



## Baillie Gifford Worldwide US Equity Growth Fund

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### Investment Proposition

We are bottom-up, growth investors with a long-term horizon. We back our judgement, running a concentrated portfolio (usually between 30-50 stocks), with low turnover. The team aims to outperform by harnessing the asymmetry of returns inherent in equity markets. We believe we will maximise our chances of achieving this aim by identifying the exceptional growth businesses in America and owning them for long enough that the advantages of their business models and cultural strengths become the dominant drivers of their stock prices. We take a five year view when investing in stocks and are not driven by short-term trends.

### Fund Facts

ISIN Code Class A USD Acc	IE00BK70YW20
Bloomberg Code Class A USD Acc	BGWUEAU ID
SEDOL Class A USD Acc	BK70YW2
Fund Launch Date	13 November 2012
Fund Size	\$839.2m
Index	S&P 500 Index
Active Share	92%
Current Annual Turnover	26%
Current number of stocks	46
Stocks (guideline range)	30-50
Fiscal year end	30 September
Structure	Irish UCITS
Base currency	USD

### Key Decision Makers

Name	Years' Experience
Dave Bujnowski	25
Tom Slater*	21
Gary Robinson*	18
Kirsty Gibson	9

\*Partner

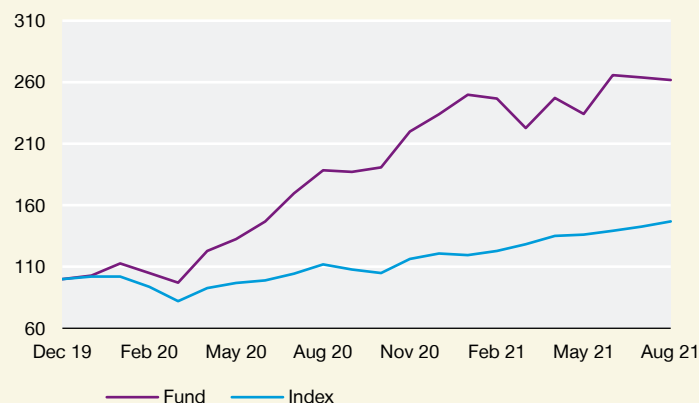
### Charges

	Ongoing Charge (%)	Management Fee (%)
Class A USD Acc	1.60	1.50

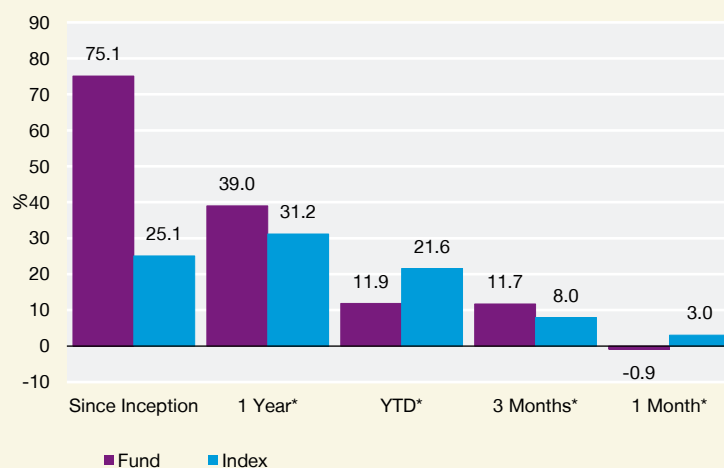
Our Worldwide funds allow us to offer multi-currency share classes. Share classes can be created on request. The ongoing charge figure is at the latest annual or interim period.

### Performance

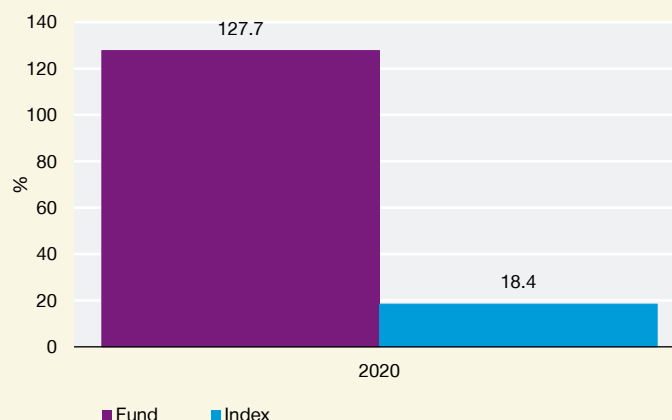
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### Periodic Performance

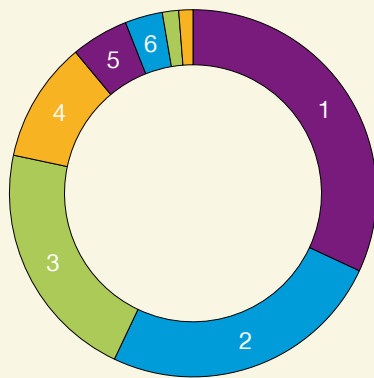


### Calendar Year Performance



Source: StatPro, S&P. As at 31 August 2021. US dollars. Net of fees. Class A USD Acc, 10am prices. Index: S & P 500, calculated using close to close. \*Not annualised. Share Class Inception date: 13 December 2019.

**Sector Exposure**



	%
1 Information Technology	31.9
2 Consumer Discretionary	25.1
3 Health Care	21.3
4 Communication Services	10.6
5 Financials	5.1
6 Industrials	3.3
7 Real Estate	1.4
8 Cash	1.2

**Top Ten Holdings**

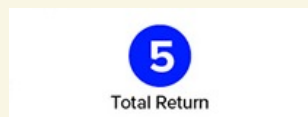
Holdings	% of Total Assets
1 Shopify	8.8
2 Moderna	7.1
3 The Trade Desk	5.3
4 Wayfair	5.0
5 Tesla Inc	4.5
6 Amazon.com	4.4
7 Roku	3.9
8 Twilio	3.6
9 Netflix	3.6
10 Illumina	3.0

**Discrete Performance**

	30/06/16-30/06/17	30/06/17-30/06/18	30/06/18-30/06/19	30/06/19-30/06/20	30/06/20-30/06/21
Fund Net (%)	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	81.2
Index (%)	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	40.8

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As at July 31, 2021



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