

# KraneShares ICBCCS SSE Star Market 50 Index UCITS ETF

KraneShares ICBCCS SSE Star Market 50 Index UCITS ETF is a sub fund of KraneShares ICAV (the "ICAV"). The ICAV is authorised as a UCITS in Ireland and regulated by the Central Bank of Ireland.

Investors should read the Prospectus, Supplement and UK KIID and/or PRIIP KID prior to investing.

### Investment Strategy:

KSTR is an index-tracking, passively managed, UCITS ETF that is benchmarked to the Shanghai Stock Exchange (SSE) Science and Technology Innovation Board 50 Index. The Index is comprised of the 50 largest companies listed on the SSE Science and Technology Innovation Board (STAR Market) as determined by market capitalization and liquidity.

## STAR Market Highlights:

- Facilitates the fast-tracking of private science and technology companies to an initial public offering (IPO).
- Since its establishment in July 2019, the STAR Market has become one of the largest IPO markets globally<sup>1</sup> and a premier listing venue for prominent Chinese unicorns (privately held startup companies valued at over \$1 billion).
- Recent increases in fund-raising activity on Chinese exchanges can largely be attributed to the STAR Market, which accounted for 41% of total capital raised through new IPOS across China's Mainland A-Share market in 2022<sup>2</sup>.
- Potential inclusion in the SSE Composite Index and Shanghai-Hong Kong Stock Connect could result in greater flows for STAR Market securities.

### KSTR Features:

- Exposure to companies poised to be China's future leaders across industries that could represent the growth engine of China for decades to come.
- Innovation-driven science and technology companies in China that offer a potential source of uncorrelated, long-term growth.
- Includes companies from industries such as new-generation information technology, biomedicine, new energy, and environmental protection.
- 1. YiCai Global, "China's Year-Old Star Market Outshines the Venerable Nasdaq", 2020/Jul/23, retrieved 30/Jun/2023.
- 2. PWC, "A-share IPOs lead the world; fundraising sets a new record in 2022", Dec 5, 2022. Retrieved 30/Jun/2023.

| Fund Details                        | Data as of 31/Jul/2023                                  |
|-------------------------------------|---|
| Primary SEDOL                       | BMBNL20   |
| Primary ISIN                        | IE00BKPJY434  |
| Inception Date                      | 26/May/2021   |
| Total Annual Fund Operating Expense | 0.82%   |
| Distribution Frequency              | Accumulating  |
| Index Name                          | SSE Science and Technology<br>Innovation Board 50 Index |
| Net Assets                          | \$3,075,184   |
| Number of Holdings                  | 51  |
| UK Reporting Fund Status            | Reporting Fund  |
| Investment Structure                | UCITS   |
| Base Currency                       | USD   |

| <b>Top 10 Holdings</b> as of 31/Jul/2023<br>Holdings are subject to change. | Ticker | %    |
|---|--------|------|
| BEIJING KINGSO-A  | 688111 | 8.44 |
| ADVANCED MICRO-A  | 688012 | 6.96 |
| MONTAGE TECHNO-A  | 688008 | 5.19 |
| TRINA SOLAR CO LTD-A  | 688599 | 4.60 |
| SHENZHEN TRANS-A  | 688036 | 4.44 |
| CAMBRICON TECHNOLOGIES-A  | 688256 | 3.85 |
| CHINA RESOURCE-A  | 688396 | 3.41 |
| NATIONAL SILIC-A  | 688126 | 3.24 |
| XINJIANG DAQO -A  | 688303 | 2.98 |
| AMLOGIC SHANGHAI INC-A  | 688099 | 2.89 |

## **KSTR Performance History:**

|          | <b>Cumulative %</b><br>Data as of month end: 31/Jul/2023 |         |         | Average Annualized %<br>Data as of month end: 31/Jul/2023 |         |      | Average Annualized % Data as of quarter end: 30/Jun/2023 |                    |         |      |      |                    |
|----------|--|---------|---------|---|---------|------|--|--------------------|---------|------|------|--------------------|
|          | 1 Mo   | 3 Mo    | 6 Mo    | Since<br>Inception  | 1 Yr    | 3 Yr | 5 Yr   | Since<br>Inception | 1 Yr    | 3 Yr | 5 Yr | Since<br>Inception |
| Fund NAV | -2.32%   | -12.76% | -12.10% | -39.28%   | -19.81% | -    | -  | -20.43%            | -18.85% | -    | -    | -20.27%            |
| Index    | -2.07%   | -13.45% | -9.26%  | -35.91%   | -15.66% | -    | -  | -18.43%            | -15.62% | -    | -    | -18.29%            |

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Index returns are for illustrative purposes only. Index performance returns do not reflect any management fees, transaction costs or expenses. Indexes are unmanaged and one cannot invest directly in an index.

This is a marketing communication. Please refer to the prospectus of the UCITS, the KIID and the PRIIP before making any final investment decisions.



| Listings as of 31/Jul/2023 | Ticker  | Currency | Listing Date | SEDOL   | ISIN         |
|----------------------------|---------|----------|--------------|---------|--------------|
| London Stock Exchange      | KSTR LN | USD      | 26/May/2021  | BMBNL20 | IE00BKPJY434 |
| Borsa Italiana             | KSTR IM | EUR      | 21/Jul/2021  | _       | IE00BKPJY541 |
| London Stock Exchange      | KSTP LN | GBP      | 17/May/2023  | BRSDHB9 | IE00BKPJY434 |

| Sector Breakdown Data from Bloomberg as of 31/Jul/2023 | %     |
|--|-------|
| Information Technology                                 | 70.22 |
| Industrials  | 11.43 |
| Materials  | 6.58  |
| Health Care  | 6.57  |
| Consumer Discretionary                                 | 4.61  |

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