

# Investec Global Balanced Fund

Class A - OFFSHORE MULTI-ASSET FUND - Moderate Risk

The Fund is managed by Investec Wealth & Investment International.

29 February 2024 - Minimum Disclosure Document



The Fund is approved by the FSCA.

## **FUND OVERVIEW**

Inception Date: 05 March 2020 36,896,045.51 Fund Size: Share Class Size: 22,728,929.19

GG00BKKK3Q67 ISIN Number:

52.5% Equity, 25.0% Fixed Income, 10.0% Alternatives, 7.5% Cash,

5.0% Property

Peer Group Benchmark:

Internal Benchmark:

Morningstar EAA Fund USD Moderate

Allocation

Bloomberg Code: INVBLDA:GU

Base Currency: USD Fund Price (NAV): 117.13

No distributions have Distribution:

been made.

28 March 2024 Issue Date:

## **Trading Terms**

Minimum Investment: \$500

Redemption Notice: One business day

Daily Valuation: Valuation time: T+1

Transaction time

cut-off: 17h00 Guernsey time

### Fee Structure<sup>3</sup>

Annual

Management Fee: 1.25% (P.Y: 1.25%)1 Other: 0.41% (P.Y: 0.39%)1

Total Expense Ratio

1.66% (P.Y: 1.64%)1

Portfolio Transaction

0.05% (P.Y: 0.04%)1

Total Investment

Charge:

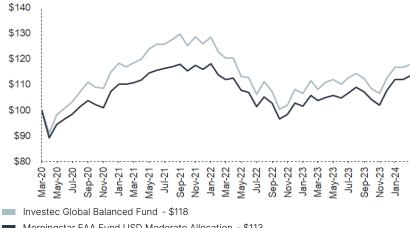
1.70% (P.Y: 1.68%)1

# 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 wellestablished 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
- We believe that alternative investments will play an important role in diversifying broader risks and are a critical building block in the Fund.

# Cumulative Return Chart (Class A, USD, Net of fees)



Morningstar EAA Fund USD Moderate Allocation - \$113

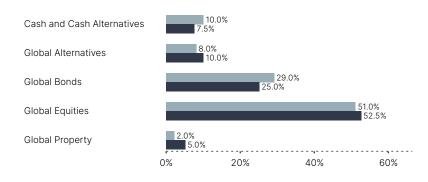
The chart represents the returns generated by a \$100 investment made at inception. Investment performance is for illustrative purposes only and calculated by taking actual initial fees and ongoing fees into account for amount shown with income reinvested on reinvestment date.

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

	3 Months	6 Months	1 Year	2 Years <sup>2</sup>	3 Years <sup>2</sup>	Since inception <sup>2</sup>	Calendar High	Calendar Low
Investec Global Balanced Fund	4.5%	4.8%	8.8%	-1.1%	-0.2%	4.2%	8.7%	-17.2%
Morningstar EAA Fund USD Moderate Allocation	5.2%	5.8%	9.3%	0.7%	0.8%	3.2%	7.3%	-14.1%
Global Balanced Internal Benchmark	6.6%	8.0%	15.2%	4.1%	4.8%	7.2%	15.6%	-13.2%

<sup>1</sup> The prior year ("PY") TER and Transaction cost calculations are based upon the portfolio's direct costs for the financial year ended 31 March 2023, whilst the underlying portfolios' ratio and cost calculations are based upon their most recent published figures, being 31 December 2023 | 2 Annualised | 3 In certain instances, numbers may not sum correctly due to decimal rounding | The above minimum investment amount may be different depending on your product provider | Where applicable the above information is sourced from: Investec Wealth & Investment, MSCI and Morningstar | Since Inception is: 05 March 2020 | Method of calculation: NAV-NAV with gross income reinvested | Minimum Disclosure Document - 29 February 2024

# PORTFOLIO POSITIONING Asset Allocation (%)³ Global Equities 51.0% Global Bonds 29.0% Cash and Cash Alternatives 10.0% Global Alternatives 8.0% Global Property 2.0% As of Date 29 February 2024



- Investec Global Balanced Fund
- Morningstar EAA Fund USD Moderate Allocation As of Date 29 February 2024

# Top 10 Equity Holdings

Microsoft Corporation	6. ASML
2. Amazon	7. Palo Alto
	8. Visa
3. Alphabet	
4. JPMorgan Chase	9. LVMH
5. Thermo Fisher	10. Totalenergies SE

As of Date 29 February 2024



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

	2021	2022	2023
Investec Global Balanced Fund	8.7%	-17.2%	9.6%
Morningstar EAA Fund USD Moderate Allocation	7.3%	-14.1%	10.3%
Global Balanced Internal Benchmark	12.0%	-13.2%	15.6%

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### Glossary Summary

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

The Effective Annual Cost (EAC): Is a measure which allows investors to compare the charges that may be incured and their impact on investment returns when investing in different financial products. It is expressed as an annualised percentage.

Method of calculation: Unit prices are calculated on a net asset value basis by determining the total market value of all assets in the Fund, including any income accruals, less any permissible deductions.

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.

**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.

# Specific Fund Risks

Investments in general and foreign investments in particular involve numerous risks and might not be suitable for all investors. Where foreign securities are included in the portfolio there may be additional risks such as potential constraints on liquidity, macroeconomic risk, political risk, foreign exchange risk, tax risk, settlement risk as well as potential limitations on the availability of market information. Please refer to https://www.investec.com/en\_za/investment/unit-trusts.html?t-5 for a list of Fund specific risks which should be considered by investors prior to investing.

### Important information that should be considered prior to investing

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