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Product Highlights Sheet Principal US High Conviction Equity Fund (Class MYR, Class MYR-Hedged, Class SGD and Class USD)

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The Manager

Principal Malaysia was incorporated on 13 June 1994 and is a joint venture between Principal Financial Group, Inc. and CIMB Group Sdn. Bhd. 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 US High Conviction Equity Fund

Principal US High Conviction Equity Fund is an equity fund issued by Principal Malaysia. The Fund aims to achieve capital appreciation over the medium to long term through investments in United States of America equities. 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 capital guaranteed fund.

Product Suitability

This Fund is suitable for investors who:

- have a medium to long term investment horizon;
- want to diversify their overall investment portfolio by including shares as an asset class, in particular, shares of US equity;
- seek for capital appreciation over the long-term; and
- can accept that investment returns may fluctuate significantly over the investment period.

Key Product Features

Fund Category/Type	Equity / Growth					
Base currency	USD					
Benchmark	MSCI U.S Small Cap Index Note: The Fund's benchmark is for performance comparison purpose only. You are cautioned that the risk profile of the Fund is different from the benchmark. Information on the benchmark can be obtained from www.msci.com/indexes.					
Investment Strategy	The Fund seeks to achieve its objective by investing in USA equities and other equity related securities by focusing its investment primarily in companies with market capitalization of not more than USD 30 billion and a part of the Fund's NAV in companies with market capitalization of more than USD 30 billion. The investment universe includes listed securities as well as initial public offerings. The Fund is expected to have a growth bias overall, including both growth and value-oriented companies over time. The Fund may also opt to seek investment exposure via CIS that is in line with the Fund's objective, subject to the requirements of the GUTF. The Fund will also invest in liquid assets such as money market instruments and/or Deposits for liquidity purpose. The asset allocation for the Fund is as follows: Minimum 70% of the Fund's NAV will be invested in equities and other equity related securities; and The balance of the Fund's NAV will be invested in money market instruments and/or Deposits.					
Launch date	Class MYR	: 12 January 2022				
	Class MYR-Hedged	: 12 January 2022				
	Class SGD	: 12 January 2022				
	Class USD	: 12 January 2022				
Financial year-end	30 September					
Distribution Policy	Class MYR, Class MYR-Hedged, Class SGD and Class USD: Given the Fund's objective, the Class of the Fund is not expected to pay any distribution. Distributions, if any, are at our discretion and will vary from period to period depending on the performance of the Fund.					
Manager	Principal Asset Management Berhad					
Sub-Manager	Principal Global Investors LLC.					
Trustee	HSBC (Malaysia) Truste	ee Berhad				
Solicitors	Soon Gan Dion & Partne	ers				

Key Risks

General risks of investing in a unit trust fund					
Returns and capital not	The investment of the fund is subject to market fluctuations and its inherent risk. There is NO				
guaranteed	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 associated	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.
Risks associated with investment in warrants and/or options	There are inherent risks associated with investment in warrants and/or options. The value of warrants and/or options are influenced by the current market price of the underlying security, the exercise price of the contract, the time to expiration of the contract and the estimate of the future volatility of the underlying security's price over the life of the contract. Generally, the erosion in value of warrants and/or options accelerates as it approaches its expiry date. Like securities, we will undertake fundamental research and analysis on these instruments with an aim to mitigate its risks.
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 level As the investments of the Fund may be denominated in currencies other than the base currency of the Fund, any fluctuation in the exchange rate between the base currency of the Fund and the currencies in which the investments are denominated may have an impact on the value of these investments. You should be aware that if the currencies in which the investments are denominated in depreciate against the base currency of the Fund, this will have an adverse effect on the NAV of the Fund in the base currency of the Fund and vice versa. You should note that any gains or losses arising from the fluctuation in the exchange rate may further increase or decrease the returns of the investment.
	Currency risk at the Class level 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).
	As for a hedged Class, the Class itself provides mitigation to the currency risk arising from the difference between the currency denomination of the Class and the base currency of the Fund. While we aim to fully hedge the currency risk for a hedged Class, you should note that it may not entirely eliminate currency risk. In addition, you should note that, as a result of hedging, a hedged Class will not be able to enjoy the full benefits of the currency movement in the event of a favourable movement of the currency denomination of the hedged Class against the base currency of the Fund. You should also note that hedging incurs costs, in which will impact the NAV of a hedged Class.
Risk associated with investing in CIS	Since the Fund may invest into CIS, there is a risk of concentration into CIS, in which the CIS's management company has absolute discretion over the CIS's investment technique and knowledge, operational controls and management. In the event of mismanagement of the CIS and/or the management company, the NAV of the Fund, which invests into those CIS would be affected negatively. Should the situation arise, we will seek for another CIS that is consistent with the objective of this Fund.

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Equity related	The Fund may also invest in equity related securities such as warrant, American Depository Receipt and
securities risk	Global Depository Receipt. An equity related security is linked to an underlying reference, Hence, its performance will be influenced by the performance of the underlying reference. Any adverse impact on the underlying reference will impact the equity related security, and consequently negatively impact the performance of the Fund.
1	the performance of the Fund.

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, 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 MYR-Hedged	Class USD	Class SGD			
Application Fee	Up to 5.00% of the NAV per unit.						
Withdrawal Fee	Nil						
Switching Fee	Switching is treated as a withdrawal from a Class and an investment into another class or Principal Malaysia's fund (or its classes), you may be charged a Switching Fee equal to the difference (if any) between the Application Fees of the Class and Application Fees of the other Class or Principal Malaysia's fund (or its classes). You will not be charged a Switching Fee if the Class or Principal Malaysia's fund (or its classes) to be switched into has a lower Application Fee than the Application Fee of the Class. We may impose						
	MYR 100.00	MYR 100.00	USD35.00	SGD35.00			
	(or equivalent) as the administrative fee for every switch. You may negotiate to lower the Switch 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 MYR50.00 A maximum of USD15.00		A maximum of SGD15.00			
	may be charged for each transfer.						
Management Fee	Up to 1.80% per annum of the NAV of the Class.						
Trustee Fee	Before 27 October 2023, up to 0.06% per annum of the NAV of the Fund (including local custodian fees but excluding foreign sub-custodian fees and charges)						
	After 27 October 2023, up to 0.045% per annum (includes local custodian fee but excludes foreign subcustodian fees and charges (if any)) of the NAV of the Fund.						
Other charges payable directly by you when purchasing or withdrawing units	Any applicable bank charges and other bank fees incurred as a result of an investment or withdrawal will be borne by you.						
Expenses directly related to the Fund or Class	Only expenses that are directly related to the Fund or Class can be charged to the Fund or Class. Examples of relevant expenses are audit fee and tax agent's fee.						

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 MYR-Hedged	Class USD	Class SGD			
Minimum	Non-RSP	MYR 100.00*	MYR 100.00*	USD 100.00	SGD 100.00			
initial investment	RSP	MYR 100.00*	MYR 100.00*	Currently, RSF	is not available.			
		C	or such other amount as we r	nay decide from time to ti	ecide from time to time.			
	Non-RSP	MYR 100.00	MYR 100.00	USD 100.00	SGD 100.00			
	RSP	MYR 100.00	MYR 100.00	Currently, RSF	is not available.			

		Class(es) of units					
	Class MYR	Class MYR Class MYR-Hedged Class USD Class SGD						
Minimum additional investment	C	or such other amount as we r	may decide from time to	time.				
Minimum withdrawal	100 units	100 units	100 units	100 units				
	or su	ch other number of units as	we may decide from time	to time.				
Minimum balance	100 units	100 units	100 units	100 units				
	or su	ch other number of units as	we may decide from time	to time.				
Switching	for a switch is subject to for switching out o the minimum the Class in er the Withdraw for switching into t the minimum case may be) the switching	of the Class: withdrawal applicable to the balance required (after the softirety; and al Fee of the Class (if any);	e Class; switch) for the Class, unle the minimum additional sed switch (if any).	ess you are redeeming from investment amount (as the				
Transfer								
Cooling-off period	For first time individual investor investing with us, you have six (6) Business Days after your initial investment (i,e from the date the complete application is received and accepted by us or Distributors) to reconsider its appropriateness and suitability for your investment needs. Within this period, you may withdraw your investment at the same NAV per unit when the units were purchased or prevailing NAV per unit at the point of cooling-off (whichever is lower) ("Refund Amount"). We will pay the Refund Amount including the Application Fee (if any) to you in the currency of the respective Class within seven (7) Business Days from the date we receive the complete documentations. Please note that the cooling-off right is only given to first time investor investing with us or our Distributors. However, Principal Malaysia's staff and person(s) registered with a body approved by the SC to deal in unit trust funds of Principal Malaysia or any of our Distributors are not entitled to the cooling-off right. If the Fund is an EPF-MIS approved fund and you have invested via EPF-MIS, your cooling-off right is subject to EPF's terms and conditions.							

^{*}The minimum initial investment for EPF-MIS shall be MYR1,000.00 or such other amount as may be determined by EPF or as per the amount stated above, whichever is higher. 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 the valuation for the Classes for each Business Day on the next Business Day (T+1) by 4:00 p.m. This is to cater for the foreign currency translation to the Fund's base currency 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 information.

Avenues to Exit This Investment

To exit from this investment, you may withdraw, switch out or transfer your unit holdings to another investor. Please note that if you withdraw during the initial offer period, the Application Fee will not be refunded to you, except in the case of cooling-off period.

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.

For more information on withdrawal, 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

Average total return of the Fund

FYE: 30 September 2023, in %	1-year	Since Inception
Class MYR	7.50	1.17
Class MYR-Hedged	4.22	(6.50)
Class SGD	1.06	(5.30)
Class USD	6.21	(5.35)
Benchmark - Class MYR	13.77	(2.07)
Benchmark - Class MYR-Hedged	12.36	(7.28)
Benchmark - Class SGD	6.88	(6.58)
Benchmark - Class USD	12.36	(7.28)

Note: All performance figures have been extracted from Lipper.

Annual total return of the Fund

FYE: 30 September 2023, in %	2023	Since inception (12 Jan 2022 to 30 Sep 2022)	
Class MYR	7.50	(5.10)	
Class MYR-Hedged	4.22	(14.51)	
Class SGD	1.06	(9.45)	
Class USD	6.21	(14.34)	
Benchmark - Class MYR	13.77	(1.49)	
Benchmark - Class MYR-Hedged	12.36	(12.17)	
Benchmark - Class SGD	6.88	(8.49)	
Benchmark - Class USD	12.36	(12.17)	

Note: All performance figures have been extracted from Lipper.

During the financial year under review, the total return for Class MYR, Class MYR-H, Class SGD, and Class USD increased by 7.50%, 4.22%, 1.06%, and 6.21% respectively. Meanwhile, the benchmark increased by 13.77%, 12.36%, 6.88%, and 12.36% respectively within the same reporting financial year.

Basis of calculation and assumptions made in calculating the returns

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

Portfolio Turnover Ratio ("PTR")

FYE: 30 September	2023	2022	
Fund	0.82	0.93	

The Fund's PTR decreased from 0.93 times to 0.82 times during the financial year under review. The turnover reflects investments and withdrawals in the Target Fund.

Distribution

FYE: 30 September		2023	2022
Eund	Net distribution per unit (Sen)	N/A	N/A
Fund	Gross distribution per unit (Sen)	N/A	N/A

There was no distribution made for the financial year ended 30 September 2023.

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 hours between 8:45 a.m. and 5:45 p.m. (Malaysian time) from Mondays to 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:

via phone to Aduan Hotline at : 03-6204 8999
 via fax to : 03-6204 8991

via e-mail to : aduan@seccom.com.my

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 : complaints@fimm.com.my

• via online complaint form available at <u>www.fimm.com.my</u>

via letter to : Legal, Secretarial & Regulatory Affairs

Federation of Investment Managers Malaysia

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

Appendix: Glossary

Application Fee

- Preliminary charge on each investment.

Business Day

- Means a day when Bursa Malaysia Securities Berhad is open for trading and excludes Saturdays, Sundays and gazetted public holidays in the Federal Territory of Kuala Lumpur.

Note: 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 - Collective investment scheme.

Class - 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 MYR
- The Class issued by the Fund denominated in MYR that aims to minimize the effect of exchange rate

Hedged fluctuations between the base currency of the Fund (i.e., USD) and 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 the Unit holders agree to be bound by the provisions of the Deed.

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 UHCE - Principal US High Conviction Equity Fund.
 GUTF - Guidelines on Unit Trust Funds issued by the SC.

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 - Refers to the authorised unit trust scheme consultants registered with Principal Malaysia.

Distributors

Principal Malaysia or the Manager

- Principal Asset Management Berhad.

PHS - Refers to Product Highlights Sheet, this document issued by us that contains clear and concise information

of the salient features of the Fund.

Sub-Manager - A fund management company that assumes either all or part of the investment function role of the Manager.

Currently, the Sub-Manager for the Fund is PGI.

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;
- reference to any rules, regulations, guidelines, standards, directives, notices, legislation or statutes in this PHS 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;
- time disclosed in this PHS should be indicated as Malaysia time; and
- reference to "days" in this PHS will be taken to mean calendar days.