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# Product Highlights Sheet Principal China Direct Opportunities Fund (Class MYR, Class SGD and Class USD)

### **Responsibility Statement**

This PHS has been reviewed by the authorised committee approved by the directors of Principal Malaysia. Having made all reasonable inquiries, they confirm to the best of their knowledge and belief, that there are no false or misleading statements or omissions of other facts which would make any statement in this PHS false or misleading.

### **Statements of Disclaimer**

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#### The Manager

Principal Malaysia was incorporated on 13 June 1994 and is a joint venture between PFG and CIMB Group. Principal Malaysia has experience operating unit trust funds since 1994.

This PHS supersedes the PHS dated 27 October 2023.

This PHS only highlights the key features and risks of this unlisted capital market product. We recommend that you read this PHS together with the Master Prospectus. You are advised to request, read and understand the Master Prospectus before deciding to invest.



## Brief Information on Principal China Direct Opportunities Fund

The Fund is an open-end equity fund issued by Principal Malaysia. The Fund seeks opportunities through investments primarily in China A-Shares with the aim to provide capital appreciation. The Fund is established with a multi-class structure and is allowed to establish new Class(es) from time to time without your prior consent.

This is neither a capital protected nor a capital guaranteed fund.

## **Product Suitability**

This Fund is suitable for investors who:

- have a long term investment horizon;
- want exposure in China A-Shares;
- seek capital appreciation in the long term; and
- can accept that investment returns may fluctuate over the investment period.

## **Key Product Features**

Fund Category/Type	Equity/ Growth.					
Base currency	RMB.					
Benchmark	CSI500 Index.					
		l is	different from the benchmark.			You are cautioned that the risk enchmark can be obtained from
Investment strategy	www.csindex.com.cn/en.The Fund will invest at least 70% of its NAV (both inclusive) in equities that are listed on the Shanghai Stock Exchange or the Shenzhen Stock Exchange ("China A-Shares") directly via RQFII quota. Under general market conditions, the Fund will seek opportunities within the China A-Shares universe by focusing mainly in mid-capitalization and/or small-capitalization companies which we believe will exhibit 					
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## Key Risks

General risks of inves	ting in a unit trust fund
Returns and capital not guaranteed	The investment of the fund is subject to market fluctuations and its inherent risk. There is NO GUARANTEE on the investment which includes your investment capital and returns, nor any assurance that the fund's objective will be achieved. You should also note that the fund is neither a capital guaranteed fund nor a capital protected fund. However, we reduce this risk by ensuring diligent management of the assets of the fund based on a structured investment process.
Market risk	This risk refers to the possibility that an investment will lose value because of a general decline in financial markets, due to economic, political and/or other factors, which will result in a decline in the fund's NAV.
Inflation risk	This is the risk that your investment in the fund may not grow or generate income at a rate that keeps pace with inflation. This would reduce your purchasing power even though the value of the investment in monetary terms has increased.
Financing risk	This risk occurs when you obtain financing to finance your investment. The inherent risk of investing with money obtained from financing includes you being unable to service the financing payments. In the event units are used as collateral and if the prices of units fall below a certain level due to market conditions, you may be required to pay an additional amount on top of your existing instalment. If you fail to do so within the time prescribed, your units may be sold at an unfavourable price and the proceeds thereof will be used towards the settlement of your financing.
Manager risk	This risk refers to the day-to-day management of the fund by the manager which will impact the performance of the fund. For example, investment decisions undertaken by the manager, as a result of an incorrect view of the market or any non-compliance with internal policies, investment mandate, the deed, relevant law or guidelines due to factors such as human error or weaknesses in operational process and systems, may adversely affect the performance of the fund.
Liquidity risk	Liquidity risk refers to the ease of liquidating an asset without causing market dislocation. This depends on the supply and demand as well as the asset's volume or amount traded in the market. If the fund holds assets that are illiquid, or are difficult to dispose of, the value of the fund and consequently the value of unitholders' investment in the fund may be negatively affected when the fund has to sell such assets at unfavourable prices.
Specific risks associat	ed with the investment portfolio of the Fund
Stock specific risk	Prices of a particular stock may fluctuate in response to the circumstances affecting individual companies such as adverse financial performance, news of a possible merger or loss of key personnel of a company. Any adverse price movements of such stock will adversely affect the Fund's NAV.
Country risk	Investments of the Fund in any country may be affected by changes in the economic and political climate, restriction on currency repatriation or other developments in the law or regulations of the countries in which the Fund invests in. For example, the deteriorating economic condition of such countries may adversely affect the value of the investments undertaken by the Fund in those affected countries. This in turn may cause the NAV of the Fund to fall.
Currency risk	Currency risk at the Fund's portfolio levelAs the investments of the Fund may be denominated in currencies other than the base currency of theFund, any fluctuation in the exchange rate between the base currency of the Fund and the currencies inwhich the investments are denominated may have an impact on the value of these investments. Youshould be aware that if the currencies in which the investments are denominated may have an adverse effect on the NAV of the Fund in the basecurrency of the Fund, this will have an adverse effect on the NAV of the Fund in the basecurrency of the Fund and vice versa. You should note that any gains or losses arising from the fluctuationin the exchange rate may further increase or decrease the returns of the investment.
	<u>Currency risk at the Class level</u> You should also be aware that currency risk is applicable to Class(es) which is denominated in a different currency than the base currency of the Fund. The impact of the exchange rate movement between the base currency of the Fund and the currency denomination of the respective Class(es) may result in a depreciation of the value of your holdings as expressed in the currency denomination of the respective Class(es).
	You should realise that currency risk is considered as one of the major risks due to the volatile nature of the foreign exchange market. When deemed necessary, we may utilize derivative instruments, subject to GUTF, to hedge currency risk. If the Fund utilizes derivative for hedging against the base currency of the Fund, you should note that as a result of hedging, the Fund will not be able to enjoy the full benefits of currency movement in the event of a favourable movement of currency.

Credit and default	The Fund will be exposed to a certain degree of credit and default risk of issuers or counterparties when
risk	the Fund invests in debt securities, money market instruments and/or places in Deposits. Credit risk relates to the creditworthiness of the securities issuers or counterparties and their expected ability to make timely payment of interest and/or principal. Any adverse situations faced by the issuer or counterparties may impact the value as well as liquidity of the investments. In the case of rated debt securities, this may lead to a credit downgrade. Default risk relates to the risk that a securities issuer or counterparties either defaulting on payments or failing to make payments in a timely manner which will in turn adversely affect the value of the investments. This could adversely affect the value of the Fund. We aim to mitigate this risk by performing bottom-up and top-down credit research and analysis to determine the creditworthiness of the issuers or counterparties, and impose investment limits on exposures to issuers or counterparties with different credit profiles as a precautionary step to limit any loss that may arise directly or indirectly as a result of a defaulted exposure.

The above summary of risks does not purport to be an exhaustive list of all the risk factors relating to investments in the Fund and are not set out in any particular order of priority. You should be aware that an investment in a unit trust fund may be exposed to other risks from time to time. If in doubt, you should consult professional advisers for a better understanding of the risks.

**Note:** If your investments are made through an IUTA via a nominee system of ownership, you would not be deemed to be a Unit holder under the Deed and as a result, you may not exercise all the rights ordinarily conferred to a Unit holder (e.g. the right to call for Unit holders' meetings and the right to vote at a Unit holders' meeting).

## **Fees & Charges**

	Class(es) of units					
	Class MYR	Class SGD	Class USD			
Application Fee*		Up to 5.50% of the NAV per unit.				
Withdrawal Fee		NIL				
Switching Fee	Malaysia's fund (or its classes), yo between the Application Fees	wal from a Class and an investmen ou may be charged a Switching Fee of the Class and Application Fees o You will not be charged a Switchin e switched into has a lower Applica of the Class. We may impose	equal to the difference (if any) of the other Class or Principal og Fee if the Class or Principal			
	MYR100.00	SGD35.00	USD35.00			
	(or equivalent) as the administrative fee for every switch. You may negotiate to lower the Switching Fee and/or administrative fee. We also have the discretion to waive the Switching Fee and/or administrative fees.					
Transfer Fee	A maximum of MYR50.00	A maximum of SGD15.00	A maximum of USD15.00			
	may be charged for each transfer.					
Management Fee	Up to 1.	.80% per annum of the NAV of the	Class.			
Trustee Fee	Frustee FeeUp to 0.045% per annum (includes local custodian fee but excludes foreign sub-custodian charges (if any)) of the NAV of the Fund.					
Other charges payable directly by you when purchasing or withdrawing the units	y will be borne by the investor.					
Expensesdirectlyrelated to the Fund orOnly expenses that are directly related to the Fund or Class can be charged to the Fund Examples of relevant expenses are audit fee and tax agent's fee.ClassClass						

\*If the Fund is an EPF-MIS approved fund and you have invested via EPF-MIS, you may be charged an Application Fee of up to 3.00% of the NAV per unit, or such other rate as the EPF may determine.

**Note:** Subject always to the provisions of the Deed and GUTF, we reserve our sole and absolute discretion without providing any reason whatsoever and at any time to amend, vary, waive and/ or reduce the fees and charges (except for the Trustee Fee), whether payable by the Fund or Class, payable by you to the Fund or payable by any other investors to the Fund.

## **Transaction Information**

			Class(es) of units			
		Class MYR	Class SGD	Class USD		
Minimum	Non-RSP	MYR 1,000	SGD 1,000	USD 1,000		
initial investment*	RSP	MYR 1,000	Currently, RSP is not available.			
		or such othe	r amount as we may decide from	time to time.		
Minimum	Non-RSP	MYR 100	SGD 100	USD 100		
additional investment	RSP	MYR 100	Currently, RSP	is not available.		
		or such othe	r amount as we may decide from t	time to time.		
Minimum with	Idrawal	100 units	100 units	100 units		
		or such other nu	mber of units as we may decide fr	om time to time.		
Minimum bala	ince	1,000 units	1,000 units	1,000 units		
		or such other nu	mber of units as we may decide fr	om time to time.		
		<ul> <li>for switching out of the Class: <ul> <li>the minimum withdrawal applicable to the Class;</li> <li>the minimum balance required (after the switch) for the Class, unless you are withdrawing from the Class in entirety; and</li> <li>the Withdrawal Fee of the Class (if any);</li> </ul> </li> <li>for switching into the Class: <ul> <li>the minimum initial investment amount or the minimum additional investment amount (as the case may be) applicable to the Class; and</li> <li>the Switching Fee applicable for the proposed switch (if any).</li> </ul> </li> <li>You may negotiate to lower the amount for your switch with us or our Distributors.</li> </ul>				
Transfer		We may, at our absolute discretion, allow or refuse you to transfer your units subject to such terms and conditions as may be stipulated by us from time to time.				
Cooling-off pe	riod	investment (i,e from the date Distributors) to reconsider its app period, you may withdraw your in or prevailing NAV per unit at the will pay the Refund Amount ind respective Class within seven documentations. Please note the with us or our Distributors. How unit trust funds of Principal Mala	investing with us, you have six (6 complete application is receive propriateness and suitability for you westment at the same NAV per un e point of cooling-off (whichever i cluding the Application Fee (if an (7) Business Days from the co at the cooling-off right is only give vever, Principal Malaysia's staff an aysia or any Distributors are not er ved fund and you have invested vi- nditions.	ed and accepted by us or our bur investment needs. Within this it when the units were purchased s lower) ("Refund Amount"). We y) to you in the currency of the date we receive the complete en to first time investor investing ad person(s) registered to deal in htitled to the cooling-off right.		

\* The minimum initial investment for EPF-MIS (where available) shall be RM1,000 (or such other amount as may be determined by EPF). Please note that there may be changes to the status of the eligibility of the Fund under the EPF-MIS from time to time. Please refer to our website at **www.principal.com.my** or **www.kwsp.gov.my** for updated information.

**Note:** We reserve our sole and absolute discretion without providing any reason whatsoever and at any time to accept, reject, amend, vary, waive and/ or reduce (as the case maybe): (i) your request for a lower amount or number of units when purchasing units (or additional units) or withdrawing units; and/ or (ii) the minimum balance. For increase in the number of units for minimum withdrawal and minimum balance, we will require concurrence from the Trustee and you will be notified of such changes.

We may for any reason and at any time, waive or reduce: (a) any fees (except for the Trustee Fee); (b) other charges payable by you to the Fund; and/ or (c) transactional values including but not limited to the units or amount, for any Unit holder and/or investments made via any distribution channels or platform.

YOU SHOULD NOT MAKE ANY PAYMENT DIRECTLY OR INDIRECTLY TO ANY INDIVIDUAL AGENT/EMPLOYEE OF THE MANAGER OR ISSUE A CHEQUE IN THE NAME OF AN INDIVIDUAL AGENT/EMPLOYEE OF THE MANAGER WHEN PURCHASING THIS FUND.

## Valuations

We will carry out valuation of the Classes for each Business Day on the next Business Day (T+1) by 4:00 p.m. This is to cater for the currency translation of the foreign securities or instruments to the Fund's base currency (i.e. RMB) based on the bid exchange rate quoted by Bloomberg or Refinitiv at UK time 4:00 p.m. on the same day (Malaysian time 11:00 p.m. or 12:00 a.m.), or such other time as stipulated in the IMS. The NAV per unit for a Business Day is available on our website at **www.principal.com.my** after 5:30 p.m. on the following Business Day (T+1). Please refer to the "Unit Pricing" section of the Master Prospectus for more details.

## **Avenues to Exit This Investment**

To exit from this investment, you may withdraw, switch out or transfer your unit holdings to other investors. You may withdraw your investment at the NAV per unit of the Business Day.

Withdrawal can be made by completing a withdrawal application and submit to the relevant Distributor or Principal Malaysia's offices. There is no restriction on the frequency of withdrawals and no Withdrawal Fee will be charged. Hence, the amount that you will receive is calculated by the withdrawal value less the Withdrawal Fee, if any. You will be paid in the currency of the Class (e.g. Class USD will be paid in USD) within seven (7) Business Days upon receipt of the complete withdrawal request. You will have to bear the applicable bank fees and charges, if any.

Currently, repatriations of funds out of China by open-ended funds are not subjected to repatriation restrictions. However, there is no guarantee that repatriation restrictions will not be imposed in the future. You should note that should there be restrictions imposed on repatriation of funds out of China, it may impact the Fund's ability to meet withdrawal requests on a timely basis.

For more information on the withdrawals, switching, transfer facility and cooling-off period, please refer to the "Transaction Information" chapter of the Master Prospectus. For more information on the fees and charges incur when you exit from this investment, please refer to "Fees, Charges and Expenses" chapter of the Master Prospectus.

## **Fund Performance**

FYE: 29 February 2024, in %	1-Year	3-Years	5-Years	Since Inception
Class MYR	(14.53)	(1.31)	4.37	0.16
Class SGD	(19.40)	(5.95)	1.12	(2.67)
Class USD	(19.12)	(6.36)	1.23	(3.05)
Benchmark – Class MYR	(14.20)	(4.00)	2.91	(1.17)
Benchmark – Class SGD	(18.96)	(8.63)	(0.32)	(4.00)
Benchmark – Class USD	(18.87)	(8.96)	(0.22)	(4.32)

#### Average total return of the Fund

**Note**: All performance figures have been extracted from Lipper.

#### Annual total return of the Fund

FYE: 29 February, in %	2024	2023	2022	2021	2020	Since inception to 2019
Class MYR	<b>Class MYR</b> (14.53) (5.44) 18.93 22.18 5.50		(18.49)			
Class SGD	(19.40)	(12.16)	17.49	20.99	5.07	(19.58)
Class USD	(19.12)	(11.51)	14.70	27.22	1.78	(21.82)
Benchmark – Class MYR	(14.20)	(9.83)	14.34	21.31	7.55	(19.24)
Benchmark - Class SGD	(18.96)	(16.33)	12.52	20.35	7.18	(20.41)
Benchmark - Class USD	(18.87)	(15.63)	10.22	26.33	3.76	(18.49)

Note: All performance figures have been extracted from Lipper.

During the financial year under review, all three classes underperformed their benchmark, Class MYR, Class SGD, and Class USD decreased by 14.53%, 19.40%, and 19.12% respectively.

#### Basis of calculation and assumptions made in calculating the returns

Percentage	=	NAV on that day – NAV of previous day	+ 100	Average	=	Total returns of the years under review	
growth			* 100	total			
		NAV of previous day		return		Number of years under review	

#### Portfolio Turnover Ratio ("PTR")

FYE: 29 February	2024	2023	2022
Fund	3.63	3.43	3.75

For the financial year under review, the Fund's PTR increased from 3.43 times to 3.63 times as there were more investment activities during the financial year.

#### Distribution

FYE: 29 February		2024	2023	2022
Fund	Net distribution per unit (Sen)	-	43.50	N/A
Funa	Gross distribution per unit (Sen)	-	43.50	N/A

There was no distribution to unit holders for the financial year ended 29 February 2024.

#### PAST PERFORMANCE OF THE FUND IS NOT AN INDICATION OF ITS FUTURE PERFORMANCE.

### Contact for Further Information / Complaint

- (i) You may contact our Customer Care Centre at (03) 7723 7260 or whatsApp at +6016 299 9792 for further information or for any dispute resolution. Our Customer Care Centre is available during business hour between 8:45 a.m. and 5:45 p.m. (Malaysian time) from Mondays Fridays or you can e-mail us at myservice@principal.com.
- (ii) Alternatively, you may also contact:
  - (a) If you are dissatisfied with the outcome of the dispute resolution process with us, please refer your dispute to Securities Industry Dispute Resolution Center (SIDREC):

•	via phone to	: 03-2282 2280
	via fax to	: 03-2282 3855
	via e-mail to	: info@sidrec.com.my
•	via letter to	: Securities Industry Dispute Resolution Center (SIDREC) Unit A-9-1, Level 9, Tower A, Menara UOA Bangsar No.5, Jalan Bangsar Utama 1, 59000 Kuala Lumpur

(b) You can also direct your complaint to the SC even if you have initiated a dispute resolution process with SIDREC. To make a complaint, please contact the SC's Consumer & Investor Office:

<ul> <li>via phone to</li> </ul>	: 03-6204 8999
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	via fax to	: 03-6204 8991
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- via e-mail to : <u>aduan@seccom.com.my</u>
- via online complaint form available at <u>www.sc.com.my</u>
  - via letter to : Consumer & Investor Office
    - Securities Commission Malaysia

No 3 Persiaran Bukit Kiara, Bukit Kiara, 50490 Kuala Lumpur

- (c) Federation of Investment Managers Malaysia's Complaints Bureau:
  - via phone to : 03-7890 4242
  - via e-mail to : <u>complaints@fimm.com.my</u>
  - via online complaint form available at <u>www.fimm.com.my</u>
  - via letter to

: Legal, Secretarial & Regulatory Affairs Federation of Investment Managers Malaysia

19-06-1, 6th Floor, Wisma Tune,

No. 19, Lorong Dungun Damansara Heights, 50490 Kuala Lumpur

## Appendix: Glossary

Application Fee	-	Preliminary charge on each investment.
A-Shares	-	Securities issued by companies incorporated in the PRC and listed on the Shanghai Stock Exchange and the Shenzhen Stock Exchange (quoted in RMB).
Business Day	-	Mondays to Fridays when Bursa Malaysia Securities Berhad is open for trading, and/or banks in Kuala Lumpur and/or Selangor are open for business.
		<b>Note:</b> We may declare certain Business Days to be a non-business day if the Fund's investment in foreign markets which are closed for business or suspended is at least 50% of the Fund's NAV.
CIS	-	Refers to collective investment schemes as defined under the SC Guidelines.
Class(es)	-	Any class of units representing similar interest in the assets of the Fund.
Class MYR	-	The Class issued by the Fund denominated in MYR.
Class SGD	-	The Class issued by the Fund denominated in SGD.
Class USD	-	The Class issued by the Fund denominated in USD.

Deed	-	The principal deed and all supplemental deed in respect of the Fund made between us and the Trustee, in which Unit holders of the Fund, agreeing to be bound by the provisions of the Deed.
Deposits	-	As per the definition of "deposit" in the Financial Services Act 2013 and "Islamic deposit" in the Islamic Financial Services Act 2013.
		Note: To exclude structured deposits
Distributor	-	Any relevant persons and bodies appointed by Principal Malaysia from time to time, who are responsible for selling units of the Fund including Principal Distributors and IUTA.
EPF	-	Employees Provident Fund.
EPF-MIS	-	EPF Members Investment Scheme.
Fund or OP-CDO	-	Principal China Direct Opportunities Fund.
GUTF	-	Guidelines on Unit Trust Funds issued by the SC.
IMS	-	Investment Management Standards issued by the Federation of Investment Managers Malaysia.
IUTA	-	Refers to Institutional Unit Trust Schemes Adviser, a corporation registered with Federation of Investment Managers Malaysia and authorised to market and distribute unit trust schemes of another party.
Management Fee	-	A percentage of the NAV of the Class that is paid to us for managing the portfolio of the Fund.
Master Prospectus	-	Refers to the master prospectus 10 July 2023 and first supplementary master prospectus dated 27 October 2023 issued by us describing the details of the Fund.
MYR	-	Malaysian Ringgit.
NAV	-	Net Asset Value.
NAV of the Class	-	The NAV of the Fund attributable to a Class at the same valuation point.
NAV of the Fund	-	The value of all the Fund's assets less the value of all the Fund's liabilities, at the point of valuation. For the purpose of computing the annual Management Fee (if any) and annual Trustee Fee (if any), the NAV of the Fund should be inclusive of the Management Fee and Trustee Fee for the relevant day. The NAV of a Class is the NAV of the Fund attributable to a Class at the same valuation point.
NAV per unit	-	The NAV attributable to a Class of units divided by the number of units in circulation for that Class, at the valuation point.
Principal Distributors	-	Refers to the authorized unit trust scheme consultants of Principal.
Principal Malaysia or the Manager	-	Principal Asset Management Berhad.
PRC	-	PRC - People's Republic of China.
PHS	-	Refers to Product Highlights Sheet; this document issued by us that contains clear and concise information of the salient features of the Fund.
RMB	-	Renminbi.
SC	-	Securities Commission Malaysia.
SGD	-	Singapore Dollar.
Switching Fee	-	A charge that may be levied when switching is done from one fund or class to another.
Transfer Fee	-	A nominal fee levied for each transfer of units from one Unit holder to another.
Trustee	-	HSBC (Malaysia) Trustee Berhad.
Trustee Fee	-	A percentage of the NAV of the Fund that is paid to the Trustee for its services rendered as trustee for the Fund.
Unit holder	-	The registered holder for the time being of a unit of the Fund including persons jointly so registered.
USD	-	United States Dollar.
Withdrawal Fee	-	A charge levied upon withdrawal under certain terms and conditions (if applicable).

Notes: Unless the context otherwise requires:

- words importing the singular number should include the plural number and vice versa;
- any reference to a time, day or date in this PHS shall be a reference to that time, day or date in Malaysia;
- reference to "days" in this PHS will be taken to mean calendar days; and
- any reference in this PHS to any rules, regulations, guidelines, standards, directives, notices, legislations or statutes shall be reference to those rules, regulations, guidelines, standards, directives, notices, legislations or statutes for the time being in force, as may be amended, varied, modified, updated, superseded and/or re-enacted from time to time.

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