# GAM Star Japan Leaders Institutional GBP Inc

Marketing Material - Data as of 31.01.2024 NAV per share GBP 21.7115

## **Fund description**

### Investment objective and overview

The investment objective of the Fund is to achieve capital appreciation. The Fund seeks to achieve this objective by investing primarily in quoted equity securities (e.g. shares) of companies which have principal offices in Japan.

#### Opportunities

The Fund invests in a broadly diversified equity universe and seeks opportunities for returns wherever they exist

The objective is to identify the potential investments that, in the Investment manager's opinion, are attractive and could generate positive opportunities for investors

The Fund gives access to an actively managed portfolio of Japanese equities

A highly qualified and experienced management team actively manages the Fund on the basis of a fundamental valuation approach.

Capital at Risk: all financial investments involve an element of risk. Therefore, the value of the investment and the income from it will vary and the initial investment amount cannot be guaranteed.

Concentration Risk: concentration in a limited number of securities and industry sectors may result in more volatility than investing in broadly

Currency Risk - Non Base Currency Share Class: non-base currency share classes may or may not be hedged to the base currency of the Fund. Changes in exchange rates will have an impact on the value of shares in the Fund which are not denominated in the base currency. Where hedging strategies are employed, they may not be fully effective.

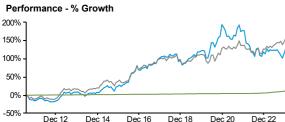
Equity: investments in equities (directly or indirectly via derivatives) may be subject to significant fluctuations in value.

Single Country Risk: investment in companies of a single country may be subject to greater political, social, economic and tax risks and may be volatile than investments in more broadly diversified funds. Local tax law may change retrospectively and without notice

List Not Exhaustive: This list of risk factors is not exhaustive. Please refer to the relevant Fund's Prospectus.

### **Fund performance**

Performance in %	Cumulative						Annualised			
	YTD	1M	3M	1Y	3Y	5Y	Since launch	3Y	5Y	Since launch
Fund	-1.02	-1.02	12.10	-0.38	-18.46	21.58	126.84	-6.56	3.98	6.74
Benchmark	4.09	4.09	11.95	13.89	17.18	41.39	167.70	5.42	7.17	8.15
Rolling performance										
Jan - Jan (%)		2019 - 2	2020	2020 - 2	2021	2021 - 2	022	2022 - 2023	2	023 - 2024
Fund		1	8.79	2	5.52	-12	2.19	-6.79		-0.38
Benchmark		1	0.39		9.31	-0	.45	3.35		13.89



#### Fund statistics

Statistic	Fund	Benchmark
Annualised standard deviation (%)	16.52	10.72
Beta	1.32	n.a.
Correlation	0.85	n.a.
Sharpe ratio**	-0.55	0.28
Tracking error (%)	9.32	n.a.
* Computed over 3 years		

\*Risk free rate is Average GBP 1 Month

Deposit Rate

# Calendar year performance in %



# Risk profile

Lower risk				Higher risk				
Typically	/ lower	rewards		Typically higher rewards				
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### **Fund facts**

Fund management company: GAM Fund Management Limited

Investment management company: GAM Investment Management (Switzerland) AG, GAM Japan Limited

Fund managed by: Ernst Glanzmann, Lukas Knüppel, Goro Takahashi

Legal structure: PLC (IE) Domicile: Ireland

**Benchmark:** Tokyo Stock Exchange (TOPIX) 1st section in GBP Gross Total Return

Benchmark 2: Average GBP 1 Month Deposit Rate

currency

IA Sector: Japan

Inception date of the fund: 04.03.1992 Inception date of the class: 12.07.2011 Total fund assets: GBP 96.24 m Base currency of the class: GBP Currency hedging: not hedged against base

Min investment of the class: GBP 12,000,000

Dealing day: Daily

Subscriptions (Cut off): Daily (Notice 1 BD 10:00 GMT Standard Time)

Redemptions (Cut off): Daily (Notice 1 BD 10:00

GMT Standard Time) Investment manager and sponsor fees: 0.85%

Please see the current fund prospectus for further details on fees and charges.

Ongoing charge: 1.15%, 31.12.2023 ISIN: IE00B40WC079 Bloomberg: GAMSGIS ID SEDOL: B40WC07 Valoren: 13382048 WKN: A1JHEF Data sources: RIMES

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## Key to charts and tables:

Fund: GAM Star Japan Leaders Institutional GBP Inc Benchmark: Tokyo Stock Exchange (TOPIX) 1st section in GBP Gross Total Return Benchmark 2: Average GBP 1 Month Deposit Rate Return

Past performance is not an indicator of future performance and current or future trends. The performance values refer to the net asset value and are calculated without the commission and costs incurred on issue, redemption or swapping (e.g. transaction and custody costs of the investor). The fund does not include the security of capital which is characteristic of a deposit with a bank or building society. The indications are based on figures denominated in GBP. If this currency is different from the currency of the country in which the investor is resident, the return may increase or decrease as a result of currency fluctuations. Indices cannot be purchased directly

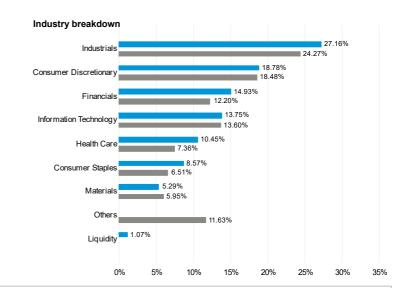
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#### Asset allocation

#### Top 10 holdings

Name	% of Fund
Tokyo Electron Ltd	5.88
Suzuki Motor Corp	5.68
Recruit Holdings Co Ltd	5.43
Shin-Etsu Chemical Co Ltd	5.29
GMO Payment Gateway Inc	5.14
Sumitomo Mitsui Trust Holdings Inc	5.00
Kao Corp	4.81
ORIX Corp	4.79
Nitori Holdings Co Ltd	4.65
Bridgestone Corp	4.62
Total	51.29



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#### Glossary

Ongoing charge: the ongoing charge is a measure of the annual expenses incurred by a fund and is expressed as a percentage. It allows an accurate comparison of the costs of funds from different companies to be made.

Risk rating: The summary risk indicator is a combination of a market risk measure and credit risk measure. The market risk measure is based on an annualized volatility measure, calculated over the last 5 years of history if available. Where 5 years' performance history is not available the data is supplemented by proxy fund, benchmark data or a simulated historical series as appropriate. This profile is determined using historical data, as such may not be a reliable indication for the future risk profile. The credit risk measure is assessing credit and concentration risk within the portfolio. The indicators are not guaranteed and may shift over time. The lowest category does not mean 'risk free'.

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