

# Investec Global Balanced Fund

Class A

OFFSHORE MULTI-ASSET FUND

## FUND OVERVIEW

### Portfolio Manager

Investec Wealth & Investment

<b>Inception Date</b>	5 March 2020
<b>Peer Group Benchmark</b>	Morningstar EAA Fund USD Moderate Allocation
<b>Internal Reference Benchmark</b>	Equity: 52.5% Fixed Income: 25.0% Alternatives: 10.0% Cash: 7.5% Property: 5.0%
<b>Share Class Codes</b>	Class A: GG00BKKK3Q67 Class B: GG00BKKK3R74 Class C: GG00BKKK3S81 Class D: GG00BKKK3T98

<b>Fund Size (\$m)</b>	Class A: \$ 11,629,583 Class B: \$ 3,057,080 Class C: \$ 1,231,486 Class D: \$ 8,007,896
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**Base Currency** US Dollar

<b>Fund Price (NAV)</b>	Class A: \$ 125.2 Class B: \$ 125.7 Class C: \$ 126.9 Class D: \$ 126.2
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<b>Minimum Investment<sup>4</sup></b>	Class A: \$500 Class B: \$3,000,000 Class C: \$10,000 <sup>5</sup> Class D: \$15,000,000
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**Issue Date** 03 August 2021

Fee Structure	Class A
Annual Management Fee:	1.25%
Other:	<u>0.45% (P.Y 0.45%)</u>
Total Expense Ratio (TER):	1.70% (P.Y 1.70%)
Portfolio Transaction Costs:	<u>0.27% (P.Y 0.27%)</u>
Total Investment Charge:	1.97% (P.Y 1.97%)

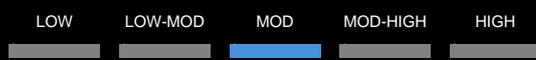
### Trading Terms

Daily, with one business days' notice for redemptions. Cut off 17h00 Guernsey time.

### Distribution

No Distributions have been made

### Risk Profile



### Investment Categories



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## Fund Characteristics and Objectives

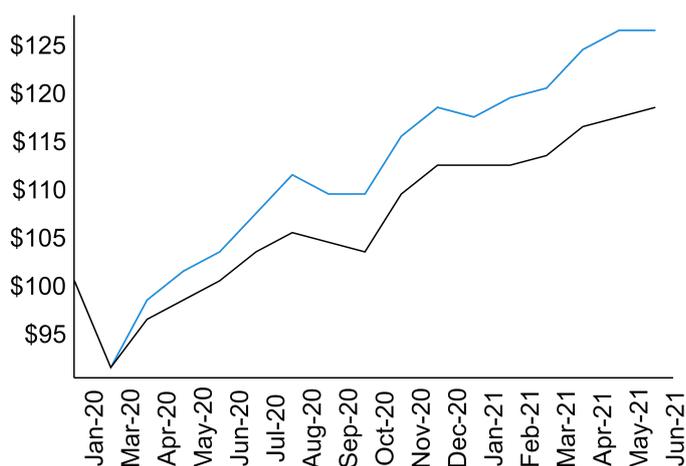
The Investec Global Balanced Fund (the "Fund") seeks to provide a balanced return of capital and income in US Dollars over the long term. We aim to achieve this by investing across a broad range of traditional and non-traditional asset classes and securities across the globe.

- The Fund is an actively managed multi-asset class fund that leverages off our well-established top down and bottom-up global investment processes.
- Our top-down investment process helps us identify opportunities (and threats) globally, which enables us to tactically asset allocate relative to our benchmark depending on where we see the best risk-adjusted return opportunities.
- Our bottom-up research processes help us identify the appropriate investments, be it direct equities, third-party fund managers that have met our strict investment criteria or exchange-traded funds.
- A material allocation of the Fund is invested in direct equities listed in developed equity markets. This allocation to direct global equities will be biased towards larger capitalization stocks that have sustainable competitive advantages in growing markets ("Global leaders").
- We believe that alternative investments will play an important role in diversifying broader risks and are a critical building block in the Fund.

This Fund is FSCA approved.

## Cumulative Return

- Investec Global Balanced Fund - \$126
- Morningstar EAA Fund USD Moderate Allocation - \$118



Source: Investec Wealth & Investment and Morningstar



<sup>4</sup> The minimum investment amount may be different depending on your product provider.  
<sup>5</sup> The C Class Shares are available to investors approved by the Directors.  
P.Y. The previous financial year-end (31 March 2021)

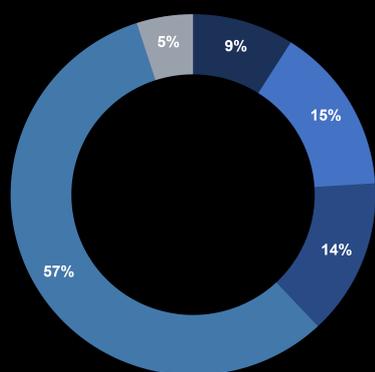
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## PORTFOLIO POSITIONING

### Asset Allocation (%)<sup>3</sup>



■ Global Alternatives      ■ Global Bonds  
■ Cash Alternatives      ■ Global Equities  
■ Global Property

<sup>3</sup> May not sum to 100% due to rounding  
Source: Investec Wealth & Investment

## Top 10 Equity Holdings

1. ASML Holding	6. Amazon Inc.
2. Alphabet Inc.	7. PayPal Holdings Inc.
3. Estee Lauder Companies Inc.	8. Microsoft Co.
4. Goldman Sachs Group Inc.	9. Danaher Corp.
5. LVMH SE	10. Citigroup Inc.

Source: Investec Wealth & Investment

## Performance (Class A, USD, net of fees)

	1 year	Since inception <sup>2</sup>	Calendar High	Calendar Low
Investec Global Balanced Fund	21.9%	19.0%		
Morningstar EAA Fund USD Moderate Allocation	18.1%	13.4%		
Global Balanced Internal Benchmark	22.0%	18.0%		

<sup>2</sup> Annualised  
Source: Investec Wealth & Investment, Morningstar and MSCI

## Calendar Year Returns (Class A, USD, net of fees)

	2020 <sup>6</sup>
Investec Global Balanced Fund	18.3%
Morningstar EAA Fund USD Moderate Allocation	11.8%
Global Balanced Internal Benchmark	16.3%

<sup>6</sup> From 5 March 2020 to 31 December 2020  
Method of calculation: NAV-NAV. Gross income reinvested  
Source: Investec Wealth & Investment, Morningstar and MSCI

### Glossary Summary

Annualised return: Annualised return is the average return per year over the period.

The Effective Annual Cost (EAC): Is a measure which has been introduced to allow you to compare the charges you incur and their impact on investment returns when you invest in different financial products. It is expressed as an annualised percentage. The effect of some of the charges may vary, depending on your investment period. The EAC calculation assumes that an investor terminates his or her investment in the financial product at the end of the relevant periods shown in the table.

Method of calculation: Unit prices are calculated on a net asset value basis by determining the total market value of all assets in the Investec Global Balanced portfolio, including any income accruals, less any permissible deductions. The following costs may be deducted from the portfolio: brokerage fees, security services tax, auditor's fees, bank charges, trustee and custodian fees and the annual management fees of the manager.

MDD: Minimum Disclosure Document

The Net Asset Value (NAV): represents the value of the assets of a fund less its liabilities.

Total Expense Ratio (TER): Includes the annual management fee, performance fee and administrative costs but excludes portfolio transaction costs (except in the case of an entry or exit charge paid by a fund when buying or selling units in another fund) expressed as a percentage of the average daily value of the Fund calculated over a rolling three years (or since inception where applicable) and annualised to the most recently completed quarter. Underlying manager performance fees calculated based on that managers fee schedule, please see the underlying managers MDD or KIID for more information regarding their performance fee.

Transaction cost (TC): Transaction costs are a necessary cost in administering the Fund and impacts returns. It should not be considered in isolation as returns may be impacted by many other factors over time including market returns, the type of financial product, the investment decisions of the investment manager and the TER calculations are based on actual data where possible and best estimates where actual data is not available.

Total investment charge (TIC): This is the sum of the TER and TC.

YTD: Year to date.

### Specific Fund Risks

Concentration risk: Investments may be primarily concentrated in specific areas (e.g. countries/geographical regions and/or industry sectors), in terms of investment style (e.g. income or growth), in individual holdings and/or in a number of other ways. This may mean the value of the Fund may decrease whilst more broadly invested funds might grow.

Country and political risk: Investments or underlying components of your Investments may be affected by their link or relationship to specific countries which could be exposed to political or economic events affecting companies, interest rates or currencies.

Currency exchange risk: Changes in the relative values of different currencies may adversely affect the value of the Fund's investments and any related income. Default risk: There is a risk that the issuers of fixed income investments (e.g. bonds) may not be able to meet interest payments nor repay the money they have borrowed. The worse the credit quality of the issuer, the greater the risk of default and therefore investment loss.

Developing market risk: Some of the countries in which the Fund invests may have less developed legal, political, economic and/or other systems. These markets carry a higher risk of financial loss than those in countries generally regarded as being more developed.

Equity investment risk: The value of equities and equity-related investments may vary according to company profits and future prospects as well as more general market factors. In the event of a company default, the owners of their equity rank last in terms of any financial payment from that company. Interest rate risk: The value of fixed income investments (e.g. bonds) tends to decrease when interest rates and/or inflation rises.

Liquidity risk: The risk that a given security or asset cannot be traded quickly enough in the market to prevent a loss (or make the required profit). Macroeconomic risk: Refers to the risk that conditions such as exchange rates, growth rate, gross domestic product, inflation, price levels, national income, changes in employment, government regulation or political stability, will affect an investment usually in a foreign country.

Multi-asset investment risk: The Fund is subject to possible financial losses in multiple markets and may underperform more focused funds. Return on capital: Neither capital preservation nor returns are guaranteed.

Settlement risk: The risk that a counterparty does not deliver a security or its value in cash as per agreement when the security was traded after the other counter-party or counterparties have already delivered security or cash value as per the trade agreement.

Taxation risk: The tax treatment of any Investment is determined by the specific circumstance of each client. Taxation may change during the lifetime of an Investment. This may result in unanticipated tax liabilities. You should obtain tax advice in order to be aware of the potential liability before making an Investment. If your circumstances change or you are uncertain of how an Investment might affect your own tax position you should seek professional advice. Third-party operational risk: The Fund's operations depend on third parties. Investors in the Fund may suffer disruption or financial loss in the event of third-party operational failure. Repatriation of funds risk: The risk the client faces when funds are returned to the country of origin and thus subject to foreign exchange risk.

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