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Baillie Gifford Worldwide Japanese Fund 30 April 2021

Investment Proposition

The Worldwide Japanese Fund is a concentrated portfolio of leading growth businesses in Japan. The Fund adopts a long-term time horizon of five years and beyond and positioning is based on bottom up stock selection. The manager adopts a pragmatic approach to growth and places significant emphasis on companies with durable competitive advantages which are run by dynamic and competent management teams.

Fund Facts

ISIN Code Class B EUR Acc	IE00BYW73306
ISIN Code Class B EUR Acc (Hgd)	IE00BVGBXT35
ISIN Code Class B EUR Inc	IE00BFWVPQ67
Bloomberg Code Class B EUR Acc	BGWBEAU ID
Bloomberg Code Class B EUR Acc (Hgd)	BGWJEBH ID
Bloomberg Code Class B EUR Inc	BGWJBEI ID
SEDOL Class B EUR Acc	BYW7330
SEDOL Class B EUR Acc (Hgd)	BVGBXT3
SEDOL Class B EUR Inc	BFWVPQ6
Fund Launch Date	18 August 2014
Fund Size	€1,425.0m
Index	TOPIX
Active Share	76%
Current Annual Turnover	17%
Current number of stocks	55
Stocks (guideline range)	35-55
Fiscal year end	30 September
Structure	Irish UCITS
Base currency	JPY

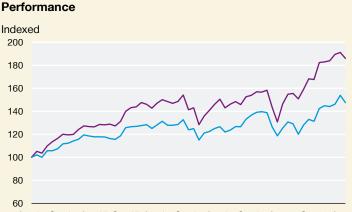
Key Decision Makers

Name	Years' Experience	
Donald Farquharson*	33	
Tolibjon Tursunov	10	
*Partner		

Charges

	Ongoing Charge (%)	Management Fee (%)
Class B EUR Acc	0.67	0.60
Class B EUR Acc (Hgd)	0.69	0.60
Class B EUR Inc	0.67	0.60

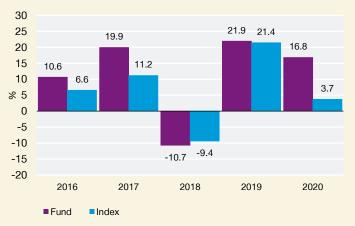
Our Worldwide funds allow us to offer multi-currency share classes. Share classes can be created on request. The ongoing charge figure is at the latest annual or interim period.



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Calendar Year Performance

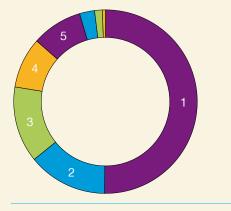


Source: StatPro, Tokyo Stock Exchange. As at 30 April 2021. euro. Net of fees. Class B EUR Acc, 10am prices. Index: TOPIX, calculated using close to close. *Not annualised.

Share Class Inception date: 23 July 2015.

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Sector Exposure



Discrete Performance	
31/03/16-	31/

		31/03/17- 31/03/18			
Fund Net (%)	29.5	12.6	2.4	-10.5	46.2
Index (%)	23.3	5.6	-0.1	-5.0	29.6

		%
1	Manufacturing	50.2
2	Services	14.0
3	Transport And Communications	13.4
4	Finance & Insurance	8.9
5	Commerce	8.9
6	Real Estate	2.7
7	Mining	1.4
8	Cash	0.5

Top Ten Holdings

	Holdings	% of Total Assets
1	SoftBank Group	6.2
2	Sony	4.3
3	Keyence	3.9
4	Rakuten	3.3
5	CyberAgent	3.2
6	SBI Holdings	3.2
7	Murata Manufacturing	3.2
8	Kubota	3.2
9	Recruit Holdings	3.1
10	GMO Internet	2.7

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As at 31 March 2021



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