# **Baillie Gifford Global Stewardship Equity Fund**

# First Quarter 2023



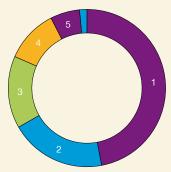
#### **Fund Objective**

To produce capital growth over the long term by investing primarily in global equities. Performance will be measured against the MSCI ACWI Index.

### **Investment Proposition**

The Fund is a stock-driven global equity strategy with a focus on growth companies and a long-term, low turnover approach. The Fund combines expert regional stock picking with a global perspective in portfolio construction to produce a portfolio of 70-100 growth companies that will look very different to the benchmark. Good stewardship is at the heart of the Fund, both as a feature of the companies held by the Fund and in Baillie Gifford's responsible long-term shareholder approach.

# **Geographical Analysis**



Figures may not sum due to rounding.

3 Developed Asia Pacific	47.0%
4 Emerging Markets 5 UK	19.7%
5 UK	14.8%
<u> </u>	10.9%
6 Cash	6.0%
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#### **Fund Facts**

Launch Date	November 02, 2018
Fund Size	C\$39m
Benchmark	MSCI ACWI Index
Current Annual Turnover	28%
Current Active Share	92%*
Style	Long-term growth stockpicking
Stocks (guideline range)	70-100
Current number of stocks	68

<sup>\*</sup>Relative to MSCI ACWI Index. Source: Baillie Gifford & Co, MSCI.

#### **Top Ten Holdings**

Но	ldings	% of Total Assets
1	MarketAxess	3.3
2	MercadoLibre	3.0
3	NVIDIA	3.0
4	Shopify	2.9
5	Workday	2.9
6	IMCD	2.9
7	TSMC	2.6
8	AIA	2.5
9	The Trade Desk	2.5
10	L'Oréal	2.2

**Periodic Performance** 



# **Discrete Performance**

			03/31/20- 03/31/21		
Fund (%)	N/A	0.4	85.2	-20.0	-12.8
Benchmark (%)	N/A	-4.9	37.1	7.1	0.8

Source: Revolution, MSCI. As at March 31, 2023. Canadian dollars. Fund performance shown is based on the NAV calculated by CIBC Mellon Trust Company, 4pm ET. Benchmark calculated using close to close. \*Not annualized. Launch date: November 02, 2018.

All the returns presented above are gross of investment management fees. The results do not reflect the deduction of investment management fees. Fees are charged outside the fund.

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The Fund is a sub-fund of Baillie Gifford Funds Canada. Its Investment Manager and Distributor is Baillie Gifford Overseas Limited.

This factsheet does not provide you with all the facts that you need to make an informed decision about investing in the Fund. Further details of the risks associated with investing in the Fund can be found in the Offering Memorandum, copies of which are available at bailliegifford.com

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#### **Fees**

Global Stewardship Fund Management Fees

0.50% first \$130m

0.35% thereafter

Investors are charged a fee for investment management services based on the above scale. This fee is payable directly to the manager.

Operating Expenses: 0.36% Expense Cap: 0.09%

The Manager has agreed to bear the expenses of the Fund above the Expense Cap. The Funds operating expenses are all expenses the Fund incurs in its daily operations excluding transaction fees based on the actual expenses for the fiscal year to December 31, 2022. The expense cap has been approved until 31 December 2023.

### **Dealing Information**

Settlement	T+2
Liquidity and Valuation	Daily
Elgibility	Permitted clients*
Dealing cut-off time	4pm Eastern
Custodian and Record Keeper	CIBC

\*As defined in Multilateral Instrument 32-102 Registration Exemptions for Non-Resident Investment Managers.

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