

# BGF Asian Tiger Bond Fund Class I5 EUR Hedged EUR

## FEBRUARY 2021 FACTSHEET

Unless otherwise stated, Performance, Portfolio Breakdowns and Net Asset information as at: 28-Feb-2021. All other data as at 10-Mar-2021.

For Investors in the UK. Investors should read the Key Investor Information Document and Prospectus prior to investing.

### FUND OVERVIEW

The Fund aims to maximise the return on your investment through a combination of capital growth and income on the Fund's assets. The Fund invests at least 70% of its total assets in fixed income securities. These include bonds and money market instruments (i.e. debt securities with short term maturities).

### GROWTH OF HYPOTHETICAL 10,000



Share Class and Benchmark performance displayed in EUR. Source: BlackRock. Performance is shown on a Net Asset Value (NAV) basis, with gross income reinvested. **Source: BlackRock. Past performance is not a guide to future performance and should not be the sole factor of consideration when selecting a product.**

### 12 MONTH PERFORMANCE PERIODS - TO LAST QUARTER END

|             | 31/12/2015-<br>31/12/2016 | 31/12/2016-<br>31/12/2017 | 31/12/2017-<br>31/12/2018 | 31/12/2018-<br>31/12/2019 | 31/12/2019-<br>31/12/2020 | 2020<br>Calendar<br>Year |
|-------------|---------------------------|---------------------------|---------------------------|---------------------------|---------------------------|--------------------------|
| Share Class | 3.92%                     | 5.12%                     | -5.24%                    | 8.75%                     | 5.14%                     | 5.14%                    |
| Benchmark   | 5.81%                     | 5.78%                     | -0.77%                    | 11.34%                    | 6.33%                     | 6.33%                    |

Share Class performance is calculated on a Net Asset Value (NAV) basis, with income reinvested, in Euro, net of fees. Benchmark performance displayed in EUR.

### CUMULATIVE & ANNUALISED PERFORMANCE

|               | Cumulative (%) |        |       |        | Annualised (% p.a.) |         |         |                 |
|---------------|----------------|--------|-------|--------|---------------------|---------|---------|-----------------|
|               | 1m             | 3m     | 6m    | YTD    | 1 Year              | 3 Years | 5 Years | Since Inception |
| Share Class   | -0.75%         | 0.42%  | 1.30% | -0.75% | 2.69%               | 2.98%   | 3.14%   | 2.70%           |
| Benchmark     | -0.79%         | -0.16% | 0.53% | -0.79% | 3.04%               | 5.73%   | 5.13%   | N/A             |
| Quartile Rank | N/A            | N/A    | N/A   | N/A    | N/A                 | N/A     | N/A     | N/A             |

The figures shown relate to past performance. Past performance is not a reliable indicator of current or future results and should not be the sole factor of consideration when selecting a product or strategy.

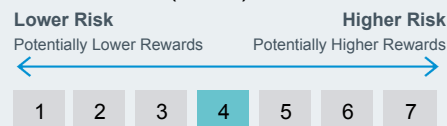
Share Class and Benchmark performance displayed in EUR, hedged fund benchmark performance is displayed in USD. Performance is shown on a Net Asset Value (NAV) basis, with gross income reinvested where applicable. The return of your investment may increase or decrease as a result of currency fluctuations if your investment is made in a currency other than that used in the past performance calculation. **Source: BlackRock**

**Key Risks:** All financial investments involve an element of risk. Therefore, the value of your investment and the income from it will vary and your initial investment amount cannot be guaranteed. The fund invests a large portion of assets which are denominated in other currencies; hence changes in the relevant exchange rate will affect the value of the investment.

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### SYNTHETIC RISK & REWARD INDICATOR (SRRI)



### KEY FACTS

|                            |                               |
|----------------------------|-------------------------------|
| Asset Class                | Fixed Income                  |
| Morningstar Category       | Other Bond                    |
| Fund Launch Date           | 02-Feb-1996                   |
| Share Class Launch Date    | 04-Mar-2015                   |
| Fund Base Currency         | USD                           |
| Share Class Currency       | EUR                           |
| Total Fund Size (M)        | 5,853.61 USD                  |
| Benchmark                  | J.P. Morgan Asia Credit Index |
| Domicile                   | Luxembourg                    |
| Fund Type                  | UCITS                         |
| ISIN                       | LU1196525700                  |
| Bloomberg Ticker           | BGAT15E                       |
| Distribution Type          | Quarterly                     |
| Minimum Initial Investment | 10,000,000 USD*               |

\* or currency equivalent

### PORTFOLIO MANAGER(S)

Neeraj Seth  
Artur Piasecki  
Ronie Ganguly

### TOP HOLDINGS (%)

|  |             |
|--|-------------|
| INDONESIA (REPUBLIC OF) 7 09/15/2030                     | 1.07        |
| CHINA PEOPLES REPUBLIC OF (GOVERNMENT) 1.99 04/09/2025   | 1.05        |
| TENCENT HOLDINGS LTD MTN RegS 3.975 04/11/2029           | 0.71        |
| LENOVO GROUP LTD RegS 3.421 11/02/2030                   | 0.71        |
| SK BATTERY AMERICA INC RegS 2.125 01/26/2026             | 0.66        |
| STAR ENERGY GEOTHERMAL DARAJAT II RegS 4.85 10/14/2038   | 0.64        |
| GALAXY PIPELINE ASSETS BIDCO LTD RegS 2.94 09/30/2040    | 0.62        |
| PERIAMA HOLDINGS LLC RegS 5.95 04/19/2026                | 0.60        |
| CONTEMPORARY RUIDING DEVELOPMENT L RegS 2.625 09/17/2030 | 0.59        |
| LLPL CAPITAL PTE. LTD. RegS 6.875 02/04/2039             | 0.58        |
| <b>Total of Portfolio</b>                                | <b>7.23</b> |

Holdings subject to change

**Key Risks Continued:** The fund invests in fixed interest securities issued by companies which, compared to bonds issued or guaranteed by governments, are exposed to greater risk of default in the repayment of the capital provided to the company or interest payments due to the fund. The fund investments may be subject to liquidity constraints, which means that shares may trade less frequently and in small volumes, for instance smaller companies. As a result, changes in the value of investments may be more unpredictable. In certain cases, it may not be possible to sell the security at the last market price quoted or at a value considered to be fairest. The fund invests in high yielding bonds. Companies who issue higher yield bonds typically have an increased risk of defaulting on repayments. In the event of default, the value of your investment may reduce. Economic conditions and interest rate levels may also impact significantly the values of high yield bonds. Compared to more established economies, the value of investments in developing Emerging Markets may be subject to greater volatility due to differences in generally accepted accounting principles or from economic or political instability. The fund invests in fixed interest securities such as corporate or government bonds which pay a fixed or variable rate of interest (also known as the 'coupon') and behave similarly to a loan. These securities are therefore exposed to changes in interest rates which will affect the value of any securities held.

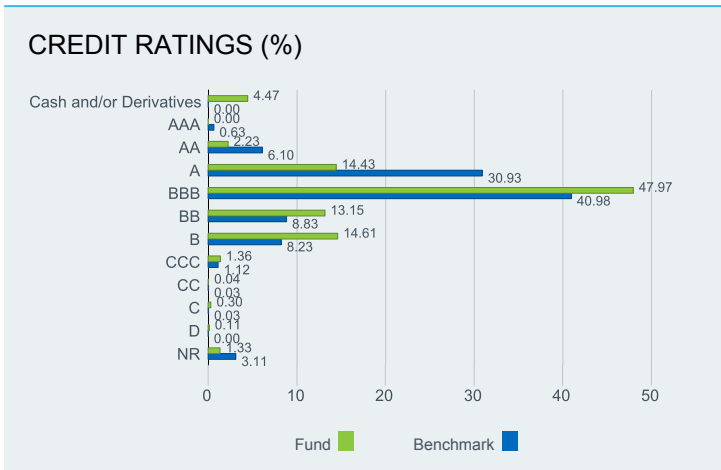
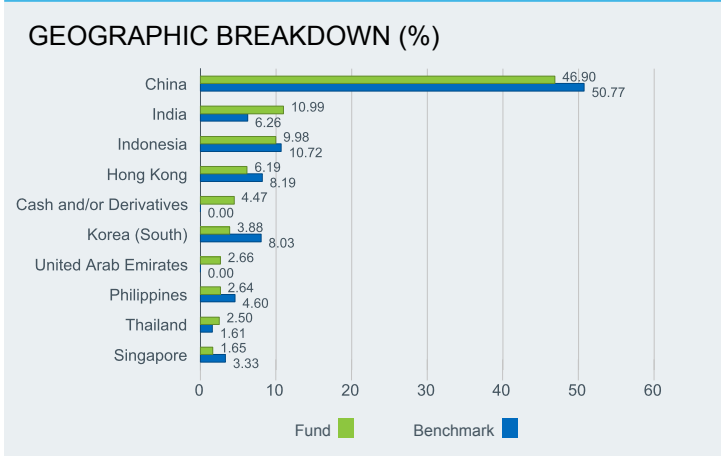
| SECTOR BREAKDOWN (%)    |       |           |        |
|-------------------------|-------|-----------|--------|
|                         | Fund  | Benchmark | Active |
| Industrials             | 33.55 | 25.36     | 8.18   |
| Government Related      | 22.51 | 40.26     | -17.75 |
| Property                | 16.34 | 10.03     | 6.31   |
| Financials              | 14.35 | 11.65     | 2.71   |
| Government              | 8.77  | 12.69     | -3.92  |
| Cash and/or Derivatives | 4.47  | 0.00      | 4.47   |

Negative weightings may result from specific circumstances (including timing differences between trade and settlement dates of securities purchased by the funds) and/or the use of certain financial instruments, including derivatives, which may be used to gain or reduce market exposure and/or risk management. Allocations are subject to change.

| PORTFOLIO CHARACTERISTICS |      |
|---------------------------|------|
| Modified Duration         | 5.47 |
| Yield to Worst (%)        | 4.36 |

| FEES AND CHARGES   |       |
|--------------------|-------|
| Max Initial Charge | 0.00% |
| Exit Fee           | 0.00% |
| Ongoing Charge     | 0.55% |
| Performance Fee    | 0.00% |

| DEALING INFORMATION |                              |
|---------------------|------------------------------|
| Settlement          | Trade Date + 3 days          |
| Dealing Frequency   | Daily, forward pricing basis |



**GLOSSARY**

**Effective Duration:** A measure of price sensitivity of a bond to changes in interest rates. The Modified Duration of the fund is calculated as the average of the underlying bonds' modified duration values, adjusted to take account of their relative weight (size) within the fund.

**Ongoing Charge:** is a figure representing all annual charges and other payments taken from the fund.

**Quartile Rank:** categorises a fund into four equal bands based on their performance over a specified period within the relevant Morningstar's sector. The top or first quartile contains the top 25% of funds, through to the bottom or 4th quartile which contains the bottom 25% of funds.

**SRRI:** is a value based on the volatility of the fund, which gives an indication of the overall risk and reward profile of the Fund.

**Nominal Weighted Average Life (WAL):** A bond's maturity is the length of time until the principal amount of the bond is to be repaid. WAL of the fund is calculated as the average of the underlying bonds' maturities, adjusted to take account of their relative weight (size) within the fund.

**Yield To Worst:** The lowest potential yield that can be received on a bond without the issuer actually defaulting. The yield to worst is calculated by making worst-case scenario assumptions on the issue by calculating the returns that would be received if provisions are used by the issuer.

**Performance Fee:** is charged on any returns that, subject to a High Water Mark, the Fund achieves above it's performance fee benchmark. Please refer to the Prospectus for further information.

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### SUSTAINABILITY CHARACTERISTICS

Sustainability Characteristics can help investors integrate non-financial, sustainability considerations into their investment process. These metrics enable investors to evaluate funds based on their environmental, social, and governance (ESG) risks and opportunities. This analysis can provide insight into the effective management and long-term financial prospects of a fund.

The metrics below have been provided for transparency and informational purposes only. The existence of an ESG rating is not indicative of how or whether ESG factors will be integrated into a fund. The metrics are based on MSCI ESG Fund Ratings and, unless otherwise stated in fund documentation and included within a fund's investment objective, do not change a fund's investment objective or constrain the fund's investable universe, and there is no indication that an ESG or Impact focused investment strategy or exclusionary screens will be adopted by a fund. For more information regarding a fund's investment strategy, please see the fund's prospectus.

|   |                      |   |        |
|---|----------------------|---|--------|
| <b>MSCI ESG Fund Rating (AAA-CCC)</b>           | BB                   | <b>MSCI ESG Quality Score (0-10)</b>                                | 3.10   |
| <b>MSCI ESG Quality Score - Peer Percentile</b> | 43.27%               | <b>MSCI ESG % Coverage</b>  | 77.87% |
| <b>Fund Lipper Global Classification</b>        | Bond Asia Pacific HC | <b>MSCI Weighted Average Carbon Intensity (Tons CO2E/\$M SALES)</b> | 433.01 |
| <b>Funds in Peer Group</b>                      | 104                  |   |        |

All data is from MSCI ESG Fund Ratings as of **05-Feb-2021**, based on holdings as of **31-Aug-2020**. As such, the fund's sustainable characteristics may differ from MSCI ESG Fund Ratings from time to time.

To be included in MSCI ESG Fund Ratings, 65% of the fund's gross weight must come from securities covered by MSCI ESG Research (certain cash positions and other asset types deemed not relevant for ESG analysis by MSCI are removed prior to calculating a fund's gross weight; the absolute values of short positions are included but treated as uncovered), the fund's holdings date must be less than one year old, and the fund must have at least ten securities. For newly launched funds, sustainability characteristics are typically available 6 months after launch.

### ESG GLOSSARY:

**MSCI ESG Fund Rating (AAA-CCC):** The MSCI ESG Rating is calculated as a direct mapping of ESG Quality Scores to letter rating categories (e.g. AAA = 8.6-10). The ESG Ratings range from leader (AAA, AA), average (A, BBB, BB) to laggard (B, CCC).

**MSCI ESG Quality Score - Peer Percentile:** The fund's ESG Percentile compared to its Lipper peer group.

**Fund Lipper Global Classification:** The fund peer group as defined by the Lipper Global Classification.

**Funds in Peer Group:** The number of funds from the relevant Lipper Global Classification peer group that are also in ESG coverage.

**MSCI ESG Quality Score (0-10):** The MSCI ESG Quality Score (0 - 10) for funds is calculated using the weighted average of the ESG scores of fund holdings. The Score also considers ESG Rating trend of holdings and the fund exposure to holdings in the laggard category. MSCI rates underlying holdings according to their exposure to industry specific ESG risks and their ability to manage those risks relative to peers.

**MSCI ESG % Coverage:** Percentage of a fund's holdings that have MSCI ESG ratings data.

**MSCI Weighted Average Carbon Intensity (Tons CO2E/\$M SALES):** Measures a fund's exposure to carbon intensive companies. This figure represents the estimated greenhouse gas emissions per \$1 million in sales across the fund's holdings. This allows for comparisons between funds of different sizes.

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