# **Barings Global Leaders Fund**



### **FUND FACTS**

Fund Size (NAV USDm) 61.9

**Inception Date** February 26, 2001

**Domiciled** Ireland, UCITS Fund

Dealing Frequency
Daily

Management Company
Baring International Fund
Managers (Ireland) Limited

Investment Manager
Baring Asset Management
Limited

Share Classes USD/EUR/GBP (distributing)

Distribution Frequency Annual

> Base Currency USD

Benchmark<sup>2</sup>
MSCI All Country World (Total
Net Return) Index

PORTFOLIO MANAGERS

Richard Holroyd, CFA 10 years of experience

#### **NOVEMBER 2024 / FACTSHEET**

OVERALL MORNINGSTAR RATING™\*



- The Fund invests primarily in equities and equity-related securities listed, quoted or traded on global markets, all of which could be in emerging markets.
- The Fund is subject to risks, such as investment, equities and equity-related securities, liquidity, counterparty, currency risks and the risks of investing in small and mid-capitalisation companies and convertible bonds.
- 3. The Fund's investments are concentrated in specific countries, regions and sectors and the value of the Fund may be more volatile. Investing in emerging markets may involve increased risks, including liquidity, currency/currency control, political and economic uncertainties, legal and taxation, settlement, custody and volatility risks.
- 4. The Manager integrates environmental, social and governance (ESG) information into the investment process, which may affect the Fund's investment performance and, as such, may perform differently compared to similar collective investment schemes.
- 5. The Fund may have exposure in financial derivative instruments for investment or efficient portfolio management purposes which may involve counterparty/credit, liquidity, valuation, volatility and over-the-counter transaction risks. Exposure to financial derivative instruments may lead to a high risk of significant loss by the Fund.
- 6. Dividends may be paid out of unrealised capital gains at the discretion of the Manager which would effectively represent paying dividend out of capital. This amounts to a return or withdrawal of part of an investor's original investment or any capital gains attributable to that original investment. Payment of dividends may result in an immediate reduction of the net asset value of the Fund per unit.
- 7. Investors may suffer substantial loss of their investments in the Fund.

### **OBJECTIVE**

The investment objective of the Fund is to achieve long-term capital growth by investing in equities listed or traded on a wide range of international markets.

#### **STRATEGY**

5 Years (Cumulative)

The Investment Manager believes that equity markets contain unrecognised growth potential and seeks to identify this through the analysis of a company's business model whilst incorporating wider economic and social governance trends, often referred to as fundamental analysis.

PERFORMANCE %	Class A (Net) <sup>1</sup>	Benchmark <sup>2</sup>	CALENDAR YEAR PERFORMANCE %	Class A (Net) <sup>1</sup>	Benchmark <sup>2</sup>
November 2024	3.56	3.74	2023	13.52	22.20
3 Months	3.63	3.77	2022	-17.12	-18.36
Year to Date	19.74	20.34	2021	7.96	18.54
1 Year	25.44	26.12	2020	17.28	16.25
3 Years (Annualised)	5.62	7.68	2019	22.68	26.60
3 Years (Cumulative)	17.82	24.85			
5 Years (Annualised)	8.00	11.36			

### PAST PERFORMANCE IS NOT NECESSARILY INDICATIVE OF FUTURE RESULTS.

46.93

Source: Morningstar/Barings. An investment entails a risk of loss. Performance is shown in USD on a NAV per share basis, with gross income reinvested. If the investment return is denominated in currency other than USD/HKD, USD/HKD based investors are exposed to fluctuations in the exchange rate of the relevant currency against USD/HKD. Unless otherwise stated, all portfolio figures within this factsheet are as of the end of the month shown at the top of the front page.

71.26

- 1. Performance based on Class A USD Inc Share Class.
- The benchmark was MSCI All Country World (Total Gross Return) Index until 2 September 2018 and was changed to MSCI All Country World (Total Net Return) Index with effect from 3 September 2018. Please note that the use of a benchmark index is for comparative purposes only.

The fund name was changed as of 30 April 2018 from Baring Global Leaders Fund to Barings Global Leaders Fund. The investment objective of the Fund remains unchanged.

\*Morningstar Rating as of previous month end, please refer to page 3 for additional detail.

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### **EQUITY PLATFORM**<sup>1</sup>

Barings manages USD431+ billion of equities, fixed income, real estate, and alternative assets globally

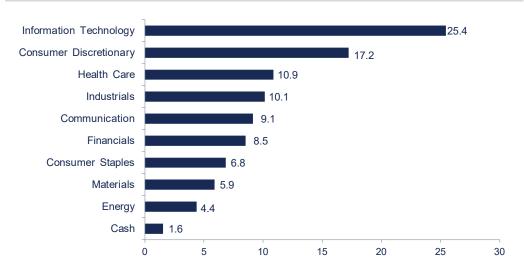
We focus on building highconviction, research-driven equity solutions for our clients. We have a long history of being early investors in new and established markets.

- · Global Equities
- Emerging Markets Equities
- Small-Cap Equities

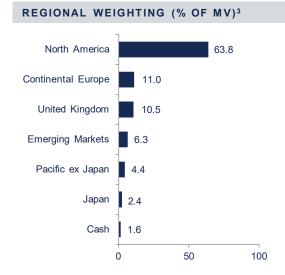
Equities investor base includes financial institutions, pensions, foundations and endowments and wholesale distributors

**BARINGS GLOBAL LEADERS** CHARACTERISTICS<sup>2,3,4</sup> **FUND** Number Of Holdings 41 Active Share (%) 77.90 Off Benchmark (%) 4.65 Tracking Error (%) (3Y Ann) 5.42 Information Ratio (3Y Ann) -0.06 Standard Deviation (3Y Ann) 13.98 Alpha (3Y Ann) 1.37 Beta (3Y Ann) 0.81 Av. Market Cap (USDb) 809 50

## TOP SECTOR WEIGHTING (% OF MV)3



TOP HOLDINGS (% OF MV)	)3
AMAZON.COM INC	7.09
UNITEDHEALTH GROUP INC	5.53
ALPHABET INC	4.98
MICROSOFT CORP	4.88
TAIWAN SEMICONDUCTOR MANUFACTURING CO LTD	4.78
CRH PLC	4.09
NVIDIA CORP	3.99
ROYAL DUTCH SHELL PLC	3.69
AXON ENTERPRISE INC	3.37
SALESFORCE INC	3.18



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- 1. Source: Barings, assets as of 30 September 2024.
- 2. Risk statistics based on gross performance. Currencies shown in USD.
- As of 30 November 2024.
- 4. Number of holdings includes Russian holdings with an asset price of zero.



### TO LEARN MORE PLEASE CONTACT YOUR LOCAL BARINGS TEAM

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CLASS A FEE SCHEDULE		CLASS A ACTIVE IDS				
Investment Size	Fees	Name	ISIN	Bloomberg	Lipper	
Initial: £2,500/€3,500/USD5,000 Subsequent: £500/€500/USD500	Initial: up to 5.00% Annual Management Fee: 1.50%	EUR INC GBP INC USD INC	IE0030016350 IE0030016467 IE0030016244	BRLDDCE ID BRLDDCS ID BRLDDCT ID	60052227 60052228 60052229	

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Barings Global Leaders Fund Class A USD Inc Share was rated against the following numbers of EAA Fund Global Large-Cap Blend Equity investments over the following time periods: 4807 investments in the last three years, 3623 investments in the last five years, and 1914 investments in the last ten years. Past performance is no guarantee of future results.

Morningstar Rating is for Class A USD Inc Share only; other classes may have different performance characteristics.

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