

# U.S. Flexible Equity Fund

April 2019 : Fund Factsheet

Performance (% net of fees)

As of 30 April 2019

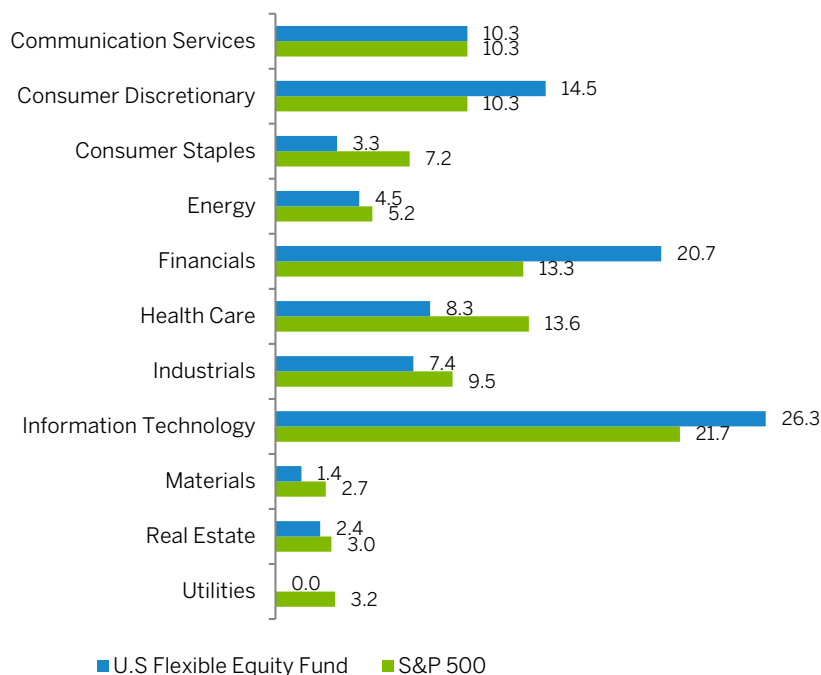
ANNUALISED RETURNS	1 MO	3 MO	1 YR	3 YR	5 YR	ITD
U.S Flexible Equity B USD	5.8	11.5	14.3	15.6	11.1	10.4
S&P 500 Net USD	4.0	9.3	12.8	14.2	10.9	10.7

ROLLING 12 MONTH RETURNS:	04.18 04.19	04.17 04.18	04.16 04.17	04.15 04.16	04.14 04.15
U.S. Flexible Equity Fund B USD	14.3	15.9	16.7	-4.4	14.6
S&P 500 Net USD	12.8	12.6	17.2	0.6	12.3

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

Sector Weights (inc. cash)

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FundFacts

The Fund seeks long-term growth of capital. It searches across a broad investment universe to find attractive or improving businesses at bargain prices. We believe this flexible approach allows the strategy to capitalize on undervalued shares in attractive businesses no matter whether the stocks are statistically characterised as "value" or "growth" investments.

Portfolio Managers	R. Hutchings Vernon, CFA Maneesh Bajaj, CFA
Structure	UCITS (Ireland)
Base Currency	USD
Launch Date	7 March 2014
Fund Size	USD 400 million
Holdings	46
Dealing	Daily

Top 10 Equity Holdings

SECURITY	%
Visa Inc. Class A	6.5
Mastercard Incorporated Class A	5.6
Alphabet Inc. Class A & C	4.7
Berkshire Hathaway Inc. Class B	4.3
Microsoft Corporation	4.2
Facebook, Inc. Class A	3.9
Lowe's Companies, Inc.	3.7
CarMax, Inc.	3.4
JPMorgan Chase & Co.	3.2
Edwards Lifesciences Corporation	3.1
Total	42.6

Characteristics

Source: Factset

	U.S. FLEXIBLE EQUITY	S&P 500
FY2 P/E Ratio	16.2x	16.1x
P/E-Growth Ratio	1.2x	1.4x
Gross Yield*	1.20%	1.87%
Cash	0.9%	-
Market Cap		
Weighted Average	\$282.2bn	\$246.6bn
<\$10 Billion	4.0%	2.2%
\$10-100 Billion	37.5%	44.0%
>\$100 Billion	57.7%	53.8%

\* Dividend yield for each share class is lower. Dividend rates are available upon request.

Performance Contributors

TOP 5 CONTRIBUTORS	%
Facebook, Inc. Class A	+16.0
JPMorgan Chase & Co.	+14.6
Mastercard Incorporated Class A	+8.0
Microsoft Corporation	+10.7
CarMax, Inc.	+11.5
BOTTOM 5 CONTRIBUTORS	%
Edwards Lifesciences Corporation	-8.0
Anthem, Inc.	-8.3
UnitedHealth Group Incorporated	-5.7
Merck & Co., Inc.	-5.4
Crown Castle International Corp	-1.7

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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### Additional Performance (% net of fees)

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

SHARE CLASSES (INCEPTION DATE)	1 MO	1 YR	3 YR	5 YR	ITD	NAV
U.S. Flexible Equity A USD (27-Feb-2015)	5.6	13.4	14.9	-	8.9	14.26
U.S. Flexible Equity B USD (07-Mar-2014)	5.8	14.3	15.6	11.1	10.4	16.62
U.S. Flexible Equity C USD (22-Apr-2014)	5.8	14.6	15.9	11.4	11.2	17.07
U.S. Flexible Equity B GBP Dist. (16-Nov-2016)	5.7	20.8	-	-	14.2	13.85
U.S. Flexible Equity B GBP Hedged (22-May-2014)	5.6	12.0	13.8	-	10.2	16.16
S&P 500 Net USD (07-Mar-2014)	4.0	12.8	14.2	10.9	10.7	-

### 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>	AUT, CHE, DEU, DNK, ESP, FIN, FRA, GBR, IRL, ITA, LUX, NOR, PRT, SGP <sup>2</sup> , SWE
Eligibility (UK)	ISA and SIPP

### Share Classes

	ISIN	TICKER	OCF <sup>3</sup>	AMC
Dollar A Class (Acc.)	IE00BJ357Q90	BAUSFAU	1.67%	1.50%
Dollar B Class (Acc.)	IE00BJ357R08	BAUSFBU	0.91%	0.75%
Dollar B Class (Dist.)	IE00BYT42489	BAUSBDU	0.91%	0.75%
Dollar C Class (Acc.)	IE00BJ357S15	BAUSFCU	0.67%	seed
Dollar C Class (Dist.)	IE00BYT42596	BAUSBDE	0.67%	seed
Sterling B Class (Dist.)	IE00BYPJOK93	BAUFGBD	0.92%	0.75%
Hedged Sterling B Class (Acc.)	IE00BJ357W50	BAUFBGH	0.96%	0.75%
Hedged Sterling B Class (Dist.)	IE00BYPJOM18	BYPJOM1	0.96%	0.75%
Sterling C Class (Dist.)	IE00BYPJOL01	BAUSCDS	0.66%	seed
Euro B Class (Dist.)	IE00BYT42935	BAUSBDE	0.92%	0.75%

C Share Classes are closed to new investors. Additional share classes may be available.

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- Independent since 1998, employee-owned
- Fundamentally driven, investment management firm
- Over USD 72 billion in client assets<sup>3</sup>

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\*TERs are the actual TERs as of 31 March, 2019. The maximum TER of A share classes is 1.75%, B share classes is 1.00%, and C share classes is 0.75%.

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<sup>2</sup>Singapore - restricted scheme, please contact us for more information.

<sup>3</sup>As of 30 April 2019, Brown Advisory had more than USD 72 billion in client assets.