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## KraneShares SSE STAR Market 50 Index ETF

#### Investment Strategy:

KSTR seeks to track the performance of 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 38% of total capital raised through new IPOs across China's Mainland A-Share market in 2021<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", July 23, 2020, retrieved 6/30/2022.

2. Deloitte, "Mainland and Hong Kong IPO markets to remain strong and vibrant in 2022", December 20, 2021.

Fund Details	Data as of 12/30/2022			
Primary Exchange	NYSE			
CUSIP	500767694			
ISIN	US5007676944			
Total Annual Fund Operating Expense	0.88%			
Inception Date	01/27/2021			
Distribution Frequency	Annual			
Index Name	SSE Science and Technology Innovation Board 50 Index			
Net Assets	\$41,555,805			
Number of Holdings	53			

<b>Top 10 Holdings</b> as of 12/30/2022 Excluding cash. Holdings are subject to change.	Ticker	%	
TRINA SOLAR CO LTD-A	688599	8.43	
MONTAGE TECHNO-A	688008	6.06	
BEIJING KINGSO-A	688111	5.95	
ADVANCED MICRO-A	688012	4.23	
ZHEJIANG SUPCO-A	688777	3.85	
WESTERN SUPERCON	688122	3.75	
PYLON TECHNOLO-A	688063	3.58	
CHINA RESOURCE-A	688396	3.39	
SHENZHEN TRANS-A	688036	3.12	
SHANGHAI JUNSH-A	688180	2.91	

#### **KSTR Performance History:**

		<b>Cumulative %</b> Data as of month end: 12/31/2022			<b>Average Annualized %</b> Data as of quarter end: 12/31/2022			
	1 Mo	3 Mo	6 Mo	Since Inception	1 Yr	3 Yr	5 Yr	Since Inception
Fund NAV	-2.40%	4.29%	-16.65%	-39.72%	-38.14%	-	-	-23.08%
Closing Price	-4.10%	4.54%	-17.71%	-40.16%	-38.51%	-	-	-23.37%
Index	-1.29%	4.26%	-16.28%	-39.14%	-36.83%	-	-	-22.70%

The performance data quoted represents past performance. Past performance does not guarantee future results. The investment return and principal value of an investment will fluctuate so that an investors shares, when sold or redeemed, may be worth more or less than their original cost and current performance may be lower or higher than the performance quoted. For performance data current to the most recent month end, please visit www.kraneshares.com.

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.





<b>Sector Breakdown</b> Data from Bloomberg as of 12/31/2022	%		
Information Technology	60.02		
Industrials	13.25		
Health Care	12.41		
Materials	9.70		
Consumer Discretionary	3.88		

# Carefully consider the Funds' investment objectives, risk factors, charges and expenses before investing. This and additional information can be found in the Funds' full and summary prospectus, which may be obtained by visiting www.kraneshares.com. Read the prospectus carefully before investing.

#### **Risk Disclosures:**

Investing involves risk, including possible loss of principal. There can be no assurance that a Fund will achieve its stated objectives.

The Fund may invest in derivatives, which are often more volatile than other investments and may magnify the Fund's gains or losses. A derivative (i.e., futures/forward contracts, swaps, and options) is a contract that derives its value from the performance of an underlying asset. The primary risk of derivatives is that changes in the asset's market value and the derivative may not be proportionate, and some derivatives can have the potential for unlimited losses. Derivatives are also subject to liquidity and counterparty risk. The Fund is subject to liquidity risk, meaning that certain investments may become difficult to purchase or sell at a reasonable time and price. If a transaction for these securities is large, it may not be possible to initiate, which may cause the Fund to suffer losses. Counterparty risk is the risk of loss in the event that the counterparty to an agreement fails to make required payments or otherwise comply with the terms of the derivative.

The ability of the Fund to achieve its respective investment objectives is dependent, in part, on the continuous availability of A Shares and the ability to obtain, if necessary, additional A Shares quota. If the Fund is unable to obtain sufficient exposure to limited availability of A Share quota, the Fund could seek exposure to the component securities of the Underlying Index by investment in other types of securities. The Fund is subject to political, social or economic instability within China which may cause decline in value. Emerging markets involve heightened risk related to the same factors as well as increase volatility and lower trading volume. Fluctuations in currency of foreign countries may have an adverse effect to domestic currency values. The Fund may invest in Initial Public Offerings (IPOs). Securities issued in IPOs have no trading history, and information about the companies may be available for very limited periods. In addition, the prices of securities sold in IPOs may be highly volatile. In addition, as the Fund increases in size, the impact of IPOs on the Fund's performance will generally decrease.

Narrowly focused investments typically exhibit higher volatility. The Fund's assets are expected to be concentrated in a sector, industry, market, or group of concentrations to the extent that the Underlying Index has such concentrations. The securities or futures in that concentration could react similarly to market developments. Thus, the Fund is subject to loss due to adverse occurrences that affect that concentration. In addition to the normal risks associated with investing, investments in smaller companies typically exhibit higher volatility. KSTR is non-diversified.

ETF shares are bought and sold on an exchange at market price (not NAV) and are not individually redeemed from the Fund. However, shares may be redeemed at NAV directly by certain authorized broker-dealers (Authorized Participants) in very large creation/redemption units. The returns shown do not represent the returns you would receive if you traded shares at other times. Shares may trade at a premium or discount to their NAV in the secondary market. Brokerage commissions will reduce returns. Beginning 12/23/2020, market price returns are based on the official closing price of an ETF share or, if the official closing price isn't available, the midpoint between the national best bid and national best offer ("NBBO") as of the time the ETF calculates the current NAV per share. Prior to that date, market price returns were based on the midpoint between the Bid and Ask price. NAVs are calculated using prices as of 4:00 PM Eastern Time.

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