## **Brown**ADVISORY Thoughtful Investing.

# **Global Leaders Fund**

## March 2019: Fund Factsheet

## Annualised Performance (% net of fees)

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SHARE CLASSES (INCEPTION DATE)	1 MO	3 MO	1 YR	3 YR	ITD	NAV
Global Leaders Fund C USD (01-May-2015)	3.7	14.6	7.5	14.1	10.4	14.72
FTSE All World Index Net (USD)	1.3	12.0	2.3	10.6	6.0	-

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

ROLLING 12 MONTH RETURNS:	03.18	03.17	03.16
	03.19	03.18	03.17
Global Leaders Fund C USD	7.5	27.0	8.8
FTSE All World Index Net (USD)	2.3	14.8	15.2

## Sector Weights (inc. cash)



## Characteristics

Source: Factset and Brown Advisory calculations

		GLOBAL LEADERS FUND	FTSE ALL WORLD INDEX NET (USD)
ROIC (LFY ex. financials)	Average	34.4%	12.4%
	Median	24.4%	10.2%
Sales Growth (3-Yr CAGR)	Weighted Average	11.7%	8.9%
	Median	9.0%	5.7%
EV/EBIT (NTM ex. financials)	Weighted Average	19.2x	21.3x
	Median	16.8x	13.1x
FCF Yield (LFY ex. financials)	Average	4.3%	4.5%
	Median	4.4%	4.3%
P/E Ratio (NTM)	Weighted Average	22.8x	20.3x
	Median	20.7x	14.3x
Gross Yield <sup>1</sup>		1.27%	2.47%
Annualized Tracking Error (1 Yr.)		5.0	-
Active Share		93.0	-

<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	7.7%	9.8%
\$10-50 Billion	31.1%	34.7%
\$50-100 Billion	19.4%	12.7%
>\$100 Billion	41.8%	42.7%

## Fund Facts

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

PortfolioManagers	Mick Dillon, CFA Bertie Thomson, CFA
Structure	UCITS(Ireland)
Base Currency	USD
Launch Date	1 May 2015
Fund Size	USD 202 million
Holdings	33
Dealing	Daily

## Geographic Breakdown

North America	35.2%
Europe	25.5%
Rest of World (ROW)	33.8%
Cash	5.5%

Source: Brown Brothers Harriman and APX. Region listing by country of revenue as of 31 March, 2019. Numbers may not total due to rounding.

## Top 10 Equity Holdings

SECURITY	%
Microsoft Corporation	6.6
Visa Inc. Class A	5.6
Alphabet Inc. Class C	5.1
Unilever PLC	4.2
Mastercard Incorporated Class A	3.7
AIA Group Limited	3.5
Estee Lauder Companies Inc. Class A	3.4
Booking Holdings Inc.	3.3
Taiwan Semiconductor Manufacturing Co., Ltd.	3.0
JPMorgan Chase & Co.	3.0
Total	41.4

## Performance Contributors

TOP 5 CONTRIBUTORS	
Ctrip.com International Ltd Sponsored ADR	+28.0
HDFC Bank Limited	+14.2
Microsoft Corporation	+5.3
Edwards Lifesciences Corporation	+13.0
Visa Inc. Class A	+5.4
BOTTOM 5 CONTRIBUTORS	
Schindler Holding AG	-5.1
Charles Schwab Corporation	-7.1
Hiscox Ltd	-4.4
JPMorgan Chase & Co.	-3.0
Atlas Copco AB Class B	-1.2

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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#### Additional Performance (% net of fees)

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

SHARE CLASSES (INCEPTION DATE)	1 MO	3 MO	1 YR	3 YR	ITD	NAV
Global Leaders Fund B USD (15-November-2017)	3.7	14.4	7.0	0.0	10.2	14.72
Global Leaders Fund C USD (01-May-2015)	3.7	14.6	7.5	14.1	10.4	14.72
Global Leaders Fund C GBP Hedged (04- February-2016)	3.6	13.8	5.5	12.4	14.5	14.72
FTSE All World Index Net (USD)	1.3	12.0	2.3	10.6	6.0	-

#### **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, CHE, IRL, ITA. PRT, SGP <sup>2</sup> , SWE
Eligibility (UK)	ISA and SIPP

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- Independent since 1998, employee-owned
- Fundamentally driven, investment management firm
- Over USD 71 billion in client assets<sup>3</sup>

## Share Classes

	ISIN	TICKER	TER*	AMC
Dollar B Class	IE00BVVHP563	BRAGLBU	0.93%	0.75%
Dollar C Class	IE00BVVHP670	BRAGLBC	0.43%	seed
Hedged Sterling C Class	IE00BYJQVP87	BRAGCGH	0.47%	seed
Sterling B Class	IE00BYPJ0V09	BYPJOVO	0.93%	0.75%
Sterling C Class	IE00BYJQVN63	BRAGSCA	0.43%	seed

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

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\*TERs are the actual TERs as of 31 March, 2019. The maximum TER of B share classes is 1.00%, and C share classes is 0.50%.

<sup>1</sup>The Fund will be available for subscription only in jurisdictions where they have been registered for distribution or may otherwise be distributed lawfully. Only certain share classes may be registered in some jurisdictions, please contact us for more information.

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

<sup>3</sup>As of 28 February 2019, Brown Advisory had more than USD 71 billion in client assets.