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# Why China A-shares?

China A-shares are stocks listed on China's Shanghai and Shenzhen Stock Exchanges and represent the complete 'onshore' mainland China economy. A-shares make up by far the largest component of China's equity market. It is five times larger than all other China shares put together. Many emerging markets and China-focused funds provide exposure only to H-shares which are Chinese stocks listed in Hong Kovs is because access to A-shares has until recently been restricted to Chinese nationals. The Chinese government is now opening up investment and trade opportunities for foreign investors to participate in equity capital markets. Including A-shares in a portfolio is the only way to get exposure to China's complete mainland economic growth potential.

### China A-shares have historically outperformed H-shares Cumulative Index Returns: 31/12/2006 through 30/09/2017



## Potential for diversification of international equity exposure

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

Correlations (31/12/2006-30/09/2017)	CSI 300 Index	HSCEI Index	FTSE China 50 Index	S&P 500® index	MSCI EAFE Index	MSCI Emerging Markets Index	S&P / ASX 200 Index
CSI 300 Index	1.00	0.57	0.53	0.27	0.23	0.38	0.18
HSCEI Index		1.00	0.98	0.22	0.38	0.73	0.48
FTSE China 50 Index			1.00	0.23	0.41	0.75	0.48
S&P 500 Index				1.00	0.77	0.38	0.35
MSCI EAFE Index					1.00	0.63	0.59
MSCI Emerging Markets Index						1.00	0.67
S&P / ASX 200 Index							1.00

#### Source: FactSet. Data as of 30 September 2017, and is in Australian dollars.

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VanEck Vectors ChinaAMC CSI 300 ETF Performance History (%) as of 30/09/2017										
	1 Month	3 Months	6 Months	1 Year	3 years	5 years				
VanEck Vectors ChinaAMC CSI 300 ETF	0.63	5.21	13.31	16.63	17.92	16.83				
CSI 300 TR CNY	0.95	5.87	14.15	18.06	19.56	18.48				

Source: VanEck Index. Date as at 30 September 2017, and is in Australian dollars.

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