

Baillie Gifford™

Baillie Gifford Worldwide Diversified Return Fund

31 May 2024

B Class factsheet - Marketing communication

Awards and Ratings - As at 30 April 2024

Overall Morningstar Rating™



Class B Acc in USD. Overall rating among 582 EAA Fund USD Flexible Allocation funds as at 30-APR-2024.



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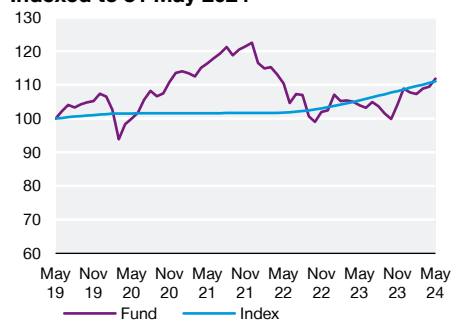
Based on the Class B USD Acc share class.

Investment proposition

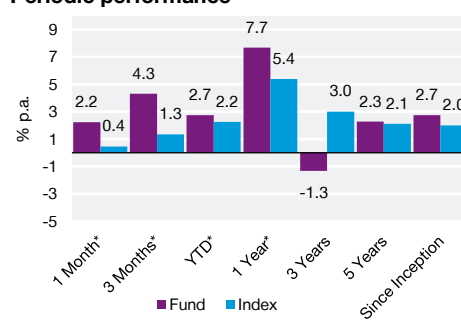
The Fund is actively managed. When constructing the portfolio, we consider the associated returns and risks prospects for each asset class; consequently, asset allocation does vary over time depending on where we see the best opportunities. The Fund can invest in a wide range of different asset classes including, but not limited to, listed equities; developed market government and corporate bonds; emerging market debt; property; commodities; infrastructure and absolute return funds.

Performance Overview – US dollars - Past performance does not predict future returns

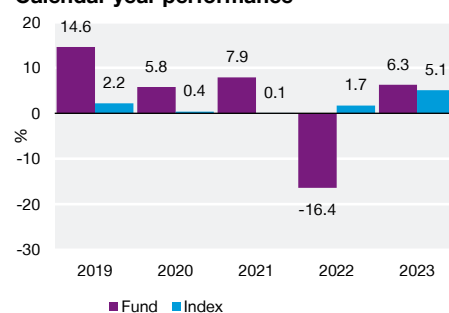
Indexed to 31 May 2024



Periodic performance



Calendar year performance



Source: Revolution. As at 31 May 2024. US dollars. Net of fees. Class B USD Acc, 10am prices. Index: Federal Funds Rate, calculated using close to close. *Not annualised. Share Class Inception date: 04 April 2017.

Portfolio overview

Fund facts

Fund launch date	04 April 2017
Fund size	\$13.9m
Index	Federal Funds Rate
Fiscal year end	30 September
Fund SFDR	Article 6*
Structure	Irish UCITS
Base currency	USD

*The Fund is not subject to enhanced sustainability-related disclosures.

Top ten holdings

Holdings	% of Total Assets
1 US T Bill 31/10/2024	13.0
2 Baillie Gifford Emerging Markets Leading Companies Fund	5.5
3 US Treasury 3% 15/08/2052	5.4
4 Baillie Gifford High Yield Bond Fund	5.1
5 Aegion ABS Opportunity Fund Acc	4.1
6 Baillie Gifford Worldwide Responsible Global Dividend Growth Fund	3.5
7 Accunia European CLO Fund EUR	2.9
8 TwentyFour Income Fund	2.7
9 Australia 3% 21/03/2047	2.4
10 WisdomTree Aluminium ETC (c)	2.1

Key Decision Makers

Name	Baillie Gifford years' experience	Industry years' experience
Scott Lothian	9	24
James Squires*	18	18
Felix Amoako-Kwarteng	13	13
Nicoleta Dumitru	11	11

*Partner

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Asset allocation

	Exposure %
Listed Equities	13.7
Property	10.5
High Yield Credit	8.8
Structured Finance	9.7
Commodities	6.1
Emerging Market Bonds	6.4
Infrastructure	22.1
Government Bonds	7.8
Active Rates and Currency	0.1
Cash and Equivalents	14.8
Total	100.0

Futures positions are included at their net exposure weight, and cash includes collateral held to back all long futures positions. Therefore, total portfolio exposure may not sum to 100%. Cash and Equivalents includes the net unrealised profit or loss of open currency positions in the Fund.

Charges

	Inception Date	ISIN	Bloomberg	SEDOL	WKN	Valoren	Ongoing charge figure (%)	Annual management fee (%)
US dollar								
Class B USD Acc	04 April 2017	IE00BYXQHG70	BGWDDBUA ID	BYXQHG7	A2QC35	36380933	0.89	0.50
euro								
Class B EUR Acc (Hgd)	14 March 2023	IE000ULJF344	BGWDDBEA ID	BMX7FJ5	A3D7DJ	125354901	0.91	0.50

Our Worldwide funds allow us to offer multi-currency share classes. Share classes can be created on request. The ongoing charge figure is at the latest annual or interim period. Charges will reduce the value of your investment. Costs may increase or decrease as a result of currency and exchange rate fluctuations.

Periodic performance

	1 Month*	3 Month*	YTD*	1 Year*	3 Years	5 Years	10 Years	Since Inception
US dollar (%)								
Class B USD Acc (%)	2.2	4.3	2.7	7.7	-1.3	2.3	N/A	2.7
Index (%)	0.4	1.3	2.2	5.4	3.0	2.1	N/A	2.0

Calendar year performance

	December 2019	December 2020	December 2021	December 2022	December 2023
US dollar (%)					
Class B USD Acc (%)	14.6	5.8	7.9	-16.4	6.3
Index (%)	2.2	0.4	0.1	1.7	5.1

Discrete performance

	31/03/19-31/03/20	31/03/20-31/03/21	31/03/21-31/03/22	31/03/22-31/03/23	31/03/23-31/03/24
US dollar (%)					
Class B USD Acc (%)	-6.1	19.9	2.4	-8.6	3.3
Index (%)	1.9	0.1	0.1	2.8	5.3

	31/03/14-31/03/15	31/03/15-31/03/16	31/03/16-31/03/17	31/03/17-31/03/18	31/03/18-31/03/19
US dollar (%)					
Class B USD Acc (%)	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	1.9
Index (%)	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	2.1

Source: Revolution. As at 31 May 2024. Net of fees. 10am prices. Index: Federal Funds Rate, calculated using close to close. *Not annualised.

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