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Contributors to relative performance

- → Security selection added to relative performance. Strong security selection within communication services, financials and consumer discretionary contributed to relative performance.
- → Sector allocation also added to relative performance. An overweight to healthcare and an underweight to financials contributed to relative performance.
- → Overweight exposure to Tencent Music (communication services) and out of benchmark positions in Fu Shou Yuan (consumer discretionary) and AIA Group (financials) were the top contributors.

Detractors from relative performance

- → Weak security selection within information technology, real estate and industrials detracted from relative performance.
- → No exposure to materials and an overweight to real estate detracted from relative performance.
- → Overweight exposures to KE Holdings (real estate) and Hapvida (healthcare), and an out of benchmark position in Amber Enterprises (consumer discretionary) detracted most from relative results.

Major changes to portfolio in the period

- → During the quarter, we decreased our underweights to financials and communication services.
- → We also decreased our overweights to industrials and real estate.

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Major changes to portfolio in the period (cont'd)

→ During the quarter, we initiated positions in B3 and Kingdee. We exited our positions in Airports of Thailand and China Foods.

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