

INVESTMENT OBJECTIVE

To achieve optimum risk adjusted total return by investing primarily in a diversified portfolio of global equities. The fund aims to achieve a higher total rate of return than the MSCI All Country World Net Total Return Index, without assuming greater risk.

INVESTOR PROFILE

Investors requiring long-term growth and who are able to withstand investment volatility in the short to medium term. This class is available for subscription by all category of investors, including retail investors.

TIME HORIZON

Longer than five years.

DOMICILE

Singapore

CUSTODIAN

RBC Investor Services Trust Singapore Limited

INVESTMENT MANAGER

Foord Asset Management (Singapore) Pte. Limited

FUND MANAGERS

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INCEPTION DATE

1 June 2012

BASE CURRENCY

US dollars

EQUITY INDICATOR >>>>>>>>

Indicates the relative weight of equities in the portfolio. A higher weight could result in increased volatility of returns.

MORNINGSTAR CATEGORY

Global Large-Cap Blend Equity

TYPE OF UNITS

Accumulation

BENCHMARK

MSCI All Country World Net Total Return Index

INITIAL SUBSCRIPTION AMOUNT

US\$10 000 or equivalent

SUBSEQUENT SUBSCRIPTION AMOUNT

US\$1 000 or equivalent

TOTAL FUND SIZE

\$527.3 million

MONTH END UNIT PRICE: CLASS B

\$23.57

NUMBER OF UNITS: CLASS B

4.6 million

ISIN NUMBER: CLASS B

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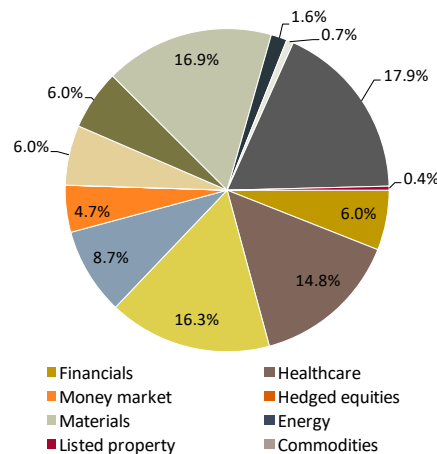
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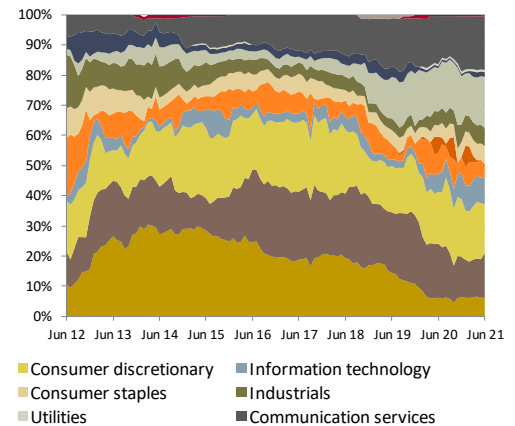
ANNUALISED COST RATIO (CLASS B)

	12 MONTHS	36 MONTHS
TER —Basic	0.91%	0.91%
—Performance	1.12%	0.46%
Transaction costs	0.12%	0.15%
Total cost ratio	2.15%	1.52%

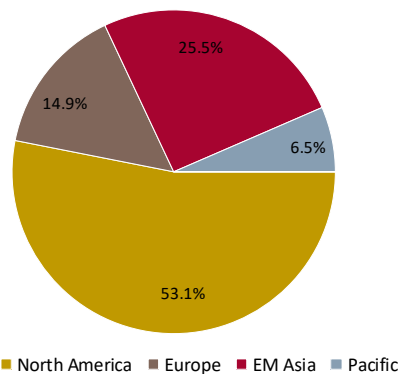
PORTFOLIO STRUCTURE



CHANGES IN PORTFOLIO COMPOSITION



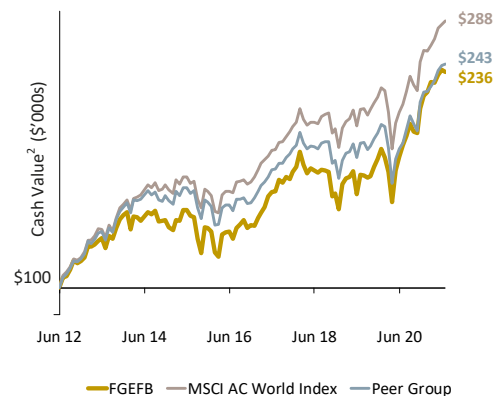
GEOGRAPHIC EQUITY EXPOSURE



TOP 5 INVESTMENTS

SECURITY	% OF FUND
Alphabet Inc	5.9
JD.Com Inc	4.6
Tencent Holdings	4.0
IPG Photonics Corporation	3.4
Baidu Inc	3.4

PORTFOLIO PERFORMANCE



PORTFOLIO PERFORMANCE (PERIODS GREATER THAN ONE YEAR ARE ANNUALISED)¹

	CASH VALUE ²	SINCE INCEPTION	LAST 7 YEARS	LAST 5 YEARS	LAST 3 YEARS	LAST 12 MONTHS	LAST 3 MONTHS	YEAR TO DATE	THIS MONTH
FOORD ^{3,4}	\$ 235 650	9.9%	8.3%	14.1%	14.2%	33.8%	4.5%	9.9%	-0.8%
MSCI AC WORLD	\$ 288 401	12.4%	9.7%	14.6%	14.6%	39.3%	7.4%	12.3%	1.3%
PEER GROUP ^{4,5}	\$ 242 721	10.2%	7.4%	12.3%	11.9%	36.5%	6.8%	11.5%	0.5%
FOORD IN EUROS ^{3,4}	€ 245 736	10.4%	10.5%	12.7%	13.7%	26.8%	3.4%	13.2%	2.2%
FOORD IN STERLING ^{3,4}	£ 262 484	11.2%	11.6%	13.3%	12.5%	20.0%	4.1%	8.6%	1.9%
FOORD IN RANDES ^{3,4}	R 394 973	16.3%	12.9%	13.5%	15.8%	10.2%	1.0%	6.8%	3.1%
FOORD HIGHEST ^{4,6}		60.6%	60.6%	60.6%	60.6%	33.8%			
FOORD LOWEST ^{4,6}		-15.5%	-15.5%	-15.5%	-9.7%	33.8%			

¹ Returns in USD unless otherwise stated. Periods greater than one year converted to reflect the average yearly return for each period presented.

² Current value of 100 000 notional currency units invested at inception (graphically represented in \$'000s above)

³ Class B shares

⁴ Net of fees and expenses

⁵ Global Large-Cap Blend Equity Morningstar category (provisional). Source: Morningstar

⁶ Highest and lowest actual 12-month return achieved in the period

COMMENTARY

- Global equities (+1.4%) took fright when the US Federal Reserve brought forward to 2023 the date by when it expected US interest rates would first rise—but later settled as the Fed downplayed inflation, supported by positive economic data and vaccination rollout
- US bourses (+2.8%) outperformed as inflation fears abated—Fed Chairman Powell noted that price increases have been sharpest in sectors linked to the reopening of the economy and should be transitory rather than structural
- European indices (-1.5%) underperformed amid the rapid spread of the COVID-19 delta variant—Eurozone inflation leapt to 2% in May, surpassing the ECB's target for the first time in two years
- Emerging markets (+1.3%) rose, led by oil exporters Brazil (+5.5%) and Russia (+4.1%)—China's (+1.6%) producer-price index rose 9% year-on-year, its fastest pace since 2008, driven by the higher cost of commodity imports
- Oil (+8.4%) rose above \$70 a barrel for the first time in two years after OPEC+ signalled strong demand amid managed supply—precious metals gold (-6.9%) and silver (-6.7%) and industrial bellwether copper (-7.6%) fell sharply on easing inflation concerns and dollar strength
- Interest rate sensitive sectors, materials (-3.7%), financials (-3.4%) and utilities (-3.1%) lagged—information technology (+6.2%), energy (+3.3%) and healthcare (+3.0%) outperformed
- Digital media giant Alphabet (+3.9%), China e-commerce company JD.Com (+7.9%) and bioproduction tools and services company Biolife Solutions (+33.6%) were the top performance contributors—partially offset by copper miner Freeport-McMoran (-13.1%) and silver miner Pan American Silver (-15.1%)

FEE STRUCTURE

The annual fee comprises a fixed standard fee plus a performance fee, subject to an overall minimum.

The annual fee may be adjusted up daily (subject to fulfilling the performance conditions) by the performance fee, calculated as the difference between the portfolio performance and the benchmark return for the same period multiplied by the performance fee sharing rate.

FEE RATES (CLASS B)

Subscription and switching fees	0.00%
Standard annual fee	0.85%
Performance fee sharing rate	15%
Minimum annual fee	0.85%
Maximum annual fee	Uncapped
High-water mark	Applicable

PERFORMANCE FEES

Performance fees align investor and manager return objectives by rewarding the manager for outperformance. A performance fee is chargeable only when the portfolio performance exceeds the benchmark and the high-water mark ("HWM") is exceeded. Should the portfolio underperform it must first recover the underperformance since the last HWM before performance fees are payable.

The performance fee is calculated and accrued on a daily basis. If the performance conditions are no longer satisfied, all performance fees previously accrued during that accounting period (calendar year) are reversed.

PERFORMANCE FEE EXAMPLES FOR FOORD GLOBAL EQUITY FUND (CLASS B)

END OF ACCOUNTING PERIOD	PERIOD 1	PERIOD 2	PERIOD 3	PERIOD 4
Foord 1-year return	5.00%	-4.86%	3.90%	5.88%
Benchmark 1-year return	6.00%	-4.50%	1.00%	4.00%
NAV of Class B units in USD	10.50	9.99	10.38	10.99
Benchmark price	10.60	10.12	10.22	10.63
High-water mark in USD	10.00	10.50	10.50	10.50
Performance returns [#]	5.00%	-4.86%	-1.15%	4.66%
Benchmark returns ^{##}	6.00%	-4.50%	-3.55%	0.31%
Relative performance	-1.00%	-0.36%	2.40%	4.35%
Is the NAV per unit above the HWM?	Yes	No	No	Yes
Is the performance returns above the benchmark?	No	No	Yes	Yes
Performance fee rate applied	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.65%
Total annual fee rate applied	0.85%*	0.85%*	0.85%*	1.50%

[#] NAV excluding any performance fee accrual compared against HWM and the change, expressed as a percentage of HWM

^{##} Benchmark returns for the comparative period

* Minimum fees apply

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TER

A Total Expense Ratio (TER) is a measure of a portfolio's annual expenses, fees and charges, expressed as a percentage of the average value of the portfolio. The quantum of transaction costs is affected by the quantum of the gross in- and outflows over the period presented. The TER for the fund's financial year ended 31 December 2020 was 0.91%.

Note: For South African investors, this document is a Minimum Disclosure Document.

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