- and mid-cap equity representation across 23 countries considered emerging markets by MSCI.

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Fund shares are not individually redeemable and will be issued and redeemed at their net asset value ("NAV") only through certain authorized broker-dealers in large, specified blocks of shares called "creation units" and otherwise can be bought and sold only through exchange trading. Creation units are issued and redeemed principally in kind. Shares may trade at a premium or discount to their NAV in the secondary market.

The Fund may gain exposure to the China A-share market by directly investing in China A-Shares and investing in swaps that are linked to the performance of China A-Shares. An investment in the Fund involves a significant degree of risk, including, but not limited to, the Adviser's and Sub-adviser's ability to manage the Fund, which depends upon the availability of China A-Shares and the willingness of swap counterparties to engage in swaps with the Fund linked to the performance of China A-Shares. The Fund may invest in swaps and derivatives, which entail certain risks, including limited availability of swaps, counterparty risk, liquidity risk, risk of A-Shares and the RQFII system, tax risk (including short-term capital gains and/or ordinary income), and currency risk. The Fund may also invest in shares of other funds and may absorb duplicate levels of fees. Investors should be willing to accept a high degree of volatility and the potential of significant loss.

The Fund is subject to elevated risks associated with investments in Chinese securities, including A-shares, which include risk of the RQFII regime and Stock Connect program, adviser and sub-adviser risk, political and economic instability, inflation, confiscatory taxation, nationalization, and expropriation, market volatility, less reliable financial information, differences in accounting, auditing, and financial standards and requirements from those applicable to U.S. issuers, and uncertainty of implementation of existing Chinese law. In addition, the Fund is also subject to liquidity and valuation risks, currency risk, non-diversification risk, and other risks associated with foreign and emerging markets investments.

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