

# **Global Leaders Fund**

# July 2017: Fund Factsheet

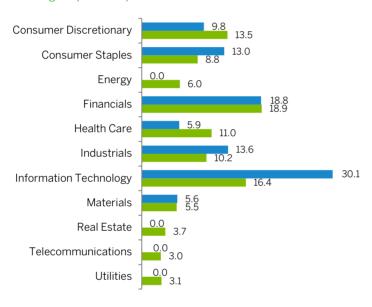
# Annualised Performance (% net of fees)

As of 31 July 2017

SHARE CLASSES (INCEPTION DATE)	1 MO	3 МО	YTD	1YR	2 YR	ITD	NAV
Global Leaders Fund C USD (01-May-2015)	2.8	7.2	21.4	17.3	7.5	8.4	11.99
Russell® Global Large-Cap Index Net (USD)	2.8	5.4	14.5	17.1	8.1	6.2	-

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

# Sector Weights (inc. cash)



■ Global Leaders Fund ■ Russell® Global Large-Cap Index

# Characteristics

Characteristics			Source: Factset
		GLOBAL LEADERS FUND	RUSSELL GLOBAL LARGE-CAP INDEX
P/E Ratio (NTM)	Weighted Average	21.8	22.6
	Median	23.2	16.7
ROIC (LFY ex. financials)	Weighted Average	20.9	11.6
	Median	20.5	8.8
Sales Growth (3-Yr CAGR)	Weighted Average	9.6	5.5
	Median	8.2	4.3
EV/EBIT (NTM)	Weighted Average	16.4	19.8
	Median	16.1	13.9
FCF (LFY ex. financials)	Weighted Average	4.6	4.4
	Median	4.4	4.5
Annualized Tracking Error (1 Yr.)		4.3	
Active Share		93.6	

## Market Cap Composition (%)

	GLOBAL LEADERS FUND	RUSSELL GLOBAL LARGE-CAP INDEX
>\$100 billion	35.6%	30.5%
\$50 -100 billion	20.8%	17.4%
\$10 -50 billion	40.0%	35.9%
<\$10 billion	3.6%	16.2%

#### **Fund Facts**

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

Lead Portfolio Manager Co-Portfolio Manager	Mick Dillon, CFA Bertie Thomson, CFA
Structure	UCITS (Ireland)
Base Currency	USD
Launch Date	1 May 2015
Fund Size	USD 12 million
Holdings	34
Dealing	Daily

# Geographic Breakdown

Г	North America	50.0%
	Europe	22.9%
	Rest of World (ROW)	24.1%
	Cash	3.2%

Source: Brown Brothers Harriman and APX. Region listing by country of revenue as of 31 July 2017. Numbers may not total due to rounding.

## Top 10 Equity Holdings

SECURITY	%
Alphabet Inc. Class C	4.7
Microsoft Corporation	4.7
Unilever PLC	4.2
Estee Lauder Companies Inc. Class A	4.1
JPMorgan Chase & Co.	4.0
Visa Inc. Class A	4.0
Safran S.A.	3.5
Henkel AG & Co. KGaA	3.4
Taiwan Semiconductor Manufacturing Co., Ltd.	3.4
Mastercard Incorporated Class A	3.4
Total	39.4

#### Performance Contributors

TOP 5 CONTRIBUTORS	
Facebook, Inc. Class A	+12.1
HDFC Bank Limited	+8.8
Microsoft Corporation	+5.5
AIA Group Limited	+7.8
Visa Inc. Class A	+6.2
BOTTOM 5 CONTRIBUTORS	
Atlas Copco AB Class B	-6.3
Starbucks Corporation	-7.4
Sherwin-Williams Company	-3.9
3M Company	-3.4
TJX Companies Inc.	-2.6

Total return (%) of equity security is the sum of the return from price move ment 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+3
Minimum Investment (in relevant currency)	A: 5,000 B: 10,000,000 P: 10
Registered for sale	DEU, ESP, GBR, IRL, ITA
Eligibility (UK)	ISA and SIPP

#### **Share Classes**

	ISIN	TICKER	AMC
Dollar A Class	IE00BVVHP456	Not active	1.50%
Dollar B Class	IE00BVVHP563	Not active	0.75%
Dollar C Class	IE00BVVHP670	BRAGLBC	seed
Hedged Sterling A Class	IE00BVVHP894	Not active	1.50%
Hedged Sterling B Class	IE00BVVHP902	Not active	0.75%
Hedged Sterling C Class	IE00BYJQVP87	BRAGCGH	seed
Hedged Euro A Class	IE00BVVHPB22	Not active	1.50%
Hedged Euro B Class	IE00BVVHPC39	Not active	0.75%

Additional share classes may be available. Please contact the London Office for further details.

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- Over USD 56 billion in client assets<sup>1</sup>

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