

# STONEHAGE FLEMING GLOBAL SUSTAINABLE EQUITY FUND



**SOCIALLY RESPONSIBLE  
APPROACH**



**UNCONSTRAINED GLOBAL  
APPROACH**



**LONG TERM  
HORIZON**



**BLEND OF PASSIVE  
AND ACTIVE FUNDS**



**DEEP INVESTMENT  
RESOURCE**



**HIGH CONVICTION  
INVESTORS**

## FUND INFORMATION

Total net assets (Millions USD)	102.4
Benchmark <sup>1</sup>	MSCI All Countries World (ACWI) Net Total Return Index
Fund type	UCITS
Fund domicile	Ireland
Base currency	USD
Currencies available	USD, GBP
Fund launch	5 November 2020
Number of holdings	12
Dealing	Weekly
Performance fee	None
Custodian	BNY Mellon
Administrator	Link Fund Administrators
Manager	Investment Manager - Stonehage Fleming Investment Management (SFIM)

## INVESTMENT OBJECTIVE

The Fund aims to achieve capital growth over the longer term by investing in companies that are progressively becoming more sustainable therefore creating a portfolio that is aligned to the UN Sustainable Development Goals\*\*.

## INVESTMENT STRATEGY

- We construct globally-orientated portfolios of long-term investment ideas.
- We blend passive, factor and active market exposure targeting a strong performing yet impactful portfolio.
- We are conviction led investors with all investments carefully assessed for purpose and purity.

## GBP F (DIST.) SHARE CLASS DETAILS

ISIN	IE00BMGR6P57
Inception date	5 November 2020
Max exit charge	3.00%
Ongoing charge (OCF) <sup>2</sup>	0.77%
Min initial investment (USD)	50,000
Registered for sale	UK, CH, JE

## TOP 5 HOLDINGS

Fund	% of Portfolio
Findlay Park American Fund	11.53
BG Positive Change Fund	10.50
Impax Environmental Markets Fund	10.40
Regnan Global Equity Impact Fund	10.15
Rockefeller Climate Solutions	9.24

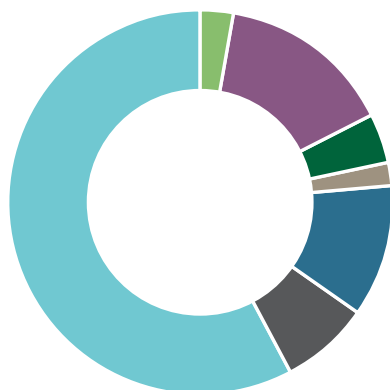
Source: Bloomberg, Link Fund Administrators (Ireland) Limited and Stonehage Fleming Investment Management Limited as at 1 January 2021. Third Parties (including Bloomberg) whose data may be included in this document do not accept any liability for errors or omissions.

## CURRENCY EXPOSURE\* %

USD	GBP	EUR	EM	Other
68.7	1.6	6.0	14.0	9.7

## PORTFOLIO COMPOSITION - LOOK THROUGH BASIS\*

2.8%	Cash
14.9%	EM Equities
4.1%	UK Equities
1.9%	Developed Asia Equities
11.0%	Europe ex UK
7.5%	Japan Equities
57.7%	North America Equities



\*Underlying exposures are based on the latest available data, as at 30 September 2022, provided by underlying managers. SFIM does not accept any liability for errors or omissions that may result from this data.

## FUND PERFORMANCE %

%	3m	YTD	12m	Since Fund Inception p.a.
GSEF	1.9	-18.1	-16.7	-1.7
Fund Benchmark	1.9	-9.6	-4.0	7.0

## DISCRETE ANNUAL FUND PERFORMANCE %

%	2021	2020
GSEF	13.0	n/a
Fund Benchmark	19.6	n/a

Past performance is not a reliable indicator of future performance. If the information is not displayed in your base currency, then the return may increase or decrease due to currency fluctuations. Source for all performance is Stonehage Fleming Investment Management Limited as at 30 September 2022.

<sup>1</sup> Total return (with dividends reinvested) is net of fees.

<sup>2</sup> The OCF is the management fee plus additional fund expenses as a percentage of the assets of the fund. This gives an indication of annual expenses which may vary over time. This figure excludes portfolio transaction costs.

## FUND MANAGER

### MONA SHAH, CFA



Mona is a Director of Stonehage Fleming Investment Management in London and is a member of the Investment Committee. Prior to joining the Group in 2018, Mona was Head of Collectives Research at Rathbone Investment Management and she now specialises in socially responsible investment and the application of impact measurement to publically listed equities.

## MANAGER PERFORMANCE HIGHLIGHTS

The fund performed in line with the benchmark for the quarter as quality was better rewarded while the probability of a recession increased. Regionally, emerging markets, an overweight allocation, and the UK struggled in the month; the former facing a strong US dollar and challenges in China, whilst the latter faces higher inflation than most and credibility issues over new policies. US equities still fell in absolute terms but held up much better than other regions so despite being an underweight in the portfolio, added value. This was due to environmental drivers; an unprecedented \$360bn of spending on the Green Economy was passed through the Inflation Reduction Act (IRA). Healthcare, an overweight in the portfolio, did not add value as the IRA weighed on drug pricing and the subsequent impact on R&D.

STONEHAGE FLEMING  
**GLOBAL SUSTAINABLE EQUITY FUND**

**IMPACT GENERATED**

The impact generated from £1m of investment into our Global Sustainable Equity Fund:



Offset 242 tonnes of CO2



Save 27.4m litres of water



93% of companies have waste management policies



24 high risk patients treated



352 natural / organic meals provided



49% satisfied employees



6 microfinance projects achieved



2.2 students enrolled in tertiary education



Number of new families in social housing\*



26% women on boards



70% independent directors



98% of companies have anti-bribery enforcement

\*No relevant investments for this metric at this current time.

**PORTFOLIO IMPACT**



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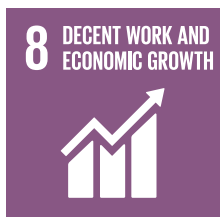
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\*\*The goals left blank are intentional due to no robust methodology being available at this current time. The UN SDGs are 17 interlinked goals designed to focus efforts to create a better more sustainable future.

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