

## Investment Objective

The World Stars Global Equity Fund seeks to achieve its objective by investing in a concentrated selection of shares in leading global companies with enduring competitive advantages and a long runway of growth.

We select companies based on our own fundamental research, taking a long-term horizon. We do not follow benchmarks and always seek to invest in quality and value.

Quality means companies that are global leaders, have strong competitive positions and pricing power in structurally attractive and growing markets, have management teams with strong records of value creation and have robust balance sheets.

Value means buying those companies at prices that allow for the prospect of significant capital growth over 5-10 years or more.

## 5 Year World Stars Portfolio Performance, USD



## Performance Analysis

	Nov-20	3 Months	2020 YTD	1 Year	3 Year	5 Year	Cumulative		Annualised	
							Since Inception	3 Year	5 Year	Since Inception
<b>Portfolio</b>	<b>+8.4</b>	<b>+1.9</b>	<b>+15.5</b>	<b>+19.1</b>	<b>+44.2</b>	<b>+91.2</b>	<b>+146.3</b>	<b>+13.0</b>	<b>+13.8</b>	<b>+11.7</b>
<i>MSCI World</i>	<i>+12.8</i>	<i>+5.7</i>	<i>+11.7</i>	<i>+15.1</i>	<i>+33.4</i>	<i>+72.1</i>	<i>+139.2</i>	<i>+10.1</i>	<i>+11.5</i>	<i>+11.3</i>

Performance is the Net Asset Value (NAV) of the World Stars Global Equity Fund ("Fund") A1 USD Share class, calculated daily, launched on 08 April 2019. Prior to launch date performance was that of the World Stars USD Strategy, which the Fund follows, based on total return (with dividends reinvested) and net of 1% fees per annum, deducted quarterly in arrears. Past performance is not a reliable indicator of future results; the value of any investment can fall as well as rise; and returns may increase or decrease as a result of currency fluctuations.

### Top 5 Holdings

Stock	Sector	% of NAV
Amazon	Consumer Discretionary	7.5
Adobe	Information Technology	7.2
Alphabet	Communication Services	6.7
Activision Blizzard	Communication Services	4.7
ThermoFisher	Health Care	4.6

### Strategy Performance Analysis

Cash % of NAV	3.9%
Annualised Rate of Return	+11.7%
Best Month	10.8% Apr' 20
Worst Month	-9.3% Oct' 18
Average Month	0.8%
% Positive Months	52.4%
Sharpe ratio	0.97

### Key Facts

No. of Stocks	27
Active share <sup>^</sup>	86.4%
Median market cap	\$143bn
Dividend Yield	1.0%
Beta	0.90
12 Month turnover	9.8%
Max Drawdown	-27.5%

<sup>^</sup>Active share as at 31 August 2020

## Fund Summary

NAV*	USD	1,307.27
Comparator	MSCI World	

\*NAV of A1 USD share class as at 30 November 2020

## Share Class Summary

Share Class	AMC	OCF*	Minimum	ISIN
A1 USD Acc	0.90%	1.20%	1,000,000	LU1952142120
A1 EUR Acc	0.90%	1.20%	1,000,000	LU1979603963
A1 GBP Acc	0.90%	1.20%	1,000,000	LU1979604003
A5 USD Acc	0.65%	0.95%	1,000,000	LU1963577264
B1 USD Acc	1.20%	1.50%	5,000	LU1952142476
B1 GBP Acc	1.20%	1.50%	5,000	LU1979606040

\*The estimated Ongoing Charges Figure (OCF) includes the annual management charge and aggregate operating expenses chargeable to the Fund. For all detail on fall fees and charges, please refer to the relevant special section of the Prospectus

## Portfolio Comment

The announcement of successful trials for Covid-19 vaccines and the expected roll-out of vaccinations to vulnerable populations and health care workers has raised hopes of a re-opening of economies and a global recovery through 2021-22. The 'moderate' outcome of the US election and Janet Yellen's appointment as Treasury Secretary have also raised expectations for the US economy and US-China relations.

Our World Stars fund performed strongly and is now 380bp ahead of the MSCI World this year. Like during previous turning points the initial rally in equities has seen a strong rise by stocks and sectors which were previously out of favour.

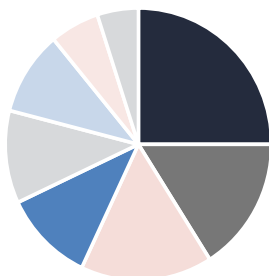
*Raytheon* (+33%) was the top performer as investors looked forward to recovery in commercial aerospace adding to continued growth in defence. Also within industrials, *Honeywell* (+24%) and *Eaton* (+17%) have benefitted from resilient performance and actions taken to strengthen their long-term growth prospects.

Increased confidence in consumer spending and a pick up in travel and associated spending, has boosted our holdings in luxury goods, spirits and payments. *Mastercard* (+17%) released a trading update with total transaction volume growing at 2-3%, including 6% in the US, and a slow improvement in cross-border volume.

We believe that our Fund remains well-positioned for 2021 with its diversified holdings across information technology, healthcare, consumer goods and industrials.

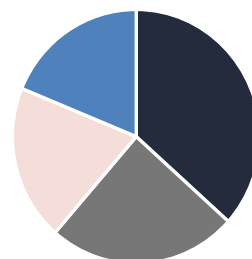
**Sector Allocation**

- Health Care 25%
- Information Technology 16%
- Communication Services 16%
- Consumer Discretionary 11%
- Consumer Staples 11%
- Industrials 10%
- Materials 6%
- Real Estate 5%



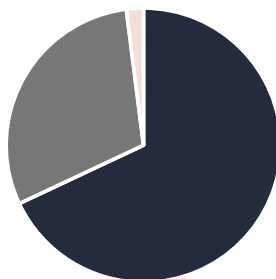
**Thematic Allocation**

- Dominant Internet/Tech Franchises 37%
- Pharma & Healthcare Companies 25%
- Global Leaders w. Recurring Businesses 20%
- Global Leaders w. Cyclical Exposure 19%



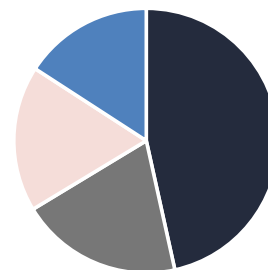
**Geographic Exposure by Listing**

- USA 68%
- Europe ex-UK 30%
- UK 2%



**Geographic Mix of Sales**

- USA 47%
- Europe 20%
- Rest of World 18%
- Asia 16%



**Monthly Performance, % Total Return, USD**

	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sept	Oct	Nov	Dec	YTD	MSCI World	Excess return
2012	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-1.8	+4.2	+0.4	+2.8	+2.0	+0.8
2013	+3.3	+5.4	+0.8	+1.4	-1.1	-2.8	+3.3	-2.9	+6.2	+4.2	+1.7	+1.9	+23.1	+27.3	-4.2
2014	-5.7	+6.5	-0.5	+1.8	+1.9	+1.9	-4.6	+2.6	-3.1	-0.8	+2.2	-2.8	-1.3	+5.5	-6.8
2015	-0.4	+5.3	-2.8	+2.8	+1.6	-4.2	+2.7	-7.8	-4.3	+10.0	+0.9	-1.3	+1.4	-0.3	+1.7
2016	-5.7	+0.4	+7.1	+1.2	+0.7	+1.8	+2.5	-0.4	+2.4	-3.7	-2.1	+1.5	+5.0	+8.1	-3.1
2017	+4.7	+3.1	+3.5	+3.4	+4.4	-1.6	+2.5	+0.4	+1.1	+4.4	+0.3	+1.8	+31.8	+23.0	+8.8
2018	+8.1	-3.3	-0.9	+0.3	+2.7	+0.5	+3.0	+0.4	+1.1	-9.3	-0.4	-6.5	-5.2	-8.2	+3.0
2019	+5.8	+1.9	+4.2	+3.2	-4.5	+6.1	+1.1	+0.4	-0.4	+2.5	+2.3	+3.1	+28.5	+28.4	+0.1
2020	+0.4	-6.9	-8.5	+10.8	+4.4	+1.9	+6.5	+5.6	-3.6	-2.5	+8.4	-	+15.5	+11.7	+3.8

Performance is the Net Asset Value (NAV) of the World Stars Global Equity Fund ("Fund") A1 USD Share class, calculated daily, launched on 08 April 2019. Prior to launch date performance was that of the World Stars USD Strategy, which the Fund follows, based on total return (with dividends reinvested) and net of 1% fees per annum, deducted quarterly in arrears. Past performance is not a reliable indicator of future results; the value of any investment can fall as well as rise; and returns may increase or decrease as a result of currency fluctuations.

**Fund Information**

<b>Investment Manager</b>	J. Stern & Co. LLP
<b>Portfolio Manager</b>	Christopher Rossbach
<b>Deputy Portfolio Manager</b>	Katerina Kosmopoulou, CFA
<b>Launch Date</b>	08 April 2019
<b>Vehicle</b>	Alpha UCITS SICAV, Luxembourg
<b>Management Company</b>	MDO Management Company SA
<b>Administrator &amp; Depository</b>	RBC Investor Services
<b>Auditor</b>	Deloitte Audit S.à.r.l.
<b>Reference Currency</b>	USD
<b>NAV</b>	Calculated daily on the following business day
<b>Dealing</b>	Every business day at 3pm

Share Class	A	B	L	A5/A6
<b>Minimum Investment</b>	1,000,000	5,000	25,000,000	1,000,000
<b>Management Fee</b>	0.90%	1.20%	0.75%	0.65%
<b>Target OCF*</b>	1.20%	1.50%	1.05%	0.95%
<b>Eligibility</b>	All	Retail	Institutional	Charity
<b>Currencies</b>	USD &, unhedged or hedged, EUR, CHF, & GBP			USD & GBP
<b>Accumulation / Distribution</b>	Accumulation & Distribution available to all			
<b>Alternative fee structure</b>	Reduced annual fee with performance fee available on request			
<b>Dealing Cut-off</b>	3pm in Luxembourg on the business day before the dealing day			

\*Subject to discussions with J. Stern & Co., accumulation and distribution share classes can be made available in all currencies displayed above. The base currency of the Fund is USD. Minimum investment is stated in currency of share class. Target OCF is the Investment Manager's target for the OCF for the GBP share class.

**Important Information**

J. Stern & Co. LLP, the Investment Manager of the World Stars Global Equity Fund ("Fund"), is the issuer of this factsheet. The information provided is not a recommendation to purchase shares in the Fund, nor should it be considered as a form of investment advice or solicitation to conduct in investment business. Any decision to invest in the Fund should be based solely on the Prospectus and relevant KIID(s), which are available from our website. If you are in doubt about the suitability of this Fund you should seek advice from your investment advisor. Data is sourced from SS&C, J. Stern & Co. and SVC and no warranty of accuracy is given. The views expressed on the date of publication are those of J. Stern & Co. and/or the actual author(s) and are subject to change without notice.

More information on J. Stern & Co. is at [www.jsternco.com/legal](http://www.jsternco.com/legal).