# BGF Future of Transport Fund Class I4 USD JUNE 2023 FACTSHEET

Performance, Portfolio Breakdowns and Net Asset information as at: 30-Jun-2023. All other data as at: 11-Jul-2023.

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

# **FUND OVERVIEW**

The Fund aims to maximize 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 the equity securities (e.g. shares) of companies globally whose predominant economic activity comprises the research, development, production and/or distribution of future transport technology. The Fund will focus on companies that generate revenues from the transition to renewable energy such as electric, autonomous and/or digitally connected vehicles. In normal market conditions the Fund will invest in a portfolio of equity securities of companies with large, medium and small market capitalisation (market capitalisation is the share price of the company multiplied by the number of shares issued) that are involved in relevant activities as described in the prospectus. The companies are rated by the Investment Adviser (IA) based on their ability to manage the risks and opportunities associated with the future of transport theme and their ESG risk and opportunity credentials. The Fund adopts a "best in class" approach to sustainable investing. This means that the Fund selects the best issuers (from an ESG perspective) for each relevant sector of activities (without excluding any sector of activities). More than 90% of the issuers of securities the Fund invests in are ESG rated or have been analysed for ESG purposes. The Fund may gain limited exposure to issuers that do not meet the renewable energy and/or the ESG criteria described above.

# GROWTH OF HYPOTHETICAL 10,000 USD SINCE INCEPTION



Share Class and Benchmark performance displayed in USD. Source: BlackRock. Performance is shown on a Net Asset Value (NAV) basis, with gross income reinvested. **Past performance is not a guide to future performance.** 

# % CALENDAR YEAR RETURNS 0 -4 -8 -8 -12 -16 -20 -24 2018 2019 2020 2021 2022

Share Class performance is calculated on a Net Asset Value (NAV) basis, net of fees in the dealing currency specified and do not include sales charge or taxes. Returns assume reinvestment of any distributions. Past performance is not a guide to future performance and should not be the sole factor of consideration when selecting a product.

**KEY RISKS:** Investment risk is concentrated in specific sectors, countries, currencies or companies. This means the Fund is more sensitive to any localised economic, market, political or regulatory events.

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CAPITAL AT RISK: The value of investments and the income from them can fall as well as rise and are not guaranteed. Investors may not get back the amount originally invested.

# **KEY FACTS**

Asset Class	Equity
Morningstar Category	-
Fund Launch Date	04-Sep-2018
Share Class Launch Date	14-Jul-2021
Fund Base Currency	USD
Share Class Currency	USD
Fund Size (AUM)	1,920.48 USD
Domicile	Luxembourg
Fund Type	UCITS
ISIN	LU2360107242
Bloomberg Ticker	BGFOTIU
Distribution Type	Annual
Minimum Initial Investment	10,000,000 USD*
Management Company	BlackRock
	(Luxembourg) S.A.

\* or currency equivalent

# PORTFOLIO MANAGEMENT

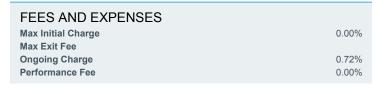
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TOP HOLDINGS (%)	
STMICROELECTRONICS NV	3.75
EATON CORPORATION PLC	3.75
TE CONNECTIVITY LTD	3.74
ANALOG DEVICES INC	3.73
APTIV PLC	3.72
SCHNEIDER ELECTRIC SE	3.66
INFINEON TECHNOLOGIES AG	3.66
SOCIEDAD QUIMICA Y MINERA DE CHILE SA	3.65
SENSATA TECHNOLOGIES HOLDING PLC	3.58
ASML HOLDING NV	3.54
Total of Portfolio	36.78

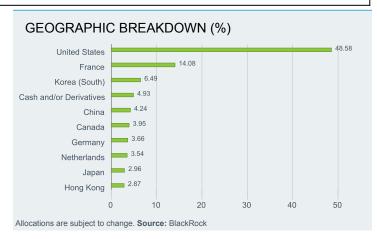
Holdings subject to change

**Key Risks Continued:** The value of equities and equity-related securities can be affected by daily stock market movements. Other influential factors include political, economic news, company earnings and significant corporate events. Investments in transport securities are subject to environmental concerns, taxes, government regulation, price and supply changes.

SECTOR BREAKDOWN (%)	
	Fund
Technology	42.69
Industrials	23.25
Basic Materials	17.31
Consumer Discretionary	9.69
Cash and/or Derivatives	4.93
Consumer Staples	1.91
Energy	0.23
Utilities	0.00
Telecommunications	0.00
<sup>1</sup> Allocations are subject to change. <b>Source:</b> BlackRock	









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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.

MSCI ESG Fund Rating (AAA-CCC)	AA	MSCI ESG Quality Score (0-10)	7.42
MSCI ESG Quality Score - Peer	87.68%	MSCI ESG % Coverage	97.02%
Percentile Fund Lipper Global Classification Funds in Peer Group	Equity Other 10	MSCI Weighted Average Carbon Intensity (Tons CO2E/\$M SALES)	87.91

All data is from MSCI ESG Fund Ratings as of 21-Jun-2023, based on holdings as of 28-Feb-2023. 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% (or 50% for bond funds and money market funds) of the fund's gross weight must come from securities with ESG coverage 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.

### **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. 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 the fund's holdings for which the MSCI ESG ratings data is available. The MSCI ESG Fund Rating, MSCI ESG Quality Score and MSCI ESG Quality Score – Peer Percentile metrics are displayed for funds with at least 65% coverage (or 50% for bond funds and money market funds).

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.

MSCI Weighted Average Carbon Intensity % Coverage: Percentage of the fund's holdings for which MSCI Carbon Intensity data is available. The MSCI Weighted Average Carbon Intensity metric is displayed for funds with any coverage. Funds with low coverage may not fully represent the fund's carbon characteristics given the lack of coverage.

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# **GLOSSARY**

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