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db X-trackers Harvest CSI 300 China A-Shares Fund (ASHR) wins “Most Groundbreaking New ETF of 2013” and “Best New International/Global Equity ETF of 2013”

Deutsche Asset & Wealth Management announced today that the **db X-trackers Harvest CSI 300 China A-Shares Fund (ASHR)** has been recognized by *ETF.com* for two separate distinctions at the publication's first annual ETF Awards. The awards, which were designed to recognize products that are moving the industry forward and helping to create better outcomes for investors, named ASHR the “Most Groundbreaking New ETF of 2013” and “Best New International/Global Equity ETF of 2013.” Winners were selected through a three-part process that solicited insights and opinions from more than 15,000 members and leaders of the exchange-traded fund community.

“It is such an honor to have ASHR, a product that encapsulates the proficiency of the team at Deutsche Asset & Wealth Management, as well as the global access and expertise of Deutsche Bank, recognized by both experts at *ETF.com* and the ETF industry,” said Martin Kremenstein, Head of U.S. ETFs for Deutsche Asset & Wealth Management.

ASHR is the first U.S. ETF to offer direct access to the China A-shares market without the use of derivatives. Since the ETF launched on November 6, 2013 with an initial capital investment of \$108 million, assets under management have increased to \$166 million and ASHR's average daily volume has reached approximately 265,000 shares per day.

“As the first physical ETF to be able to access the China A-shares market, ASHR is the brainchild of a true collaboration between DeAWM and Harvest. To be recognized by our industry peers gives us further impetus to develop and deliver innovative ETFs to investors globally,” added Choy Peng Wah, CEO of Harvest Global Investments Limited.

Deutsche Asset & Wealth Management's U.S. exchange-traded products (ETP) platform has approximately \$11 billion in assets under management as of December 31, 2013. The firm's global ETP platform, launched in 2006, has grown to become the world's fifth largest, with approximately \$63 billion in assets under management as of December 31, 2013.¹

For more information about the ETPs available in the U.S., visit: <http://www.dbxus.com>.
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Carefully consider the fund's investment objectives, risk factors, and charges and expenses before investing. This and other information can be found in the fund's prospectuses, which may be obtained by calling 1-855-329-3837 or by visiting www.dbxus.com. Read the prospectus carefully before investing.

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Harvest Group has managed China A-shares passive strategies since 2005 and, as of the end December 2013, manages 20 index funds, including nine ETFs with total passive assets under management of approximately \$10 billion and total group assets under management in excess of \$55 billion. I-034379-1.0