

# Global Leaders Fund

## August 2018: Fund Factsheet

### Annualised Performance (% net of fees)

As of 31 August 2018

SHARE CLASSES (INCEPTION DATE)	1 MO	3 MO	YTD	1 YR	3 YR	ITD	NAV
Global Leaders Fund C USD (01-May-2015)	1.8	4.0	10.2	20.9	14.4	12.0	14.61
Global Leaders Fund C GBP Hedged (04-February-2016)	1.7	3.5	8.9	18.8	-	18.2	15.37
Russell® Global Large-Cap Index Net (USD)	0.9	3.4	3.5	11.7	12.0	7.7	-

Source: Brown Brothers Harriman. Performance over 1 year is annualised.

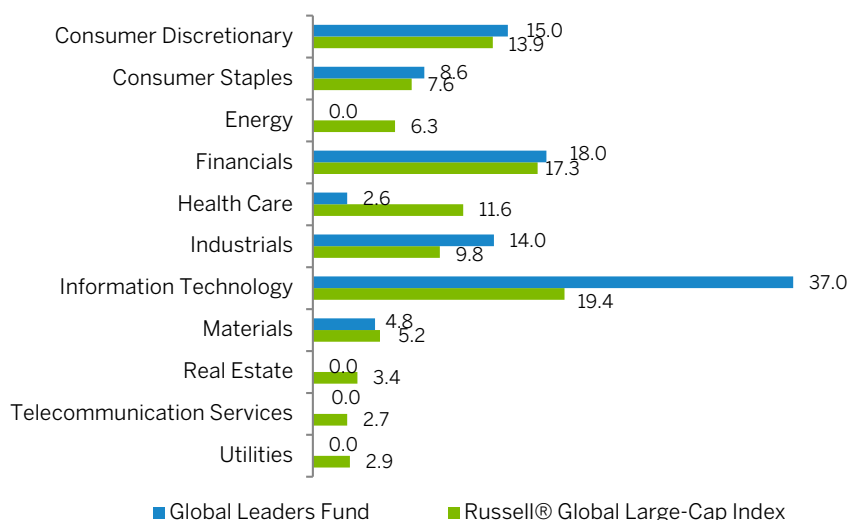
ROLLING 12 MONTH RETURNS:	08.17	08.16	08.15
	08.18	08.17	08.16
Global Leaders Fund C USD	20.9	18.6	4.5
Russell® Global Large-Cap Index Net (USD)	11.7	17.1	7.3

### Fund Facts

The Fund seeks the best 30-40 companies globally in any sector or country to deliver attractive long-term investment returns.

Portfolio Managers	Mick Dillon, CFA Bertie Thomson, CFA
Structure	UCITS (Ireland)
Base Currency	USD
Launch Date	1 May 2015
Fund Size	USD 116 million
Holdings	36
Dealing	Daily

### Sector Weights (inc. cash)



### Geographic Breakdown

North America	41.6%
Europe	28.3%
Rest of World (ROW)	29.4%
Cash	0.7%

Source: Brown Brothers Harriman and APX. Region listing by country of revenue as of 31 August 2018. Numbers may not total due to rounding.

### Top 10 Equity Holdings

SECURITY	%
Microsoft Corporation	6.4
Alphabet Inc. Class C	5.0
Unilever PLC	4.7
Visa Inc. Class A	4.3
JPMorgan Chase & Co.	4.1
Safran S.A.	3.8
Taiwan Semiconductor Manufacturing Co., Ltd. Sponsored ADR	3.5
Wolters Kluwer NV	3.5
Mastercard Incorporated Class A	3.4
Booking Holdings Inc.	3.3
Total	42.0

### Characteristics

Source: Factset and Brown Advisory calculations

		GLOBAL LEADERS FUND	RUSSELL GLOBAL LARGE-CAP INDEX
ROIC (LFY ex. financials)*	Average	31.2%	11.7%
	Median	23.4%	9.3%
Sales Growth (3-Yr CAGR)	Weighted Average	9.7%	7.0%
	Median	7.2%	4.7%
EV/EBIT (NTM ex. financials)	Weighted Average	18.2x	20.9x
	Median	16.8x	13.9x
FCF Yield (LFY ex. financials)*	Average	4.1%	3.7%
	Median	4.0%	3.8%
P/E Ratio (NTM)	Weighted Average	22.2x	20.8x
	Median	22.1x	15.4x
Gross Yield <sup>1</sup>		1.27%	2.27%
Annualized Tracking Error (1 Yr.)		4.0	-
Active Share		92.5	-

\*Due to data availability, ROIC & FCF Yield are shown as of 31 December 2017

<sup>1</sup>Dividend yield for each share class is lower. Dividend rates are available upon request.

### Market Cap Composition (%)

	GLOBAL LEADERS FUND	RUSSELL GLOBAL LARGE-CAP INDEX
<\$10 Billion	8.7%	13.9%
\$10-50 Billion	33.5%	34.9%
\$50-100 Billion	16.3%	15.8%
>\$100 Billion	41.5%	35.3%

### Performance Contributors

TOP 5 CONTRIBUTORS	%
Microsoft Corporation	+6.3
Flowserve Corporation	+17.6
Visa Inc. Class A	+7.6
Mastercard Incorporated Class A	+8.9
TJX Companies Inc	+13.5
BOTTOM 5 CONTRIBUTORS	%
Electronic Arts Inc.	-11.9
HDFC Bank Limited	-8.6
Booking Holdings Inc.	-3.8
CTS Eventim AG & Co. KGaA	-5.8
HOSHIZAKI Corp.	-5.5

Total return (%) of equity security is the sum of the return from price movement and the return due to dividend payments or other sources of income.

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### Fund Facts

Administrator	Brown Brothers Harriman (Ireland)
Administrator contact	Tel: +353 1603 6490
Settlement	T +2
Minimum Investment (in relevant currency)	A: 5,000 B: 10,000,000 C: 5,000,000
Registered for sale <sup>1</sup>	DEU, DNK, FIN, ESP, NOR, GBR, SWE, CHE, IRL, ITA
Eligibility (UK)	ISA and SIPP

### Share Classes

	ISIN	TICKER	AMC
Dollar B Class	IE00BVVHP563	BRAGLBU	0.75%
Dollar C Class	IE00BVVHP670	BRAGLBC	seed
Hedged Sterling B Class	IE00BVVHP902	Notactive	0.75%
Hedged Sterling C Class	IE00BYJQVP87	BRAGCGH	seed
Sterling C Class	IE00BYJQVN63	BRAGSCA	seed
Hedged Euro B Class	IE00BVVHPC39	Notactive	0.75%

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- Independent since 1998, employee-owned
- Fundamentally driven, investment management firm
- Over USD 66 billion in client assets<sup>2</sup>

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